

St Lawrence's Church
Notices for the week starting 18th June 2017

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Holy Communion

First Sunday after Trinity



491 Love Divine

Reading: Romans 5:1-8 (p1132)

239 God in the planning and purpose of life

(Be thou my vision tune)

Reading: John 2:1-11 (p1064)

4 A new commandment I give unto you (Chorus and v1 * 3)

(During this hymn a collection will be taken)

301 Here I am Lord

170 Father I place onto your hands

273 Great is thy faithfulness

Collect

God of truth,
help us to keep your law of love
and to walk in ways of wisdom,
that we may find true life
in Jesus Christ your Son. **Amen**

Response during prayers

either:

Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.

or:

Lord, hear us;
Lord, graciously hear us.

Post-Communion Prayer

Eternal Father,
we thank you for nourishing us
with these heavenly gifts:
may our communion strengthen us in faith,
build us up in hope,
and make us grow in love;
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord

Amen



Please pray for all those on our
prayer tree



- † **Fund Raising - pink envelopes** 4th June £70.45 Thank you to all who are helping in this way to fund work on the fabric of our building. It just shows how every little helps.
- † **Childrens Society Collecting Boxes** – Ann Marsh asks that all boxes be brought in during the next couple of weeks.
- † **Audenshaw and Denton Mission Partnership Away Day**
June 24th 10am to 3pm. We are spending the day at Whalley Abbey exploring Mission in our Parishes. We would love some volunteers to come along and share ideas of how we can work together to share God's love locally. Please speak to Sheila if you would like to go. Lunch is provided and transport can be shared. Costs will be covered by Parish Funds.

Thank You

A huge _____ for all the work that is going on at St Lawrence's, not all of which is seen:

- Wedding and Hats week - preparation, refreshments, staffing, welcoming schools
- Cleaning and tidying the grounds
- Baking cakes / Serving refreshments on Sundays and Second Tuesdays
- Cleaning the church, arranging flowers
- Paying for the rectory grass to be cut
- Counting and Banking the collections
- Leading services
- Doing Accounts, administration and managing fabric work
- Etc., etc., etc.,

Forthcoming events in June / July

Thursday 22nd June	Morning Prayer MOW and Grow Meeting Come and See Event	9:00am 10:30am 7 for 7:30pm
Saturday 24th June	Mission Partnership Away Day at Whalley Abbey	10:00am – 3:00pm
Sunday 25th June	Early Service of Holy Communion Holy Communion ~ Revd Miles Howarth Baptism of Betsey Joan ~ Revd Alec Mitchell	Cancelled 10:45am 12:45pm
Wednesday 28th June	Holy Communion at Pendle House	2:00 pm
Thursday 29th June	Mothers Union Branch Festival ~ St Stephens Audenshaw	
Sunday 2nd July	Holy Communion Baptism of James Robert	10:45am 12:45pm
Monday 3rd July	Assemblies at Greswell School	10:00am
Tuesday 4th July	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge	1:30pm
Thursday 6th July	Holy Communion Mothers Union Meal Out at Heroes	9:00am
Sunday 9th July	Holy Communion Family and Parade Service	9:30am 10:45am

**Please come and support these events,
you are especially welcome as guests at Baptisms**

Friendship Prayer

When you're feeling stuck,
And don't know what to do,
Remember you've got a friend right here,
That's always there for you.

Whether you need a hand to hold,
Or someone to lead the way,
Don't think for a second that you'll impose
Because "Real Friends" are always there
To help you through the day.

Friends are the flowers in the garden of life.
They help you through times of trouble and strife.

There's nothing like friends to make a heart sing.
True friends will share with you most everything.

They will not abandon you in times of need.
They aren't overcome by envy or greed.

Friends are icing on life's great big cake.
Real friends will give and allow you to take.

Tell me, please tell me, what would I do.
If I didn't have a garden full of friends just like YOU!