

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy on us all;
Where we've lived outside your loving,
Where we've failed to hear your call;
Lord have mercy Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy on us all.

Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy
Christ have mercy, in this place;
Where despair and doubt or sorrow
Leave us scarred – there bring new grace:
Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy,
Christ have mercy, in this place.

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy hear us now:
As we bring our lives before you,
Fill us with your Spirit's power,
Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy hear us now.

CHURCH CLEANING

This will be on Monday 17th at 9am . Please come and help if you can.

CHRISTMAS CHURCH FLOWERS

If you would like to donate towards these flowers or have an arrangement made in memory of a loved one please give donations to Joan Warren or Mary West

CHRISTMAS CARDS

There is now the usual board at the back of church for you to place a general card greeting all your friends, as well as a box for donations to The Canaan Trust in lieu of savings on individual cards. This local Charity not only provides support by housing, but also supports local homelessness.

LONG EATON & SAWLEY FOOD BANK

This will be taken to the bank on Friday 2st December. Your donations for Christmas will be most welcome.

ADVENT BOOKLETS

These are for sale on the back table for just £1. Please help yourself and leave the money in the basket

SERVICES THIS WEEK & NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 16th December *Third Sunday in Advent.*

9.30am Parish Mass

11.30am Baptisms of Hugo and Thea Daft

Wednesday 19th December

10.00am Mass

Friday 21st December

10.00 am St Laurence End of Term Service

12.00 noon Mass

Sunday 23rd December *Fourth Sunday in Advent.*

9.30am Parish Mass

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Christmas Eve

4.00pm Crib Service with The Silver Prize Band

11.30pm Midnight Mass

Canon Martin Draper Preaching

Christmas Day 9.30am Parish Mass

St Stephen 26th December 10.00am Mass

Friday 28th December 12.00 noon Mass

Tea and Coffee are served in the Church Hall after Mass. All welcome

The Parish Church of St Laurence,
Long Eaton

16th December 2018

The Third Sunday of Advent



9.30am Parish Mass

Green Hymn Book

Entrance Hymn – 7

Offertory Hymn – 11

Communion Hymn – 305

Final – 6

First Reading

Zephaniah 3: 14-18

Psalm

Sing and shout for joy for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel

Second Reading

Philippians 4: 4-7

Gospel

Luke 3 : 10-18



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