

St Lawrence's Church
Notices for the week starting 21st January 2018

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Holy Communion – Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Third Sunday of Epiphany

432 Let us build a house where love can dwell

Reading: Genesis 14:17-20 (p14)

397 Jesus put this song into our hearts

Reading: John 2:1-11 (p1064)

524 Name of all majesty *(During this hymn a collection will be taken)*

410 Jesus stand among us

430 Let there be love shared among us

499 Make me a channel of your peace

273 Great is thy faithfulness



Collect

God of all mercy,
your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,
release to the captives,
and freedom to the oppressed:
anoint us with your Holy Spirit
and set all your people free
to praise you in Christ our Lord. Amen

Response during prayers

either:

or:

Lord, in your mercy Lord, hear us;

hear our prayer. Lord, graciously hear us.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty Father,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world:
may your people,
illumined by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the
earth: for he is alive and reigns now and forever. **Amen**



Please pray for all those on our prayer tree

If you wish to pray for a particular person or situation please add a label to the prayer tree



† **Children's Society Boxes** – Ann Marsh asks if you could bring in your collecting boxes over the next couple of Sundays.



† **Fund Raising – pink envelopes** Sunday 14th January
£180.16 (includes £80 from January café). You are making a big difference to the things we can do to fund work on the fabric of our building (such as investigating the repairs to the North Transept floor).

† **Hosted by Carlie Green.**
Come along to St Lawrence Church, Denton on Thursday 1st February 10am till 3pm.

We will be talking about mental health helping end stigmas and discrimination. No worry is too

small or too big, come and have a chat with us.

We are not doctors or mental health professionals but we do have personal experience of mental health problems and can signpost you to other local services. Complimentary tea, coffee and cake available.



Please take this notice sheet home to help your daily prayer and to remind you of all the services and events

Forthcoming events in January / February

Today	Christ Unity Service ~ Denton Methodist	3:00pm
Tuesday 23rd January	Fourth Tuesday Morning Drop in Knitting Flock at Vera Hadfield's PCC Meeting	10 till 12 2:00pm 7:30pm
Thursday 25th January	MOW and Grow Meeting NOTE CHANGE OF DATE First Aid Training – 12 places available	10:00am 7:00pm
Sunday 28th January	Holy Communion Morning Prayer	9:30am 10:45am
Wednesday 31st January	Holy Communion ~ Pendle House	2:00pm
Thursday 1st February	Holy Communion Time to Talk Day 2018	9:00am 10:00am till 3:00pm
Sunday 4th February	Morning Prayer with Speaker from The Boaz Trust	10:45am
Tuesday 6th February	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge	1:30pm
Thursday 8th February	Mothers Union Group NOTE CHANGE OF DATE	7:30pm
Friday 9th February	Funeral of Teddy Davies	2:00pm
Sunday 11th February	Holy Communion Morning Prayer Baptism of Farah	9:30am 10:45am 12:45pm
Tuesday 13th February	Second Tuesday Café Open Day including Be Well Tameside available for health checks Short service at 12noon Knitting Flock 2pm	10:00am till 4:00pm

Youth Drop-In Centre Every Wednesday

6:30pm till 8:30pm for young people aged 11 - 15 in the Parish Hall.

Free hot drinks and toast.

Please speak with Pauline Blinston, Jacqui Corless or Sandra Lomax to learn more and offer help.

Please pray for this amazing outreach to our local community and the passionate ministry of Pauline, Jacqui and Sandra.



Fourth Tuesday Drop-In – Tea / Coffee / Toast / Biscuits

10am till 12noon

Begins Tuesday 23rd January.

Due to demand and positive feedback there is an extra opportunity for social chat and new friends on the Fourth Tuesday of every month.

Volunteers to staff this on a regular basis would be appreciated.



Prayer for Christian Unity

Barrier-breaking God,
You embrace all cultures and lands,
But keep a special place in your heart
For the stranger, the widow and the orphan.

Grant us the gift of your Spirit

That we may become as You are,
Welcoming all as brothers and sisters,
Your cherished children,

Citizens together in Christ's kingdom of justice and peace. Amen

