

The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

Pews News Notice Sheet

Remembrance Sunday



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

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

Parish Services today ~ 12th November 2023

8.45am	Remembrance Sunday Service	St Laurence
10.15am	Remembrance Sunday Service	St Augustine's
10.50am	Service continues at War Memorial	
6pm	The Evening Service	St Augustine's

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

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

Readers next week ~ Maryanne Tully, Jennifer Quarshie and TBC

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 ~ 19th November

9.30am Holy Communion

11am Holy Communion

(children's group at both services)

St Laurence

St Augustine's

PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 12TH NOVEMBER 2023

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

HABS Christmas Appeal. HABS is again running an online Christmas Appeal for local struggling families. If you'd like to give in this way, please visit their Go Fund Me page to donate money for festive meal vouchers.

<https://gofund.me/361e8015>

They also have an Amazon wish list, where you can purchase gifts at varying prices and get them delivered direct to HABS;

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1RLN6Y4YS8ODA?leftNavSection=Shopping&ref=abls_inv_sl

See posters on noticeboards for details.

Parish Lunch is next Sunday, 19th November at 12.45pm in the Parish Centre. Please book your place by calling Kathleen Lord (464000) by Thursday 16th.

Please Note St Augustine's and the Parish Centre will be closed on Tuesday 21st November for interviews. Also, the Parish Office will be closed 20th-27th November.

♪ Calling All Singers! Time is fast approaching when we start rehearsing for our carol services. As usual, we'd like to have an augmented choir. Anyone who can sing is welcome to join the parish choir for either or both carol services, which will be on 17th December at St Laurence and on Christmas Eve at St Augustine's, both at 6.30pm. Choir rehearsals will take place at 18 Roslyn Close on Fridays, the first one being on 24th November at 7.30pm, children and adults welcome. If you would like to join us, please contact **John Hyde**, parish organist & choirmaster on (01992) 465509, hydehaven@ntlworld.com or see him at the organ console at either church after the Sunday services.

The Christian Aid Christmas Quiz is available in church, so please buy your copy (£1 to Christian Aid). Donations welcome too! The theme this year is 'Transport of Delight', deadline 8th January to be in the running for a prize.



Bereavement Support Group meets on Wednesday 15th November and on a 3rd Wednesday of the month at 2.30pm 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).



Quiz, Cuppa and Cake. Last Wednesday of the month in the Parish Centre 2.30–4pm, 29th November. All welcome. No meeting in December. For transport, please contact Judith on 01992 465509.

Christingle Services will be in the next Family Services on 3rd 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.

Advent Event. 2.30–5.30pm, Saturday 9th December at Augustine's. Children's activities, lucky dip, gifts, adopt a teddy, pick up a bargain book or toy, home-made cakes, enjoy seasonal refreshments with a friend / family. Bring your own mug and drinks are free!

Light up the tree at 4.30pm, sing carols round the tree, free mulled wine and mince pies. Set Mary & Joseph on their Advent journey. All profits to Embrace the Middle East. If you can help in any way please contact Judith 01992 465509 / hydehaven@ntlworld.com

Donations of tired teddies looking for a new home would be welcome!

Messy Church is Back! Mrs Gaiteri is happy to continue to lead it at Wormley Primary School, but we are looking for volunteers who could assist with various activities once per month. If you could help, or would like more information, please speak to Ash.

Rotas for Next Year. If you'd like to join the reading rota for any of our morning services (8am, 11am at St Augustine's or 9.30am at St Laurence), please contact Lynda Dray in the Parish Office as soon as possible, as it will soon be time to draw up the new rotas for next year. The commitment is not onerous, generally three or four times a year, but can be more or less.

Thursday Midweek Prayers. 1.15pm in the Chancel area of St Augustine's Church. This is open to anyone who wishes to observe, pray, be prayed for. We generally finish by 1:45pm. Prayer requests can be left in the basket on the prayer table (to the right of the altar).

Next Wednesday Afternoon Group. 2pm in the Parish Centre, all are invited to: **December 13th** (2nd Wednesday). Speaker to be confirmed.

Urgent Appeal for Winter Clothing. Care4Calais is appealing for clean **winter** clothes in good condition for men, women & children e.g. coats, hoodies, jumpers, joggers, no broken fastenings please. Donations can be taken to the office at the Rialto (formerly Cheshunt Marriott hotel).

Please pray for

- Those for whom Remembrance Sunday is particularly difficult.
- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues.
- The process of appointing a new incumbent.

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 booklet in church.

Church Heating. There are several faults with the heating system which we hope will be repaired soon. In the meantime, everyone is advised to find their winter woollies and coats to wear at Sunday services.

Multicultural Bring and Share Lunch - Saturday 18th November, 11.30am in the Parish Centre. Please bring friends and family. Thank you to all who came to the Maintenance Day on Oct 28th. So much was achieved that the Maintenance Day on 18th Nov from 9-11.30am will be to 'spring clean' the Children's Church cupboard and, weather permitting, some more gardening.

Children's Church is on 3rd Sundays. Children come to the Parish Centre during the first hymn and return before the end of the service. New children very welcome.

Children's Church Needs Helpers. If you can help occasionally, please speak to Sam Evans or Sarah Welch for further details. Volunteers will need to complete a DBS disclosure.

St Laurence Notices

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

Sunday School on 3rd Sundays, new children 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.**

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