

Prayer at the Heart

Please pray for:



Immediate needs 2 - 4 weeks

- Audrey (Porter), in hospital at present.
- John (Brockman) for a complete recovery following an operation.
- Bob Simmons, suffering with a painful cracked rib.
- Roy (Bentley) recovering at home following his heart surgery. Please also pray for Hazel.
- Jill and Tom (Seddon), both unwell
- John (Carol's husband) Judge recovering at home.
- Donald. with back pain and previous health issues.

During April we will be praying for those living in Lamb's Walk, The Warren and Sherwood Drive.

Long term needs - up to 3 months

- Lenni (Oakley).
- Gill (Campbell).
- Janice and Graeme (Allott). Frances Crocker. Ted North. Pat Wade. Paul Browning.
- Ann Shuttle and her sister, Joan.
- Dave (Remon), suffering from Parkinson's.
- Brian Evans.
- Ruth.
- Please pray for everyone in our church family living with long-term illnesses or conditions including Bob, Dennis, Denise, Emma, Katherine, Katy, Rosalind and Stella (Masters).

We give thanks for all who care faithfully for others - because it's their job, or because they are caring for a loved-one. We pray for strength and rest and the support of others.

We give thanks for the wonderful news that Mark (Temple) has been given the all-clear following his recent operation.

*If you would like someone to be added to the prayer needs ,please contact:
Carol Judge 277752 or David & Lynda Kemp 272470*



Welcome to St Alphege, Seasalter

Sunday 6 April 2025

(Fifth of Lent)

Readings: 1 Corinthians 13: 1-3 & Matthew 7: 21-23

Holy Week and Easter:

13 April Palm Sunday - 8.45 Service as usual with blessing of palms, 10.30 Gather Round Palm Sunday service (all ages)

Experience Easter - Monday 14 and Tuesday 15 April - Interactive Easter Story -see separate information for details on how to book in.

17 April Maundy Thursday Meal - 6 pm at SCC for all ages

18 April Good Friday - Walk of Witness joining with the Churches Together in Whitstable, beginning at 9.30 from near Swalecliffe Skate Park, going through the town and ending at St Alphege Whitstable.

18 April Good Friday - 2- 3 pm an hour at the Cross (Old Church) peaceful guided reflection and prayer

20 April Easter Day - 8.30 Beach Service (on the beach near Seasalter Water Ski club) followed by bacon rolls/refreshments at SCC and then our main Easter Day service at 10.00 am for all ages.

27 April - Sunday after Easter - both 8.45 and 10.30 services as usual.

EASTER DAY CELEBRATION!

We are looking forward to a joyful celebration of Jesus' resurrection and invitation to 'life in all its fullness' on Easter Sunday, 20 April.

You are invited to come to the 10.00 am service dressed in your brightest and most joyful colours!





All In

10th April
2.30pm to 4pm

Sensory session for children with additional needs
Bible story with craft zone & construction zone.
Booking Essential scan the qr code



or contactt
pam.crocombe@stalphegeseasalter.org

St Alphege Seasalter

Little Salties
Our toddler group
9.30am - 11.30am
Seasalter Christian Centre
Suggested Donation £1 per person
Term time only
Contact Pam for more info
pam.crocombe@stalphegeseasalter.org



Ladies' Meet Up

The next Ladies meet up is:



**Thursday 10 April
from 7 pm**

Weatherspoons' Whitstable

Open to any ladies connected with SCC. Come when you can, leave when you need, eat if you want or just chat. No need to book, just turn up on the day.
For more details contact Ann P or Claire W.

Jamie and Sabine are looking for someone to stay in their home and look after Bluebell, their 14 year cat while away from 2nd to 12th June. Would suit student. Please message 07905299261 for more details.



