



# ST LEONARD'S CHURCH

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May

Here, everyone is welcome, valued, and loved by God and each other as we explore faith and prayer together

## WELCOME TO ST LEONARD'S CHURCH

Whether this be your first time or hundredth time at St Leonard's, you are very welcome.

We hope that in this time of worship you encounter and know the peace and love of God. If you would like further information about the worship, life and ministry of St Leonard's or anything else, any member of our congregation will be happy to chat with you.



**Sunday 1st June, 4pm - 5pm**

A relaxed, informal space hearing a bible story, songs and activities. Whether you have never been to church before or attend regularly, Church@4 is for you!

Come and eat with us, a meal and cake for after's, followed by an option to create an Easter Cross Suncatcher, a blindfolded activity where you need to trust your sense or join in the conversation!

All are welcome - there is no charge for anything



Church@4 is St Leonard's Church monthly gathering on Church Hill. Join us at Willow Trees Community Centre, B98 9JL at 4pm

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### Sunday 25th May

Informal Worship, 9.15am  
Morning Worship, 11.15am

### Tuesday 27th May

Friendship Group, 10.30am - 12pm

### Wednesday 28th May

Stitch Craft 10.30am- 12.30pm

### Thursday 29th May

Bell Ringing Practice, 7.30pm

### Sunday 1st June

Informal Worship, 9.15am  
Celebration of Holy Communion, 11.15am  
Holy Baptism 1pm

### Gathering at the YMCA Willow Trees Community Centre

Baptism Preparation, 3pm  
Church@4, 4pm

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## ALL TOGETHER PENTECOST

ST LEONARD'S CHURCH, BEOLEY  
SUNDAY 8TH JUNE, 10:30AM

Join us for Spirit filled worship with Holy Communion

As part of our Pentecost celebrations Rose Akeroyd will be licensed as Lay Minister

Our worship and celebrations will continue with a Shared Lunch

St Laurence Church, Alvechurch and St Leonard's Church, Beoley worshipping God together.

In preparation for us hosting our shared lunch with St Laurence Church, we need some help to put up the marquee in the churchyard. We will decide on a mutually convenient day and time with those who can help. Please speak to one of our churchwardens, Dennis or John.

This week in our worship, as part of our Inclusive Church Series we are looking at Neurodiversity.

## **Bible Readings:**

**1 Corinthians 12:14-27**

page 1153 in Pew Bible

**John 17:20-24**

page 1085 in Pew Bible

## **Psalms 67**

**Refrain: Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

- 1 God be gracious to us and bless us  
and make his face to shine upon us,
- 2 That your way may be known upon earth,  
your saving power among all nations.
- 3 Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.
- 4 O let the nations rejoice and be glad,  
for you will judge the peoples righteously  
and govern the nations upon earth.
- 5 Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.
- 6 Then shall the earth bring forth her  
increase, and God, our own God, will bless us.
- 7 God will bless us,  
and all the ends of the earth shall fear him.

**Refrain: Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

## **The Collect Prayer**

Risen Christ,  
by the lakeside you renewed your call to  
your disciples:  
help your Church to obey your command  
and draw the nations to the fire of your love,  
to the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

## **New Roles at St Leonard's Church, Beoley**

At our annual meeting last  
Sunday we elected a new  
churchwarden and treasurer and  
new Deanery Synod Rep. Please  
prayer for all in these roles and  
on our DCC.

### **Churchwardens**

Dennis Moore  
John McWilliams

### **Treasurer**

Adrian Iszzatt

### **Deanery Synod Rep**

Rose Akeroyd

Unfortunately, we were unable to  
elect a new DCC Secretary at the  
recent meeting. This important  
role remains vacant, and we ask  
for your prayers that someone  
might feel called to serve in this  
way.

Revd Gail and the Churchwardens  
already carry significant  
responsibilities, and without a  
Secretary, additional tasks will  
fall to them. It isn't too late to  
find out more—please speak to  
Revd Gail or one of the wardens if  
you'd like to explore what's  
involved.

For wedding, baptism, or funeral  
enquires, or to ask anything  
about the life, ministry and  
mission of St Laurence Church  
contact Penny Walker



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The parish office is open  
Tuesday - Thursday 9.30am - 1.30pm