

Notices

Rev'd John Seymour is taking the 8am services this morning with Rev'd Julia taking the 10am service.

If you would like to host the Posada figures for a night as they journey through Advent to Christmas. Please sign the sheet now at the back of the church. They need a new home each night starting today.

Christmas Post - you can put your Christmas Cards to members of the congregation in the boxes at the back of the church. Don't forget to send one to your Prayer Partner, if you have had one. If you wish to send your Christmas Greetings to all your friends on one card there is a board at the back of the church and a box is provided for a small donation for Hearing Dogs for the Deaf.

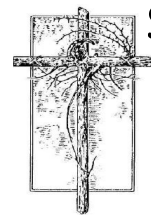
The Christmas services' collections will go towards The Marylebone Project supporting homeless women with temporary accommodation, offering essential facilities and providing education, employment and training opportunities and meaningful activities in order to support these women into independent living.

The cards and box are now at the back of the church for you to be a Prayer Partner. Names will be drawn after Christmas.

Premises update - The decoration of the Hall entrance areas has been completed, we are hosting a line dancing fund raiser to help with the cost of this on 7th March 2020, look out for details. The car park has been resurfaced, no more potholes! Plans for the external lighting are in hand and it is hoped that this work will be carried out early in the New Year.

Sunday 15th December at 6pm we will have a Carols by Candlelight service followed by mulled wine and mince pies. Donations of mince pies please.

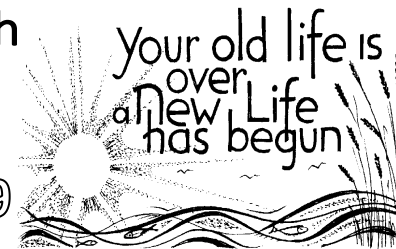
Our cleaners will not be working from Saturday 21/12/19 to Thursday 2/1/20 and we still have Hall bookings during that time. Can anyone help out by tidying the Hall on Sunday 22/12/19 and 29/12/19. If you can help, please speak to Sadie Wright.



St Lawrence Church Eastcote

2nd Sunday of Advent

8 December 2019



Our Values

God centred:

God is the centre and source of all our activity and stillness.

A sense of belonging:

Everyone will find welcome, friendship and a sense of belonging here.

A place of care:

Everyone will find this church to be a place of safety, respect and care.

Live with integrity:

Action will give truth to our words; we will seek to live the truth with compassion.

Joy is at the heart of God:

We seek to discover that joy in our life, and enable that joy in the lives of others.

8am Quiet Mass

Readings : Isaiah 11: 1-10

Psalm: 72. 1-7, 18-19

Response: Displayed on screen.

Romans 15: 4-13

Matthew 3.1-12

10.00am Community Mass with Sunday Clubs

Readings

Isaiah 11: 1-10

Psalm: 72. 1-7, 18-19

Response: May all nations be

Blest in him

Romans 15: 4-13

Matthew 3.1-12

Hymns

57 Awake, awake fling off the night

128 Come, thou long expected Jesus

480 Oh, come Emmanuel

121 Come let us sing of a wonderful love

282 Hills of the North rejoice

The deadline for the January magazine is today.

All expenses claims for this year, including December, must be submitted to the office by 15/12/19.

Advent waiting - a time of stillness, reflection, prayer, readings and music tonight at 6pm. Churches Together in Eastcote are holding their annual carol service at 8pm on Monday 9th December at St Thomas More Church. All are welcome.

For Our Prayers

Those with Immediate Needs: Elizabeth Milton

Sharon Williamson Nicola Mans Liz E Sofia and Jocke

Those with Ongoing Needs: Ben N Ron

Bernard Neary Margaret Stokes Andrea C Adam M Ashley
Jack Stone Lisa O'Neill Jean Stanley Angie S Heather, Lawrie & family

Recently Departed: Brenda Sheehan

Anniversaries of Death: 8th Dec Elizabeth Peterson 9th Dec Anne Barrett

10th Dec William Timmins 11th Dec Phillip Ellis (Priest), Roy Weston and Dean Pearson

12th Dec Jean Grant 13th Dec Sidney Satterwaite and Peter Goodridge (Priest)

14th Dec Maggie Yates and Shelby Cleveland



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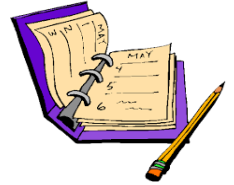
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Magazine Sadiewri@waitrose.com Bulletin details to Jenny by 11 am on Thursdays

Diary for The Week Ahead



Monday 9th December

2.00pm Crafties, Elsie Fischer Room.
7.45pm PCC Meeting in the Elsie Fischer room.

Tuesday 10th December

8.00am Morning Prayer with psalms and readings.
1.30pm Film Club '1.30 for a prompt 1.45 start'.

Wednesday 11th December

Thursday 12th December General Election in Hall all day

8.00am Morning Prayer with psalms and readings.
10.30am Said Mass with Fr Davis Tuck, coffee afterwards in the committee room.
7.15pm Choir Practice in the Choir Vestry.
8.00pm Ministry Team meeting.
8.15 pm St Lawrence Players.

Friday 13th December

Saturday 14th December

Sunday 15th December

8.00am Quiet Mass.
10.00am Community Mass.
6.00pm Carols by Candlelight followed by mulled wine and mince pies.