In Touch



Sunday 30th July 2023 Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul;

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.

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1 Kings 3.5-12 Romans 8.26–end Matthew 13.31–33, 44–52

9.30am Family Praise

10.30am Parish Communion—

Iona Liturgy

Next Sunday 6th August 2023 Transfiguration of Our Lord

Daniel 7.9–10, 13–14 2 Peter 1.16–19 Luke 9.28–36

10.00am Family Communion

Prayer List

Zachary Sayers
Mark Freeth
Kuldip Dhadda
Philip- Karen's Dad
Derek Wright
Penny Havercroft
Michael Havercroft
Gary Cartlidge
Peter Vallis
Rosemary Evans
Nicki O'Hara
Chris O'Hara

Lorraine Mcloughlin
Mary Beard
Brenda Wood
Hilary Kemp
Jean Rose
Marie Shilling
Tom Morkill
Alaina Parsons
Margaret Horwood

Those who mourn the loss of

Teresa Treacy Joe Beech Mary McCarthy

This week at St Lawrence:

Thurs 9.00am Morning Prayer
Thurs 10.00am Welcome Café

Post Communion Prayer

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; alory to you for ever. Amen.

Notices—30th July

As well as coffee there will be **Cake and Fizz after the 10.30 service, at about 11.30**, to celebrate Charles and Philippa's 40th wedding anniversary. All welcome!

Our **Welcome Café** continues this Thursday 10-12 in church. Please come along for tea, coffee, cake and conversation and bring your friends. If you can help one Thursday please see Dena Tyler or Judith Wilford.

Are you a qualified First Aider? If so please let Chris West know as we would like to compile a list.

Children and Families dates for your diary:

4th September at 3.30pm: Back to School BBQ 16th September 10-11.30am: Heroes Adventure Day

Do you shop online? Don't forget to sign up for Easy Fundraising at www.easyfundraising.org.uk and select St Lawrence Church Bovingdon. It costs you nothing extra and raises money for St Lawrence.

The DENS High Needs list is on display in church. Current high need items include cereal bars, rice and tinned meat. Through our food bank work we are in touch with and supporting some local families, please bring what you can to help them.



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