PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

Coming to Faith, Growing in Faith

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMBER 2017 ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

Thank you for coming to church today, for choosing to worship God.
You are most welcome in St. John's Church today.
Refreshments are available after the service, please join us.
Congratulations Graham King on his licensing yesterday.



READINGS

TODAY
Matthew Ch. 5 VV. 1 – 12.

NEXT WEEK

Micah Ch. 4 VV. 1 – 5. Romans Ch. 8. VV. 31 to End. Mark Chapter 1 VV. 14 – 20.

Vicar Team Rector Churchwardens Rev. Can. Tony Bundock Rev. David Williams Mrs Pat Rushmere Mr Dick Field 01844 347741 01844 344784 01844 345452 01494 562231

COLLECT

Almighty God,
you have knit together your elect
in one communion and fellowship
in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living
that we may come to those inexpressible joys
that you have prepared for those who truly love you;
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

PRAYER NOTES

- † The sick of this parish and those people known to us who need His grace: Irene Foord, Ruth Barclay and Mary Mines.
- † Justice, mercy and grace for migrants. Safety for Christians and peoples of all faiths in danger.
- † Resolution for the peoples of the Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, Nigeria, and peace in Gaza and Turkey.
- † Peace, healing and mercy for the people of Syria.
- † Our mission and ministry in the community.
- † Thanks for our church community and our shared faith.
- † May communities of all faiths bring understanding that you call for love and peace, never hatred.
- † Thanks for those who make this church a beautiful place to worship, preparing linens, providing flowers arranging them and cleaning our church.

WORSHIP IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH

TODAY

8:00 am Said communion using BCP 10:00 am All age sung communion

TUESDAY

9:30 am Said communion

BEREAVEMENT SERVICE

Sunday 26th November at 3 pm

Annual bereavement service for those been bereaved of a loved one in the past year or so.

VOLUNTEERS TO VISIT ST MARY'S KURUMAN

A visit to our link parish in Kuruman, South Africa is planned for the Spring of 2018. Please consider joining the party to travel to meet our church family there and forge strong links.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE AND COFFEE MORNING

See the back page for details. Boxes for donations at the back of church: preserves, tombola, crafts etc.

EASY FUNDRAISING

easyfundraising.org.uk

We have raised over £1,100 of funds without spending an extra penny when shopping online (Christmas is coming!). It's really easy to do.

Caroline Gulliver would happily help get you started.

DIARY DATES

Operation Christmas Child: Boxes and forms at the back of church, please return by Sunday 12th November.

Gift Service with the Salvation Army: Sunday 10th December.

Christmas Fayre and Coffee Morning

Saturday 18th November 2017 10:00 am -2:00pm



Lacey Green Millennium Hall Main Road, Lacey Green

Come and join us for Coffee or Mulled Wine with mincepies.

<u>Lunches will also be served.</u>

Stalls to include Christmas craft items, Cakes, jams and chutneys etc, Handbags & Jewellery, Cards, Tombola and Raffle, good quality secondhand toys, and many more stalls

PLUS FATHER CHRISTMAS AND HIS GROTTO!

Proceeds to St John's Church, Lacey Green