



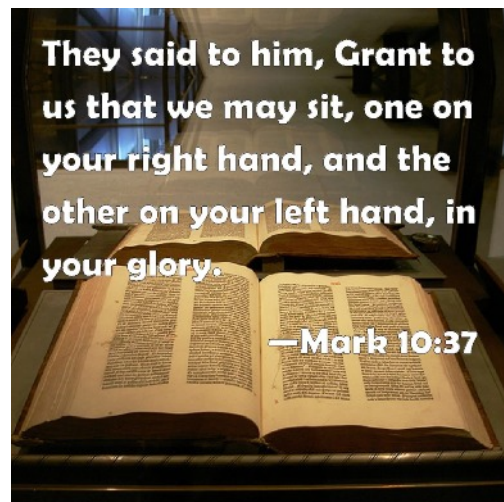
St. Lawrence Church & St. Mary's Church

Newsletter 21st October 2018

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Welcome to Church on the last Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 21 st October	7:45am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	10:30am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	4:00pm	Messy Church	
	6:30pm	Holy Communion	Revs Cathy & Peter
Tuesday 23 rd October	9:30am	Morning Prayer	
	8:45 - 9:30am	Tea & Toast	
	6:15 - 7:15pm	Office Hour at Vicarage	
Wednesday 24 th October	7:30pm	Bible Course	
Thursday 25 th October	9:15am	Holy Communion	
	11:30am	Funeral of David Littleford	
	2:15pm	Play & Praise	
Sunday 28 th October	7:45am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	10:30am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	6:30pm	All Souls' Service	Revs Kathryn & Cathy



Collect

Almighty God, in whose service lies perfect freedom: teach us to obey you with loving hearts and steadfast wills; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Hebrews 5.1-10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.' In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you O Lord

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.' When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord


Praise to you O Christ.

✠ Year's Mind

Kenneth (Bob) William Sidbotham
Geoffrey Herbert Ellis Davies
Betty Nicholls

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THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

 Can I remind all those who have a Children's Society box that they are due for emptying. They can be dropped off at St Lawrence Church where I will pick them up, you can drop them round at my house: 3 Pear Tree Close Tel: 824349 or you can wait for a pick up from your house from the beginning of November. Every penny collected goes towards helping so many vulnerable children. So on their behalf, thank you very much. Yvonne Cannell (Coordinator)

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

It would be lovely to train more people to assist with the distribution of communion in our services at the various churches. If this is something that you would like to be involved with, or you would like to know more about it then please speak to Rev Kathryn or Rev Cathy.

SUPPORT NORBURY CHURCH

St Peter's, Norbury has been fortunate in securing a place as one of the charities being sponsored this month by Waitrose in their green disk scheme. Would you be able to support St Peter's when you do your shopping during October please. They are raising money to put heaters into the church which is very much needed. Thank you

ALL SOULS' SERVICE 6:30PM ON 28TH OCTOBER

If you would like a loved one remembered at the "All Souls' Service" there is a sheet at the back of church, please add the name(s)

The Friends of St Lawrence

Present
"Songs for an October Afternoon"

Performed by
Rebecca Burn - Soprano
at St Lawrence Church
Sunday 28th October at 3pm



Autumn is here - season of mists and mellow
fruitfulness!

The perfect time to enjoy a concert of relaxing classical
music, followed by delicious tea and cakes.

Why not join us for a sparkling selection of delightful
classical song, from the enchantment of Mozart and
Purcell to the beautiful melodies of Schumann and
Strauss. With such a captivating programme of musical
gems, there is certain to be something to entertain and
enthral everyone!

Tickets £5 pp available from:
Helen Air 822347
Sandy Redfern 822440
Doreen Shelldrake 822423

CHURCH SERVICES AT MORETON

Sunday 28th October Holy Communion at 9am with Rev Kathryn
Sunday 4th November Afternoon Worship at 3:30pm with Rev Kathryn
Sunday 11th November Service of Remembrance 9am with Rev Kathryn

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES



If you would like to fill a shoe box to send to a child this Christmas there are shoe boxes and leaflets in our churches for you to take. These need to be returned to church by Sunday 28th October at the latest.

Choral Evensong will be sung here in church on Sunday
4th November at 6.30pm

CHURCH NEWSLETTER



If you wish to have anything included in the Church Newsletter please let Jim McGregor have it by the Wednesday of the previous week.

Tel 01785 822156 or email
jimf.mcgregor@tiscali.co.uk

PRAYER CHAIN

Please remember that we have a prayer co-ordinator who every fortnight sends around names of people to be included in our prayers. If you would like to receive this list then please contact Hayley –
h_a_p@hotmail.com

ACROSS THE BENEFICE

For enquires concerning baptisms and weddings please contact Rev Kathryn.

01785 822820 rev.kathrynh@gmail.com

VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS MARKET

Victorian Christmas Market (Sat 1st Dec) We are having several new stalls this year - one being a CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA for the children. We would welcome gifts for this - mainly small chocolate bars etc. We are also having a BOTTLE TOMBOLA and a RAFFLE and would be grateful for any contributions, in particular small items of Christmas food treats for the Raffle Basket Prize - small boxes of chocolates, biscuits, sweets., Preserves, tins, etc.

There is a box at the back of church for all donations.

Helen Air

Christian Food Bank



CHRISTIAN FOOD BANK

Please do remember that we collect tinned food here at the back of church that is collected every two weeks and taken to the Food Bank at Stafford. Your donations are appreciated. **Please bring any tinned food to the box at the back of church – making sure the tins are well within their sell by date.** Thank you.

Please take this sheet home with you to remind you of the readings and notices and also please take one for anyone whom you know is missing from today's service and would like

If you know of anyone in the community who would appreciate a visit, please let Rev Kathryn know. Many thanks