

STOP PRESS!!

Offertory: as from Sunday May 22nd the offering will be collected by the Sidespersons during the singing of the third hymn—the offertory hymn.

Parish Service of Thanksgiving at 10.00am on Sunday 5th June:
There will be one service at St Lawrence to commemorate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee with celebratory music and creative displays from the children of St Lawrence and Valley End schools. There will be no 8.00am service at St Lawrence or a 9.00am service at St Saviour, Valley End.

It is with regret that we announce the sudden passing away of Jan Brook. Jan's husband, Michael Brook, was church warden at St Lawrence for many years. If you would like to send a message of condolence to Jan's daughter, Ruth Randall-Gray, her email address is ladyroofie@aol.com

Volunteers required for additional sidespersons as well as coffee servers. If you feel able to assist please email Sandra Rigby-Barrett on: sandrarbarrett@outlook.com

Sunday School Volunteers: If you feel that God may be calling you to help with the reintroduction of this important ministry at St Lawrence and if you are willing to fulfil the Diocesan Safeguarding training requirements, please contact Sandra Rigby-Barrett for further details on sandrarbarrett@outlook.com

Prayer Requests for those facing sickness or who are housebound or facing other needs: please email Sandra if any names need to be added or removed from the current list.

Chobham Car Park charges are now in force. Please ensure that you pay the 50p for Sunday charges and sufficient money for other days or find alternative parking as the civil enforcement officers are being very vigilant.

You are most welcome to join us for coffee in the church hall after the 1030 service today.

ST LAWRENCE CHOBHAM WITH ST SAVIOUR VALLEY END

15 MAY 2022

Here to Celebrate, Worship and Serve



Sunday 15 May FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Reading: Genesis 22.1-18
Psalm: 148
Epistle: Acts 11.1-18
Gospel: John 13.31-35

The Psalm and Readings can be found on pages 308 - 310 of the hymn book.

8.00 am	Holy Communion at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan Stork Banks		
9.00 am	Holy Communion at St Saviour led by Revd Dan Stork Banks		
	Hymns:	273	Holy, Holy, Holy
		30	Amazing Grace
		167	For the beauty of the earth
10.30 am	Holy Communion at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan Stork Banks		
	Hymns:	554	Praise to the Holiest in the Height
		167	For the Beauty of the Earth
		466	Now the green blade riseth
		73	Bread of Heaven on Thee we feed
		569	Rock of Ages, cleft for me
Thu 19 May	9.30am-11.00am St Lawrence Toddlers in the Church Hall 5.30pm-6.20pm St Lawrence Children's Choir Rehearsal 6.30pm-7.30pm St Lawrence Church Choir Rehearsal		
Sun 22 May	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		
8.00 am	Holy Communion Service at St Lawrence Led by Revd Dan Stork Banks		
9.00 am	Holy Communion Service at St Saviour led by Revd Dan		
10.30 am	Holy Communion Service led by Revd Dan Stork Banks		
Tue 24 May	10.30am-12.00pm Hearing Aid Maintenance Clinic in Church Hall. By appointment only—please phone June on 01276 855375.		



Collect

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life;
grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life;
grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Psalm 148

¹ Praise the LORD!
Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights!
² Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!
³ Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!
⁴ Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!
⁵ Let them praise the name of the LORD, for he commanded and they were created.
⁶ He established them for ever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.
⁷ Praise the LORD from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps,
⁸ fire and hail, snow and frost,

⁹ Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars!
¹⁰ Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!
¹¹ Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!
¹² Young men and women alike, old and young together!
¹³ Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven.
¹⁴ He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful, for the people of Israel who are close

THIS WEEK WE ARE PRAYING FOR THE FOLLOWING MISSIONS AND MATTERS:

- ◆ **In our Missionary Support: Overseas Mission:** The Barnabas Fund (supporting persecuted Christians); The Bible Society for Mission.
- ◆ **The Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** The Scottish Episcopal Church
- ◆ **In our Guildford Diocese:** Please pray for the success of the Living in Love and Faith initiative; that it will help the whole church to better understand each other and the different perspectives we all hold.
- ◆ **For our Church:**
 - ◊ We pray that our numbers may grow at all our services and that the Lord will bless us as we minister in this parish.
 - ◊ We pray that our faith and belief in the resurrection of Jesus Christ be strengthened and deepened through our understanding of the scriptures.
- ◆ **Children and Schools:**
 - ◊ Please pray for the future of Mission in the parish, particularly with regard to children and young people.
 - ◊ Please pray for the Governors of both St Lawrence School and Valley End School.
- ◆ **Pray for our Vicar, Revd Dan and his family, and for our Assistant Priest, Revd Chris.** Pray for the Royal Family for our national government and for our MP, and for co-operation between nations.
- ◆ **Pray for those facing sickness**, those who are housebound and those who are facing other needs. We pray especially for: Caroline, Gloria, Millie, Jessie Jones, Mary Williams, Lucy North, Carol Kershaw and Amy.
- ◆ **Pray for those who have died recently:** Jan Brook and Brian Wrathmell.
- ◆ **The Year's Mind:** George Trinder, Geoffrey Vero and Elizabeth Eccleshall.
- ◆ **Pray for The Children's Society**, for their work supporting and campaigning for children and for Jenny our parish link. Pray for the charities and missions we support—our Schools, Intermediate Technology and the Bible Society.
- ◆ **Residents of:** Killy Hill, Leslie Road, Macmahon Close, Medhurst Close, Mimbridge Lane, Mincing Lane, Mount Road, Oakdene, Oakhurst, Old Chertsey Road, Old School House, Pennypot, Philpot Lane, Red Lion Close, Red Lion Road, St Lawrence Court, Sandpit Hall Road and Sandy Lane.