

In Touch

Sunday 4th February 2018

Information, News & Announcements
from St Lawrence Church, Bovingdon



Prayer List

The Sick and those in need

Zachary Sayers	Patrick Mills
Charles Lung	Angela Fox
Allan Brown	Ruth Findlay
Heidi Wangwan	Mrs Grey
Helen Campbell	Chris O'Hara

Those who mourn the loss of

Audrey Morley	Nicola Gladwell
Peter Baverstock	Susan Cawdell
Doreen O'Neill	
Lawrie Sale	

2nd Sunday before Lent.

Almighty God,
you have created the heavens and
the earth and made us in your own
image:
teach us to discern your hand in all
your works and your likeness in all
your children;
through Jesus Christ your Son our
Lord, who with you and the Holy
Spirit reigns supreme over all things,
now and for ever.

This Sunday 4th February 2nd Sunday before Lent

Proverbs 8.1, 22-31
Colossians 1.15-20
Mark 1.29-39

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Family Communion

Next Sunday 11th February Sunday before Lent

2 Kings 2. 1-12
2 Corinthians 4. 3-6
Mark 9. 2-9

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Family Praise
10.30am Parish Communion

This week at St Lawrence:

Tues 6th 3.30pm Tea Time
Weds 7th 9.00am Toddlers
2.45pm Bible Study.
Please contact
Kay on 832601
for venue.
Thurs 8th 9.00am Morning Prayer
Fri 9th 6.00pm Choir Practice

Post Communion prayer

God our creator,
by your gift the tree of life was set at
the heart of the earthly paradise, and
the bread of life at the heart of your
Church:
may we who have been nourished at
your table on earth be transformed by
the glory of the Saviour's cross and
enjoy the delights of eternity;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

In touch is available on line www.stlawrencebovingdon.com and in large print—please ask in Church for a copy.
If you are a communicant member of the Church of England or another Christian denomination you are welcome
to receive communion. If not, please come forward to receive a blessing, keeping your hands at your sides.

Dates for your Diary:

Shrove Tuesday 13th February at 12 noon: Pancake Party.

Come along to enjoy freshly cooked pancakes and have some fun. There will be various children's activities and a pancake tossing competition.

14th February at 8.00pm:

Ash Wednesday.

Holy Communion with Ashing.

Friday 2nd March at 10.00am:

Womens' World Day of Prayer.

The service will be hosted by St Lawrence and all are welcome. Further details on the poster, There will be a children's corner: all ages welcome.

Sunday 4th March:

Visit by the Bishop of St Albans.

Bishop Alan will be joining us for our **10.00am Family Communion Service**, after which he will bless the path and sculptures.

Saturday 10th March at 7.30pm:

Concert by the Lea Singers.

Music by Faure, Palestrina and Frank Martin. Tickets available shortly.

DENS High Needs —Jan / Feb 2018:

Meat (Tinned)

Custard

Jams and Spreads Chocolate

Welcome Back Helen:

I am pleased to say that after further positive news from the hospital, Helen has returned from sick leave this week. Therefore, you will now be able to contact her via the 'admin' address as usual. Please bear with Helen, as she catches up on all that has been happening since November, and continue to pray for long term healing and progress. Karen.

Lent Lunches: Weekly Lent Lunches for 5 weeks will start on Wednesday 21st February at the Hall, doors open at 12.45pm and a simple lunch will be served at 1pm followed by "A Thought for the Day." **Everyone is welcome.** Contact Barbara 831583, Pauline 832263 or Kay 832601 to confirm your attendance for catering numbers.

DENS Collections: Thank you to everyone who brought donations for DENS last week, Carol has now delivered this to the hub where it will be distributed to those in need.

Next collection 25th February.

Pilgrim Groups: Would you like to join a Pilgrim group, meeting either weekly or fortnightly in people's homes? If you are interested contact Flick Crockett (905894) or Dena Tyler (832736). Find out more about Pilgrim at **www.pilgrimcourse.org**

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