

## St Leonard's Church, Wollaton Living for Jesus



16 March 2025

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

### St Leonard's @ 10am in the Community Centre

Followed by a bring and share lunch

Lead Tim Pullen Talk Adam Baker (Refugee Roots)

# St Leonard's @ 4pm with Holy Communion Lead Tim Pullen Talk Tim Pullen



Jeremiah 22.1-9, 13-17 Luke 14.27-33



Collect for the Second Sunday of Lent

Almighty God,

by the prayer and discipline of Lent

may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,

and by following in his Way

come to share in his glory;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

Join the New Church Electoral Roll - a notice for everyone at St Leonard's

Every 6 years, a new Electoral Roll is prepared so everyone who wishes to be on the Electoral Roll has to apply. Joining the Electoral Roll is a way of committing to the life and mission of our church. It allows you to vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM), stand for election to the Parochial Church Council (PCC), and have a say in important church decisions. It also enables our church to be represented at deanery, diocesan, and national levels.

If you consider this church your spiritual home and you are aged 16 or over, we encourage you to join. Being on the roll affirms your place in our church family and helps shape its future. Forms are available at the back of church, from the office or from Erica Bailey. Please return them to the office or Erica Bailey as soon as possible or at least no later than Easter Sunday (20th April)

Alternatively you can download and complete the form on a computer (not on a mobile phone) by following the instructions on the website here;

https://stleonardswollaton.org.uk/st-leonards-church-wollaton/apcm/

Or by scanning the QR code.

The form can be either printed off and returned to the church or signed electronically (by typing name in signature field) and submitted via email to slwollaton@gmail.com



#### Craft Group

The craft group is next meeting on Thursday 20th March at 7-9pm in the Community Centre Committee room. Bring along your craft projects to work on whilst enjoying the company of others. Tea, coffee and cake will be provided.





Alpha is starting on Thursday 1st May at 7pm

We encourage you to help yourself to the invitations available and invite friends to try Alpha. Join your invitees to their first session which will take the form of an Aplha meal.

Please begin to consider and pray for who you might invite We would also like to invite an Alpha prayer support group to meet simultaneously with the Alpha course. Additionally, we plan to offer light finger foods and drinks at the beginning of each Alpha session.

Anyone who would be interested in supporting this event in the ways mentioned above or to find out more, please speak to Trevor Hatton or Roger Owen as soon as possible. St Leonard's Lent Appeal

Follow this link to donate through our fundraising page:

https://www.refugeeroots.org.uk/fundraisers/st-leonards-wollaton-lent-appeal-for-refugee-roots

Or scan the QR code to donate through our fundraising page:





Leave cash or cheques in the envelopes provided (cheques to be made payable to Refugee Roots)

#### Lent Course

Based on Gospel extracts using the book 'Lent in Plain sight' by Jill J Duffield there will be a series of weekly sessions ran by the Wollaton Churches Together

A full list of dates can be found in the March edition of Link Magazine.

11th March, 2pm - Grangewood 12th March, 7:30pm - Grangewood 18th March, 2pm - Grangewood 19th March, 7:30pm - Grangewood 25th March, 2pm - Grangewood 26th March, 7:30pm - St Thomas More

1st April, 2pm - Grangewood 2nd April, 7:30pm - St Thomas More 8th April, 2pm - Grangewood 9th April, 7:30pm - St Leonard's

#### Bags of Blessings Easter Appeal

Please consider donating Easter crafts and chocolates to support Bags of Blessing Easter Appeal.

The collection box in church will be collected by 17th March so please do bring your donations before this date.



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

If you would like to support our mission and ministry then please donate via the Parish Giving Scheme. This can be done via;



- Following the URL https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/wollaton-st-leonard-nottingham/
- By telephone on 0333 002 1271
- Completing a gift form found on our website under the giving tab
- Or by scanning the QR code





#### The week ahead

### **a** Dates for your diary

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

Office Hour Second Tues every month 6-7pm

Wollaton Youth Club Tues 5-6:30pm

At Kingswood Church

Toddler Group Thurs 10:00am
Toddler Group Thurs 1:30pm

(Term time only)

Saturday 15th March @ 10am In the Community Centre (no Dads 'n Kids in April, back in May)

Dads 'n Kids

Craft Group in the Community Centre
Thurs 20th March 7-9pm

APCM

Sunday 18th May following the service

Worship Services
Thursday 20th March

St Leonard's @ 10:30am with Holy Communion

Sunday 23rd March
St Leonard's @ 10am with Holy Communion



#### Please Pray:

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

Lord, we lift up all refugees in need of safety, comfort, and hope. Surround then with your peace and protection, guiding them to places of refuge and care. May they find strength in your love, and may the world extend compassion and help to those seeking shelter.

We pray for the sick -Kathleen Price, King Charles III, Catherine Princess of Wales, Dr Jun

We remember the families of those who have died recently and pray for the families of, Kyle Burnet, Thelma Bracey



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