



St Leonard's Church, Wollaton

Living for Jesus



8 December 2024



Today's Service can be found on our website homepage
stleonardswollaton.org.uk

St Leonard's @ 10.00am with Holy Communion

Lead Tim Pullen Talk Tim Pullen



Philippians 1:3-11

Luke 3:1-6

St Leonard's Christingle @ 4.00pm

Lead Tim Pullen Talk Alistair Langton



Matthew 5: 14-16



Collect for the Second Sunday of Advent

Almighty God,
purify our hearts and minds,
that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as
judge and saviour
we may be ready to receive him,
who is our Lord and our God.



Our vision is to be a joyful and vibrant church empowered by the Holy Spirit committed to sharing God's love with the wider community, welcoming partnership with others, so that all may be drawn in to the abundant life of Christ.

Find out more about us and what's going on at
www.stleonardswollaton.org.uk

Foodbank Christmas collection

Any cash or toy donations wanting to be given to the foodbank before Christmas need to be handed in by the 15th December.

Thank you to those who take the foodbank donations to St Martha's on a Wednesday. If you would like to be added to the rota, please speak to Mieneke.

Bishop Paul's Christmas message

What would a revival of faith look like in your life this Christmas? In his Advent & Christmas Message, Bishop Paul shares reflections on the gift of faith that Jesus brought into the world.

Watch the video on our home page at www.stleonardswollaton.org.uk

Book Group

The Book Group is next meeting on Wednesday 8th January, 7.30pm at 19 Valmont Road. We are reading "Orbital" by Samantha Harvey. Further details from Erica Bailey or Jo Pullen

Jazz Café

Sunday 15th December @ 2pm St John's Church, Bilborough NG8 4FD

Join us for an afternoon of swing and Latin with guest Colin Newton (trombone)

Tickets: email wendy.bilborough@gmail.com, phone 0775 3122139

Ecclesiastical will make a charitable donation for every new direct household policy taken out during the qualifying period. This offer is open until the 31st December.



Find out more here; www.ecclesiastical.com/trust130

A Concert of Celebration

To mark Peter Price's retirement after 25 years as Music Director, there will be a concert performed by a massed choir of past and present members of St Leonard's Church Choir.



Date: Saturday 28th December 2024

Time: 2:30pm (please be seated by 2:20pm)

Place: St Leonard's Church

Afterwards there will be a bring and share 'cake and a cuppa' in the Community Centre.

Anyone who can help arrange the refreshments in the centre, please let Margaret Bamlett know. Mob: 07570491175 or email: mhbamlett@gmail.com

The Children's Society at St Leonard's

Thank you for joining us for our Christingle service. If you would like to make a donation to The Children's Society please scan the QR code or go to www.stleonardswollaton.org.uk and follow the DONATE link on the home page.



Harvest Appeal 2024

This year we have raised £2,388.25 for Tearfund and their Transforming Communities Appeal.

Thank you for your generosity in prayers and donations.



How to get involved...



"let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven."

Matthew 5: 16



If you would like the notice sheet emailed each week then please fill in this form via the link or QR code.

<https://forms.gle/WwK48LdaU5AX8boB6>



Thank you for joining us today at St Leonard's Church.

If you would like to support our mission and ministry then please donate through our 'Give a Little' page.

This can be found on the front page of the website at stleonardswollaton.org.uk OR scan the QR code.

Thank you.





The week ahead

Come for Coffee Tues 10:00am
 Choir Friday 7:30pm
 Hand bells Wed 7:30pm
 Office Hour Second Tues every month 6-7pm

Wollaton Youth Club Tues 5-6:30pm
 Toddler Group Thurs 10:00am
 Toddler Group Thurs 1:30pm
 (Term time only)

Worship Services

Thursday 12th December
 St Leonard's @ 10:30am with Holy Communion

Sunday 15th December
 St Leonard's @ 10am in the Community Centre
 St Leonard's @ 4pm with Holy Communion



Dates for your diary

21st December 10-12
 Dads 'n Kids

22nd December @ 6:30pm
 Carols round the Pump

The main church building is open during the day.

You are welcome to come in to look around or to spend time in quiet reflection and prayer



Please Pray:

We each continue to pray for our five that they may explore Christian faith.

Lord, please rescue those who are denied basic human rights, to life and liberty, freedom from slavery and torture, freedom of opinion and expression, to work and access education.

We pray for *the sick* -
Kathleen Price, King Charles III,
Catherine Princess of Wales, Dr Jun,
Noreen Thomas, Kyle Burnet

We remember the families of those who have died recently and pray for the families of, David Wright, Betty Allen, John Lees, Janet Wootton, Ralph McClure

Funerals:

Betty Allen, 10th December at 11am



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Church Office opening times:
Mon 9-1 Wed 9-2:30 Thurs 9-2:30 Fri 9-2

Community Centre Bookings

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