

Find us on  @stlaurenceeastwood

THIS CHURCH

As decided by our Archbishops, the church will be closed for public services until further notice. We are allowed to open the Church building for private prayer at the following times:

on weekday mornings from 9am -10am
and on Sundays from 9am - 12 noon

There will also be regular updates on our Facebook page.

As a church community we will aim to keep in touch with each other by phone and email and the Pastoral Team will try to ensure that no one is left out.

If you have information or are concerned about someone from church please contact Rosemary Denney Tel 520442 and she will coordinate a response.

We hope that our plans are soon working but please let us know if we have missed something important.

Please pray your own prayer or use this:

Keep us, good Lord,
under the shadow of your mercy
in this time of uncertainty and distress.
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may rejoice in your comfort
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen



ST LAURENCE EASTWOOD

'I want to know Jesus Christ and the power of His resurrection'

Philippians 3 v 10



**Sunday March 22nd 2020
4th Sunday of Lent**

MOTHERING SUNDAY

Readings

Exodus 2:1-10
Colossians 3: 12-17
John 19: 25-27

Collect

God of love, passionate and strong, tender and careful: watch over us and hold us all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

This week we are praying for

- Eastwoodbury Lane
- The Police
- Archdeacon Mike
- Westcliff Rugby Club
- B & M, Airport Retail Park
- All Doctors' Surgeries
- David Lloyd

**STOREHOUSE LENT
DONATIONS**

March 8th Pasta, Rice, Sauces
March 15th Baby Items
March 22nd Cereals, UHT Milk, Sugar
March 29th Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate

Please continue to make your donations when the items are available.

A Prayer for Mothering Sunday

Thank you God for the love of our mothers:
thank you God for their care and concern;
thank you God for the joys they have shared with us;
thank you God for the pains they have borne for us;
thank you God for all that they give us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

A prayer for the world

God of love and hope,
you made the world and care for all creation,
but the world feels strange right now.
The news is full of stories about Coronavirus.
Some people are worried that they might get ill.
Others are anxious for their family and friends.
Be with them and help them to find peace.
We pray for the doctors and nurses and scientists,
and all who are working to discover the right medicines
to help those who are ill.
Thank you that even in these anxious times,
you are with us.
Help us to put our trust in you and keep us safe. Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION

Vicar (Day off Friday)
Revd Kingsley Yeboah 01268 426 220
Email vicar@st-laurence.org.uk

Contact
General info@st-laurence.org.uk
For Prayer prayer@st-laurence.org.uk

Churchwardens
Martin Newman 545790
Judith Wiseman 523941

Deputy Churchwardens
Gordon Lee-Hatch 826891
Glen Snowdon 522032

Treasurer
Danny Keech 528481

Church Gardening
Glen Snowdon 522032

Livingway Editor
Judith Wiseman 523941
Email paulfwiseman@hotmail.com

Hall Bookings
Cheryl Barwell 07396 360109
Holley Barwell
Email: info@hall.st-laurence.org.uk

Web
Church st-laurence.org.uk
Hall hall.st-laurence.org.uk
Churchyard www.thechurchyard.co.uk/plots

Mondays during Term Time
Honey Bees Hall 1.00pm
Email: honeybees@st-laurence.org.uk

Weekly Activities
Tuesday
Gardening/DIY Crew 9.30am
Craft Group (521437) Hall 2.15pm
St L. Players (545680) Hall 7.30pm

Thursday
Coffee Morning Hall 10.00am
Bell Ringers (551906) 7.30pm

Friday
Beavers/Cubs (07810 505280) Hall 5.00pm
Scouts (01268 785388) Hall 7.30pm