



StA St Andrew's, Alresford

StAL St Anne and St Laurence, Elmstead Market

StMM St Mary Magdalen, Frating with Thorrington

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Sunday 2nd November ~ 4th Sunday before Advent

Theme ~ Blessings in adversity Readings ~ Psalm 149; Luke 6:20.31

08:00	StA	Holy Communion	Andrew Fordyce
10:00	StAL	Family Communion	Andrew Fordyce
10:45 for 11:00	StA	Gather for refreshments Café Church	Nick Berry
2:15 3:00	StMM	Choir Practice Evensong	Valerie Harper
4:00 5:00	StAL	Tea All Souls' service	Pauline Hart

Mid-week Diary

Mon	10:30	StA	Friendship Circle
	14:30		Memories Group
Tues	9:00	StA	Morning Prayer
	10:30	StA	Tuesday Tots
	14:00	StAL	Quiet Hour
	14:00	StA	Pilgrim Group
Thurs	9:00	StA	Holy Communion
	16:30	StAL	Rainbow Guides
	18:00	StAL	Brownie Guides



Please note service times for Remembrance Sunday



Next Sunday 9th November ~ 3rd Sunday before Advent ~ Remembrance Sunday

Theme ~ Alive in God Readings ~ Job 19:23-27a; Luke 20:27-38

09:30	StMM	Holy Communion and Remembrance Service	Andrew Fordyce
10:15	StAL	Morning Prayer and Remembrance Service	Gill Bucke
10:55	StA	Morning Worship and Remembrance Service	Andrew Fordyce
12:30	StP	Remembrance Service	Andrew Fordyce
14:00	StAL	Remembrance Service (Village Green)	Pauline Hart
18:30	StA	Bereavement Service (followed by tea)	Pauline Hart

The **Course In Christian Studies** is a two-year course exploring the Christian Faith with others, delivered weekly in local centres around the diocese. There is a group meeting on Monday evenings in Colchester (which I help lead) and on Tuesday mornings at St Osyth as well as zoom groups on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The CCS is made up of two years of study, the first being an introduction to theology and the second year is a foundational year in ministry, giving students the opportunity to explore a variety of vocations and ministries within the church. You can choose to do some assignments to receive a Bishop's Certificate.

To get more information and/or register your interest go to

<https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/vocations-and-discipleship/discipleship/course-in-christian-studies>

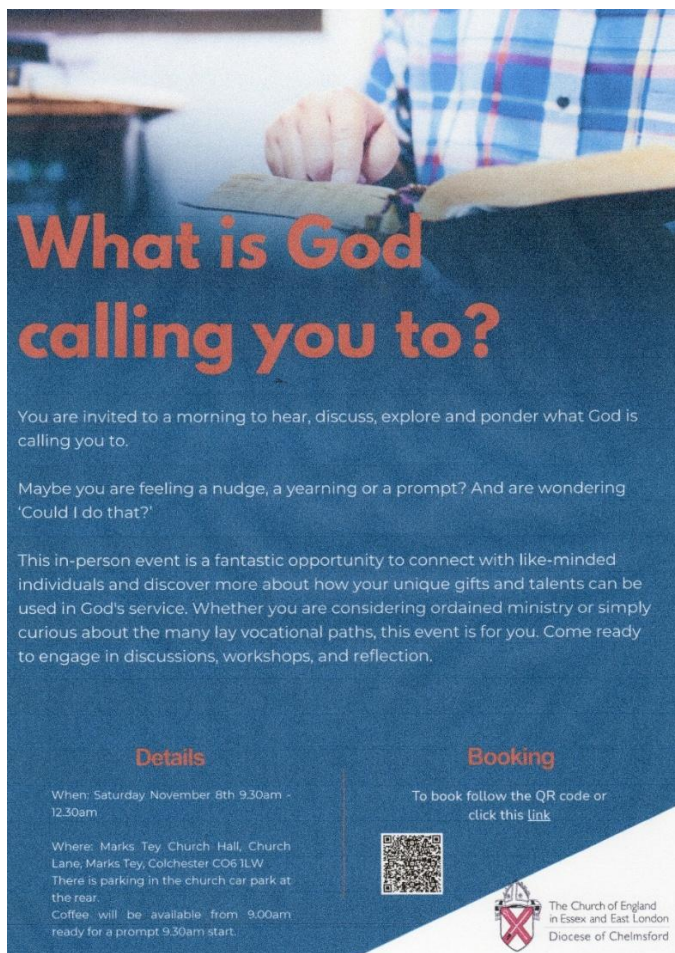
Or talk to myself or Andrew. Meg and Ruth completed the course in recent years and can tell you more about it.

