

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley
Pews News Notice Sheet
4th Sunday before Lent



St Laurence ~ **A Fair Trade Parish** ~ St Augustine's
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We extend a warm welcome to everyone today, especially to any visitors. Do stay for refreshments.

Parish Services Today ~ 5th February 2017

8am	<i>Holy Communion (BCP)</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	<i>Family Service for all Ages</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	<i>Family Service for all Ages</i>	<i>St Augustine's</i>
11am	<i>Holy Communion with Children's Church</i>	<i>St Augustine's</i>
6pm	<i>The Evening Service</i>	<i>St Augustine's</i>

Today's Readings:

1 Corinthians 2: 1-12 (p 1081), Matthew 5: 13-16 (p 916)

Readers next week: Sally Burnay, Una Davies, Linda Hood, Marion Kenny, Barbara Wright and Simon Walker

Collect Prayer for today

Lord of the hosts of heaven,
our salvation and our strength, without you we are lost:
guard us from all that harms or hurts and raise us when we fall; through
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

Sunday 12th February

8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion **</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	<i>Morning Worship *</i>	St Augustine's
11am	Morning Prayer with Children's Church	St Augustine's
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PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 5TH FEBRUARY 2017

Ross would like to express her heartfelt thanks for the lovely card, beautiful flowers and very generous gift token which she received at her farewell service last Sunday. The support, encouragement and patience of the church family during her ministry in the parish has also been greatly appreciated. Whilst she and Rob are looking forward to a new adventure in South Wales you will all be greatly missed. We will be keeping you in our prayers as you embark on an exciting new phase in the life of the church in Broxbourne with Wormley. With every blessing, *Ross*.

P.S. 'We'll keep a welcome in the hillside', not to mention a cup of tea and a welsh cake - if you are in the area, please do come and see us!

PCC Meeting – Tuesday 7th February at 7.45pm in the Parish Centre.

Want to Help Somehow? If you'd like to help out at church in some way, there are plenty of ways you can do this, whether on the coffee rota, with Children's Church, or see below! Please just ask, we'd be delighted to hear from you.

BIG Group needs three kinds of help please: 1) To transport people to & from the event, which takes place about every 4 weeks on a Thursday afternoon, 2.30-4pm. 2) To engage with people who come. 3) To help serve refreshments. Also if you have a special skill which you would like to share please let Judith know. We've set up a crochet station and next time will have a colouring station. There's always a quiz and a games station. A little help would be great thank you. Judith 465509 /

hydehaven@ntlworld.com

Lent Lunch Help Needed. We need four volunteers from 10.30am onwards to help prepare the lunch at St Catherine's & St Paul's Church, Hoddesdon on Tuesday 7th March, when Revd Malcolm Finlay will be the speaker. Please call Lynda in the Parish Office to offer help (Tel. 444117)

Looking Ahead to Holiday Club 2017. This year's theme is 'Guardians of Ancora'. If you would like to join the staff team that runs the Club in the summer, now is the time to speak to David and add your name to the mighty army of about 100 adults who are needed to put on the Club. It's a great time for both children and adults! This is the 25th successive summer club the present group has organized. It is time for a change,

and with the changes there have been in society, perhaps a radical rethink of the form the Club takes. The Steering Committee is drawn from the churches and that is important. If you can offer new thoughts, new concepts and new energy to this important ministry undertaken by the churches in Broxbourne, please contact David on 01992 443218 or david@dkb.me.uk ASAP!

Rhyme Time meets on Tuesdays in term-time at 9.30am, Parish Centre; come for simple craft, songs and fun! Please contact Georgia if you'd like to go on the current waiting list (463187).

Bumps & Babies meets on Thursdays, 1.30-3pm; drop in to the Parish Centre for a cuppa and chat.

Women's Evening Group meets on Wednesday 8th February at 8pm in the Parish Centre. New members welcome, call Yvonne for details (Tel. 426489).

Parish Centre Quiz Evening. Saturday Feb 11th at 7.30pm. Individual tickets £8, and two tables of 8 available from Judith (465509). Donations of raffle prizes welcomed! Bring your own drinks & nibbles.



Christian Magicians at High Leigh. Wednesday 15th February, doors open 7.15pm, showtime 7.45-9pm. £5 per person, family ticket £15. Tickets on the door.

Job Vacancy at High Leigh. Conference Porter, full-time (part-time also considered). To take responsibility for the setup of conference rooms and AV/PA provision, with an ownership on ensuring that equipment and facilities are available to deliver a professional and effective service. See www.cct.org.uk/careers closing date Friday 10th February.

Date for the Diary – Shrove Tuesday Pancake Races will be on Tuesday 28th February at 3.30pm, followed by pancakes to eat in the Parish Centre.

Women's World Day of Prayer. The Filipino women have written a service for the world to share on Friday March 3rd. Everyone is welcome to come and sing/learn/listen to the hymns and songs on **Fridays 10th & 24th Feb**, 1:45pm at 18 Roslyn Close, EN10 7DA. Come and find out what Daguay is (it's not edible) and enjoy tea, cake and chat. - Judith 465509 / hydehaven@ntlworld.com

Cheryl Wibberley is in training to run her first London marathon in aid of Family Action, a charity which tackles issues such as mental health issues, domestic abuse and young carers. Her fund-raising page is <http://m.virginmoneygiving.com/mt/uk.virginmoneygiving.com/CherylWibberley> and she would be very grateful if anyone would like to sponsor her. She has committed to raising £1500, which will be matched by her employer.

Small TV For Sale - please ask Judith for details. Donation to West Tower project.

Christian Aid Quiz Results: Thank you to everyone who participated in the annual quiz. The profit for CA has risen to a truly amazing **£1507!** Thank you all for your support and generosity. *Kathleen Lord.*

Broxbourne Foodbank. Sincere thanks to all who are donating food. If you'd like to bring something to the Foodbank box in church, items such as tinned fruit & vegetables, UHT milk and teabags would be very welcome.

Please pray for

- Those recently bereaved.
- Those needing prayer for health issues especially Vic Howlings, Valerie Payne, Janet McCaty, Felix Murray, Jo Oyeleke, David Cockerton and Sue Brown.

St Augustine's Notices

Can You Help Occasionally? We'd like to have a couple more helpers on the coffee rota for the 11 o'clock service, could you help? Maybe volunteer with a friend? Help would be needed from August or September onwards. Please contact Wendy Hickford by emailing wendy.hickford@sky.com or give her a call (Tel. 306330). *Thanks!*

Active Kids Vouchers are again being collected by 1st & 3rd Broxbourne Brownies, so if any church member has any spare, please leave them in the collection box in the Parish Centre entrance hall. Thank you.

St Laurence Notices

Active Kids Voucher Scheme has started again at Sainsbury's and Liz Chapman will be collecting vouchers for the 1st Wormley Brownies. A collection box can be found at the back of St Laurence Church.

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