





Newsletter of St Laurence Parish Church, Frodsham Week commencing December 7th 2025 – Advent 2 Year A

"To know God and to make God known"

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This Week

December 7 th	08.00	Holy Communion - said service	Isaiah 11.1-10
2 nd Sunday of	10.00	Holy Communion - with music	Matthew 3.1-12
Advent	16.00	Still Point – a reflective service in the Lady Chapel	
		(see page 2 for more)	
Monday - Friday		Mon – Fri: Church open 10.00-15.00	
Monday	14.00	Frodsham CofE school rehearsing	
Tuesday	09.15	Frodsham CofE school rehearsing	
	14.00	At Walton Lea - Funeral	
	14.00	Advent Bible Study in the Lady Chapel – all welcome	
	19.00	Holy Communion – said service	
Wednesday	10.00	Toddler Praise	
	14.00	Frodsham CofE School Infant Nativity	
Thursday	10.00	Bee Friends Coffee Morning at the Parish Hall	
	18.00	Frodsham CofE School Infant Nativity	
Friday	13.00 – 15.00	Craft and Chat in the Lady Chapel	
Saturday	15.00	Bellringers AGM and Service	
December 14 th	08.00	Holy Communion - said service	
3 rd Sunday of	10.00	Holy Communion - with music	
Advent	15.00	Christmas Singalong Concert – see on P2 for more info. Admission free.	

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

*** NEW *** TUESDAY 16th DECEMBER AT 2PM - THE COMING OF THE CHRIST - A service led by the Advent Bible Study group. See Notices for more information.

MU DECEMBER MEETING Our December meeting will be postponed one week to Wed 17th Dec. Father Christmas is busy the week before!

CHRISTMAS CONCERT BY HELSBY CONCERT BAND, BEAUTIFUL NOISE CHOIR AND BOLD AS BRASS on Sunday 14th December 3pm in church. See poster on page 2 of this newsletter.

Notices

TUESDAY 16th DECEMBER AT 2PM - THE COMING OF THE CHRIST

A Celebration For The Week before Christmas. Carols, poems, readings. ALL ARE WELCOME - There is a whisper that there may be mince pies!

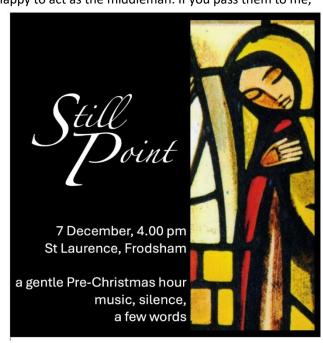
FROM DAWN I just want to let you all know my Dad Graham has gone into Gleavewood Nursing Home Weaverham. He initially has gone in for 4 weeks respite

as he recovers from a nasty fall. The doctor is of the opinion that Dad needs permanent residency as he's not safe. It's been a hard decision for me & my sisters. Please can you keep Graham/Dad in your prayers please.

USED STAMPS REMINDER Please remember that Oxfam make use of used postage stamps. Every little helps and no matter how few or how many drop through your letter ox, I'm happy to act as the middleman. If you pass them to me,

I'll deliver them to the shop. Thanks, Beryl x







FOODBANK Food drop-off – supermarket drop off points; in church; distribution centre on Ship Street (Fridays 1-3pm). The foodbank is currently short of: Tinned Fruit, Custard, Long Life Milk, Gravy Granules, Sweets/Chocolate, Deodorant, Toothpaste, etc. SELECTION BOXES, CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS, MINCE PIES, BISCUITS etc - please donate any time between now and 13th December for us to include them in parcels in time for Christmas use. For info on 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 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

News

Editor: This item came in just too late for the Bumper newsletter last week. As there will be no Bumper issue at the end of December, it's here now below (before we sink ourselves into Christmas and 2026!)

CHURCH MEMBERS IN CHAPELFIELDS Here is a lovely photograph of Hazel, Beryl and Gill, all of whom have attended St Laurence Church for many years until unable to attend anymore. They still receive their communion every month joining with the people at Ashley Court. Our thanks to Sharon their wonderful activities coordinator, who took the photo.



The Alternative Collect for the Second Sunday of Advent

Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds,

that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and saviour

we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God. Amen



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