

## STOP PRESS!!

**Offertory:** as from today, 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

22 MAY 2022

Here to Celebrate, Worship and Serve

### Sunday 22 May SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**Reading:** Ezekiel 37.1-14  
**Psalm:** 67  
**Epistle:** Acts 16.9-15  
**Gospel:** John 14.23-29

The Psalm and Readings can be found on pages 310 - 312 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: 210 God of mercy, God of grace  
77 Breathe on me, breath of God  
699 We hail thy presence glorious

**10.30 am Holy Communion at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan Stork Banks**

Hymns: 94 City of God, how broad and far  
210 God of mercy, God of grace  
77 Breathe on me, breath of God  
540 Peace, perfect peace  
699 We hail thy presence glorious

**Tue 24 May 1030-12noon Hearing Aid Maintenance Clinic in Church Hall**

**Thu 26 May 9.30am-11.00am St Lawrence Toddlers in the Church Hall**  
**12noon Ascension Day Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel (Revd C Bedford)**  
**5.30pm-6.20pm St Lawrence Children's Choir Rehearsal**  
**6.30pm-7.30pm St Lawrence Church Choir Rehearsal**

**Sat 28 May 1.30pm Wedding Service for Olivia Wood and Andy Norton**

### Sun 29 May SEVENTH 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**



### Collect

God, our Redeemer.  
you have delivered us from the power of  
darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son;  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us  
to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may  
raise us to eternal joy;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity  
of the Holy Spirit,  
One God, now and for ever.

### Psalm 67

<sup>1</sup> May God be gracious to us and bless us  
and make his face to shine upon us,  
<sup>2</sup> That your way may be known upon earth,  
your saving power among all nations.  
<sup>3</sup> *Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.*  
<sup>4</sup> Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,  
for you judge the peoples with equity  
and guide the nations upon earth.

### Post Communion Prayer

God, our Father,  
whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eter-  
nal life:  
may we thirst for you,  
the spring of life and source of goodness,  
through him who is alive and reigns, now and  
for ever.

<sup>5</sup> *Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
Let all the peoples praise you.*  
<sup>6</sup> The earth has yielded its increase;  
God, our God, has blessed us.  
<sup>7</sup> May God continue to bless us;  
let all the ends of the earth revere him.

### 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:** Church of the Province of South East Asia
- ◆ **In our Guildford Diocese:** Please pray for the Diocesan Safeguarding Team, that they will be successful in creating a church that is safe for all.
- ◆ **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 all who work outside the Parish with long journeys to work. Pray for those who are facing redundancy and unemployment and for all who are adjusting to retirement.
- ◆ **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:** Dennis Couldrey, Patricia Stewart (Priestley), Russell Thaine, Norman Gifford and Nancy Spells.
- ◆ **Pray for local government,** for our County Councillor, our three borough Councillors and our Parish Councillors. Pray for the police, fire brigade, paramedics and hospital transport drivers.
- ◆ **Residents of:** Scotts Grove Close, Scotts Grove Road, Sheldon Gate, Shrubbs Hill, Sparrow Row, Stanyards Lane, Station Road, Steep Hill, Stonehill, The Avenue, The Grange, Thompsons Lane and Turf House Lane.