

## SPECIAL EVENTS

Christ Church Braintree – Maundy Thursday, evening service,  
Good Friday 10am Elim Church  
Halstead – Church Anniversary 12<sup>th</sup> May  
Broomfield – Church Anniversary 3<sup>rd</sup> March  
Maldon & SWF – Good Friday, Walk of Witness  
Trinity – Good Friday, Walk of Witness

## CIRCUIT DIARY DATES

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Witham Methodist Church

## NEXT PLAN: JUNE TO AUGUST 2024

Church Plan Requests, Local Church  
& Circuit Diary Dates.

**Please send to the Circuit Administrator at  
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before 6<sup>TH</sup> April 2024**



**CHELMSFORD CIRCUIT**  
Bedfordshire, Essex & Hertfordshire District 34/09  
Supporting God's people, sharing God's love  
QUARTERLY PLAN

## **MARCH TO MAY 2024**

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As I write we've just come to the end of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. The week (or technically an octave), lasts for 8 days from the 18th-25th January each year. It's been commemorated internationally since it was established in 1908, and is a truly global event, being part of the work of the World Council of Churches.

Each year a different part of the world church offers a theme, study and worship materials for the eight days. This year the Church in **Burkina Faso** collaborated in drafting the prayers and reflections using the theme "You shall love the Lord your God...and your neighbour as yourself", based around the Good Samaritan parable (Luke 10). What was humbling and inspiring about the material from Burkina Faso was that it was forged in a crucible of terrible economic, political, social and religious turmoil. For many years now there has been one coup d'état there after another, mixed in with religious violence and persecutions, all resulting in an extremely unstable and volatile situation. The thing that hit me hard about all this was - I never heard a thing about it on the news. We need to be constantly aware that what is news, is not so much related to the horror and seriousness of a situation, but whether it is deemed of importance to the Western political perspective. News is selected for us to hear. Please pray for peace in Burkina Faso.

"You shall love your neighbour as yourself". A Circuit is a good example of a group of Christians who express the desire to be something more together than the mere sum of our individual parts. Remember that we are bound together in our mission and witness as those who seek to share the kind of Good News that Jesus proclaimed using parables like the Good Samaritan.

It's unlikely that our work as Circuit will make even local news, let alone global, but the news of things happening on the ground will always be heard by those local to the story. Make some news about Good News by loving neighbour as self. It's a story that won't be contained!

**With every blessing, Mark**

AW	All Age Worship	HC	Holy Communion	PV	Pastoral Visitors Rededication
B	Baptism	HM	Harvest Festival	TS	Toy Service
BS	Big Sing Carols	HM	Home Missions	US	United Service
Café	Café Church Style	IG	Intergenerational Worship	WM	World Mission
Cov	Covenant Service	JC	Junior Church	WL	Worship Leaders Rededication
CA	Church Anniversary	LA	Local Arrangement	GS	Gift Service
CN	Christingle/Nativity	MS	Messy Sunday	SS	Sunday Special
CTiM	Churches Together in Maldon	MHA	Methodist Homes Sunday	GC	Gospel Choir
CS	Carols	NCP	Northumbrian Community Prayer	LWPT	<a href="https://lwpt.org.uk/">https://lwpt.org.uk/</a>
FS	Family Service	P	Parade Service		

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**AUTHORISED TO PRESIDE AT THE LORDS SUPPER**

Mrs Sue Johnson

**Bible Abbreviations:**

Ac	Acts	Hos	Hosea
AM	Amos	Is	Isaiah
Col	Colossians	Jer	Jeremiah
De	Deuteronomy	Jn	John
Eph	Ephesians	Kgs	Kings
Gal	Galatians	Lk	Luke
Ge	Genesis	Ps	Psalms
Heb	Hebrews	Pro	Proverbs
		Ro	Romans

