

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley  
**Pews News Notice Sheet**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Lent**



St Laurence ~ **A Fair Trade Parish** ~ St Augustine's  
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**A very warm welcome to any visitors today; please  
feel free to stay for refreshments afterwards.**

**Parish Services Today ~ 16<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

8am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion with Sunday School</i>	St Laurence
9.30am	Holy Communion with Children's Church	St Augustine's
11am	Holy Communion with Children's Church	St Augustine's
6pm	The Evening Service	St Augustine's

**Today's Readings:**

*Joel 2: 28-32 (p 866), John 16: 16-22 (p 1024)*

*9.30am B ~ Ruth 1: 1-19 (p 255)*

***Readers next week:*** *Robert & Ester Luscombe, Lisa Naylor, Clare Woollard,  
Mavis Pickard and Pat Morton*

**Collect Prayer for today**

Almighty God,

Give us reverence for all creation and respect for every person,  
that we may mirror your likeness in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

## **Next Sunday ~ 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

8am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion with Sunday School</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	Morning Worship with Children's Church	St Augustine's
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## **PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2020**

**PCC Meeting** Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February at 7.45pm in the Parish Centre.

**Tuesday@2** is on 18<sup>th</sup> February – all welcome to drop in at Bushby Hall, Wharf Rd, Wormley for a cuppa, various activities or just a chat.

**Calling any Singers!** All are welcome to come to 18 Roslyn Close on Wednesday February 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm to practise singing hymns and songs in preparation for the World Day of Prayer service.

**Bereavement Support Group Meets** on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February at 2.30pm-4pm in the Parish Centre, all welcome whether bereaved recently or longer ago.

**Services at Residential Homes** are on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February as follows:- Wormley Court at 10.30am, The Hollies at 11.15am and St Catharine's House at 11.45am. If you'd like to go along and join in with these short services, please let Judith Hyde know (465509).

**Annual Pancake Races** - Shrove Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> February 3-6pm for our 10<sup>th</sup> year of pancakes and fun! All welcome at the Parish Centre. See posters for details.

**Messy Church** is on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 3.15pm at Wormley Primary School. Flyers are in church – please pick one up for information and dates of the monthly sessions. If you'd like to help either with preparing materials or at the sessions, please contact Anne Sentence.

**Lent Course**, 7:30pm on Tuesdays 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> March and 7<sup>th</sup> April for **Lent group meetings** based on Ruth Valerio's book 'Saying Yes to Life'. See posters for more details to follow, first session at St Augustine's, Broxbourne.

**Up for a Challenge?** You may like to look out for the Lent Challenge of the week, starting on March 1<sup>st</sup>. Join up with friends and family for encouragement and let us know how you get on!

**Can You Help at Hitch Hikers?** A female leader is needed for the Hitch Hikers group for teenagers after Easter, who could be there 6.30-8.30pm on Sundays in term-time. Refreshments half-way through the evening. If you can help or would like more information, please contact Charles.

**World Day of Prayer** - Friday 6th March. Service prepared by the women of Zimbabwe at 11am St Augustine's Church followed by lunch in the Parish Centre. Year 5 from Broxbourne Primary are taking part so please come along to support them. The evening service is at 7:30 for 8pm at the Baptist Church, Burford Street, Hoddesdon, EN11 8HX. Everyone is welcome to join this world-wide event.

**Magazine Printing.** Could you help on the rota to print our monthly Roundabout magazine? It would be once every 4 months. Please contact Lynda Dray or Una Davies if you'd like more information. You'll be shown what to do and your first go could be a trial without commitment!

**Prayer Meetings** are as normal this week, including the Wednesday prayer meeting at 1.15pm at St Augustine's and the prayer walk which starts from 11 Wharf Rd at 9am on Thursdays. All welcome to join.

**Thank You** to those who are bringing non-perishable items for Foodbank; boxes where you can donate items are at the back of both churches.

**Please pray for**

- The couple whose banns of marriage are being read.
- Those on half term next week, children, teachers and parents!
- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues, especially Janet Bourne, Sarah Hughes, Mary Sales and Sylvia Hall.
- Those recently bereaved especially the families of the late Maurice Porch, Margaret Earles and Betty Ashby.

**St Augustine's Notices**

**Let's Reduce Waste!** We would like to encourage as many people as possible to bring their own reusable cups/mugs for the refreshments before the 9.30am service; this would reduce the number of disposable paper cups and plastic lids used each week (and would save money too!)



**Children's Church at 9.30am** needs some more helpers; if you can help now and then, please see Naomi Fensome. Thank you!

**St Laurence Notices**

**Date for the Diary** – Ash Wednesday is 26<sup>th</sup> February, so the service of Holy Communion will be at 7.30pm that day and all are welcome.

## **Broxbourne Primary School Applications.**

The school's admissions criteria are clearly set out in the blue school information leaflets, available from the school and in church. **Please ensure you check these. Any enquiries should be directed to the school.** At St Augustine's the church attendance books for signing are available after the 9.30 and 11.00 services in the Parish Centre. If you're attending an 8.00 or 18.00 service, please speak to the minister afterwards. At St Laurence it is at the back of church, on the table beside the font.

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