'Then Jesus said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'" - Luke 17: 19

Today's Bible Passages are:

2 Timothy 2: 8-15 & Luke 17:5-10

Notices

Beware of Scammers

In another Parish, one of their churchwardens has just been parted from a not-insignificant sum of money by an email scammer posing as the Vicar.

Please everyone, be vigilant. Revd Mandy will never email requests to make church-related purchases, and please ignore any such emails purporting to come from her. If in doubt, please speak to Revd Mandy.

Eco Church

We are working towards an Eco Church Bronze Award. We have set some initial targets and each week we will share the targets with you.

Some of our targets include:

- 1) To create & place Bug Hotels in both churchyards.
- 2) To replace toilet flush in SL church toilet with a dual action flusher.
- 3) To check AS Flusher and if necessary, replace with dual flusher.

Please also see our Eco Church Page on our Parish website under the 'Church Life' section: www.effinghamwithlittlebookhamparish.org.uk

Pulse Online

Thank you to those who signed up to receive their Pulse electronically, hopefully this Pulse arrived on Wednesday. If anyone else would like to take part in this Eco Church initiative, please email the church office: stlawrence1939@btinternet.com

Village Carol Service Choir

Our Village Carol Service is on Sunday 22nd Dec at 6pm & the choir will shortly be practicing for it. They would be very pleased for anyone to join them & swell the ranks. Practices are normally on a Thursday evening. If you are interested please speak to Anne Bleming in church or on 458321.

Bug Hotel

A big thank you to Darren & Lisa for completing our Bug Hotel at St Lawrence Church. Another Hotel is due to open soon at All Saints!



Upcoming Events



TODAY - Sunday 13th Oct - Pet Blessing Service & Thanksgiving for Creation, St Lawrence Church @ 3pm

Please do join us. All pets and their owners very welcome, including cuddly toy pets and photos of dearly departed pets. Dog and human biscuits will be served after the service.

Friday 18th Oct - Churches Together Film Evening, Catholic Church Hall @ 7pm

Come and enjoy another film featuring a 'singing (Italian) mother'. Join us at 7pm for a 7.15pm start. Please bring a plate of finger food to share. Wine available. Donations requested for Christian Aid. Any questions to Barbara Henry or Pat Withers.

Friday 25th Oct - 'Wallis and Warriors', St Lawrence Church @ 7.30pm

A talk by Dr Robert Owen (Official Historian of 617 Squadron Association) Marking the 40th Anniversary of Barnes Wallis. Retiring collection in aid of Parish Funds.

Friday 22^{nd} Nov - Illustrated Talk by local historian Vivien White in aid of 'The Friends' - Manor House School @ 7.15pm

Talk entitled: 'Little Bookham in WWI', a virtual walk around the village. Including festive refreshments & a raffle. Tickets £8 from Pat Mills 454293, Barbara Henry 452024 or Val Winter 454273.



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 27th October - 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 3rd Nov - All Welcome!

Next Sunday's Bible Passages are:

2 Timothy 3: 14ff - 4: 1-5 & Luke 18:1-8

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 - Tues 22nd Oct: (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 – 10th Nov - Monthly on 2nd Sunday in the Bowdler Room, All Saints' after 8am Communion. Catherine Hall 453183.

Tuesday 22nd Oct- 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 457987.

Thursday 24th Oct - Christian Meditation Group: Meets fortnightly, 2.15pm in the Methodist Church, Effingham. Mrs Sylvia Lindsay 457383.

Thursday 24th - "Connect" Group for carers & partners living with dementia meets fortnightly at 10am-12pm, St Lawrence Church Hall. Contact Gill Walker 457987.

Messy Church – Wed 13th Nov: at St Lawrence Church Hall) 3.30pm-5pm. 2nd Wednesday of each month. Contact Gill Walker on 457987.

Let's Find Out – Monday 4th Nov: We meet (usually) 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

Please remember we can be found on



Where & When Next: Sunday 20th October:

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 13th October 2019

'17th Sunday after Trinity'

Parish Pulse

Children are welcome at all our services



The Parish of St.
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Parish Contacts

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

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

E: stlawrence1939@btinternet.com





Pattern of Monthly Services

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

Church Wardens

Val Winter 454 273 John Amos 453 552

Deputy Church Wardens

Pat Mills 454 293 Paddy MacVean 458 314