

In Touch



St LAWRENCE CHURCH
BOVINGDON

Serving the Community

Sunday 8th May 2022 Vocations Sunday

Almighty and everlasting God,
by whose Spirit the whole body of
the Church is governed and
sanctified:
hear our prayer which we offer for
all your faithful people,
that in their vocation and ministry
they may serve you in holiness and
truth, to the glory of your name;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ, who is alive and reigns with
you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen

This Sunday 8th May Vocations Sunday

Acts 9.36-end
Revelation 7.9-end
John 10.22-30

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

Post Communion Prayer

Merciful Father,
you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be
the good shepherd,
and in his love for us to lay down his
life and rise again:
keep us always under his protection,
and give us grace to follow in his
steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Prayer List

The Sick and those in need

Zachary Sayers	Sheila Marsh
Oli Kemp	Charmain Allen
Allan Brown	Parmar Family
Ann-Marie Rothwell	Jean Thirkell
Mark Freeth	Derek Wright
Kuldip Dhadda	Angela & Baby
Philip- Karen's Dad	Gabriel
Jeremy Smith	Gary Cartlidge
David Kitchen	Penny Havercroft
John Hislam	Peter Vallis

Those who mourn the loss of

Irving Lewis	David Hollingsworth
Bill Hoskyn	Peter Johnson

Next Sunday 15th May 5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 11.1-18
Revelation 21. 1-6
John 13.31-35

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

This week at St Lawrence:

Tues 8.00pm	Pilgrim (Vicarage)
Wed 9.15am	Toddlers
Thurs 9.00am	Morning Prayer
Fri 6.30pm	Pop Up Choir

Notices—8th May

Dates for your Diary

13th May at 6.30pm: Pop Up Community Choir rehearsal in church. All singers welcome

18th May at 10.30am: Friends of St Lawrence Coffee morning, Westwinds, Green Lane. Please sign up if you can make a cake for the cake stall.

19th May at 7.30pm: Annual Meetings – St Lawrence Hall.

20th May at 9.30am: Church cleaning morning. Can you spare an hour or two to help?

26th May at 7.30pm: Ascension Day service at St Paul's Chipperfield

4th June at 2.00pm: Summer Fete. Helpers and cakes needed—please sign up at the back of church. Plus toys, books and bottles.

Eco Ideas

Refill is a free app that locates your nearest refill station to help you eat, drink and shop with less waste. There are 300,000+ Refill stations on the map including water bottle refill stations and local zero-waste food shops. Download the app <https://www.refill.org.uk/about/> and have a go at using it when you're out and about!

Summer Fete

The St Lawrence Summer Fete will take place on 4th June 2022 as a part of the village weekend of celebrations for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We still need volunteers to take the lead on our Bottle Tombola and Cake stalls. If you don't feel able to take the lead, please sign up to help for an hour or two on one of the sheets at the back of church - we need help with manning the church stalls, setting up and clearing away. We also need donations of children's toys and books (in good condition please), bottles for the Bottle Tombola and cakes for the cake stall. If you can't sign up at the back of church, please email Hilary (see below) or Nicki events@stlawrencebovingdon.com if you would like to be involved.

Extension Project

We're forming a team to help with various aspects of this project from fundraising to thinking about lighting, sound and new furniture. If you are interested please have a word with Charles.

Platinum Jubilee Choir

Would you like to join a pop-up community choir to sing the new anthem 'A life filled with grace' which has been commissioned to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee? There will be two rehearsals on Friday evenings at 6.30pm in church (May 13th and 20th) and we will perform the song during the Jubilee celebrations at the beginning of June. If you're interested contact Charles Burch or Gill Barrett. You can listen to the song here <https://youtu.be/leRoEyco9Gc>

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