

In Touch

Services and prayers at
St Lawrence Church,
Bovingdon



Sunday 9th January 2022
Baptism of Christ

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son,
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,
that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

This Sunday 9th January **Baptism of Christ**

Isaiah 43.1-7
Acts 8.14-17
Luke 3.15-17, 21-22

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Family Praise
10.30am	Parish Communion
4.15pm	Messy Church

Next Sunday 16th January **2nd Sunday of Epiphany**

Isaiah 62.1-5
1 Corinthians 12.1-11
John 2.1-11

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Family Praise
10.30am	Parish Communion

Prayer List

The Sick and those in need

Zachary Sayers	Mark Freeth
Oli Kemp	Kuldip Dhadda
Allan Brown	Philip- Karen's Dad
Christian (Karin's brother)	Christopher Keiber
Ann-Marie Rothwell	Brenda Wood
Ross Alberto	John Hislam
Margaret Gillespie	Richard Howse

Those who mourn the loss of

Christopher O'Hara (Nikki's Uncle)	
Deryk Flashman	Marjorie Hughes
Julia Howse	Alyssa Gunn
Eileen Cook	

This week at St Lawrence:

Wed 9.00am	Toddlers
2pm	Funeral
Thurs 9.00am	Morning Prayer
10.30am	Cuppa & Chat
Fri 11.30am	Lunch club
2pm	Funeral

Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all time and eternity,
you opened the heavens and
revealed yourself as Father
in the baptism of Jesus your beloved
Son:
by the power of your Spirit
complete the heavenly work of our
rebirth
through the waters of the new

Notices for 9th January

Messy Church goes to the movies at 4.15pm – all families and children welcome. Watch the movies YOU made during 2021 and enjoy activities, a quiz and hot dogs and popcorn afterwards.



Goes to the movies!

Cuppa and chat is on Thursday at 10.30am For the Zoom link contact Helen.

Karen who leads the Bovingdon Rainbows group is looking for helpers for restarting the **Brownie** unit. It is held in the church hall on Thursdays at 5.30pm during term time. If you are interested please contact Helen admin@stlawrencebovingdon.com with your details to be passed on to Karen the unit leader.

We are looking for a representative to join the small planning team from churches in Bovingdon, Chipperfield and Sarratt for the annual **World Day of Prayer service**, which will be held this year on Friday 4th March. If you are interested please have a word with Charles.

Gwen and Mags whom we supported financially for many years through the South American Missionary Society have retired to the north west and have been awarded MBE'S for services to education in Paraguay. Their latest newsletter is in church.

Under current government guidelines, **face coverings in church are now compulsory** for everyone aged 12 and over, unless you are exempt. We are making some adjustments to the way we worship and these will be clearly explained when you arrive in church.

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