

Parish Office Opening Hours

The Parish Office is open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10.00am to noon. Please call: 07502 320025 or email: stleonardheath@gmail.com

Happenings in the Parishes

Event	Date	Time	Venue
Little Fishes Group	Thursday 18 January	10.00am to Noon	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Little Fishes Group	Thursday 25 January	10.00am to Noon	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Seasonal Lunch	Saturday 27 January	12.30pm to 2.30pm	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Café Church	Sunday 28 January	3.00pm to 4.00pm	Eggington Parish Hall
Winter Cream Tea	Sunday 28 January	3.00pm to 5.00pm	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Little Fishes Group	Thursday 1 February	10.00am to Noon	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Elevenes in the church	Wednesday 7 February	11.00am to Noon	St. Michael's Church, Eggington
Coffee Morning	Thursday 8 February	10.00am to Noon	St. Leonard's Church Hall
Men's Breakfast	Saturday 10 February	8.30am to 10.00am	St. Leonard's Church Hall

Zoom Link for all Services

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88357471337> Meeting ID: 883 5747 1337

The Ouzel Valley Team News is available to view in full on the church notice boards and/or online at saintleonardschurch.com.

Ouzel Valley  Team Ministry

The Parish Churches of St Leonard, St Michael & St Nicholas

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14 January 2024: 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

St. Nicholas's Parish Communion 9.30am

St. Leonard's Parish Communion 11.00am (on Zoom)

All Welcome

Collect:

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; 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

Service Rota Availability Forms

Please could you complete and return the form to the Parish Office by **Monday 15 January**.

The Memorial Service for Peter Guilford is at St. Leonard's Church on Saturday 20 January at 12.30pm followed by the interment of his ashes in the Heath and Reach churchyard.

Bible Readings for 14 January:

1 Samuel 3.1-10 [11-20]
Psalm 139.1-5, 12-18
Revelation 5.1-10
John 1.43-end

For your prayers:


- Those who are unwell:
St Leonard's: Steve Baldwin; Sally Buttery; Maureen Davis; Christopher Fenwick; Alan and Ann Gaulton; Nicky Lutt; Rebecca Page; Audrey Payne; Julie
- Bishop Alan as he prepares to go into hospital for cancer treatment
- Condolences to Mother Kirsty on the sudden death of her father, Paul; may he rest in peace
- Sacristans and Chalice Assistants
- Sheepcote Crescent, Heath and Reach; Augustus Road and Augustus Way, Hockliffe; Leighton Road, Eggington
- LGL: Making new disciples:
Churches that are open during the day for prayer
- St. Leonard's Parish Prayer.

Bible Readings for 21 January:

Genesis 14.17-20
Psalm 128
Revelation 19.6-10
John 2.1-11



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For Reflection:	
Ten things God wants you to remember I will give you rest. I will strengthen you. I will answer you. I believe in you. I will bless you. I am for you. I will not fail you. I will provide for you. I will be with you. I will love you.	Hymns for St. Leonard's Service (AMNS) 51 As with gladness 49 O worship the Lord 43 A great and mighty wonder 48 Earth has many a noble city 252 Now, my tongue 142 Hail to the Lord (omit vs. 2 & 4)  A free phone line of hymns reflections and prayers
Aumbry Candle	
If you would like someone to be remembered, please complete the list on the notice board in the porch at St. Leonard's Church and fill in one of the envelopes which can be returned to the Church Wardens or to the Office.	
Services in the Churches	
<u>Morning Prayer:</u> Monday-Friday 9.00am via Zoom (recurring link) <u>Tuesday Evening Service:</u> St Leonard's 7.00pm Holy Communion [on Zoom too] <u>Sunday Services:</u> St Leonard's 8.00am* Holy Communion (1st and 3rd Sunday) St. Leonard's 11.00am Family Service (1st Sunday) [on Zoom too] St Leonard's 11.00am Parish Communion (2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday) [on Zoom too] St. Michael's 9.30am Parish Communion (1st and 3rd Sunday) St. Nicholas' 9.30am Holy Communion (2nd and 4th Sunday) *8.00am Holy Communion at St. Leonard's: Sunday 21 January 2024.	
For further information please go to www.saintleonardschurch.com	
www.achurchnearyou.com/eggington-st-michael	

Seasonal Lunch The next one is on Saturday 27 January 2024 from 12.30pm to 2.30pm in St. Leonard's Church Hall. Transport can be provided. If you know of anyone who lives alone and would like to come, please book them in. Booking is essential so please contact the Parish Office: 07502 320025 or stleonardheath@gmail.com	Little Fishes This is for pre-school aged children and babies. It runs in term-time on Thursdays (except for the second Thursday) from 10.00am to noon in St. Leonard's Church Hall. It starts again on Thursday 18 January.
Winter Cream Tea This is on Sunday 28 January from 3.00pm to 5.00pm in St. Leonard's Church Hall. Entry is £4.00. Donations of scones and cakes are needed.	Café Church A family service for all those who have had children baptised in the past three years is on Sunday 28 January at 3.00pm to 4.00pm at Eggington Parish Hall. For more details, please contact Roger Spalding at: spaldingr96@gmail.com
St Leonard's Coffee Mornings The next one is at 10.00am to noon on Thursday 8 February.	Evening of Music and Laughter Join the St Leonard's Amateur Players for an Evening of Music and Laughter at St Leonard's Church Hall on Saturday 17 February at 7.30pm. Tickets are £7.00.
Men's Breakfast This is on Saturday 10 February from 8.30am to 10.00am in St. Leonard's Church Hall.	
Leighton Linlade Helpers Food Parcel Donation Bin The Donation Bin is in the porch at St. Leonard's Church. With the recent cost of living crisis, there is a huge increase in the demand for food parcels. Donations of dried and tinned items are urgently needed. Please do not donate fresh food items.	
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