

The Bulletin Board

WESTWAY OPEN ARMS W/C9.9.2020: It IS perhaps unsurprising, but nevertheless deeply saddening, that WOA food bank in Eastfield continues to be required by so many people. Food bags are still being distributed in very high numbers.

Heartfelt thanks as ever for all the very generous donations.

This week we are running EXTREMELY LOW on the items listed below:

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| - soup - tins and packets | - tins of tuna |
| - tins of corned beef | - tins of meat curry |
| - tinned pies | - tins of meat free pasta |
| - jars of pasta sauce | - tinned tomatoes |
| - tins of sweetcorn, carrots & peas | - baked beans |
| - potatoes - tins & dry powder | - tinned fruit |
| - tins of rice pudding | - biscuits |
| - custard - ready-made tins or cartons | |



Please note we are unable to store and handle fresh fruit and vegetables. Currently we have a plentiful stock of pasta, tea bags, jams and plastic bags - thank you.

Food donations can be generally be presented to the main entrance between 10am and 12noon on Monday to Thursday. Alternatively I'm happy to have things left with me and I'll take them across. There is a yellow box and wooden stall by my front door to drop things in - I can sort it from there. With very many thanks again, Gordon Hayes.

RAINBOW CENTRE: Thanks to everyone who is kindly donating items for kettle packs for the clients of the Rainbow Centre, but PLEASE don't put clothing or anything other than food in the red bin outside the church rooms. This is because all of the space the Rainbow Centre is currently allowed at St. Mary's Parish House is taken up with the food bank and they have nowhere to store clothing/textiles/home wares during the Coronavirus restrictions.

CHURCH OFFICE OPENING HOURS W/C 13.9.2020:

The church office is fully reopening this week. The hours are below:

Wednesday 16th September: 8.30am - 1pm

Thursday 17th September: 8.30am - 12noon

Friday 12th September: 8.30am - 1pm



Keep in touch via www.stlaurencescalby.org.uk or Facebook - look for 'St Laurence's, Scalby'

ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, SCALBY

Week beginning Sunday 13th September 2020



If you are a visitor or newcomer to St Laurence's please make yourself known to the Clergy or Churchwarden after the service, so that we can welcome you personally.

We do not pass an offering plate around during the service. Please place your offering on the plate as you enter or leave. Thank you.



World

- Migrants displaced yet again after their camp on Lesbos was destroyed by fire.
- Governments and local authorities making decisions about Coronavirus restrictions.

Church

- Families as they begin to use the 'Journey Through the Bible' calendar.
- The All Age team meeting to plan online worship.

Individuals

- The family of Glynis Francis as they gather for her funeral on Monday.
- Barbara Gardiner, Celia Hodgson, Margaret Benson and Peter Mollon and all those know personally to us who need our prayers.
- Nazanin Zhaghari Ratcliffe (facing a further trial in Tehran on Sunday), her husband, daughter and parents.
- University students returning to begin the new term - especially Jasmine Alice, William and Dominik.
- Azaria Spencer (our CMS link) continuing to work to protect the vulnerable street children in Guatemala.

Please take this notice sheet home with you and use the prayer requests during the week. If you'd like prayers included, please check with the people concerned before submitting their names for the sheet.

NOTICES

If you have any notices for the notice sheet please send them to Sarah Readman by 1pm on Thursday by email stlaurencescalby@gmail.com. Many thanks.



Church Services today and next week...

Sunday 13th September 2020

14th Sunday after Trinity

10.30am Holy Communion - Rev'd Tony Hand

Collect: Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Reading: Matthew 18:21-35

Thursday 17th September 2020

10am-12noon Private Prayer - Church

UPCOMING CHURCH SERVICES

Due to the current Covid-19 situation, church services are going to be very different. We have worked out our maximum capacity using current guidelines and unfortunately it will not be possible to just 'turn up' to a service. If you would like to attend the 10:30am Sunday service then you will need to email Sarah on stlaurencesscalby@gmail.com between the Monday and Thursday before the Sunday. Please include a contact number and how many people will be attending in your party (for track and trace purposes). You will then be allocated seating which you will be directed to on your arrival at church. Bookings will only be taken in the week leading up to the Sunday service. We ask that you consider all the members of our congregation, maybe only requesting a seat once a month at this present time. We are aware that not all our members have access to the internet so if you know someone this relates to please ask them to ring Marion so that she can let Sarah know. Services will be shorter than usual as there will be no singing. Face coverings **MUST** be worn when attending services - you will need to bring one with you as they will not be provided. Parishioners are asked to consider the welfare of those around them and if they show any signs of Covid-19 they are to get tested and **NOT** attend church.

Our next service is on **Sunday 20th September at 10.30am.**

Please let Sarah know if you would like to come, between **Monday 14th and Thursday 17th September.**



What's happening this week...

Mon 14th 12noon Funeral of Glynis Francis (see below)

Thurs 17th 10am-12noon Private Prayer - Church

FUTURE NOTICE SHEETS: We are now starting to produce more regular notice sheets. Unfortunately paper copies will not be available. If anyone would like a copy by email please let Sarah know on stlaurencesscalby@gmail.com and she will add you to the list.

SUNDAY SERVICES: As you are aware, at the moment we are unable to allow everyone to attend church services at the same time. This is why you have been asked to contact Sarah the week before to confirm your place. If for whatever reason you book a place and then are unable to attend please would you let Sarah know ASAP (by email on stlaurencesscalby@gmail.com) so that she can reallocate seating as there can be a waiting list. Many thanks.

FUNERAL OF GLYNIS FRANCIS: The funeral service and celebration of the life of Glynis Francis will be at St. Laurence's on **Monday 14th September at 12noon.** Sadly due to Coronavirus restrictions there will only be room for Glynis' family in church. However the service will be live streamed from 11.45am on the day for those who would have liked to be there. It will remain online for those who wish to watch later. The link is: <https://eur03.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fevt.live%2Fwilliamreay229%2Fa-celebration-of-the-life-of-glynis-merle-francis&data=02%7C01%7C%7C6244dbe770a94866d1eb08d8549a7c82%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637352369765207456&data=Q7S3rLmp5VcNE6Vr%2B6oJAmEm%2BWKEKM8KY6sMDQpuuk%3D&reserved=0>
The order of service will also be available for those watching virtually on pdf (attached separately).

HARVEST POSIES: We are hoping to do the usual Harvest posies to distribute. We are handing out dishes and oasis together with the cards for the people concerned between **10am and 12noon on Saturday 26th September** outside church. If you are able to help with making the arrangements and delivering them, please would you come then. All help with this will be gratefully received.

HELP NEEDED: We have a host of wonderful volunteers in church who help with all manner of jobs. We are looking to compile a list of people who might be able to 'step in' and help with manning the laptop/projector during services on a possible rota basis. Currently the projector is used each week at the 10:30am Sunday service as we are not using paper service sheets. If you feel you would like to help with this or any other job please would you let Sarah know by email on stlaurencesscalby@gmail.com. Thank you.