

Newsletter of St Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham Week

commencing March 22nd **Fifth Sunday of Lent** Year A

“To know God and to make God known”

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This Week

March 22 nd Lent 5	08.00 10.00	Holy Communion - said service Holy Communion - with music	Romans 8.6-11; John 11.1-45
Monday - Friday	10.00-15.00	Church open – EXCEPT when a service is underway	
Tuesday	9.15 12.45 19.00	Frodsham C of E School Lenten service Funeral followed by Committal at Walton Lea Holy Communion - said service. See notices for more details.	
Wednesday	10.00	Toddler Praise	
Thursday	10.00-12 noon 16.00 18.30	Bee Friends Coffee Morning in the Parish Hall Interment at Tarvin Rd PCC meeting	
Friday	13.00-15.00 19.30	Craft and Chat in the Lady Chapel Faith in Action at David Leslie's	
Saturday		Please note that clocks go forward!	
March 29 th Palm Sunday	08.00 10.00 12.30	Holy Communion - said service Holy Communion - with music Baptism	Passion Reading from Matthew's Gospel

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

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:

Saturday 6th June - Open Day with exhibits by the Frodsham and District History Society

Sunday 28th June - Afternoon Concert by the Frodsham Sings Community Choir

FAITH IN ACTION meets again on Friday, 27th March to reflect further on issues relating to child poverty and what, possibly, we might be able to do to help here in Frodsham. We meet at 7.30 pm. at David Leslie's

Notices

LILLIAN B. would like to thank everyone for their prayers and kindness.

We are all very pleased that Lillian is now doing very well and gaining strength. Blessings to you, Lillian.

WEEKLY COLLECTION ENVELOPES: boxes of new envelopes for 2026-27 will be available from March 29th for those who give regularly in this way. Thank you for supporting St Laurences through your giving.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN FRODSHAM – LENT COURSE Frodsham Churches Together invites all to the remaining session on themes of **Justice** in a variety of ways relevant to the 21st century. See image on left.



Also:-

TUESDAY COMMUNION ON 24TH will be joined by the Churches Together in Frodsham Lent Study Group for their final session. The service will conclude with a talk by Gordon Gresswell, but the regular Tuesday communicants who have not attended the Lent Group can choose to go or stay at that point.

ANNUAL MEETING 2026 – ELECTORAL ROLL UPDATE/REVISION

This year's AGM/APCM will be held on Monday 27th April at 6.30pm.

As part of the preparation for the meeting, we are required to revise the Electoral Roll (i.e. by removing people who have moved away or passed away in the last year, and also adding newcomers.) This revision will take place between 1st and 4th April.

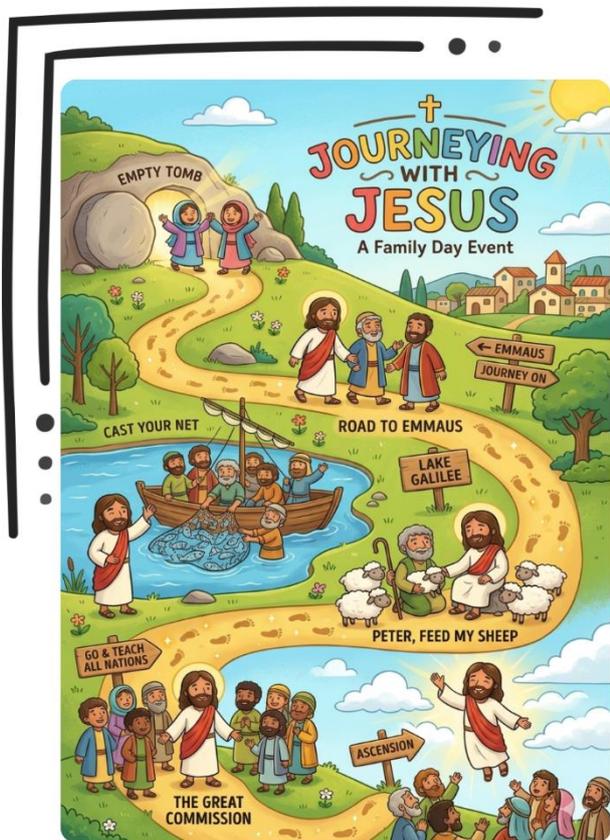
A list of all people (names only) on the revised Electoral Roll will be posted on the church noticeboard on Easter Day, 5th April. Only people on this list will be permitted to attend the Annual Meeting.

