

Newsletter of St Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham

Week commencing September 13th **Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity, Year A**

"To know God and to make God known"

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This Week

Sunday September 13th Trinity 15	10.00	NO 8am due to Noddfa weekend. We welcome Revd Gill Younger at 10am Holy Communion - with music	Genesis 50.15-20 Matthew 18.21-35
Mon-Thurs opening	10.00-16.00	Church open	
Friday opening	10.00-15.00	Church open	
Tuesday	19.00	Holy Communion - said service	
Wednesday	10.00	Toddler Praise	
Thursday	10.00-12	Bee Friends Coffee Morning in the Parish Hall	
Friday	10.30 13.00-15.00	Thanksgiving Service Craft and Chat	
Sunday Sept. 20th Trinity 16/ HARVEST	8.00 10.00 16.00	Holy Communion - said Holy Communion - with music Still Point (see poster in notices)	 2 Corinthians 9.6-end Luke 12.16-30

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 Resumes Sunday 4th October 2026 @ 4pm Toddler Praise Every Wednesday during term time only Read more
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THE EVENTS COMMITTEE HAVE PLANNED THE FOLLOWING TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR CHURCH BUILDING PROGRAMME:

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS AND GIFTS FAIR Saturday 7th November, Parish Hall

AUTUMN CHAMBER CONCERTS AT ST LAURENCE'S – Music for an Autumn afternoon

A series of three informal Sunday afternoon concerts, **14.00-15.00** followed by refreshments.

September 27th: Family Concert "The Gingerbread Man" with Musicians from BBC Philharmonic followed by refreshments. Entry by donation.

October 18th: Rumava String Trio.

November 22nd: Duo Aerius (violin and guitar)

} See poster in Notices

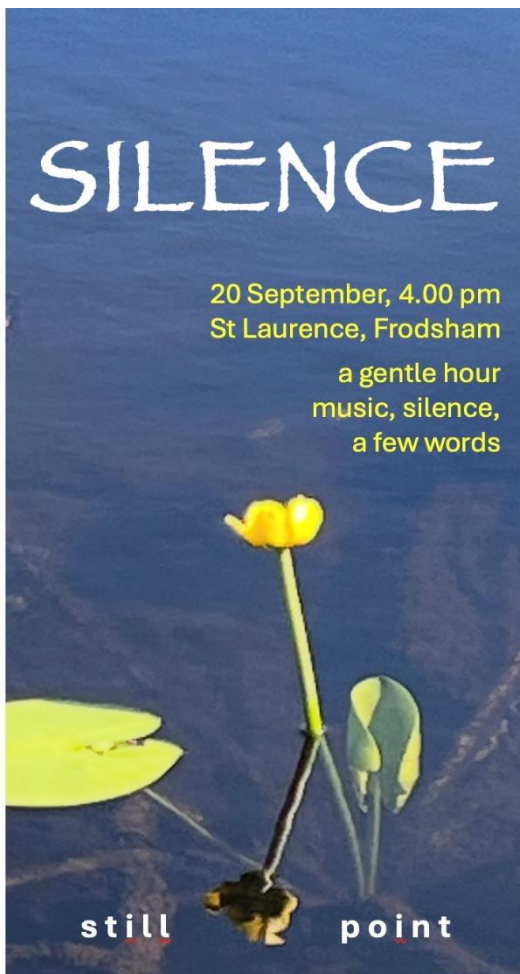


FRODSHAM & DISTRICT CHORAL SOCIETY are hosting a **"COME AND SING EVENT"** on **Saturday 3rd October from 10.30am to 4.30pm** at Frodsham Methodist Church (For the Beauty of the Earth, featuring choruses from Haydn's Creation and a selection of John Rutter anthems) with some of the profits being donated to the St Laurence's Church building fund. Singers pay a fee of £20 to Come and Sing, which includes hiring the music and tea and coffee throughout the day. At the end of the afternoon there will be a free performance. **See Notices – help needed on the day.**

FRODSHAM AND DISTRICT CHORAL SOCIETY Saturday October 24th @ 19.30. More details nearer the time

Notices

ORGAN AND TRUMPET RECITAL - THANK YOU to our Events Committee for organising this splendid event and thank you especially to Tom Cameron (organ) and Alex Harper (trumpet) for sharing with us their musical talents. A wonderful time.



