

In Touch

Services and prayers at
St Lawrence Church,
Bovingdon



Sunday 20th February 2022
2nd Sunday before Lent

Prayer List
The Sick and those in need

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. Amen.

Zachary Sayers	Philip- Karen's Dad
Oli Kemp	Christopher Keiber
Allan Brown	John Hislam
Ann-Marie Rothwell	Sheila Marsh
Margaret Gillespie	Brenda Wood
Mark Freeth	Charmain Allen
Kuldip Dhadda	

Those who mourn the loss of

Christopher O'Hara (Nikki's Uncle)	
Alyssa Gunn	Eileen Cook
Iris Leslie	Elsie Burgess
Donovan Allen	Christine Atkinson

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Genesis 2.4b-9, 15-end
Revelation 4
Luke 8.22-25

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

Next Sunday 27th February **Sunday next before Lent**

Exodus 34. 29-end
2 Corinthians 3.12 - 4.2
Luke 9.28-36 {37-43a}

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Family Praise
10.30am	Morning Prayer
12noon	Baptism
4.15pm	Explorers

This week at St Lawrence:

Tues 10-12.30pm	Big Brew (Hall)
7.30pm	Prayer Course
Wed 09.15am	Toddlers
Thurs 9.00am	Morning Prayer
10.30am	Cuppa & Chat
Fri 11.30am	Lunch club
Sat 26th 8.30am-11.30am	Social Media Workshop

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. Amen.

Notices for 20th February

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 22nd February 10.30 – 12.00noon: 'Big Brew' Fairtrade coffee morning in the Hall

Saturday 26th February: 8.30am-11.30am: Social Media Workshop — with breakfast **Places still available**

Tuesday 1st March: Shrove Tuesday Pancake Party - 4.30pm in church

Wednesday 2nd March: Ash Wednesday Holy Communion 8.00pm

Friday 4th March at 10.00am: World Day of Prayer service in Sarratt. See poster for further details. If you'd like a lift please contact Charles

Saturday 19th March: Prayer Breakfast 8.30 – 10.30am

Fairtrade Fortnight begins this Sunday. There will be a 'Big Brew' coffee morning in the Hall on Tuesday 22nd February at 10.30am with fairly traded tea, coffee and biscuits and a Fairtrade stall. Come along and bring your friends.

If you would like to get involved in promoting fair trade in our church and beyond please contact Wiebke Carr wiebkeschwartz@hotmail.com or Charles.

Lent lunches will be held weekly on a Wednesday lunch time between Wednesday 9th March -Wednesday 13th April at St Lawrence Hall. Further details to follow in due course.

The Church of England is currently engaged in a major piece of work called Living in Love and Faith exploring matters of gender and sexuality and the teachings of the Church. All churches in our Deanery are invited to take part in a series of discussions being organised by two churches, either St Peter's Mill End (starting late February) or St Mary's Rickmansworth (starting early March). See fliers in church for details.

Eco Church News

Our Soft Plastics Recycling bin has arrived! Bring any soft, clean and scrunchy plastic along to church and we'll send it for recycling via the Co-op.

Social Media Workshop – Saturday 26 February – 8.30am-11.30am – with breakfast! Places still available

We will be eating breakfast together and hearing and learning about how the BBC engages audiences, what is best practice, dos and don'ts, and privacy. Please book a place by signing up at the back of church or emailing [Helen admin@stlawrencebovingdon.com](mailto:admin@stlawrencebovingdon.com) as soon as possible. The workshop will take place at Finchley House, Bovingdon Green, HP3 0LB. If you need a lift, please say on the form or in your email.

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