

St Lawrence's Church
Notices for the week starting 15th April 2018

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Holy Communion
3rd Sunday of Easter

387 Jesus is Lord, creations voice
proclaims it

Reading: Acts 3:12-19 (p1095)

850 You laid aside your majesty

Reading: Luke 24:36b-48 (p1062)

454 Lord, for the years *(During this hymn a collection will be taken)*

90 Broken for me, Broken for you

317 How deep the father's love for us

630 Proclaim, proclaim the story



Collect

Risen Christ,
you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope:
strengthen us to proclaim your risen life
and fill us with your peace,
to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

Response during prayers

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

Post Communion Prayer

Living God,
your Son made himself known to his disciples
in the breaking of bread:
open the eyes of our faith,
that we may see him in all his redeeming work;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

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 8th April £143.02 which includes after service refreshment and Passover meal donations. Thank you for your generosity making it easier to maintain and repair our amazing building for God’s work.

- † **Fourth Tuesday Drop-In – 24th April 10am till 12 noon.**
Come and have a chat, tea and toast, knitting group, jigsaws.

- † **Royal Wedding Afternoon Tea Sunday 20th May** – You are invited to come and celebrate the Royal Wedding with a full afternoon tea with unlimited drinks.
Cost £8 per person with two sittings 12 noon till 1:45pm or 2:30pm till 4:00pm
Come dressed as a Wedding Guest, with a Best Hat Competition
Please book and pay in advance – see Linda Chapman

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

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 / May

Sunday 15th April	Holy Communion Baptism of Blake	10:45am 12:45pm
Tuesday 17th April	Standing Committee meeting to discuss MAP and Data Protection	9:30am
Wednesday 18th April	Youth Drop In	6:30pm
Thursday 19th April	Morning Prayer MOW and Grow Meeting	9:00am 10:00am
Sunday 22nd April	Morning Prayer APCM (Annual Meeting) Baptism of Pippa	10:45am 12 noon 1:45pm
Monday 23rd April	Funeral of Denis Smith	1:00pm
Tuesday 24th April	Fourth Tuesday Drop In with Knitting Group	10am till 12 noon
Wednesday 25th April	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge Holy Communion ~ Pendle House Youth Drop In Clergy and Wardens Meeting ~ St Lawrence's	1:30pm 2:15pm 6:30pm 7:30pm
Sunday 29th April	Joint Mission Partnership Holy Communion ~ St Stephens Audenshaw	10:30am
Wednesday 2nd May	Deanery Synod at St Georges Mossley	7:30pm
Thursday 3rd May	Holy Communion Mothers Union	9:00am 7:30pm
Friday 4th May	Burial of Ashes ~ Catherine Fielding	11:30am
Sunday 6th May	Holy Communion Baptism of Noah, Neve, Esme and Alby	10:45am 12:45pm

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting Sunday 22nd April 12 noon

- **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 8th 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

For more details please speak with Denise Rose our Lay-Chair or John Kenyon our PCC Secretary

Prayer for the week

What can bring us happiness?

The Love of God among us.

What can bring us happiness?

The Justice of God around us.

What can bring us happiness?

The Breath of God within us.

Open our minds to the scriptures

Open our eyes to Jesus in our midst

The Extraordinary among the Ordinary

Amen