**FRODSHAM & DISTRICT CHORAL SOCIETY
COME AND SING EVENT, Saturday Oct 3rd,
Frodsham Methodist Church: **HELPERS****

NEEDED. Volunteers requested to help with refreshments from 10am (arrivals), 12noon-1pm (lunch), 3.30-4pm (tea). If you can help, please contact Margaret Rogerson (maggie.rogerson@googlemail.com).

Funds in aid of St Laurence building fund, so please think about supporting this. Thank you.

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 Life Milk, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Soup, Tinned Tomatoes, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Treats, Strong Carrier Bags**. How to give or get help go to: <https://runcorndistrict.foodbank.org.uk>

Frodsham & District Choral Society
invites you
to
Come and Sing ...
For the Beauty of the Earth
choruses from
Haydn's Creation and
Rutter's Anthems
led by **Howard Kane** and accompanied by **Andrew Millinchip**
on **SATURDAY, 3 OCTOBER 2026**
from **10.30 am – 4.45 pm**
(including a free public performance)
at **Frodsham Methodist Church, WA6 6BA**
IN AID OF ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH BUILDING FUND
£20 inclusive of music
To book, please go to website
or email:
or ring or text:
www.fdc.org.uk
maggie.rogerson@googlemail.com
Saara Midwood – 07974 698 433
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Music for an Autumn Afternoon

at St. Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham

Sunday 27th September

The Gingerbread Man

Flute, Violin, Cello and Narrator

Doors open 13.30 – Concert at 14.00

As seen on CBeebies and BBC iPlayer

– performed by members of the BBC Philharmonic.

A live musical adventure for children aged 3 – 7 –
and their families. Followed by tea/coffee
and cakes after the performance.

As seen on
CBeebies



Sunday 18th October

Rumava String Trio

Violin, Viola and Cello

Doors open 13.30 – Concert at 14.00

Followed by tea/coffee and cakes
after the performance.

Sunday 22nd November

Duo Aerius

Violin and Guitar

Doors open 13.30 – Concert at 14.00

Followed by tea/coffee and cakes
after the performance.



Venue

St Laurence Parish Church
Church Road, Frodsham
Cheshire WA6 7DU



Tickets

Entry by donation on the door.



Bringing People Together
Making Connections
Creating Networks



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, not for general enquiries. Thank you*

CONSULTATION ON REVIEW OF DEANERIES IN CHESTER DIOCESE This consultation is now open until September 28th and everyone across the Diocese of Chester is invited to take part.

Why – Understanding Deanery Revitalisation

Over the past 18 months, Bishop Mark and his senior leadership team have been prayerfully exploring how our Deanery system can be renewed, with a stronger focus on mission, clearer purpose, effective leadership, and greater responsibility for shaping ministry within local contexts. We encourage you to read the [consultation materials](#), discuss the proposals within your church and deanery, and submit a response. As this important conversation continues, please join us in praying for wisdom and discernment. [Online prayer gatherings](#) will be held throughout the consultation period, and everyone is warmly invited to participate. You can also attend an online information meeting to hear more about the proposals and ask questions: [Tuesday 8 September, 7.00pm](#) , [Thursday 10 September, 10.00am](#) , or [Wednesday 16 September, 2.00pm](#). The consultation closes on **28 September 2026**. Visit the [Deanery Revitalisation webpage](#) to find out more and take part.

NATIONAL RETREAT WEEK – CHESTER, 19–26 SEPTEMBER

Retreat House Chester is offering a programme of events during National Retreat Week, with different ways to make space for prayer, reflection and retreat in everyday life. Events take place across Chester from 19–26 September and all are welcome. Full programme and details at www.retreathouse.uk

Who are Retreat House Chester? 'Retreat House Chester offers ways to peace. Rooted gently and deeply in Christian spiritual tradition, we offer a wide range of ways to retreat for all people, not in a traditional retreat house but as a part of living. Find local non-residential retreat right in the middle of Chester and in the midst of everyday life.'

The Alternative Collect for the Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching
and give to your people knowledge of your truth,
that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen



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