**NOTICES**

**FLOWERS** The Family flower in St. Stephen’s Chapel for **August** has been given by Sue Brown in loving memory of her mum, Kathleen Taylor,

**AUGUST** There are no **8am services** throughout the month of **August.**

There are no **Wednesday services** in **August.**

 There is no **Children’s Church** in **August.**

 We all deserve a break and will return in September with renewed energy.

**QUIZ EVENING** Come to our next social event, the Quiz Evening on **Saturday 4th October**. Bring a team or just turn up and join one. They are always good fun.

**HARVEST FESTIVAL** The weather hasbeen good this summer and we thank God for the abundance of flowers and food we have. We will celebrate our Harvest Festival on **Sunday 5th October.** Watch this space for more details. *Social Committee*

**CHRISTMAS MARKET** OK, I know it’s a long way off but if you want to buy some of the home made jams we need fruit and this is the time for harvest. When the houses in this area were built they all had fruit trees in their gardens, do you have a fruit tree? We can use apples, plums, pears or any other fruit you have. Happy picking!

 *Social Committee*

**HARROW FOOD BANK CONTAINER:** Is still in operation. Please give your contributions to Lyndon, Enid or David. You may also leave it in a bag at the back of the church. We will store it away daily until collection day. We have a small problem which we are trying to address.  *David Alleyne*

**ST. PAUL’S CATHEDRAL** Why not go up to town and pay a visit to St. Paul’s Cathedral? We have 4 free entry cards which can be used at any time. See me and I will pass them to you, but do remember to return them for the next person to use

 *Susan McLeod*

1. St Andrew's Church bank details for one-off payments and gifts -
2. **PCC of St Andrew's Roxbourne Parish**
3. **Sort code: 40-11-58  Acc No: 20404810**
4. *Please note this is not the account for regular Stewardship Giving - please see Wendy Godwin or Peter Sage for those details (Tel: 07889 249500*

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| **SUNDAY, 24th AUGUST TRINITY 10****Welcome to Rev Jane Morris, today’s celebrant** |
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|  **10.00 am: Parish Communion****with Prayers for Healing***Please come to the Hall after the Service for Coffee, Tea & Fellowship* |
| **This Week’s Services** |  | **Next Sunday 31st August**  |
| **Monday – Friday 9am Morning Prayer** |  | **10.00 am: Parish Communion***Jeremiah 2: 4-13; Hebrews 13: 1-8 & 15-16;* *Luke 14: 1 & 7-14* |
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TODAY’S COLLECT

**Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

TODAY’S READINGS

***Isaiah 43: 8-13***

Lead out those who have eyes but are blind, who have ears but are deaf.All the nations gather together and the peoples assemble. Which of their gods foretold this and proclaimed to us the former things? Let them bring in their witnesses to prove they were right, so that others may hear and say, “It is true.”“You are my witnesses,” declares the Lord, “and my servant whom I have chosen, so that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he. Before me no god was formed, nor will there be one after me.I, even I, am the Lord, and apart from me there is no saviour.I have revealed and saved and proclaimed— I, and not some foreign god among you. You are my witnesses,” declares the Lord, “that I am God. Yes, and from ancient days I am he. No one can deliver out of my hand. When I act, who can reverse it?”

***Acts 5: 12-16***

The apostles performed many signs and wonders among the people. And all the believers used to meet together in Solomon’s Colonnade. No one else dared join them, even though they were highly regarded by the people. Nevertheless, more and more men and women believed in the Lord and were added to their number. As a result, people brought the sick into the streets and laid them on beds and mats so that at least Peter’s shadow might fall on

 some of them as he passed by. Crowds gathered also from the towns around Jerusalem, bringing their sick and those tormented by impure spirits, and all of them were healed.

***Luke 22: 24-30***

A dispute also arose among them as to which one of them was to be regarded as the greatest. But he said to them, ‘The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those in authority over them are called benefactors. But not so with you; rather the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one at the table? But I am among you as one who serves. ‘You are those who have stood by me in my trials; and I confer on you, just as my Father has conferred on me, a kingdom, so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

**God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**



**PRAYER DIARY**

 **R. I. P.:** Elizabeth Belgrave who has died recently.

**The Parish** Tithe Farm Avenue; Tithe Farm Close; Torbay Road; Tresco Gardens; Veldene Way; Walton Avenue; Walton Crescent; Warden Avenue; Warden Court.

**Happy Birthday to** Amari Butler; John Aira (26th); Nishantha Thabrew (27th); Ariham Gupta (28th); Marian Twentyman; Solomon Gnanary; Bernard Botley (30th).

**This week we remember with thanksgiving the anniversaries of:** Doreen Fleming (25th); Aidan Gordon (27th); John Gray (28th); Ann Ginger (29th).

**Prayer request for healing and other needs** Earl Adams; David Alleyne; Ralph Bedford; Mark Gardiner; Malcolm George; Emily Rockingham; Pam Storey; Martin Vowles; Angela Zadurian.

**Congratulations to :** Alestair and Sandra Alleyne-Smith who were married on 25th August 2007. May they have a happy day together and many more to come.

**Church Families:** Harry Maddison; Pearl Macano; Leonore Marcano – Green; Orley, Simone and Althea McIntyre; Susan McLeod; Letitia and Emma Mihali; Kulan and Chris Mills; Roger and Gill Moore; John and Christina Murch; Georgina Muxlow.

**PRAYER FOR THIS WEEK**

 **Lord, what are my riches? What stops me giving everything to you? What weighs me down and ties my hands? What denies me true freedom? Show me, and give me grace to abandon my idols, so that, when you look at me in love, I shall not walk away, still cluttered.**