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Changes in Red		MARCH	2024				APRIL	2024			MAY	2024		
1 <sup>st</sup> Feb 2024		3 <sup>RD</sup>	10 <sup>TH</sup>	17 <sup>TH</sup>	24 <sup>TH</sup>	31 <sup>ST</sup>	7 <sup>TH</sup>	14 <sup>TH</sup>	21 <sup>ST</sup>	28 <sup>TH</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	26 <sup>th</sup>
Version 2		Trinity	St Augustines	Hatfield Peverel	Maldon	Circuit	Witham	Moulsham	Broomfield	SWF	Braintree	Coggeshall	Gt Notley	Halstead
Lectionary Year B		Exodus 20:1-17 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 John 2:13-22	Numbers 21:4-9 Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22 Ephesians 2:1-10 John 3:14-21	Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 51:1-12 or Psalm 119:9-16 Hebrews 5:5-10 John 12:20-33	Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 31:9-16 Philippians 2:5-11 Mark 14:1 – 15:47 or Mark 15:1-39 (40-47)	Acts 10:34-43 or Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or Acts 10:34-43 John 20:1-18 or Mark 16:1-8	Acts 4:32-35 Psalm 133 1 John 1:1 – 2:2 John 20:19-31	Acts 3:12-19 Psalm 4 1 John 3:1-7 Luke 24:36b-48	Acts 4:5-12 Psalm 23 1 John 3:16-24 John 10:11-18	Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 22:25-31 1 John 4:7-21 John 15:1-8	Acts 10:44-48 Psalm 98 1 John 5:1-6 John 15:9-17	Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Psalm 1 1 John 5:9-13 John 17:6-19	Acts 2:1-21 or Ezekiel 37:1-14 Psalm 104:24-34, 35b Romans 8:22-27 or Acts 2:1-21 John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15	Isaiah 6:1-8 Psalm 29 Romans 8:12-17 John 3:1-17
Special Days		3 <sup>RD</sup> Sunday Lent	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Lent Mother's Day	Fifth Sunday Lent	Palm Sunday	Easter Sunday							Pentecost	
BROOMFIELD	11.00	CA King	LA	Pengelly	Pengelly United 10.30	Carter	Fogg	Pengelly HC	Overcomers LA	United @ Trinity	Hart	Pickett	Pengelly HC	United at MLMC
MOULSHAM LODGE	11.00	Pickett P CA	Pengelly HC	Low	United at Broomfield	Pengelly HC	Pengelly	LA	Pickett	United @ Trinity	Hobbs	Fogg	Carter	Pengelly United 10.30
ST AUGUSTINE'S LEP: C of E, Methodist, URC, Catholic	10.45 4pm	-	Carter	-	-	LA	-	LA	-	-	-	LA	-	-
TRINITY	9.30 2pm	Pengelly HC AGM	Pengelly AAW	Johnson Pengelly HC	United at Broomfield	Pengelly HC	LA	Hart AAW	Hobbs King HC	Pengelly United 10.30 4pm Hart Easter Offering	Fogg	Pengelly AAW	Low Pengelly HC	United at MLMC
HATFIELD PEVEREL	9.15	B Allen	B Allen	Hosking	B Allen	B Allen HC	Hosking	Pengelly	B Allen HC	Hosking	B Allen	Clemo	Hart	B Allen HC
MALDON	10.30	Griffin	B Allen	R Allen	Cole-Njie	Hart	LA	Clemo	B Allen HC	Carter	Crilley	B Allen	Cole-Njie	Hobbs
SOUTH WOODHAM FERRERS URC, Catholic, C of E, Methodist	11.15	B Allen HC	Hosking	B Allen	Fogg	B Allen HC	Griffin	B Allen HC	Fogg	Johnson	B Allen HC	Goodall	Crilley	Johnson
WITHAM	10.30	Cole-Njie	Crilley	Griffin	B Allen HC	Hobbs	Carter	Goodall	Cole Njie HC	B Allen	Low	R Allen	B Allen	Clemo
CHRIST CHURCH BRAINTREE LEP: Methodist, URC	9.30 11.00	Sebley Sebley	S Chapman S Chapman	Sebley AAW 10.30	Sebley Sebley	8am Sebley HC 10.30 Sebley	Fowler Fowler	LA LA	Sebley AAW Sebley AAW	Sebley Sebley	Pengelly HC Pengelly HC	Fowler Fowler	10.30 Fowler & Young People	S Chapman S Chapman
CHRIST CHURCH COGGESHALL LEP: Methodist Baptist URC	3.30pm Dec to Feb	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA	LA CA	LA
LA GT NOTLEY LEP: Baptist, C of E, Methodist, URC	11.00	Prior	Sebley	Anglican	Anglican	Benefice Service	Sebley	Anglican	King	Anglican	Prior	URC	Anglican	Baptist
HALSTEAD	10.30	Hart	King HC	Hobbs	LA	King HC	LA	Johnson	Low	Clemo	tbc	D Chapman CA	King HC	Griffin
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