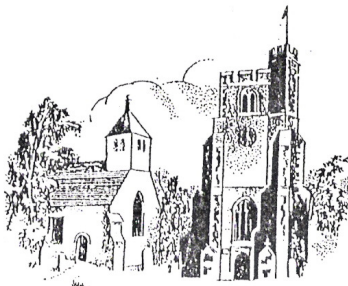


The Parish of Broxbourne with Wormley
Pews News Notice Sheet
2nd Sunday of Epiphany



St Laurence ~ **A Fair Trade Parish** ~ St Augustine's
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Registered Charity No. 1130305

We extend a warm welcome to everyone today, especially to any visitors. Do stay for refreshments.

Parish Services Today ~ 15th January 2017

8am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Holy Communion *</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	Holy Communion *	St Augustine's
11am	Holy Communion *	St Augustine's
6pm	The Evening Service	St Augustine's

Today's Readings:

B 9.30 ~ John 1: 43-51 (p 1005),

1 Corinthians 1: 1-9 (p 1080, John 1: 29-42 (p 1004)

Readers next week: Judy and Peter Worth, Emily Millward, Maggie Davenport, Marilyn Hare and Wendy Hickford

Collect Prayer for today

Eternal Lord,

our beginning and our end:

bring us with the whole creation to your glory, hidden through past ages and made known in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Hearing loop in both churches

Sunday 22nd January

8am	Holy Communion	St Augustine's
9.30am	<i>Family Communion</i>	<i>St Laurence</i>
9.30am	Morning Worship with Children's Church	St Augustine's
10.30am	Joint Service with URC	URC, Mill Lane
6pm	The Evening Service	St Augustine's

PARISH NOTICES FOR WEEK BEGINNING 15TH JANUARY 2017

Parish Lunch today is a turkey dinner at the usual time 12:45 for 1pm.

Thank You to everyone who helped at yesterday's marriage preparation session for this year's wedding couples.

Alpha Course Starts – Wednesday 18th January, 7.30-9.30pm dinner followed by talk and chance for discussion & questions. Please let Charles or Ara know asap if you'd like to come.

Collection Boxes. Don't forget to return your collection box soon to support the charity Embrace.

Bereavement Support Group meets on Wednesday 18th January from 2.30-4pm in the Parish Centre and on every 3rd Wednesday of the month.

Services for Residents at St Catherine's, The Hollies and Wormley Court are on Wednesday 18th January, starting at 2pm at St Catherine's.

Looking for a New Year's Resolution? Why not try The Rubbish Diet?! See www.therubbishdiet.org.uk In this Year for the Environment it's a very 'green thing' to do!

Or... If you'd like to help out at church in some way, there are plenty of ways you can do this, whether on the coffee rota, with Children's Church, helping in the kitchen at the Alpha course, or even as a bell-ringer. All these things rely on people getting involved and doing a little bit occasionally. Please just ask, we'd be delighted to hear from you!

Rhyme Time meets on Tuesdays in term-time at 9.30am, Parish Centre; come for simple craft, songs and fun! Please contact Georgia if you'd like to go on the current waiting list (463187).

Bumps & Babies meets on Thursdays, 1.30-3pm; drop in to the Parish Centre for a cuppa and chat.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. There will be an evening United Service at 6.30pm at St Cuthbert's, Rye Park, EN11 0PU and all are welcome to attend. The theme for this year is 'Crossing Barriers'.

Handbell Ringers Quiz Evening. Sat 28th January, 7.30pm sharp in the Parish Centre. Tickets £8 incl. ploughman's supper from Brenda Wilson (463623). Proceeds to ongoing refurbishment of handbells. You'll be able to hear the handbells on Fri 16th Dec at Broxbourne Station around 3pm.

Parish Centre Quiz Evening. Easier than last year's(!), on Saturday Feb 11th. Tables of 8 available from Judith (465509).

Singing Dates for the Diary. The Filipino women have written a service for the world to share on Friday March 3rd. Everyone is welcome to come and sing/learn/listen to the hymns and songs on **Fridays 10th & 24th Feb**, 1:45pm at 18 Roslyn Close, EN10 7DA. Come and find out what Dayyaw is (it's not edible) and enjoy tea, cake and chat. - Judith 465509 / hydehaven@ntlworld.com

Parish Magazine. If you wish to subscribe to 'Roundabout' and have it delivered to your door each month, please contact Una Davies (441363).

Broxbourne Foodbank. Sincere thanks to all who are donating food. If you'd like to bring something to the Foodbank box in church, items such as tinned fruit & vegetables, UHT milk and teabags would be very welcome.

Please pray for

- The couples who attended yesterday's marriage preparation meeting.
- Those recently bereaved, especially the Quarshie family.
- Those needing prayer for health issues especially Doreen Merry, Vic Howlings, Valerie Payne, Janet McCaty, Felix Murray, Chris, Joan & Peter Sees, Jo Oyeleke, Flynn Ledster, David Cockerton and Sue Brown.

St Laurence Notices

St Augustine's Notices

Sunday 22nd January. Please note there will be **NO 11 o'clock service** at St Augustine's next Sunday. Instead we will join with our friends at the URC at 10.30am at URC, Mill Lane for a service for the Week of Christian Unity.

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Before the Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong, a perfect plea,
A great high priest, whose name is love,
Who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is written on his hands,
My name is hidden on his heart;
I know that while in heaven he stands
No power can force me to depart,
No power can force me to depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair,
And tells me of the guilt within,
I look to heaven, and see him there
Who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Saviour died
My sinful soul is counted free;
For God, the just, is satisfied
To look on him and pardon me,
To look on him and pardon me.

Behold him there! The risen Lamb,
My perfect spotless righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM,
The King of glory and of grace!
One with himself, I cannot die,
My soul is purchased with his blood;
My life is safe with Christ on high,
With Christ, my Saviour and my God,
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Broxbourne Primary School Applications.

*The primary school's admissions criteria are clearly set out in the blue school information leaflets, available in church and from the school. **Please ensure you check these.** Any enquiries should be directed via the school. The **church attendance book for signing** is available after each service, usually in the Parish Centre.*