



Rodings, Easters and Great Canfield

Sunday 30th June 2024
5th Sunday After Trinity

10 CHURCHES WORSHIP

11.00am Benefice Holy Communion and celebration of Ministry

This morning we say thank you to Gary and Jayne and send them off with our prayers and very best wishes as they move to Clavering over the summer. Gary will be licensed as vicar of the Clavering benefice in September.

The Church of England has an online service every Sunday morning at 9am which can be accessed via their website, <https://www.churchofengland.org/media-and-news/church-online>

THIS WEEK'S LECTIONARY READINGS

2 Samuel 1.1,17-27
Psalm 130
2 Corinthians 8.7-15
Mark 5.21-43



COMMON WORSHIP COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen



General Elections - Pray Your Part is an invitation from the bishops of the Church of England to encourage prayer and participation in the life of our nation and communities, both as voters and as citizens. This 21-day journey of prayer and reflection (from Friday, 14 June until Election Day on 4 July) is designed for use in the run-up to the UK General Election. Each day explores a different theme, with a short Bible reading, reflection and prayer for a different aspect of our common life. Booklets are available in our churches this week, or you can sign up for daily reflections by email at this link, <https://www.churchofengland.org/about/topics/pray-your-part-general-election-2024>

News from the Diocese

Sign up for the LATEST NEWS from the CHELMSFORD DIOCESE 'THE VIEW', our weekly email newsletter full of helpful resources, news and events that are taking place across our diocese. 'WE PRAY' is our quarterly prayer diary and features daily prayers and inspiring news stories of faith in action from our parishes, worshipping communities and schools. Read our latest edition on our website or have We Pray delivered straight to your inbox. Sign up on our website www.chelmsford.anglican.org/publications

Please continue to pray

For this week's general election, whatever the result we pray that those elected will be humble in victory and for peace for those who were unsuccessful. And we pray that each of us will be inspired to use our voice and our vote for your goodness and glory.

For God's Holy Spirit to be poured out on all those being confirmed next Sunday at Good Easter remembering especially Dot Saville and George Stone from our own benefice.

For Sam and Beth who will be married at Good Easter next Saturday, we pray for God's blessing on their married life.

For those mourning the loss of loved ones remembering especially the families and friends of Frank Neill (White Roding).

For our own ministry team, for Robert, Tim, Gary and Jo, grant them wisdom, humility and courage to shepherd your people with love and compassion and equip them to carry out their ministries according to your will. We pray especially for Gary as he prepares to move to a new role as parish priest in the Clavering benefice.

What's On in our Churches

Morning prayer each Wednesday morning at High Easter church at 9am. Worship normally lasts 20 minutes.

Online mid-week services every Wednesday @11am, details from Rev Robert Stone.

10 Churches prayer meetings on 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month @8pm are also online. Details for all Zoom meetings from Robert.

Home Groups, if you would like to know more or to join one of these groups please speak to the group lead. High Roding church, Mondays at 1.30pm with Brian Denman, Thursdays at 7pm in High Easter with Rev Gary Fleming, Fridays at 10.30am in High Easter with Jill Pitt and Fridays at 2pm at The Rectory with Rev Robert Stone.



Home Communion, if you or any friends or neighbours would like to receive home communion, and/or a visit from our ministry team, please get in touch with Robert.

Good Easter Coffee Club **Tuesday 2nd July** in church, or the churchyard if the weather is good! All welcome for coffee, cake and chat.

Next Deanery Synod is **Wednesday 3rd July** at St Andrews, Barnston. Our speaker will be Rev Graham Dowling from the Diocesan Retreat House. All welcome.

Deanery confirmation on **7th July** at 5pm at Good Easter with Bishop Roger. All are welcome.

FACEBOOK PAGE – In addition to the individual church Facebook pages, we have a benefice Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/regc.org.uk/>

Churches website www.regc.org.uk



TRAD JAZZ PICNIC

Sunday 30th June

Gates open 4pm- Band plays 5-8pm

KID TIDIMAN ALLSTARS



At Abbess Roding Church CM5 0PA

Bring: Blanket ~ Chair ~ Picnic

Pimms, Wine, Beer Soft Drinks and Raffle available

Tickets £14 Under 12s Free

Call 01279 876231/ jillyosborn@yahoo.co.uk

RASING FUNDS FOR ST MARY's, HIGH EASTER


Southend Shakespeare Company
An Open Air Summer Production 2024

THE LIAR
By Carlo Goldoni

Saturday 6th July
at 7.30 pm at
The Village Hall Field
High Easter



Adults £10.00
Children £5.00
Advance Booking
Not Required

Bring Your
Own Seating
Information
01702 473163



Essex Wildlife Trust

southendshakespeare.org.uk



Saturday 13th July Good Easter fete, the church gazebo will be up and the church will have a presence at the event.

20th July, Aythorpe Roding village hall (Aythorpe Snack Shack) will be welcoming cyclists as they ride throughout the night through our villages on their way from London to Dunwich. If you can bake a cake for the evening we would be very grateful please get in touch. All proceeds to St Mary's, Aythorpe Roding. BEV. b.j.atkinson@hotmail.co.uk ABI abigailtaylorcv@yahoo.co.uk or LISA lisabosher@aol.com

High Roding Church Flower Festival - **17th & 18th August** Volunteer/Flower arrangers and helpers for the Day needed. Please contact - Brian Denman 07771 840057 b.denman.341@btinternet.com

Future Dates for PCC and Churchwarden Meetings

Tuesday 9th July – South Rodings

Wednesday 24th July at 7pm – Aythorpe Roding

Tuesday 15th October at 7.30pm – High Easter and Good Easter

October – Margaret Roding

TBC – Great Canfield

TBC – High Roding

This Week's Church Diary

Monday 1 July

1.30pm Brian's Home Group, High Roding Church

Tuesday 2 July

10-12pm Good Easter Coffee Club in church

Wednesday 3 July

9.00am Morning Prayer, High Easter church

11.00am Midweek online service via Zoom

7.30pm Deanery Synod at Barnston church, refreshments from 7pm

Thursday 4 July

7.00pm Gary's Home Group

Friday 5 July

10.30am Jill's Home Group

2.00pm Robert's Home Group

Saturday 6 July

1.30pm Wedding, Good Easter

Sunday 7 July

9.30am CW Holy Communion, Aythorpe Roding

9.30am CW Holy Communion, Leaden Roding

11.00am Morning Worship and Baptism, Beauchamp Roding

11.00am Morning Worship, Great Canfield

11.00am CW Holy Communion, High Easter

5.00pm Deanery Confirmation, Good Easter

Contact Details

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