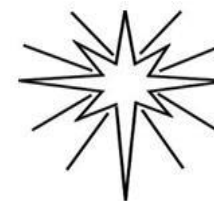


PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO LIVE IN			
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TUESDAY -	The Crest The Furrows	FRIDAY -	Truro Gardens Tusroke Road
WEDNESDAY -	The Kiplings Thelby Close	SATURDAY -	Watermead Road Waterslade Green

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HOLY TRINITY

Parish of Luton, St Augustine Limbury with Holy Trinity

Sharing God's Love with You

Sunday 28th April 2024: Fifth Sunday of Easter

Readings Acts 8.26-40; 1 John 4.7-21; John 15.1-8

ST AUGUSTINE'S: 10.00am: Sung Eucharist
President: Rev'd J Nyaongo

3.30pm: Messy Church

HOLY TRINITY: 11.30am: Said Eucharist
President: Rev'd J Nyaongo

THE WEEK AHEAD

ST. AUGUSTINE'S:

Monday 29th April 9.00am Morning Prayer	Thursday 2nd May 12.15pm Organ Recital
Tuesday 30th April 9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Said Communion 2.00pm Mothers' Union	Friday 3rd May 10.30am Coffee Morning 5.00pm - 7.00pm Freedom Friday (YC) 7.30pm Choir Practice
Wednesday 1st May 9.00am Morning Prayer at All Saints, Bury Park	Saturday 4th May 10.00am Jumble Sale

HOLY TRINITY:

Thursday 2nd May. Do you have a favourite poem? Then please come along to Holy Trinity Church Biscot on a Thursday morning between 11.00am and 2.00pm, read your poem, join us for homemade soup, a fresh roll, tea, coffee, and biscuits. You will be made very welcome and we would love to see and hear you.

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Sunday 5th May 2024: Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings Acts 10.44-48; 1 John 5.1-6; John 15.9-17

St AUGUSTINE'S		HOLY TRINITY
10.00am:	Sung Eucharist	11.30am: Said Eucharist
President:	Rev'd J Nyaongo	President: Rev'd J Nyaongo
4:30pm:	Choral Evensong	

St AUGUSTINE'S WEEKLY SERVICE ROTA

Date	Breakfast	Offertory	Sidespeople	Intercessor	Readers
28 th April	M Ward & A Hall	R & G Cavanagh	K Devey & A N Other	T Nichols	V Mills F Higgins
5 th May	G Pestell & G Birks	V Mills T Nichols	A Cussen & M Barnett	S Hylton	V Mills F Higgins

MOTHERS' UNION We meet on Tuesday, 30th April at 2.00pm when we are AT LAST able to welcome Constable James Pratt to talk to us on Safeguarding and protecting ourselves, and the police process on helping us to protect ourselves. **EVERYONE WELCOME** to come along to the hall and join us. If Citizens Advice respond by Tuesday, they will talk on Money Matters. Hope to see you there!
Teresa

JUMBLE SALE The next Jumble Sale will be on Saturday, 4th May at 10.00am. Now is a good time of year to clear out those items you no longer need. Someone else can make good use of them, and their sale will provide funds for St Augustine's Church and the Mothers' Union.
Teresa

MESSY CHURCH is starting again on **Sunday 28th April, from 3.30pm - 5.00pm**. We really need people to help prepare food for the shared meal. As before, you would be provided with the wherewithal to make sandwiches for the session, and donated cakes would also be welcome. If enough people volunteer, you would not need to prepare the food every month. I will put a notice up on the board near the hall and if you would like to help with this community project, please sign up. I am happy to talk to you about Messy Church if you want to know more.
Angela

LUTON BRASS BAND CONCERT on Saturday 11th May at St Augustine's Church, Icknield Way, LU3 2JR. Doors open at 2.30pm for 3.00pm start. The concert will last approximately 2 hours. Tickets are £8.00 per adult, £3.00 per child (under 16), under 5's Free.

Prebooked tickets via TicketSource - www.ticketsource.co.uk/luton-brass-band

Tickets on the door: £10 per adult, £5 per Child (Under 16), Under 5's Free

Mary

REVISION OF THE ELECTORAL ROLL The Roll is to be revised this year and those already on the Roll need to do nothing. Those who wish to be entered on the roll need to be:

1. over 16 years of age,
2. be Baptised, and
3. have been regularly attending in the Benefice for 6 months.

Forms are available from Vicar Jairo and Margaret Woodbridge.

Margaret

CONFIRMATION SERVICES: The confirmation services will be held in Luton on the following dates:

Wednesday 22nd May 2024 in the evening at St Thomas' Church, Stopsley.

Sunday 14th July 2024 at 3.00pm at St Luke's Church, Leagrave.

Sunday 6th October at 10.30am at St Mary's Church, Luton.

Vicar Jairo

VICAR'S LETTER

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ

It is important that we coordinate a positive working relationship among different teams, groups, and committees in the parish. This will ensure that different ministries and church life are effectively attended to. Frances Higgins is putting together a diary of events which will be accessible to all. Please, share any dates with her. The aim of this partnership is to ensure that the church continues to flourish and everyone thrives in it. This is therefore calling us to share information, resources and learn from each other.

We are encouraged to work together because we are joined together through Christ. Christ reminds us of this connection in John 15:5 when he said ***"I am the vine, and you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing"*** If we choose to hold on to Him who is our true vine, we will not wither away.

Lord Jesus, we thank you for reminding us that in you we can accomplish together what we could not do alone. Give us wisdom to see in others the talents you have given them. Amen.

Rev'd Jairo Nyaongo