

Parish of St. Thomas, Bramford Lane, Ipswich

Sunday 22nd July 2018

Feast of St Mary Magdalene

8am Eucharist (BCP)

10 am Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

Opening Hymn	191 Hail the day (omit vs 3,5,6)
Gradual Hymn	39 As the deer pants
Offertory Hymn	324 Love's redeeming work is done
Communion Hymn	337 Morning has broken
Final Hymn	532 We have a gospel to proclaim

*Please join us for refreshments
after the service*

Please pray for:



Please pray for our plans to offer an Alpha Course at St Thomas in the autumn.

Those who are sick Ken, Eric Dickerson, Rosemary, Andrew, Alan Seeley, Kathy Steele, Cliff, Philip, Sophie, Adam, Natacha, Cliff Matthews, Charlotte J., Lynn, George, Ros Hoffmann, Phyllis Meadows

Those who have died: In recent world conflicts and natural disasters. Those on the year's mind list this week. Among those who have recently died: Be Bird



Please pray for the St Thomas Pilgrim Community – for its development and for residents. Next Community

prayer meetings are on **20 August, 7–9pm:** in the Vicarage -

Everyone is welcome

facebook.com/St-Thomas-Pilgrim-Community

Next Sunday, 29th July 2018

9th Sunday after Trinity

8 am Eucharist (BCP)

10 am Sung Eucharist

Dates for your Diary:

5 August – 12 noon: Shared lunch

8 September 2018 - 9am -5pm:

Suffolk Churches Ride & Stride --Sponsorship forms on the welcome table

11 September, 6.45 – Growing in God Roadshow at St.Andrew's, Rushmere

Birthdays: Luke Dibenga (13th) Kurt Lowe (23rd) Jenny Biggs (27th)

+++ THE PEW SHEET IS AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE ++++

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Services and other meetings during the Week

23rd - 29th July 2018

Monday	23rd	9.30 am 4.00 pm	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer (Vic)
Tuesday	24th	9.30 am 7.30 pm	Morning Prayer Meditation Group (Vic)
Wednesday	25th	8.30 am 10 am	Morning Prayer (Vic) Eucharist
Thursday	26th	9.30 am 4.00 pm	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer (Vic)
Friday	27th	10.30am	'Foodcloud' food Distribution
Saturday	28th		

We are planning to run an **Alpha course at St. Thomas starting on 19 September for 11 weeks**, an opportunity for those new to church (and not so new!) to discover what the Christian faith is all about. Invitations are available on the welcome table – please mention it to family/friends and pray for God to send people to join the course.

The Brisland family would like to express their sincere gratitude to all at ST Thomas for your love, support and kindness shown to us in the sad loss of Jean. Thank you for your wonderful friendship for her in final days. We are extremely grateful for all the work that went into making the occasion of her funeral a time of love and togetherness.

Thank you to all who offered to help with coffee – **we are also looking for more people to help with the flowers.** Please, see Alison Gibbs if you are able to help.

Calling all cyclists! Suffolk Churches Ride & Stride, 8 September 9 -5pm *Could you join in and raise some funds for St Thomas?* –Sponsorship forms and information on the welcome table

Thank you to everyone who donated on Sea Sunday in aid of the Mission to Seafarers. We collected £100.

'Foodcloud' bags of food can be collected on Friday mornings, 10.30-12.00. On Sundays, food maybe available to take home – voluntary donations for FIND are welcome.

Ladies Group: No meetings in August.

Info: Contact Carole Groom tel. 464218

Church building repairs (outside) started on Monday 18th June and will continue for about six weeks. Disruption should be minimal.

FIND Thank you for your generous donations. They are much appreciated. The need is greater than ever.

Citizens Advice in NW Ipswich: Info on local Pop-up sessions on community room noticeboard.

GDPR – General Data Protection Regulation. All organisations have to be compliant with GDPR by 25th May. **We are asking you to fill in a consent form in order for us to be able to contact you in the future in the way we have done up to now. Please, help us by filling in the form.**

Promotional Pop –up on **Tuesday, 24th April, 1 -2.30pm**, Bramford Lane Annex, Children’ Centre – for additional dates, see the noticeboard

Stewardship: Thank you to everyone who supports the mission of St Thomas Church through regular giving. We encourage people to give by **Standing Order** and now provide **small cards** on the welcome table for those who give by standing order **to put into the collection bag.** To find out more, please speak to Daphne Startup or Emma Knight