

Chorley St. Laurence - Prayers and Notices

10th and 11th January 2026 – The Baptism of Christ



Please remember in your prayers:

Our church community:	9. Pastoral Team, 10. Saturday Club and Youth Club, 11. Choir, organist, music group, organ scholar and musicians, 12. Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers, 13. The Redevelopment team, 14. Fundraising activities, 15. Chorley in Bloom Volunteers
Parish Streets:	Woodmancote, Woodville Rd, Wymundsley, Yeadon Grove
In Chorley:	Matrix House & Discover
Schools:	We pray for our local schools and this week especially for St Michael's CE High School
For The Sick:	Doris Smethurst, Joyce Purcell, Katherine Glover, Dorothy Treadwell, Sarah and Dan Proctor & family, Helga Griffiths, Sarah and Leslie Barracough, Gavin Roberts
RIP:	John Smith
Those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time:	Hilda Turner, Graham Shackleton, Kathleen Nicklin, Norman Striton, Ivy Rosa Emma Saunders

If you have any specific requests for prayer, please contact Joan Hayward 07500 776195 and these will be passed on to our Healing Prayer Group. Confidentiality is assured.

Service Times

Saturday 10th January at 5.00 pm

All Age Eucharist

(at Buckshaw Primary School)

Sunday 11th January at 9.00am

All Age Eucharist

(at Buckshaw Primary School)

Sunday 11th January at 11.00am

Sung Eucharist with Sermon

Refreshments will be served in the small lounge of St Mary's Parish Hall after this service
(at St Mary's Roman Catholic Church)

**Please note that St. Mary's will be holding their own service 9.30am until 10.30am
so please do not arrive before 10.30am.**

Special Prayer: Heavenly Father, at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son: may we recognize him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Readings: Acts 10:34-43, Matthew 13:17

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER – Sign up to our weekly newsletter where you can find up to date information about all aspects of church life from upcoming events, Wellness Hub activities and building work updates. Sign up using the QR codes in church or follow the website link under What's On

BIBLE BOOK CLUB – The next Bible Book Club will be held on 28th January at St Peter's Vicarage at 6.30pm

UPDATES ON CHURCH SHOP AND TASTE CAFÉ - The Gift Shop and Taste Café will be open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday this week from 11am to 1.30pm

WELLNESS HUB NEW PROGRAMME LAUNCH - Wednesday 2nd January, 11.30am-1pm, join us for refreshments and to find out the New Year Programme

ALPHA COURSE - A series of interactive sessions to discuss life and the Christian faith, at St Laurence's. Tuesday evenings 7pm until 8.30pm from 20th January to 24th March. Email alpha@stlaurencechorley.co.uk to sign up

REST DAY - Fr Neil is on annual leave up to Monday 12th and his rest day is Wednesday 14th, Fr Cornelius' rest day's next week are Friday 16th and Saturday 17th