

In Touch



St LAWRENCE CHURCH
BOVINGDON

Serving the Community

Sunday 5th February 2023 3rd Before Lent

Prayer List

Collect

Eternal God,
whose Son went among the crowds
and brought healing with his touch:
help us to show his love,
in your Church as we gather
together,
and by our lives as they are
transformed
into the image of Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Zachary Sayers
Oli Kemp
Allan Brown
Mark Freeth
Kuldip Dhadda
Philip- Karen's Dad
Derek Wright
Penny Havercroft
Michael Havercroft
Gary Cartlidge
Peter Vallis

Brenda Wood
Trevor Moncrieff
Rosemary Evans
Nicki O'Hara
Malcolm Fryer
David Hood
Lorraine Mcloughlin
Val Snowden
Mary Beard

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Isaiah 58.1–9a
1 Corinthians 2.1–12
Matthew 5.13–20

8.00am BCP Communion
10.00am Family Communion
5.30pm 3:16's Youth Group

Those who mourn the loss of

Chris Took William Campbell
Pamela Mills Joan Cartlidge
Margery Smith Tim Snowden
Nancy Mynard Baby Erasmus
Ken Streeter John Baldwin

This week at St Lawrence:

Mon 10am—12noon Warm Space
Wed 9.15am Toddlers
Thurs 9.00am Morning Prayer
Thurs 10am-12noon Warm Space

Post Communion Prayer

Merciful Father,
who gave Jesus Christ to be for us the
bread of life,
that those who come to him should
never hunger:
draw us to the Lord in faith and love,
that we may eat and drink with him
at his table in the kingdom,
where he is alive and reigns, now and
for ever.
Amen.

Next Sunday 12th February 2023 2nd Before Lent

*Bring your DENS contribution to
church!*

Genesis 1.1—2.3
Romans 8.18–25
Matthew 6.25–end

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

Notices— 5th February

The funeral of Nancy Mynard will take place on Friday 10th February at 10.30am at the Aylesbury Vale Crematorium HP19 0FU.

DENS are experiencing unprecedented demand for their foodbank. We will make the second Sunday each month a special focus for DENS giving but you can bring your gifts at any time and leave them in the box at the back of church or in the black box by the Vicarage porch.



The DENS High Needs list is on display in church. Current high need items include cereal bars, rice and tinned meat.

We are re-advertising the post of **Fundraising Co-ordinator** for our Extension Appeal. This is a one day a week paid role. If you know anyone who might be interested please get in touch with Charles.

A reminder that our **Warm Space** is up and running, 10am-12noon each Monday and Thursday in St Lawrence Hall. Please drop in for coffee and a chat and encourage neighbours and friends to come too.

Dates for your diary:

21st February at 4.30pm: Pancake Party

22nd February at 8.00pm: Ash Wednesday service

Lent lunches will take place in the Hall every Wednesday during Lent, starting on 1st March. All welcome.

Lent resources

Sign up sheets are available at the back of church for:

- The Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book 'Failure—what Jesus said about sin, mistakes and messing up'.
- 'Women of Holy Week' by Paula Gooder
- Real Easter Eggs

Please only use a clear plastic bag for pill packets in the soft plastics collection.

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