

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

Pews News Notice Sheet

Remembrance Sunday



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

www.stlaurencewormley.org.uk

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Registered Charity No. 1130305

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

Parish Services Today ~ 10th November 2024

8.45am	<i>Remembrance Sunday Service</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
10.15am	<i>Remembrance Sunday Service</i>	<i>St Augustine's</i>
10.50am	<i>Service continues at War Memorial</i>	

Readings today ~ *St Laurence – Luke 21: 5-19 (p 997)*

St Augustine's - Revelation 21: 1-8 (p 1181)

Readers next week ~ *Dave Shepperd, Janet McMillan and Kay Braithwaite*

Collect Prayer for today

God our refuge and strength,
bring near the day when wars shall cease, and poverty and pain shall end,
that earth may know the peace of heaven
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

Next Sunday ~ 17th November

9.30am *Joint Holy Communion with Wormley Free Church*
at St Laurence

11am Holy Communion
St Augustine's
(children's groups at both services)

PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 10TH NOVEMBER 2024

A Collection for the Royal British Legion will be taken during the service today.

The Next Parish Lunch will be on Sunday 17th November at 12.45pm in the Parish Centre. Please book your place with Kathleen Lord in the usual way by Thursday 14th November (Tel. 464000).

♪ Calling All Carol Singers! Time is fast approaching when we start rehearsing for our carol services. As usual, we like to have an augmented choir. Anyone who can sing is welcome to join the parish choir for either or both carol services (22nd Dec at St Laurence, 24th Dec at St Augustine's.) Choir rehearsals will take place on Fridays at 7.30pm at 18 Roslyn Close, Broxbourne, the first one is **Fri 29th November**. Children & adults are all welcome. If you would like to join us, please contact **John Hyde**, parish organist & choirmaster, on (01992) 465509, hydehaven@ntlworld.com or at the organ console at either church.

Christingle Services will be in the next Family Services on 1st December and all are welcome, so please tell those who like to come to this service. Help will be needed to prepare the Christingles, so keep a lookout for details of how & when to help.

The Christian Aid 25th Anniversary Quiz on the theme of Silver is now available in church from today, so please buy your copy from Kathleen Lord, Geoff Green or Iris Banerjee. Regular quizzers will notice we have a change of style this year! £1 to Christian Aid per quiz, donations very welcome too.



URC Christmas Market. You are invited to the Christmas Market at the URC Broxbourne on Saturday 23 November 10.30am-2pm. Home baking & preserves, gorgeous gifts, plants, toys, £1 stall, vintage and pre-loved treasures, glorious glass, china & jewellery. Many guest craft stalls
Delicious refreshments & light lunches in our cosy cafe. Free entry.
10% of proceeds to Young Life Hoddesdon.

Diocesan Vacancies. The Diocese is currently advertising for two roles – Diocesan Director of Education and Church Growth Officer (0.5). Closing date noon on 28th November. Further details on their website on the links

below: <https://www.stalbansdiocese.org/vacancies/directorofeducation/>
<https://www.stalbansdiocese.org/vacancies/cgo/>

Advertising in the Parish Magazine. Do you or your family or friends have a local business which might benefit from advertising in our monthly parish magazine Roundabout? To help us cover production costs, we would like to attract more advertisers. For more details, please ring me on 01992 464000 or drop me an email if this is something which interests you. Thank you. Kathleen (kathleentlord@aol.com)

♪ **Christmas Around the World.** Enjoy a festive musical tour with the Broxbourne Community Choir & the Children's Choir of St Augustine's Hoddesdon. The countries we will be visiting include the USA, Ukraine, Italy, the UK, Brazil and many more.

Join us on Saturday 7th December 2024 at 3pm at Christ Church, Ware, SG12 7BS. Tickets are £10 for Adults with children under 16 FREE. There will be a raffle with proceeds going to Mudlarks, a local charity supporting adults with learning disabilities and mental health concerns.

Did You Know? Our churches are on Facebook and we are now on Instagram as well. Please have a look, like and share!

Bereavement Support Group Meets on Wednesday 20th November at 2.30-4pm in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to drop in for a cuppa and chat. See flyers in church (either in the pews or at the back of church).



Would you like to help the homeless in Broxbourne? Churches Together need a few more people working in pairs to make up starter packs to help people as they settle into temporary accommodation provided by Broxbourne Council. If you would like to help or have any questions, please contact Martin Lynas 07825 376791. Your turn could be just once or twice a year.

Midweek Prayers are on Thursday lunchtimes at 1.15pm in St Augustine's Church for about 25 minutes. All welcome to join. Prayer requests can be left in the basket on the prayer table (to the right of the altar).

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!

Please pray for

- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues.
- Those for whom Remembrance Sunday is particularly difficult.
- Those recently bereaved, especially the families of Sharon Kerr, Peter Lardi, Terry Wilson, Carol Procter, Jean Collison, Ian Carson, Anita Donoghue and Jean Boost.

St Laurence Notices

Sunday School is today and on a 3rd Sunday. 1st Sundays are Family Communion services; of course, families are welcome any week though! **Refreshments** will be served after today's service and you are very welcome to stay for a cuppa and a chat.

St Augustine's Notices

Poppies Available to purchase in church today.

Remembrance Sunday. Please take your red booklets to the War Memorial in the park where the service will continue. If you are not going to the War Memorial, please leave your red service booklet in church.

Refreshments Today after the service, please come to the Parish Centre for a cuppa!

Lost Property? Have you lost a ladies' black velour jacket? It was found outside the Vicarage on Monday morning and is in the Parish Office.

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

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.

Want to Join Friends of St Augustine's? FOSTA exists to encourage local people to take an interest in this beautiful church building and to encourage the raising of funds to help preserve the building. Details of how to join FOSTA are available at the back of church, please take a leaflet.

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.**

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