

*Greater love has no one than this: to lay down  
one's life for one's friends. – John 15:13*

### **Notices**

#### **Remembrance Sunday**

Today, on the centenary of the end of WW1, we mark with respect and gratitude the sacrifice made by so many, including those from our Parish.



#### **Village Carol Service Choir**

The choir will soon be practising for Christmas, if anyone (Male, female, young or old) would like to join please contact Anne Bleming on 458321 or [annesparker@btinternet.com](mailto:annesparker@btinternet.com). The service will take place on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 6pm @ St Lawrence.

#### **Living Nativity Actors Needed**

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December @ 6pm, our Living Nativity takes place. 'Baby Jesus' has been born (!) but we need other actors. Please speak to Mandy if you would like to take part.

#### **Stationary Request**

Does anyone have any spare/unwanted 'child friendly' scissors, crayons/felt tips or sharpeners? If so, we would be delighted to receive these items to use within our Saints Alive sessions. Please hand items to Mandy or one of the Church Wardens. Thank you.

#### **Found in St Lawrence Church – Honda Car Key**

If you are missing a car key, please speak to Revd Mandy.

#### **2019 Church Diaries**

These are now available at the back of church if you wish to take one.



### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Precious Moments**

Short service with hymns, poetry & readings followed by afternoon tea. For those living with Dementia, as well as friends in the community. At Effingham Methodist Church, **held at 2pm on 28th November & 11th December**. For more info, contact Gill Walker 01372 457987 or 01932 586988.

#### **'The Silence After Life' Film Starring: All Saints Church & our Congregation!**

You may remember a team coming to shoot some scenes for a new short Christian film called 'The Silence After Life'. It is now finished! We've been invited to a screening at Bookham Baptist Church on **Thurs 29th Nov @ 7.30pm**. Free to attend. Everyone welcome, even if you did not appear in the film. We need an idea of numbers for catering so we will take a 'hand count' nearer the time. A short questionnaire will be included.

#### **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Dec – Effingham's 'Living Nativity'**

We will be starting at **6pm** outside the Douglas Haig pub. Please pop a note in your diary to join us!



#### **Children & Families:**

##### **Calling All Children**

Did you know we now have a Sunday School for Primary aged children (Saints Alive) and a pre-school group (Diddy Disciples) which meets during our Sunday morning 10am services? Please ring Revd Mandy for further details or collect a leaflet from the back of Church.

##### **TGIS (Thank God It's Sunday)**

On the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month at St. Lawrence starting at 10am, with a delicious breakfast. This is an informal, contemporary service without communion and is especially appropriate for newcomers & young families.

**Next TGIS 25<sup>th</sup> November – Do join us!**

##### **'First of the Month (FOM)' – Informal Family Communion**

This service takes place at All Saints on the First Sunday of each month starting at 10am. It includes a children's talk & the children are encouraged to help in the running of the service. Aimed at 3 years+.

**Next FOM 2<sup>nd</sup> December – All Welcome!**

**We are delighted to announce that we have a new parish website. It can be found at:  
[www.effinghamwithlittlebookhamparish.org.uk](http://www.effinghamwithlittlebookhamparish.org.uk)**

## Regular Events

**Chatterbox:** Tuesdays from 10.30am-12pm on the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays in St Lawrence & on the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays at All Saints. Contact Catherine Hall on 453183 for further info.

**Parish Pint 27<sup>th</sup> Nov:** (for the chaps): 4th Tuesday monthly at the Sir Douglas Haig, Effingham, 12pm. Contact Robert Hall: 453183 or Robert@whestons.co.uk if coming (for catering).

**Sunday Breakfast: 9<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Monthly on 2nd Sunday in the Bowdler Room, All Saints' after 8am Communion. Catherine Hall 453183.

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Nov:** Tuesday Tea, alternate Tuesdays, in the Catholic Church Hall, Lower Rd, Effingham. From 2.30pm-4pm. A donation of £1 is all that is required. Contact either Gill or Keith Walker on 457987.

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov:** Christian Meditation Group: Meets fortnightly, 2.15pm in the Methodist Church, Effingham. Info - Mrs Sylvia Lindsay 457383.

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov:** "Connect" Group for carers & partners living with dementia meets fortnightly at 10am-12pm, St Lawrence Church Hall. Contact Gill Walker on 457987.

**Messy Church 14<sup>th</sup> Nov:** At St Lawrence Church Hall 3.30-5.30pm. 2nd Wednesday of each month. Contact Gill Walker on 457987.



Please remember we can be found on



### Where & When Next Sunday 18th November:

**8am** - Service @ St Lawrence

**10am** - Service @ All Saints

### Weekday Services at St. Lawrence

Morning Prayer will be said on Tuesday at 9am

Holy Communion will be celebrated on Thursday at 9.15am at St Lawrence

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>  
November 2018

'Remembrance  
Sunday'

Children are welcome at all our services



The Parish of St.  
Lawrence, Effingham  
with All Saints', Little  
Bookham



### Parish Contacts

**Rector:** Revd Mandy MacVean – 01372 458314 (Day off usually Friday) The Rectory, 4 Leewood Way, Effingham, KT24 5JN.

**Parish Administrator:** Hayley Rheinlander at the Parish Office: 01372 451697. St Lawrence Church, Church Street, Effingham, KT24 5LX.

**Please send items for the Pulse (via email) by  
Tuesday each week**

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**W:** www.effinghamwithlittlebookhamparish.org.uk



### Pattern of Monthly Services

St. Lawrence		All Saints'
8am BCP Holy Communion 6pm Taizé Prayer	<b>First Sunday</b>	10am Informal Sunday Worship with Communion
10am Sunday Worship with Communion	<b>Second Sunday</b>	8am BCP Holy Communion
8am BCP Holy Communion	<b>Third Sunday</b>	10am Sunday Worship with Communion
10am Thank God it's Sunday (TGIS)	<b>Fourth Sunday</b>	8am BCP Holy Communion
8am BCP Holy Communion (alternating) 10am Ecumenical Eucharist (alternating)	<b>Fifth Sunday</b>	8am BCP Holy Communion (alternating) 10am Ecumenical Eucharist (alternating)

### Church Wardens

Val Winter 454 273  
John Amos 453 552

### Deputy Church Wardens

Laura Smith 459 010  
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