

St Lawrence's Church

Notices for the week starting 12th January 2020

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Family and Parade Service - Baptism of Christ

120 Come down, O love divine



Reading: Isaiah 42,1-9 (*p.727*)

176 Father, we adore you

Reading: Matthew 3, 13-end (*p.967*)

280 Hail to the Lord's anointed

687 Take my life and let it be

255 National Anthem

Collect

Eternal Father,

Who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son,
Anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born
again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our
calling as your adopted children; 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. **Amen!**

Response during prayers

either: Lord, in your mercy

or: Lord, hear us;

hear our prayer.

Lord, graciously hear us.

Post-Communion Prayer

Lord of all time and eternity,

You opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the of
Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the
heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new
creation; 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** – St Lawrence’s Pink Envelopes for 5th January raised **£97.22**
Thank you for your generosity making it easier to maintain and repair our amazing building for God’s work.
- † **Christingle** – many thanks for your donations at the service on Christmas Eve which raised **£181.23** for the Children’s Society.
- † **Christmas Tree and Decorations**
Thank you to everyone who helped take down the Christmas tree and decorations last Sunday.
- † **We need you!** – a reminder that the Mow and Grow Committee is open to **all** church members. The Committee looks at Mission outreach work in the community and Growth of the church. If you are interested in joining the group which meets every other month please speak to **Rev Jules**.
- † **2nd Tuesday Cafe – 14th January** – if you able to spare a couple of hours to greet people please sign up to the rota at the back of Church.

Forthcoming events in January		
Today 12th January	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence's Family & Parade Service ~ St Lawrence's	9:15am 10:15am
Tuesday 14th January	2 nd Tuesday Café ~ St Lawrence's Mid-day Prayer	10:00am – 3:00pm 12.00 noon
Tuesday 14th January	Mission Partnership Steering Group ~ St Lawrence's	7:30pm
Wednesday 15th January	<i>Midweek Holy Communion ~ St Anne's</i>	<i>11:30am</i>
Wednesday 15th January	PCC Meeting ~ St Lawrence's <i>(please note change of date)</i>	7:30pm
Thursday 16th January	Mow and Grow ~ St Lawrence's	10:00am
Thursday 16th January	Funeral of Mr Wilfred Dickinson ~ St Lawrence's followed by a committal at Dukinfield Crematorium	2:30 pm 3:30 pm
Sunday 19th January	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence's	10:15am
Monday 20th January	NAWC meeting ~ St Lawrence's	7:30pm
Wednesday 22nd January	<i>Midweek Holy Communion ~ St Anne's</i>	<i>11:30am</i>
Sunday 26th January	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence's Morning Prayer ~ St Lawrence's	9:15am 10:15am
Tuesday 28th January	4 th Tuesday Café ~ St Lawrence's and Midweek Holy Communion	10:00am – 12noon
Wednesday 29th January	<i>Midweek Holy Communion ~ St Anne's</i>	<i>11:30am</i>
Wednesday 29th January	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge Holy Communion ~ Pendle House	1:30pm 2:00pm
Friday 31st January	Antique Valuer ~ St Lawrence's Parish Hall	12noon – 4:00pm

Prayer for the week

Heavenly Father, by the power of your Holy Spirit you give your faithful people new life in the water of baptism. Guide and strengthen us by the same Spirit, that we who are born again may serve you in faith and love, and grow into the full stature of your Son, Jesus Christ. **Amen!**

Ever wondered what the Bible readings will be next week to give you the opportunity to read them before you come to Church?

Well now you can!

Next week's readings for Sunday 19th January 2020 will be:

1st reading	Isaiah 49,1-7
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2nd reading	John 1, 29-42
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Please take this notice sheet home to help your daily prayer and to remind you of all the services and events.