Message from Claude

Thank you for the kind gift and prayers from my Seasalter family

THIS WEEK at St Alphege Seasalter

We do our best to compile this so the info is in one place - but we are a busy church - apologies if something gets missed

- Mon 7** 2.30 pm Singing for Fun and Wellbeing SCC
6 pm Flying Club SCC
- Tue 8** **NO LITTLE SALTIES - EASTER HOLIDAYS**
- Wed 9** 8 - 8.45 am prayer on Zoom (ID 279 401 6881 Password V3pXbH)
2.30 pm Mid Week Holy Communion Service SCC
- Thu 10** 10 - 11.30 am Open Door Community Coffee Morning SCC
2.30 pm All-In SCC - **BOOKING REQUIRED** -see separate notice
- Fri 11** 10 - 12 Lent Bible Study group SCC
2pm Social Games SCC
6 pm Prayer Point at Rosemary's home (contact Paulette for details: 07305 611437)
- Sun 13** 8 am prayer at SCC
8.45 am Palm Sunday Service with Holy Communion SCC
10.30 am GATHER ROUND for Palm Sunday Service for all ages at SCC
Youth Lunch following second service





**EXPERIENCE!
EASTER!
TAKE THE JOURNEY**

We need your help!?!

Our Easter event is just around the corner, and we're looking for enthusiastic volunteers! It's a chance to be part of something truly special, bringing smiles and cheer to our community. We've got a variety of roles, so whether you're a hands-on type who loves setting up gazebos, an creative whiz who can help with overseeing a specific station setup, a baking star ready to whip up delicious cakes, or a friendly face who enjoys chatting with people, there's a place for you. Let's make this Easter unforgettable together!

If you are able to help in any way!
Please sign up with Hannah!

Running on the following days

Monday 14th April - (10am - 3pm)

Tuesday 15th April - (10am - 3pm)



Yay! and Pray







This week we are . . .

Celebrating:

- Giving thanks that God meets us when we pray, and for those who come together regularly and faithfully to pray - in the weekly prayers groups, in the Christian Meditation group, for our healing prayer ministry team, and those who gather online and in person in our Whitstable Team Ministry daily prayer in the week.

Praying for:

- us to manage to deliver all our Easter Cards and that they will inspire people to come to Experience Easter or our services, and discover what is at the heart of it all..

Our Values

All involved

Bearing witness

Creating community

Deepening discipleship

Encountering God

Finding friendship: fun and food

Giving generously

Everyone playing their part

Telling the Christian story



Loving and belonging

Following Jesus, becoming like him

Experiencing his presence

Laughing and sharing

Giving with gladness

Church Notices Please note that the deadline for the following Sunday is midnight on Tuesday. *Paula* Email: notices@stalphegeseasalter.org

CTiW: Churches together in Whitstable



**Bringing the Cross of Christ
to the centre of
Whitstable**

9.30am - 18th April 2025
Good Friday Walk of Witness

Gathering 9:30am
near Swalecliffe Skatepark.
Then walk via Tankerton Slopes
(Graystone Road)
to the Harbour,

then via Reeves Beach
to finish at
St Alphege Church.



Please Note

We livestream our 8.45 service and occasionally other services, uploading these to our church YouTube channel. The camera is focussed on the stage area (please be aware of this if you go up onto the stage during the service), and we don't film during the distribution of Holy Communion. Some backs of heads will appear in camera view. Please speak to a Church Warden when you arrive if you wish to avoid being in camera view.



Thanking All Cake Bakers

Thank you to everyone who made cakes for the marriage preparation course last week. They were very much appreciated by both those attending and those leading.
Rosalind



Maundy Thursday Meal

Thursday 17 April

Please complete the sign-up sheets in church if you are able to come to this special meal.



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Location - Seasalter Christian Centre,
Faversham Road, CT5 4AX
This Event is **FREE** to attend!
Booking in advance is essential!

Step into the heart of Easter! Engage with the story in a whole new way through our immersive, interactive walk-through, perfect for all ages. Don't miss this one-of-a-kind experience, Complete with refreshing treats!

To book your journey scan the QR Code or drop Hannah an email on hannah.rogers@stalphegeseasalter.org

HOP TO IT CAKE SALE

SUNDAY 20TH APRIL

Get your Easter treats whilst empowering our young people! They're showcasing their talents. Your purchases will make a real difference!