

So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through  
faith. *Galatians 3: 26*

**Today's Bible Passages are:**  
Galatians 3: 23-29 & Luke 8: 26-39

### Notices

#### **Bring your Bible to Church!**

We would like you to bring your Bible to church services. Each week the Bible passage references will be found at the top of The Pulse and next week's passage references will be found towards the bottom, in case you want to mark your Bible before coming to church. Church Bibles will also be available if you forget your own.

#### **Flower Sponsorship**

If you would like to donate towards the cost of the flowers in Church (possibly to mark a special occasion), please do speak to the Parish Administrator.

#### **PCC Treasurer Vacancy**

Jennifer Blackburn has been our Treasurer for many years and now feels the time has come to pass this role on to someone else. She is very happy to show the 'new person' the ropes. Do you think this is a role you might be able to take on? Please speak to Jennifer if so.

#### **Susan Child R.I.P**

Susan Child used to worship at St Lawrence before she moved to Herefordshire in 1998. She died peacefully in Hereford Hospital after a short illness on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2019, she was 76 years old

#### **Special Parish Weekend**

We are pleased to report a very successful and enjoyable Parish weekend which raised £2302 for church funds. In addition, we have donated £321.25 to the Queen Elizabeth Foundation and £241.75 from the recent pottery sales to Tearfund. We would like to thank Moo Muriel for donating 50% of the income from her paintings; Dr Owen for the very interesting talk on the Tirpitz and all those who opened their gardens on the Sunday.



#### **First Holy Communion**

Revd Mandy is now collecting names of children (over 5yrs) whose parents would like them prepared to take their First Holy Communion in October. Please do speak to Revd Mandy if you are interested.

#### **Confirmation**

Would you like to be Confirmed? If so, please do speak to Revd Mandy to sign up for classes starting in September.

### Upcoming Events

#### **Post Pals Party Friday 28<sup>th</sup>/Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June**

#### **Help required:**

Next Saturday (the 29<sup>th</sup>), 'Postpals', a local charity is running a party in St Lawrence Church Hall for children with serious illnesses. Some of us from church – as part of our Christian 'service the community' – have offered to help. Could you come too? Help is particularly needed on Friday from 5.30pm to set up. Also, on Saturday from 6.30pm to clear up. Opportunities to help are also available during the day on Saturday. **Please speak to Rev. Mandy asap if you are able to help.**

#### **Next Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Messy Church Special Service & Baptism of Georgina Brennan, St Lawrence @ 10am**

We will be delighted to welcome families who attend our monthly Messy Church as well as Georgina's family and friends. *Please note that there will be no Communion at this service.*

#### **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August – 'Holiday @ Home', St Lawrence Church Hall @ 10am – 4pm**

This year our theme is 'La Dolce Vita' - Italy comes to Effingham. Save the date! Application forms now available.



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

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

On the 4th 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 28<sup>th</sup> July – 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 7<sup>th</sup> July – All Welcome!**

#### **Next Sunday's Bible Passages are:**

Isaiah 65: 1-9 & Luke 8: 26-39

## Regular Events

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

**Parish Pint 25<sup>th</sup> June:** (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 – 14<sup>th</sup> July** - Monthly on 2nd Sunday in the Bowdler Room, All Saints' after 8am Communion. Catherine Hall 453183.

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**- Tuesday Tea, alternate Tuesdays, in the Catholic Church Hall, Lower Rd, Effingham. From 2.30pm-4pm. A donation of £1.50 is all that is required. Gill or Keith on 457987.

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July** - Christian Meditation Group: Meets fortnightly, 2.15pm in the Methodist Church, Effingham. Mrs Sylvia Lindsay 457383.

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July** - "Connect" Group for carers & partners living with dementia meets fortnightly at 10am-12pm, St Lawrence Church Hall. Contact Gill Walker on 457987.

**Messy Church – Wed 10<sup>th</sup> July:** at St Lawrence Church Hall) 3.30pm-5pm. 2nd Wednesday of each month. Contact Gill Walker on 457987.

**Let's Find Out – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July:** We meet every first Monday evening of the month at 7.30pm at Sylvia Lindsay's, Elmhurst, Lower Rd, Lt Bookham. Catherine: 453183 Sylvia: 457383

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)

Please remember we can be found on



### Where & When Next: Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June:

**8am** - Service @ All Saints

**10am** -Messy Church Special Service with Baptism @ St Lawrence (no communion)

### 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 23rd June  
2019

'1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after  
Trinity'

# Parish Pulse

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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### 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

Pat Mills 454 293  
Paddy MacVean 458 314