

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

# Pews News Notice Sheet

## 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity



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

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Registered Charity No. 1130305

**A very warm welcome to Archdeacon Janet who is covering this morning's services and to all regulars and any visitors.**

### **Parish Services Today ~ 7<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

9.30am *Family Communion*

*St Laurence*

11am *Family Service*

*St Augustine's*

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***Reading today*** ~ Mark 6: 1-13 (p 952)

***Readers next week*** ~ Judith Hyde, Geoff Green and Maryanne Tully

### **Collect Prayer for today**

Creator God,

you made us all in your image:

may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

## **Next Sunday ~ 14<sup>th</sup> July**

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

St Augustine's

9.30am **Parish United Morning Worship**

**St Laurence**

## **PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2024**

**Last Chance to Publicize the Summer Fair!** Please take a pack of flyers or two and deliver them to a street near you this week, so that our local community knows about Saturday's event. There's still time to offer your help for the event itself by contacting Judith or Una (see below).

## **Summer Fair – Next Saturday** **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am – 4.30pm.**

An opportunity to find out about all the Church and Community groups we have in our parish (this part is not a money-raising activity).

▶ If you can **put up gazebos at 8am / clear away at 4.30pm**, help on the stalls, please contact Judith, or sign the sheet at the back of church. Please take a turn if you can, even for an hour. Thanks to those who have already volunteered.

▶ Items can be brought to the back pew of church from now.

**Plants Stall** – Barbara Francis, **Cakes** – Kay Braithwaite, **Bric-a-Brac** – Mike & Jan Taylor, **Gifts** – Wendy Hickford.

▶ **Bring your Teddy (children and adults!)** There'll be the chance of a lifetime for your Teddies to abseil the church tower!

Join a Teddy Bear's Picnic.

▶ **Toys & books** in church.

▶ **Refreshments** including Light Lunches (Margit Neilson) and Cream Teas (Jenny Parkinson) will be available.

▶ **Live music** at intervals.

To offer help, contact Judith ([hydehaven@ntlworld.com](mailto:hydehaven@ntlworld.com)) *Many thanks!*

***Above all, spread the word and please come  
and support the event!***

**The Next Parish Lunch** will be on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 12.45pm in the Parish Centre. Please book your places with Kathleen Lord by Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July (01992 464000).

**Can You Bake a Cake** for the cake stall? Or brownies or cookies?

Please bring them to the cake stall at 10am on the day of the Summer Fair. *Thanks!*

♪ **Save the Date!** **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September** – Susanna Tudor-Thomas, a professional singer with English National Opera, will kindly be giving an evening concert to raise funds for the church. More details to follow.

**Bishop Alan's Garden – Summer Opening.** The garden in St Albans will be open for visitors every Sunday between now and Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August. Abbey Gate House, Abbey Mill Lane, St Albans AL3 4HS.

Entrance is £5 per person (children free) and dogs on leads welcome. All money raised is donated to the Beds & Herts Historic Churches Trust.

**Christian Aid Week 2024:** The local churches raised over **£2500** during this week from church collections, the e-envelope, house-to-house envelopes and our Hunger Lunch. Well done to everyone who helped in any way. *Thank you, Kathleen*

**YoungLife.** This is a Christian-led youth group for children who are about to start Year 11 at school or older. Parents and children are welcome to attend on a Thursday evening at 8pm and observe a YL meeting at Young Life House, in Burford Street, Hoddesdon, next door to the Baptist Church...you can't miss it, it has YOUNG LIFE written all over it!!

♪ **Hymn Requests.** Do you have a favourite hymn you'd like the choir to sing during communion? Please tell John or a member of the choir and they'll try to oblige!

**Broxbourne Foodbank.** Please bring a tin or jar for the Foodbank if you can. There is a box at the back of each church for donated items, which is emptied regularly.

**Don't Forget** to pick up your copy of Roundabout Magazine for church and local information, June & July issues out now, available in church, a bargain at 50p! Articles include God in the Sciences, God in music, The Gideons & book reviews.

**Midweek Prayers.** Thursdays at 1.15pm at St Augustine's, all are welcome to join us for half an hour, when we pray for the parish, church activities or anything else. You can pray aloud or sit silently if you prefer.

**Please pray for**

- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues, especially Edith David.
- Those recently bereaved, especially the families of Stanley Earles, Brenda Robins and Anthony Hunt.

## St Augustine's Notices

**New Card Reader for Donations.** Following a successful trial with a card reader on loan, we now have our own card reader for donations to church funds. Look out for the card reader when you come into church – donating this way is quick and easy, especially if you're not carrying cash, so please give it a try, you can choose the amount.

**Next Sunday** please note there will be NO 11am service next Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> July. Instead, there will be a Parish United Holy Communion Service at St Laurence at 9.30am.

**Refreshments** will be served every week in the Parish Centre after the 11am service now. All welcome to stay for a cuppa and a biscuit!

**Children's Church** is on 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays during the 11am service. Children are taken to the Parish Centre during the first hymn and are brought back before the end of the service. New children are very welcome to come and try it.

**Children Church Helpers.** If you'd like to take a turn helping in the children's groups, please let Judith, Sam or Lynda know. Children's Church helpers are DBS checked.

**Reading / intercessions.** We're aware that some people don't like using the step up to the reading lectern. Let us know if you'd prefer to read from a pew Bible using the hand-held microphone, instead of going to the lectern step before the service, so that we can have a microphone ready. We do not want this to be a barrier for people who would otherwise want to read or do intercessions.

## St Laurence Notices

**All Welcome** to stay for refreshments today after our Family Communion Service, led by the Venerable Janet McKenzie.

**Sunday School** is on 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays, new children are very welcome.

### **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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