Please contact Rev Phil Atack, our Electoral Roll officer, if you wish to have your name added to the Electoral Roll.

FROM GAIL F. Thank you to everyone who joined us for the World Day of Prayer service. No doubt the information shared within the service booklet and Camille's moving words about her time in Nigeria remain prayerfully in our hearts and minds. The donations given at the service, a total of £358.16, have been sent to The World Day of Prayer organisation. Thank you for your support.

FREE FAMILY DAY

Foxhill are hosting a free family day on the Tuesday after Easter. Here are the details:



Tuesday 7th April

Drop in from 10am -3pm

This year, we're transforming the house into a living storybook for our Journeying With Jesus Family Day. You'll follow a winding path through the incredible "What happened next?" moments of the very first Easter.

From the surprise of the Empty Tomb to fishing at Lake Galilee, your family will explore interactive stations, get stuck into hands-on crafts, and see the stories come to life right before your eyes. Whether you're heading to Emmaus or helping Peter 'feed the sheep', there's a discovery waiting around every corner.

It's crafty, it's visual, and it's a whole lot of fun - the perfect way to celebrate the joy of the Resurrection together!

Free to admission, booking required:

www.foxhillchester.co.uk



Foxhill House & Woodlands
Tarvin Road, Frodsham

AN INVITATION FROM PAM AT KINGSLEY MU We at NCK (often referred to as Kingsley MU) are giving over our usual meeting on 31st March to a service 'Meditative reflections for Holy Week' which your members would be more than welcome to join us at. We appreciate travelling is difficult but thought this would be an opportunity to invite you in case a few members would be able to join us. The service will be held at Kingsley St John's Church on Tuesday 31 March at 2pm. Please let Kath W. know if you will be going to this.



FOODBANK Food drop-off – supermarket drop off points; in church; distribution centre on Ship Street (Fridays 1-3pm). The foodbank is currently short of **Longlife Fruit Juice, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Fruit, Packets of Mashed Potato, Womens Deodorant, Bars of Soap**. How to give or get help go to: <https://runcondistrict.foodbank.org.uk>

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*

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



TURIN SHROUD EXHIBITION							Opening Times
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	
23 MAR	24 MAR	25 MAR	26 MAR	27 MAR	28 MAR	29 MAR	
9.30am to 1pm	1pm to 4.30pm	1pm to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am - 1pm & 3pm - 4.30pm	9.30am to 3.30pm	12.30pm to 3.30pm	
30 MAR	31 MAR	1 APR	2 APR	3 APR	4 APR	5 APR	
9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	1pm to 4.30pm	1pm to 4.30pm	CLOSED ALL DAY	9.30am to 3.30pm	12.30pm to 3.30pm	
6 APR	7 APR	8 APR	9 APR	10 APR	11 APR	12 APR	
1pm to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am to 4.30pm	9.30am to 3.30pm	12.30pm to 3.30pm	

BLACKBURN CATHEDRAL IS CURRENTLY HOLDING A TURIN SHROUD EXHIBITION – with a life sized replica of the Shroud and supporting exhibits. The schedule of opening is updated daily but is subject to change at short notice. Please note that during some daytime activities such as daily worship, organ concerts, schools visits and event setup, public viewing may be limited. Please check the website for the latest opening times.

<https://blackburncathedral.com/turin-shroud-exhibition/>

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