NOTICES

Today 3pm at St Laurence: **825th Dedication Festival with Confirmations**, 4.30pm Afternoon Tea in the Village Hall. All very welcome.

Do pick up a flyer and the trail in South Oxford of the 42 men who died in the world wars.

Mondays at St John's: 8.30am Morning Prayer, 9am Cleaning, 10.30am Mass, 11am Coffee.

Book Club: 16 & 23 Nov 7.30pm at the Vicarage. On Thursdays 27 Nov, 3 & 10 Dec 7.30pm a new **Advent Group** will be on offer at 66 Norreys Ave. Reading various poets together, on the theme of *Angels, Shepherd and Kings: an old story ever new.*

Wednesdays at St Laurence: 9-9.30am Bible Study, 9.30am-12.30pm Welcome Space.

The Funeral Mass for **Frances Chapman** is on Friday 20 November 2pm at St Barnabas, Jericho.

Very welcome for **two concerts** at St Johns: On Friday 20 November 7-8pm a concert by local guitar students, and on Saturday 21 November 7.30pm a concert by local **Fresh Voices** - young and talented musicians. Free entry, all welcome.

For the Feast of Christ the King at St John's on Sunday 22 November, we will have a **bring-and-share lunch**. Do sign up if you bring a pudding.

On 5 and 6 December, 1-4pm there will be a **Winter Fair** at St Laurence. Expect craft sales, activities, and refreshments for a good price.

From 7-16 May St John's will be a venue once more for the **Art Weeks**. Are you a (budding) artist and should you like to display some of your work? Chat to Fr Thomas for options.

Various parishioners are interested in **reaching out** to those hungry or otherwise struggling this winter. Chat to Fr Thomas or Jess Castle.

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THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AT ST JOHN'S:
-Mon-Sat 8.30am Morning Prayer
-Mon 10.30am Low Mass
-Wed 7pm Low Mass
-Sunday 10.45am Solemn Mass

NEXT SERVICES AT ST LAURENCE:
-Sunday 22 Nov - 9.15am Holy Communion
-Sunday 29 Nov - 9.15am Holy Communion

St John the Evangelist NEW HINKSEY

St Laurence SOUTH HINKSEY

Donations:

In the offering plate, card machine, or by BACS:

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(We warmly encourage regular giving. Do discuss options with the Treasurer, including the Parish Giving Scheme: treasurer@hinkseychurch.org.)

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A very warm welcome to Church!

St John the Evangelist NEW HINKSEY

The Twenty-fourth Sunday after Trinity

15 November 2026 AD



Raising of Jairus' Daughter, Edwin Long 1889 AD

When the crowd had been put outside,
Jesus went in and took her by the hand,
and the girl arose.
And the report of this went through all that district.

Matthew 9:22

Today Fr Thomas Fink-Jensen is the Celebrant, and Fr Richard Smail is the Preacher.

Opening Hymn: 485

The Collect: O Lord, we beseech thee, absolve thy people from their offences; that through thy bountiful goodness we may all be delivered from the bands of those sins, which by our frailty we have committed: Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. **Amen**.

Epistle: *Colossians 1:3-12*
A reading from the Epistle of St Paul to the Colossians:

We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and growing—as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all

endurance and patience with joy, giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: 414

The Gospel: *Matthew 9:18-26*
The Lord be with you. ***And with thy spirit.***

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew,
Glory be to thee, O Lord.

While he was saying these things to John's disciples, behold, a ruler came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died, but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." And Jesus rose and followed him, with his disciples.

And behold, a woman who had suffered from a discharge of blood for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his garment, for she said to herself, "If I only touch his garment, I will be made well." Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." And instantly the woman was made well.

And when Jesus came to the ruler's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, "Go away, for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl arose. And the report of this went through all that district.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Offertory Hymn: 295

Communion Hymn: *376*

Post Communion Prayer: We beseech thee, almighty God: that we, whom thou makest to rejoice in the partaking of heavenly things, may by thee be defended against all earthly perils. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn: *368*

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Week of Trinity XXIV – November 16 to 21

	Morning Prayer		*Evening Prayer*	
Mon	Ecclesiasticus 16:17-end	Acts 9:1-31	Ecclesiasticus 17:1-24	Acts 9:32-end
Tue	Ecclesiasticus 18:1-14	Acts 10:1-23	Ecclesiasticus 19:13-end	Acts 10:24-end
Wed	Ecclesiasticus 21:1-17	Acts 11:1-18	Ecclesiasticus 22:6-22	Acts 11:19-end
Thu	Ecclesiasticus 22:27-23:15	Acts 12:1-24	Ecclesiasticus 24:1-22	Acts 12:25-13:12
Fri	Ecclesiasticus 24:23-end	Acts 13:13-43	Ecclesiasticus 27:30-28:9	Acts 13:44-14:7
Sat	Ecclesiasticus 31:1-11	Acts 14:8-end	Ecclesiasticus 34:9-end	Acts 15:1-21