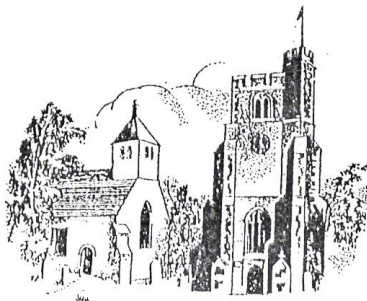


The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley

Pews News Notice Sheet

4th Sunday of Easter



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 regulars and any visitors.**

Parish Services Today ~ 21st April 2024

9.30am	Holy Communion with Sunday School	St Laurence
11am	Holy Communion with Children's Church	St Augustine's

Readings today ~ 1 John 3: 16-24 (p 1160) & John 10: 11-18 (p 1016)

Readers next week ~ Kay Braithwaite, Liz Perry, Dave Shepperd,

Allison Lacey-Norris and Jennifer Quarshie

Collect Prayer for today

Risen Christ,
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:
teach us to hear your voice and to follow your command,
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,
to the glory of God the Father. Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

Next Sunday ~ 28th April

8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
11am	Holy Communion	St Augustine's
6pm	Contemporary Service	St Augustine's

PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 21ST APRIL 2024

Parish Lunch is today at 12:45pm in the Parish Centre.

Ray Slade's Funeral will be tomorrow at 11am at St Augustine's and all are welcome to attend to remember Ray and support Hilary and the family. The wake will be at The Hertfordshire following the service.

Ash's Licensing Service will be on Thursday 25th April at 7.30pm at St Augustine's and all are welcome at the service. There will be refreshments in the Parish Centre afterwards.

The APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting) will be on Tuesday 30th April at 7.30pm at St Augustine's. All congregation are welcome to attend and all on the church electoral roll are eligible to vote in the elections. If you cannot attend but would like to send apologies, please email or phone Lynda Dray at the Parish Office (details on the back of Pews News).

APCM Financial Statements. Copies of these are available from the back of church if you'd like one. Copies will also be available at the APCM itself.

Evening Classes at All Nations. Tuesday evenings, starting from 23rd April-25th June, 7.30-9.30pm, on the topic of 'Issues in Theology and Ethics'. You can study this module either on campus or online. Course leaders Revd Dr Sue Barclay and Dr Tim Davy. See posters for details. Also All Nations' new website has recently launched, so take a look www.allnations.ac.uk

Christian Aid Week - 12th to 18th May: Would you be free and willing to give some time in this important fund-raising week to distribute envelopes to friends or neighbours? If you are able to help in any way, please get in touch. Thank you. Kathleen (464000). There will also be a Hunger Lunch on Sunday 19th May.

Midweek Prayers. Meetings are on 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.

Summer Fair - Saturday 13th July 10.30am – 4.30pm. What's going on here? An opportunity to find out about all the Church and Community groups we have in our parish. Has your group been contacted? If not, please we'd love to hear from you, so that we can share all that happens in the parish.

There'll be Plants, Bric-a-Brac, Cakes, Gifts, Books and Toys for sale - please start putting things aside for the stalls. Offers of help welcomed. Next meeting date tbc. Refreshments including Light Lunches and Cream Teas will be available. Una (441363), Judith (hydehaven@ntlworld.com)

🎵 **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!

St Asaph Christian Trust Online Course. 'The Case for Easter', starts Thursday 2nd May, 8pm. 4 week discipleship course by Lee Strobel. If interested, please register by 22nd April. Registration link <<https://forms.gle/GwZqWnWeY2babHEm7>>

The Case for Easter explores what the Bible actually says about the events of Jesus death and resurrection. Reasons that you can know Jesus truly died on a Roman cross and that his tomb was empty. How the evidence shows the accounts of Jesus resurrection were early, eyewitness accounts. What these accounts reveal about the accuracy of the biblical narrative. The Case for Easter - Study Guide <<https://www.amazon.co.uk/Easter-Study-Guide-Strobel-Butterworth/dp/03100992>>

Parish Magazine. Don't forget you can pick up a copy of 'Roundabout' from the back of church for just 50p. Full of local information, plus other articles, including the interesting 'God in the Sciences' series.

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.

Please pray for

- Blair Arnold and Harmony Orisawayi, both being baptized today, and for their parents and godparents.
- The couple whose banns of marriage are being read today.
- Those we know who are taking part in the London Marathon!
- Those known to us needing prayer for health issues, especially Richard Roberts, who is having hip surgery tomorrow.
- Those recently bereaved, especially Ray Slade's family and the family of the late Nicholas Folwell.

St Laurence Notices

Sunday School is today and on 3rd Sundays, new children are very welcome.

St Augustine's Notices

Refreshments Today in the Parish Centre after the 11am service, so please feel free to stay for a cuppa.

Lost Property. A blue golfing umbrella was left behind in the Parish Centre by the pews. Please collect it as soon as possible if it is yours. Other items of lost property are on the table at the back of church, please check if you have lost a small umbrella or a children's toy.

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



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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