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St Matthew & St Oswald's Church
and Overslade Church

Our vision is to be truly Jesus' disciples.
Growing deeper in **Worship**. Growing closer in **Community**.
Growing further in **Mission**.

Sunday 12 January – Epiphany 1

Prayer 2020
Deepening our Prayer Life



Today's Service

10.30am **United Holy Communion** – St Matthew & St Oswald's
Title: Prayer: Learning from Jesus
the privilege, purpose and practice of prayer
Readings: Mark 1:35-39, Hebrews 10:19-22
{pages: 1003 & 1208 in pew bibles}
Speaker: Rev Jane Hulme

There will be no other services today

WORSHIP



Visiting for the first time today?

We are delighted to have you join us. Please make yourself known to a member

of the Welcome Team (who will be wearing a badge) or fill in a welcome slip (they are in the pews) and give it to a minister.

TODAY

During this morning's service there will be an opportunity for everyone to fill out a prayer points survey (form included in bulletin). Jane will provide further information.



Last Week's Bulletin is
ORANGE
Copies are in the foyer.

Prayer 2020

Connect Groups

The Prayer Course is running in our connect groups this term. If you know someone in a group why not ask to join them – or take a Connect Group leaflet from the foyer noticeboard, return the form, and we will find a group for you.

If you can't get to a connect group to take part in The Prayer Course, why not grab a friend and do it with them? It works fine with just two people. Everything you need (a video to watch and questions to discuss) can be found here for free:

<https://prayercourse.org/sessions/>

The Boiler Room

Our fortnightly parish prayer meeting starts on Wednesday. 7.30 – 8.30pm in church. Come and change the world!

WORSHIP

Daily Bible Study Notes

Daily Bible reading notes can be an incredibly helpful part of your spiritual growth. If this is something you are considering, do contact John Burgon (john.burgon@ntlworld.com) who would be delighted to show you some samples of what is available. He can include your preferred choice in the order that he regularly puts in at the Rugby Christian Bookshop.

For really good prayer/bible study material on your phone (for free) download **Lectio 365** from android or ios stores. It complements *The Prayer Course* that Connect Groups are looking at.

Prayer Points 2020:

We hope you pray regularly for many areas of church life and mission, but as a focus, each month we will have a particular topic which we hope we can all pray for each day.

January's Prayer Focus is:

Our Sunday School



- That God would bless the leaders.
- That children would know Jesus better.
- For good relationships in the groups.
- For children to feel part of the church family and engage in worship before they go out to their groups.

MISSION

**THE LAWRENCE SHERIFF
ALMSHOUSES**
Registered Charity No: 213288

**ARE YOU 55+
LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO LIVE ON
YOUR OWN?**

We are looking for a single gentleman who would like to live on his own in one of our eleven bungalows near the centre of Rugby. It is unfurnished, in good decorative order and consists of living room, fitted kitchen, bedroom and bathroom. There is a small garden.

If you are interested, please contact: Mr. Julian Hall, 01788 543588 email: julian.hall@btinternet.com for an application form.

Greetings Aid 2019. Thank you to everyone who took part. £196 has been raised for Casa Reom.

COMMUNITY

Opportunities to Serve

Do you enjoy making people feel at home and welcoming people you don't know? Then maybe God needs you on His **WELCOME TEAM** at StM&StOs. Contact Dawn in the office or speak to a churchwarden today.

Are you good at practical hospitality? The **REFRESHMENTS TEAM** needs people. Please contact Dawn in the office to offer or ask more.

Potato Meals at the Vicarage. Just a few spaces left for February. If you would like to come please fill in the sheets in the foyer or ring the church office on 01788 330440.

Thursday Fellowship meetings will resume on Thursday 6th February.

New aquarium in full working order with all necessary attachments free to good home. If interested, please contact Sue Berridge 07503174042.

External Events and Training

"A Teaching Day on Pornography. Understanding pornography addiction and how to overcome it" At The Well, Leamington Spa. 22 February, £20 per person. For more information visit <https://www.wellhealing.org/events/categories/pathway/>

The Collective is aimed at engaging with 18-30's. It is a great event to bring your friends along to: There is live music, a café quiz, a 'ted' style talk and interactive table-talk. The next event, 'Resolutions: New Year, New Starts' will take place at Esquires Coffee, Hale Street, Coventry on the 14th January from 7pm to 8.30pm. For more information please visit <https://www.facebook.com/thecollectivecov>

~ W H A T ' S O N ~

- Mon 13** 2.00pm *Mothers' Union – St Matthew & St Oswald Church Hall*
7.30pm *Ministry Leadership Team – Vicarage.*
- Tues 14** 10.45am *Pitstop drop in Coffee and Chat – 'Down Memory Lane'*
St Matthew & St Oswald Church Hall
- Wed 15** 9.15am *Coffeebreak – St Matthew & St Oswald Church Hall*
7.30pm *Boiler Room Prayer Meeting*
St Matthew & St Oswald's Church
- THE BOILER ROOM**

Our new parish prayer meeting

BOILER ROOM

Wednesdays
7.30–8.30 pm

Fortnightly from
15th January
in church
- Sun 19** 10.30am **Morning Worship** – *Overslade Church*
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Children's groups – Church Centre
4.30pm **Holy Communion** – *St Matthew & St Oswald's*
- Mon 20** 7.30pm *PCC Meeting – Church Centre*
- Tues 21** 10.45am *Pitstop drop in ~ Coffee & Chat*
St Matthew & St Oswald Church Hall
- Wed 22** 9.15am *Coffeebreak – St Matthew & St Oswald's Church Hall*

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