

Please pray for:

**Monday:** our outreach to children and their families. Pray that as we seek to appoint a Children and Families worker in Dedham parish that God would guide us to the right person. Pray for the preparation for the Holiday Club and the Rise and Shine service.

Pray for all who are sick or in any kind of trouble – especially Alena Holderness-Marshall.

**Tuesday:** Ministry Team: Antony, Merv, Carol, Christine and Amanda as they meet together and seek God's way forward in our parishes.

**Wednesday:** Fabric Committees in both our parishes as they seek to maintain and improve the facilities we have so that our buildings will be places of welcome and warmth to friends and strangers.

**Thursday:** Families who are exploring having their children baptised and for adults who may also be exploring of baptism. Pray for baby Austin who was baptised last Sunday and his parents – that they may continue the journey of faith that they have begun together.

**Friday:** the work of Beacon House; for the homeless people they seek to help and for all who are struggling to cope with daily life.

**Saturday:** pray for Grace and Sam who are getting married in Dedham today and for their families and friends who will be celebrating with them. Pray for all who will visit our villages this weekend and for all who work in the food and leisure industries in our parishes.

*If you would like someone to be named here please contact the office.*

**Giving to the church – thank you for your generosity!**  
**The cost of the ministry and mission of our churches is approximately £2,500 per week**

*If you would like to give please use the gift envelopes and complete so that we can take advantage of gift aid if you are a taxpayer. You can also set up a standing order - forms at the back of church.*

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**Items for inclusion** in the new sheet need to be emailed or handed to the office by Wednesday each week.

**Newsheet by email?** If you would like to receive this newsheet each week electronically please email the office.

# The Church Chimes

Dedham and Ardleigh Parishes

Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> July 2017

*"Keep me safe, my God, for in you I take refuge"*

Psalm 16:1

## Services and Readings

*For the Fifth Sunday of Trinity*

8.00am	Holy Communion BCP	Dedham
11.00am	Parish Eucharist CW	Ardleigh

**Readings:** Psalm 16 (p549); Matthew 13:1-9 (p978)

## Welcome to our services

Please do stay for coffee or tea afterwards.

# Soul Songs

*exploring love, guilt, fear, temptation, hope and celebration  
in the Psalms this summer – starts today!*



## Diary

<b>Tuesday 18 July</b>	10.30am	Morning Prayer	Dedham
	11.00am	Home Group (Please contact Ann Shaw 322192)	Dedham
	12.30pm	Home Group	Vicarage
	7.30pm	Dedham PCC Meeting	Vicarage
<b>Wednesday 19 July</b>	7.30pm	Home Group	Vicarage
<b>Thursday 20 July</b>	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	Ardleigh
<b>Friday 21 July</b>	10.30am	Home Group (Please contact Jo Hole 323881)	Dedham
	6.30pm	Junior Choir Practice	Dedham
	7.00pm	Choir Practice	Dedham
<b>Saturday 22 July</b>	9.30am	Quiet Prayer	Dedham
	1.30pm	Wedding	Dedham
<b>Sunday 23 July</b>	8.00am	Holy Communion BCP	Ardleigh
	10.15am	Prayers	Dedham
	11.00am	Matins BCP	Dedham

## News

**Are you free on Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> July?** Can you make a cup of tea? Do you enjoy baking? Are you able to spare a couple of hours in the afternoon to welcome about 30 overseas students from Essex University who are visiting Dedham with the 'Friends International Christian Fellowship'? If you would like to help, please contact Elizabeth Hopkins. If you are not available on the date but would like to donate a cake ahead of time, your contribution would be equally welcome. More details contact 322 361.



**Pirates Ahoy Holiday Club** there is still time to enroll on the holiday club for Primary aged children who live in our villages or go to our primary schools. The club will be 31st July - 4th August at Dedham Church. Forms are available from the Parish Office ([stmaryda@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryda@gmail.com)) or at the back of church.



**New Rise and Shine Service** – come and join this new monthly all-together service at 9.30am at Dedham Church. Starting Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> August (will be second Sunday of the month thereafter). Hymns and songs, old and new, 45 minutes followed by refreshments. For further details please contact the Parishes office.

**Mission Bake Sale** – the next sale will be on Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> July from 10am outside the church. Any donations of cakes, ingredients or help on the day are most welcome. Contact Ruth for more details **322 598**.

**Lisa and Denny will be getting baptised** on 30<sup>th</sup> July – we'll be having their baptism at the river straight after the Joint Service, please come and support them and bring a picnic