

St Lawrence's Church  
Notices for the week starting 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018

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Family Communion  
Easter Day

381 Jesus Christ is ris'n today

Reading: Acts 10:34-43 (p1104)

724 The Lords my Shepherd (Trust in you alone)

Reading: John 20:1-18 (p1089)

759 This is the day (*During this hymn a collection will be taken*)

219 Give thanks with a grateful heart

423 Led like a lamb

15 All heaven declares

751 Thine be the glory



**Collect**

God of glory,  
by the raising of your Son  
you have broken the chains of death and hell:  
fill your Church with faith and hope;  
for a new day has dawned  
and the way to life stands open  
in our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen**

**Response during prayers**

**either:** Lord, in your mercy **or:** Lord, hear us;  
**hear our prayer. Lord, graciously hear us.**

**Post Communion Prayer**

God of Life,  
who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son  
to the death of the cross,  
and by his glorious resurrection  
have delivered us from the power of our enemy:  
grant us so to die daily to sin,  
that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **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



† **Fund Raising – pink envelopes** Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March £252.05 which includes £160 from March Café. Thank you for your generosity making it easier to maintain and repair our amazing building for God's work.

† **World War I Exhibition in June** – Joyce Heap is seeking memorabilia and artefacts for this exhibition.

† **Archbishops Pastoral Letter** – relating to the Chichester Diocese abuse case - copies are available at the back of church

† The countdown to the **APCM** has begun  
(The Annual Meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> April).

- We start with the **Revision of the Electoral Roll**. Please check the Roll at the back of church and if your details or those of anyone you know have changed please mark them onto the Roll in the 'Comment' column and initial them. If you would like to be added to the Roll, please fill in an application form by 2<sup>nd</sup> April.
- **Could you be a Church Warden or PCC member?** Please pray about this and chat with those who are currently PCC members to find out more. Nomination forms are at the back of church.

**We have vacancies for**

- 2 Church Wardens
- 2 Assistant Church Wardens
- 2 PCC members
- 2 Deanery Synod Members

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

## Forthcoming events in April

<b>Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Youth Drop In	6:30pm
<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Holy Communion Burial of Ashes ~ Edna Davies Mothers Union Group	9:00am 11:30am 7:30pm
<b>Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Family and Parade Service led by June Partington	10:45am
<b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Second Tuesday café including Midday Service, Knitting Flock 2pm	10:00am till 4:00pm
<b>Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Youth Drop In Safeguarding Meeting at St John's Hurst	6:30pm 7:00pm
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Denton Churches Together AGM ~ Hope URC	7:30pm
<b>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Wedding of Pauline and Rev'd Miles Howarth ~ Christ Church Denton	12:30pm
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Holy Communion Baptism of Blake	10:45am 12:45pm
<b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Youth Drop In	6:30pm
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Morning Prayer MOW and Grow Meeting	9:00am 10:00am
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	Morning Prayer APCM (Annual Meeting) Baptism of Pippa	10:45am 12 noon 1:45pm
<b>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Fourth Tuesday Drop In with Knitting Flock	10am till 12 noon
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge Holy Communion ~ Pendle House Youth Drop In	1:30pm 2:15pm 6:30pm



**A huge Thank You** to all who have made this Holy Week and Easter such an amazing journey and celebration.

**Alleluia! Christ is risen!**



**He is risen indeed, Alleluia!**

**Prayer for Easter**

Step out into the day, through your cross shaped window into resurrection light.

Feel the joy that new life brings, accept the peace that it offers, and share the love that it gives. **Amen..**