



ST MARY MAGDALENE

Great Burstead with Ramsden Crays

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WELCOME

It is good to welcome you to our church today. We hope that you enjoy the experience of worshipping with us.

If you are new to our service and find it difficult to follow, please ask the person next to you, who will be delighted to help. If you have questions about our worship, please ask Fr Michael the Vicar, Karen White, our Associate Priest, or Nigel or Fola, our Churchwardens after the service.

SUNDAY 22nd June (Second Sunday after Pentecost)

8:00 am Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion
 9:30 am Sung Eucharist – Common Worship

UPCOMING WEEK'S SERVICES AND EVENT

Mon - Thu	9:30 am	Morning Prayer
Mon - Thu	5:30 pm	Evening Prayer
Wed	10:00 am	CW Said Eucharist
Wed		Vicar taking out Home Communion
Fri	12:00 pm	Lunch at the Blue Boar
Sat	9:30 am	Morning Prayer
	6:00 pm	Evening Prayer

SUNDAY 29th June (Third Sunday after Pentecost)

Sun	8:00 am	Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion
	9:30 am	Sung Eucharist – Common Worship

Friday - Vicar's Day of Rest

NOTICE AND SOCIAL EVENTS BOARD

Please do look at the notice board and the posters at the back of our Church and in the porch for events happening around the deanery and diocese and our local community which you may wish to attend for yourself, or as a representative on behalf of our parish.

Barbecue in the Vicarage Garden

We will be holding a barbecue for our church families in the Vicarage garden on Saturday 30th August from 3pm. More information to follow nearer the time, but in the meantime, please save the date.

- Fr Michael and Jo

Fete - Saturday 5 July

Poster, Cake and Hamper request

This is a joint event with Great Burstead & South Green Village Council and our church and many of the activities are free to residents.

The Grand Draw is supported by local businesses and church members. We are collecting for a church hamper

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again and a list of suggested items is at the back of the church. Thank you to everyone who is supporting this. Tickets will be sold on the day.

Cakes and Ploughman's lunch - always popular and an attractive display. The lunch plate can be reserved on the day and once it's gone, it's gone. Cake and scones are among the delicious bites this year, please bring your donations on the day with a list of the ingredients as we have to be careful about allergies. There will also be the usual refreshments.

In the meantime we would welcome your support:

- Posters - are on display in the local shops, available in church and promoted on social media, a copy is attached for readers of the online Pewsheets. Please share with you neighbours and friends in the local parish
- Bric a brac & new unwanted gifts - Pat co-ordinates this table, please chat to her if you have any questions, please bring to church and label it for Pat so that she can price it accordingly.
- Explorer Scouts will be helping with the car parking and we hope people will leave a thank you donation in their collection tub on the day.

Entertainment in the arena includes, Punch & Judy, Imperial Birds of Prey, Tilbury Brass Band and the Mayflower Morris Men. On the grass includes a bouncy castle, face painting (in church) fun fair games, classic cars, ice cream, Billericay Archive, Bric a Brac, Mothers Union, Sparkles, tombola, smash a plate, 5th Burstead Brownies, Woodturners and Young One's after school club. We have preparation to do on the morning so if you are free for an hour please pop along. Set up has to be completed by 10.30am. All stall holders are setting up themselves but we still need to move a few tables and chairs, put out parking cones outside the church and direct people. Thank you
 - Alison

Men's and Women's Lunch

Please join us for Lunch at the Blue Boar in Billericay High Street on Friday 27th June 2025 at 12 noon. All are very welcome.

- Mary and Mark (01277 750201)

Mothers Union

The Mothers Union stall at the fete will include a tombola this year and those running the stall would be very grateful if anyone has any unwanted gifts etc that could be used as prizes. The more prizes available the more money raised towards the church spire!! Any donations can be given to Carol Simons or Margaret Flack - Thank you in advance.

- Carol

QR code and online link for St Mary Magdalene, Great Burstead

Our mission and ministry can now be supported by people by using the QR code and online donation page for our church. Please use either the QR code or follow this link:

<https://givealittle.co/c/6xC5vQ1W6MqmlPRJAvrFS0>.

Thank you.



A prayer for world peace

*God of peace and justice, we pray for world peace today.
 We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.
 We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,
 that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.
 We pray for those with power over war or peace,
 for discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.
 Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and
 in fear, that you would hold and protect them.
 We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace.
 Amen.*

We pray for all those in need, be it for sickness, bereavement, loneliness, depression, stress or anxiety. Remember if you need to talk contact your friends, or Fr Michael. Do not suffer alone.

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