

Newsletter of St Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham

Week commencing July 5th, **Fifth after Trinity**, Year A

“To know God and to make God known”

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This Week

Sunday July 5th Trinity 5	08.00	Holy Communion – said service	Romans 7:15-25a
	10.00	Holy Communion - with music	Matthew 11: 16-19,25-30
	15.00	Messy Church (last till October)	
Mon–Thurs open	10.00-16.00	Church open (except when a service is underway)	
Friday opening	10.00-15.00	Church open (except when a service is underway)	
Monday	11.15	Funeral	
Tuesday	19.00	Holy Communion - said service	
Wednesday	10.00	Toddler Praise (last till September)	
	14.00-16.00	MU – Iris Keating is coming to speak with us. All welcome – both men and women	
Thursday	10.00-12 noon	Bee Friends Coffee Morning in the Parish Hall	
Friday	13.00-15.00	Craft and Chat	
Sunday July 12th Trinity 6	08.00	Holy Communion – said service	Isaiah 55.10-13
	10.00	Holy Communion - with music	Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23

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 send an email to saintells@gmail.com with the details.

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>

Dates for your Diary

Children: Messy Church Monthly during term time only [Read more here](#)
Toddler Praise Every Wednesday during term time only [Read more](#)

THE EVENTS COMMITTEE HAVE PLANNED THE FOLLOWING EVENTS TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR CHURCH BUILDING PROGRAMME:

CELEBRATING OUR PATRONAL FESTIVAL - Sunday 9th August 12.30pm – There will be a shared lunch in the Parish Hall to celebrate St Laurence Day. If you are planning to come, please add your name to the list at the back of Church and add what food you will be bringing. Thank you. Drinks will be available on the day. The Parish Hall will be open from 9am to 9.45am if you wish to drop off your food before church.

ORGAN AND TRUMPET RECITAL Sunday 6th September at 3pm – in church. Please note change of date.

OUR PARISH WEEKEND - WEEKEND OF FRI to SUN, 11TH to 13TH SEPTEMBER, AT NODDFA. The cost of the weekend will be £180 per person. If you would like to come or to find out further information, please contact Pauline Sharpe

Notices

ORDINATION OF LIZZIE GUY Some of you may remember Elizabeth and Matthew Guy who attended St Laurence a few years back. Lizzie has been training for ordination, and she will be ordained deacon this coming Sunday 5th July at Chester Cathedral. Well done, Lizzie. Our prayers and best wishes are with you at this exciting time for you.

THANK YOU TO FRODSHAM SINGS COMMUNITY CHOIR for a great afternoon concert last Sunday. Photos will be in the next Bumper Newsletter but here is a small one to whet your appetites. Thank you also to the Events Committee for organising this and to all who provided the lovely scones and strawberries.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO SHOP MORE SUSTAINABLY? [Eco Communities](#) are working to find effective sustainable solutions to key environmental issues. They run a Refill Scheme with a refill centre at Helsby Library. This covers laundry, cleaning and body products. You can shop at their [online refill shop](#) and choose the 'Pickup' option when checking out. On the first shop, you will order a full bottle, but after that you take your empty bottle and refill it (at a lower cost, obviously). Your acknowledgment email after paying will contain a code to open the Eco Communities cupboard at the library.

Helsby Library opening hours are:

☑ Monday and Friday: 9.30am - 1pm, 2pm - 5pm, ☑ Tuesday and Wednesday: 9.30am - 1pm, 2pm - 7pm

☑ Thursday: Closed ☑ Saturday: 9.30am - 1pm

FOODBANK Food drop-off – supermarket drop off points; in church; distribution centre on Ship Street (Fridays 1-3pm).

The foodbank is currently short of **Teabags, Coffee, Pasta Sauce, Tinned Soup, Tinned Spaghetti, Men's Deodorant, Shampoo, Bags for Life**. How to give or get help go to: <https://runcorndistrict.foodbank.org.uk>

DONATIONS TO CHURCH If you would like to contribute to St Laurence, our Bank Account details are as follows: St Laurence Frodsam 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, not for general enquiries. Thank you*

The Alternative Collect for the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, send down upon your Church the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the gospel your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



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