

# In Touch

Sunday 29th November 2020

Information, News & Announcements  
from St Lawrence Church, Bovingdon



## Advent Sunday

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## This Sunday 29th November Advent Sunday

Isaiah 64.1-9  
1 Cor.1.3-9  
Mark 13.24-end

9.30 Family Praise (Zoom)  
10.30 Morning Prayer (Zoom)  
Please see our website for further resources to enable you to worship at home.

2pm—4pm Private Prayer

## Closing Prayer

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayer List

### The Sick and those in need

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| Zachary Sayers   | Jennifer Hann    |
| Karen Wade       | Pauline Pinchham |
| Michael Vickars  | Richard Pilbeam  |
| Deryck Flashman  | Karin Vallis     |
| Kireet Parmar    | Angela Fox       |
| and family.      | Ron Bowler       |
| Trevor Moncrieff | Harry Waller     |

### Those who mourn the loss of

Simon Woodmore  
Charles Bryant

## This week at St Lawrence:

The church is closed for public worship but open for private prayer as usual:

Wednesday 10.00 – 12.00 noon  
Sunday 2.00 – 4.00pm

Mon 30th 11am Funeral

## Next Sunday 6th December 2nd Sunday of Advent

*We are hoping to be able to worship in church again*

Isaiah 40.1-11  
2 Peter 3.8-15a  
Mark 1.1-8

8.00 Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00 Family Communion  
(in church and on Zoom)

2pm—4pm Private Prayer

## A message from DENS.

We have been overwhelmed by the food donations we have received thanks to the generosity of our community. As such, our current stock levels are high, leaving very little extra storage. However, we still need your help...

The pandemic has hit us hard financially and to help stop the spread of Covid, we'd prefer financial donations towards our operating costs where possible please.

## Christmas shopping on Amazon?

Shop via Amazon Smile and 0.5% will go to St Lawrence Church.

Go to Amazon Smile and select St Lawrence Bovingdon.

 smile.amazon.co.uk

Easy Fundraising app. Selecting a shop online through easy fundraising also gives money to St Lawrence Church if you select the church as your nominated charity



## In December we hope to resume our new service pattern

### First Sunday of the month:

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.00am Family Communion

### 2nd & 3rd Sundays:

9.30am Family Praise

10.30am Parish Communion

### 4th Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

9.30am Family Praise

10.30am Morning Prayer

10.00/10.30 services will be held in church and broadcast over Zoom

## Church cleaning morning

If you can help give the church a pre-Christmas clean on **Friday 4th December** from 9.30am please contact Dena Tyler.

**Support during lockdown** If you need support, or know of someone else who does, please contact us via [support@stlawrencebovingdon.com](mailto:support@stlawrencebovingdon.com)

Private prayer is continuing. If you feel able to assist please contact Helen or Charles

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