



# St Leonard's Church, Wollaton



## Living for Jesus

23 March 2025

Today's Service can be found on our website homepage  
[stleonardswollaton.org.uk](http://stleonardswollaton.org.uk)

## St Leonard's @ 10am with Holy Communion

Lead Tim Pullen    Talk    Tim Pullen



Colossians 3:18-4:1

John 15: 12-17

*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*



Collect for the Third Sunday of Lent

Eternal God,

give us insight

to discern your will for us,

to give up what harms us,

and to seek the perfection we are promised

in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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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](http://www.stleonardswollaton.org.uk)

*You are welcome to join us for a time of prayer each week at 9:30am before our Sunday services.*

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](mailto:slwollaton@gmail.com)



The Silent Prayer

The Silent Prayer Group will meet on Wednesday 26th March, 7.30 pm, at 20 Caxmere Drive, NG8 1GG.

**You're  
Invited!**



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 Alpha 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

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

*Love* each other  
as I have *Loved* you.

## Mother's Union Campaign

Make A Mother's Day is our annual Mothering Sunday fundraising campaign raising funds to support our global community projects which transform lives every day.

We know how important mothers, caregivers and grandmothers are and how much they do to help their children, families and communities thrive, often unnoticed and without thanks.

Find out more at [www.mothersunion.org](http://www.mothersunion.org)



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

Come for Coffee	Tues	10:00am
Hand bells	Wed	7:30pm
Bell Ringing Practice	Thurs	7:30pm

Wollaton Youth Club	Tues	5-6:30pm
<i>At Kingswood Church</i>		
Toddler Group	Thurs	10:00am
Toddler Group	Thurs	1:30pm
(Term time only)		

## Worship Services

Thursday 27th March

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

Sunday 30th March

St Leonard's @ 10am with Holy Communion



## Dates for your diary

Silent Prayer Group  
26th March at 7:30pm

Alpha  
1st May at 7pm in Church

APCM  
Sunday 18th May following the service



## Please Pray:

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

Word of God, thank You for bestowing on human beings the desire and ability to communicate through artistry the ideas, knowledge, imagination, wisdom and worship within us. Please inspire us increasingly to develop our own giftings and experience the richness this brings, Amen.

*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*

**Funerals;**  
*Kyle Burnet, 9th April at 11:30am*



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