

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

# Pews News Notice Sheet

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany



St Laurence ~ **A Fair Trade Parish** ~ St Augustine's

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Registered Charity No. 1130305

**A very warm welcome to everyone today,  
both regulars and visitors.**

### **Parish Services Today ~ 19<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

9.30am Holy Communion

St Laurence

11am Holy Communion

St Augustine's

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**Readings today** ~ Deuteronomy 14: 22-27 (p 185) & Matthew 22: 15-22 (p 937)

**Readers next week** ~ Neville Townsend, Judith Hyde, Dave Shepperd,  
Clare Woollard and Tony Fleetwood

### **Collect Prayer for today**

Eternal Lord, our beginning and our end:

bring us with the whole creation to your glory, hidden through past ages  
and made known in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

## **Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
11am	Holy Communion	St Augustine's
7pm	<b>Service of Christian Unity</b>	<b>St Augustine's</b>

## **PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 19<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025**

**Parish Christmas Lunch TODAY:** As is traditional, January's parish lunch will be a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Parish Centre, 12.45pm.

**Evening of Prayer for Christian Unity.** Gather online at 7pm on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January to celebrate and pray for Christian Unity as the Churches Together in Hertfordshire and Bedfordshire. Click: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82894338738?pwd=QSyaOpw5SCZ5R5t2KHQMeevPkFzQbn.1> to start or join a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**Churches Together Service of Prayer and Unity, 7pm 26<sup>th</sup> January at St Augustine's Church.** We are hosting this service. Please come and be part of a warm welcome to our fellow Christians. We shall unite in hearing God's word, reflecting on it, singing God's praises and praying for each church's needs and hopes. In Christ. If you would like a lift: please contact Judith Hyde on 01992 465509 / [hydehaven@ntlworld.com](mailto:hydehaven@ntlworld.com)

**Please Return** the enclosed Volunteer Interest Form to Lynda Dray in the Parish Office, indicating where you'd like to offer help. *Thank you!*

**Christian Aid Silver Quiz:** Many thanks to everyone who supported our latest quiz. To date 137 have been returned and after a draw the winner of the M&S voucher was Wendy Hickford - congratulations! There is still some money to come in but so far we have made over £2000 for Christian Aid. Brilliant! Thank You!

**Please See the Back of Pews News** for a new way you can make a donation to the work of the church – by QR code. Open your phone's camera and hold it over the QR code and tap on the link which should appear...

**Thursday Prayer Meeting** on 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 1.15pm at St Augustine's and all are welcome to join in or just sit and pray silently. Please note, there will be NO prayer meeting on 30<sup>th</sup> January.

**11 o'clock Service Rota.** The new rota for the 11 o'clock service has been emailed out so please make sure you have your copy. Please contact Lynda Dray if you'd like a paper version. Thank you to everyone who helps with our weekly running of services by being on a rota.

**Broxbourne Primary School Nursery Tours** are now open for booking. Parents wishing to visit the school for a tour can call or email the school office to book on (Tel. 01992 462419).

**Service for Residents** at Broxbourne Care Home will be on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 3-4pm. Anyone welcome to join us in this ministry to care home residents, please tell Judith Hyde if you'd like a lift.

**Cardboard Tubes Needed.** If you have any cardboard inner tubes from kitchen roll, or aluminium foil, please place them in the marked box in the Parish Centre. (No toilet roll tubes, thank you.)

**Publicity.** Our churches are on Facebook and Instagram. Please have a look, like and share!

**Foodbank.** Can you bring a tin, a jar or UHT milk for Broxbourne Foodbank? Sincere thanks to all who have donated food over this past year.

**Roundabout Magazine.** Don't forget you can pick up a copy of the parish magazine in church as you enter/leave, it's full of local information and is a bargain at just 50p!

**Saving Stamps?** Jan Taylor collects used stamps and sends them off to Great Ormond Street Hospital, where they are much appreciated. There is a drawer inside the entrance to the Parish Centre where you can drop off your stamps.

**For Info** – John Bailey passed away on 23<sup>rd</sup> December. John's funeral will be on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January at 11am at Woollensbrook Crematorium.

**Please pray for**

- Leila Ricketts and Gigi Wright being baptized today and for their parents and godparents.
- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues, especially Sue Stapley and Hilary Slade.
- Those recently bereaved, especially the families of the late John Bailey, Valerie Lardner and Roy Saunders.

**St Laurence Notices**

**Wormley DCC Meeting** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January at 7.30pm in St Laurence Church.

**The 2025 Rota** is now out, so please make sure you have your copy.

**Refreshments** will be served after today's service and you are very welcome to stay for a cuppa and a chat.

**Sunday School** is on a 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday. 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays are Family Communion services; of course, families are welcome any week though!

## St Augustine's Notices

**Flourish!** Our Children's Group Flourish is on **each 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday** of the month. Our Family Services will continue to be on 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays. Families welcome any week obviously!

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**Children Church Helpers.** If you'd like to take a turn occasionally helping in the children's groups, especially as we are trying to increase our provision for children's activities, please let Judith, Sam or Lynda know. Children's Church helpers are DBS checked.

### Broxbourne Primary School Applications.

Please check information about the school's admissions criteria on the school's website. Any enquiries should be directed to the school. **Please make sure you sign in on the sheets with your full name and phone number, every time you come in to either St Augustine's or St Laurence.**

### Contacts

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