



St. Lawrence Church & St. Mary's Church

Newsletter 18th November 2018

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Welcome to Church on Sunday next before Advent

Sunday 18 th November	7:45am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	10:30am	Holy Communion	Rev Cathy
	6:30pm	Evening Worship	Lay Led
Monday 19 th November	7:30pm	PCC Meeting	
Tuesday 20 th November	9:30am	Morning Prayer	
	8:45 - 9:30am	Tea & Toast	
	6:15 - 7:15pm	Office Hour at Vicarage	
Wednesday 21 st November	7:30pm	Bible Course	
Thursday 22 nd November	9:15am	Holy Communion	
	2:15pm	Play & Praise	
	7:00pm	Friends of St Lawrence AGM	
	7:30pm	Talk by Bill Basford in Vestry	
Sunday 25 th November	7:45am	Holy Communion	Rev Kathryn
	10:30am	Holy Communion	Rev Cathy
	2:00pm	Baptism	
	6:30pm	Evening Worship	Lay Led



"For many shall come in my name, saying, I am Christ; and shall deceive many."

Collect

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Daniel 12.1-3

'At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.' 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**
 As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.' When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, 'Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?' Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs. This is the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you O Christ.**

Year's Mind

Henry Nicholls
Douglas Owens
Barbara G. Wilkins
Annie (Nancy) Elizabeth Yardley
Percy William Fello
Terence Alan Ball

Rector Rev Kathryn Hammond - 822820 rev.kathrynh@gmail.com
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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.

CHURCH SERVICES AT MORETON

Sunday 25th November Holy Communion at 9am with Rev Cathy
Sunday 1st December United Benefice Service at Knightley at 10.30am
No service at Moreton

Victorian Christmas Market Saturday 1st December (10am - 4pm)

Thank you for the many donations for the Chocolate tombola. We are now collecting for the BOTTLE & GIFT tombola and the RAFFLE HAMPERS (special biscuits,tins,bottles,preserves etc.) Box at back of Church for all donations.

CAKES & BAKES STALL (Victorian Christmas Market)
Please get baking and wrap everything ready for sale. Items may be delivered to the Church on Friday 30th Nov between 2.30 - 3pm OR on Sat 1st Dec before 9.30am. For collection or info please ring Rosemary 01785 822442

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 at Tuesday's Office Hour from 6:15pm to 7:15pm. 01785 822820 rev.kathrynh@gmail.com

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

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

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 to feel included

PCC MEETING OF MONDAY NOVEMBER 19TH

If anyone has anything they want brought up under AOB at the PCC meeting on the Monday 18th June please contact Kathryn.

THANK YOU FROM ST PETER'S NORBURY

Many thanks to everyone who shopped at Waitrose in October, to help raise £213 for our heating fund. We really appreciate your support and the heaters have now been ordered!

Friends of St Lawrence Church

present

One of Bill Basford's intriguing talks

“A LOST INDUSTRY AND CHILDHOOD ADVENTURE”

7:30pm on 22nd November in
St Lawrence Church Vestry
ALL WELCOME

Preceded at 7pm
by the Annual General Meeting
of Friends of St. Lawrence Church