





Newsletter of St Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham

Week commencing March 17th 2024 - Fifth Sunday of Lent - Passion Sunday Year B

"To know God and to make God known"

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This Week

March 17 th Lent 5	08.00	Holy Communion - said service	Jeremiah 31. 31-34
Passion Sunday	10.00	Holy Communion – with music	John 12. 20-33
	12.15	Baptism	
	13.30	Blessing of Baptism	
	16.00	Still Point – a reflective service in the Lady Chapel	
Monday - Friday		Church open: Mon - Thurs 10.00-16.00; Friday 10.00-15.00	
Monday	All Day	School using church all day/early evening	
Tuesday	y 09.00 School Lenten Holy Communion Service - All welcome		ne
	14.15	Funeral	
	19.00	Holy Communion (said service)	
Wednesday	10.00	Toddler Praise	
Thursday	iday 10.00-12.00 Bee Friends Coffee Morning at the Parish Hall		
	10.00	Events Committee meeting at the Vicarage	
Friday	13.00	Craft and Chat in the Lady Chapel	
	15.00	Frodsham and District Choral Society setting up	
Saturday	10.00 Our church gardeners meet		
	10.00	Spring cleaning in church	
	12.00	Frodsham and District Choral Society rehearsing	
	16.00	Concert	
March 24 th	08.00	Holy Communion - said service	
Palm Sunday	10.00	Holy Communion – with music	

Prayers

Our prayers for those who are sick If you know of anyone whom you feel needs our prayers – please ask permission from them or their family and then pass their name to Rev Elaine: revelaine@nym.hush.com

Please pray for – Those who are sick Those who have died Those whose anniversary of death falls this week

Prayer Wall - You can write a prayer and light a virtual candle on our website. https://slfchurch.org/prayerwall Please pass your requests to Rev Elaine at the Vicarage if you haven't got internet access.

Dates for your Diary

<u>Children:</u> Messy Church Monthly during term time only Read more here

Toddler Praise Every Wednesday during term time only Read more here

HERITAGE OPEN DAYS IN CHURCH 8-9th June. More details later

PATRONAL FESTIVAL SHARED LUNCH at the Parish Hall. 11th August at 12.30

PARISH WEEKEND 6-8th September at Noddfa

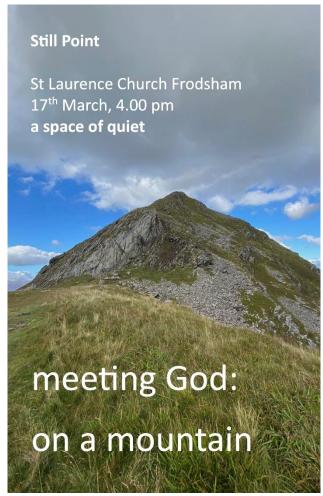
Notices

REFLECTIONS FOR LENT The Church of England have daily reflections to take us through Lent, called Watch and Pray:

On our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/saintells/ On our website: https://slfchurch.org/ Booklets are available from Church House Publishing for £2.50 or there are some in church https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/books/9781781404454/watch-and-pray-adult-single-copy Sign up for the reflections to be sent to your email: https://www.churchofengland.org/faith-calling/what-we-believe/lent-holy-week-and-easter/watch-and-pray-lent-reflections



The Church of England Watch and Pray app for both iOS and Android is available to download.





THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY If you would like to learn more about having a house box or becoming the House Box Coordinator at St Laurence's, please contact their Supporter Care Team on 0300 303 7000.

FOODBANK Food drop-off - supermarket drop off points; in church; distribution centre on

Ship Street (Fridays 1-3pm). The foodbank is currently short of: Long Grain Rice, Tinned Meat, Tinned Fish, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Vegetables, Long Life Milk, Instant Soup, Fruit Juice, Household Cleaning Products, Shower Gel https://runcorndistrict.foodbank.org.uk for information on how to give or get help.

MEET AND EAT

The Meet and Eat initiative aims to work with socially isolated people to learn to cook, or refresh cooking skills and share a meal.

Meet & Eat will meet at Frodsham Community Centre, Fluin Lane

We will meet for the first session on Monday 18th March, at 10.30am

DONATIONS TO CHURCH If you would like to contribute to St Laurence, our Bank Account details are as follows: St Laurence Frodsham Parochial Church Council Sort Code: 09-01-55 Acc. No: 42559803. Alternatively, you can donate here: https://givealittle.co/campaigns/371c0c8f-ea13-4763-9688-e0de77dd8475 or scan the code. Thank you.



Our safeguarding officer can be contacted on the dedicated phone line 07862 321 560.

Please use it only for safeguarding issues.



The Alternative Collect for the Fifth Sunday of Lent

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world:

lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion,
that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood,

Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen

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