

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

# Pews News Notice Sheet

## Baptism of Christ



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 ~ 12<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

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***Readings today*** ~ *Romans 12: 3-18 (p 1075) & Matthew 24: 14-30 (p 939)*

***Readers next week*** ~ *Angus Bunyan, Fareeda Ahmed and Lynda Dray*

### **Collect Prayer for today**

Heavenly Father,

at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son:

may we recognize him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

## **Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

9.30am Holy Communion

11am Holy Communion

St Laurence

St Augustine's

## **PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 12<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025**

**Parish Christmas Lunch on 19th January 2025:** As is traditional, January's parish lunch will be a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Please bring desserts to share as usual. Book in with Kathleen Lord by Thursday 16th January, please. Hope to see you there! Kathleen 01992 464000.

**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)

**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.

**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 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** 16<sup>th</sup> January at 1.15pm at St Augustine's and all are welcome to join in or just sit and pray silently.

**Are You a Budding Flower Arranger?** Please tell Lynda Dray ASAP if you'd like to have an annual turn on the flower rota next year. You don't have to be an expert!

**New Rotas for Next Year.** The new rota for the 8 o'clock service is out so please make sure you have your copy. Please contact Lynda Dray if you'd like an electronic version. Thank you to everyone who helps with our weekly running of services by being on a rota. The 11am rota will be out imminently, so keep a lookout!

**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.

**Please pray for**

- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues, especially Sue Stapley and Hilary Slade.
- Those recently bereaved, especially the family of the late John Bailey, and Sue Ambridge.

**St Laurence Notices**

**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!

**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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**NEW!** Try scanning the QR code below to make a donation to the church. You can choose the amount and can give a monthly amount or a one off payment, as you wish.

