

# **ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, LANGFORD**

**(United Benefice of Henlow & Langford)**

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## **SUNDAY 23 MARCH - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

***WE WELCOME everyone to our Parish Eucharist today.***

An audio loop is installed for those with hearing aids: please switch to the 'T' position. Parents with toddlers are invited to use *the children's corner* at the back of the church.

*Before the service – talk to God*

*During the service – listen to God*

*After the service – talk to each other, over a cup of coffee in the church hall*

### **HYMNS**

- 282 Jesus, where'er thy people meet  
(tune a)  
39 As the deer pants for the water  
220 How sweet the name of Jesus  
sounds  
264 Jesu, the very thought of thee  
(tune a)  
296 Let all the world in ev'ry corner  
sing

This week please pray for...

...those who suffer in mind, body or spirit:

*Angie Rigney; Sue Denwood; Jean Mattock; Tom Vincent; Yvonne Milne; Doreen Howe; Martin Woods; Mark; Kathleen Tomkins (Maureen's mum); John Searle; Bill Davies; Robin Blake; Vi Wheatley*

*R.I.P. Martin James Murphy*

In Care: Jessie Child; Pat Cooke

The funeral of Martin Murphy will be in church on Tuesday 1 April at 2.30pm.

### **MARCH DIARY**

**Wed 26<sup>th</sup> 10am** Holy Communion

**Sun 30<sup>th</sup> 9.30am** Mothering Sunday  
Family Communion

The Annual Church Meeting takes place today at 10.30am in the Church Hall.

Please let Sue know by next Sunday (30<sup>th</sup> March) if you are planning to attend the Maundy Thursday Eucharist at the Abbey at 11am on 17 April.

The Lent Challenge this year is called LifeSigns and takes a journey through John's Gospel. It's a great opportunity for people to take some time each day during Lent to think and pray - at home or at work, or on their commute. You will find all the details you need at [www.livethechallenge.co.uk](http://www.livethechallenge.co.uk) <<http://www.livethechallenge.co.uk>>

The Lent Groups continue this week on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and Wednesday evening.

The Christian Aid Lent 'Count your Blessings' leaflets and boxes are at the back of church. Please take them and bring the boxes back to church at Easter.