Pauline

Memories Group Do you, or anyone close to you, have problems with memory? If so you would be most welcome to come and join us for an afternoon of socialising and reminiscence.

We meet **this Monday at 2:30pm** in the Hub at St Andrew's Alresford – please come and join us.

For further information please contact Jeanette Downing 01206 825008



What is God calling you to?

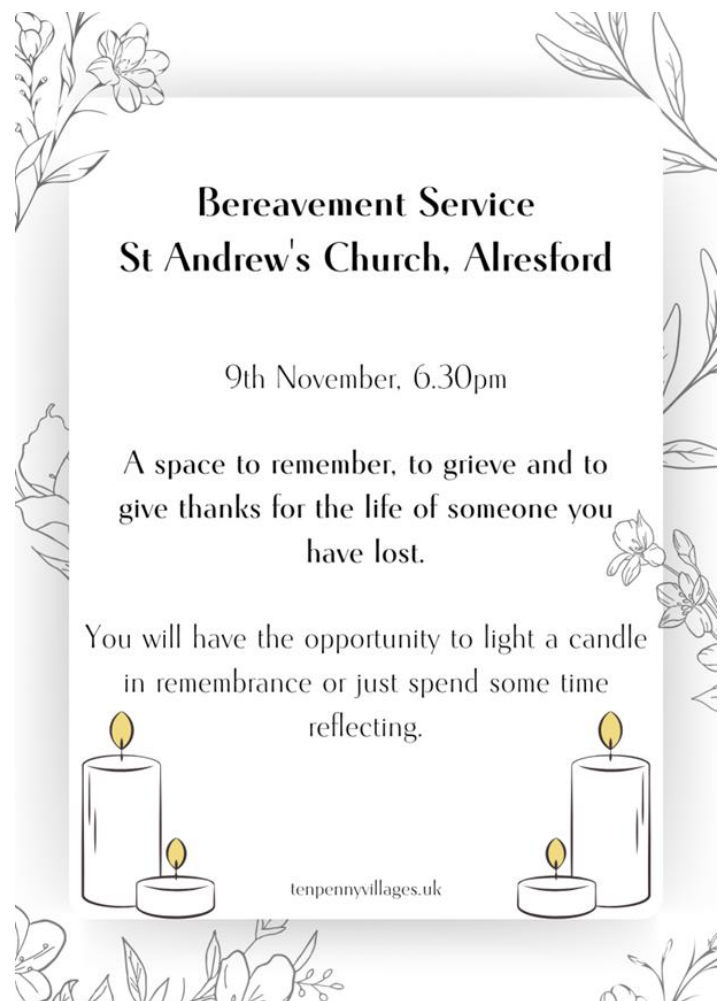
You are invited to a morning to hear, discuss, explore and ponder what God is calling you to.

Maybe you are feeling a nudge, a yearning or a prompt? And are wondering 'Could I do that?'

This in-person event is a fantastic opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals and discover more about how your unique gifts and talents can be used in God's service. Whether you are considering ordained ministry or simply curious about the many lay vocational paths, this event is for you. Come ready to engage in discussions, workshops, and reflection.

Details	Booking
When: Saturday November 8th 9.30am - 12.30am	To book follow the QR code or click this link
Where: Marks Tey Church Hall, Church Lane, Marks Tey, Colchester CO6 1LW There is parking in the church car park at the rear.	
Coffee will be available from 9.00am ready for a prompt 9.30am start.	

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Diocese of Chelmsford



Bereavement Service

St Andrew's Church, Alresford

9th November, 6.30pm

A space to remember, to grieve and to give thanks for the life of someone you have lost.

You will have the opportunity to light a candle in remembrance or just spend some time reflecting.



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9:30- 12:30 Sat 8th Nov, Marks Tey Church Hall - coffee from 9am

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Sunday Services held at both St Andrew's, and St Anne and St Laurence churches are sometimes recorded and are then available on our YouTube channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC-EKIUhKbC3syWis3y5dZeg>

Coming Soon!

1pm	9 th Nov	StAL	Parish Lunch <i>phone 07791 673821 to book</i>
7:30pm	10 th Nov	StMM	PCC meeting
1pm	13 th Nov	StAL	PCC meeting
4pm	23 rd Nov	StA	PCC meeting

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