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Home Communion

If you are unable to come to church for communion and would like to receive it at home, please phone Petra or Di to make arrangements.

Healing Ministry is part of the ministry of this Church. If you would like prayers, or a visit, please speak to a Churchwarden or contact one of the clergy.

Looking ahead - Sunday Services:

	9am	10.30am	6.00pm
7 th Sept	Oakley	Bromham	
14 th Sept	Stagsden	OMC	Oakley

Zoom services Join the services by clicking on the link (sent by email or on the benefice website), or call one of these numbers and enter

24th August 10.30am service ID number: 848 0690 8170

0131 460 1196

0203 481 5240

0203 901 7895

0203 481 5237

0208 080 6592

Hymns Sunday 24th August: 630, 387, 563, 358, 451, 477

No Zoom Sun 31st August

In Emergency: When calling the emergency services give the what3words location reference below:

St. Owen's Church – fencing.sedative.gobbles

St. Mary's Church – insolvent.correct.grin

St Leonard's Church – squeezed.mainframe.tanked

Items for next week's pew leaflet to **Sarah Smale** by **Wednesday 3rd September** lunchtime.

10th & 11th Sunday of Trinity



St. Owen, Bromham

St. Mary, Oakley

St. Leonard, Stagsden

24th & 31st August 2025

A warm welcome to Jennie Cappleman who leads our worship Sun 24th August. And a very warm welcome back to Revd Catherine on 31st August

Sun 24th August

10.30am Holy Communion*

St Mary's Oakley

** This service will be live streamed via Zoom, see back page for more info*

Sun 31st August

10.30am Holy Communion

St Leonard's Stagsden

No Zoom this week

Collect for 24th August

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

God of our pilgrimage,
you have willed that the gate of mercy
should stand open for those who trust in you:
look upon us with your favour
that we who follow the path of your will
may never wander from the way of life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect for 31st August

O God, you declare your almighty power
most chiefly in showing mercy and pity:
mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace,
that we, running the way of your commandments,
may receive your gracious promises,
and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people have celebrated that one true
sacrifice
which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace:
by our communion keep us firm on the foundation of the
gospel
and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

For Our Prayers

- Give us the Spirit's gifts to love every neighbour.
- For all working for ceasefire & lasting peace in the world, & food & medical needs for people of Gaza.
- Church leadership, appointing of new archbishop & bishop of St Albans, those training for the priesthood, & as a Reader or worship leader.
- Blessing for those with illness, pain, disability, fear.
- The residents of North End, Stagsden.

Please pray faithfully for those who are sick or in need and those who have asked for our prayers, their families and those who care for them:

Village:	Name:
Bromham	Michelle, Angela, Bill, Jeffrey, Julie, Tony, Amy, Andrew, Keith, Terry, John, Karen and Carol, June, Barbara, Ann, Mary, Revd Linda, Mary, Mike, Frances and Victor
Oakley	Adele, Elin & Celeste, Theresa, Maureen, Alison, Tony, Richard, David & Ann, George, Donna, Margaret, Linda, Dave, Sally and Pat
Stagsden	

In Memoriam

BROMHAM Muriel Sabbage (24.08.92), Ronald Williment (24.08.09), Hilda Sharman (24.08.15), June Cicco (25.08.24), Winifred Tucker (28.08.14), Alice Ford (05.09.22), John Hobday (06.09.87), Mary Stannard (06.09.18), Martin Watson (06.09.19)

OAKLEY Betty Clarke (25.08.19), Sue Owen (28.08.23), Gillian Berkley (29.08.13), Gwendoline Chambers (31.08.14), Irene Lancaster (31.08.20)

STAGSDEN

We pray for the family & friends of those who have recently died:

Barbara Hewitt (Oakley) Burial of Ashes 28th August 10am at St Mary's

Victor Inegbedion (Bromham)

Reflection

Jesus, my Redeemer & King,
I give you my hands to do your work,
I give you my feet to go your way,
I give you my eyes to see as you do,
I give you my tongue to speak your words.
I give you my mind that you may think in me
I give you my spirit that you may speak in me.
I give you my heart that you may love in me,
I give you my whole self that you may grow in me,
Loving Jesus, may you live & work & pray in me.

The "Living God's Love" Prayer

Living God, draw us deeper into your love:
Jesus our Lord, send us to care and serve;
Holy Spirit, make us heralds of good news.

Stir us, strengthen us,
teach and inspire us to live your love
with generosity and joy,
imagination and courage;
for the sake of your world
and in the name of Jesus. Amen

Sun 24 th August	Acts 5.12- 16 Luke 22.24- 30
Sun 31 st August	Proverbs 25.6- 7 Hebrews 13.1- 8, 15- 16 Luke 14.1, 7- 14

Notices

Teas in Church every Sunday 3.30-5pm St Mary's, please pop along and support the team and raise funds for the church.

Benefice BBQ The annual Benefice BBQ is to be held in David and Vivien Butler's garden (28 Bridge End, Bromham) on Bank holiday Monday August 25th at 12.30pm. Bring and share salads and puddings needed. Please bring chairs and your own drinks. Contact Dorothy Palmer (01234 823959) for more information.

Pilgrim Course Weekly discussion group looking into a theme within the Christian faith. For those new to faith or who want to gain a deeper understanding. Weekly on Fridays 1.30- 3pm in the Fellowship Room St Owen's. first session 12th Sept. For more information, please contact Sarah

Regular Events

Churchyard Working Party meets every Wednesday in St Owen's Bromham at 10am. All are welcome to help with tasks to keep the churchyard looking neat and tidy. Please contact Pat Bass on 01234 826990 for more information, or just turn up ready and willing!

Messy Church St Owen's Mon 11.30am – 1.30pm; St Mary's Thurs 10 – 11.45am. New term begins Thurs 4th and Mon 8th Sept.

Messy Church for all Next meeting Tues 16th Sept 3.30-5.30pm Oakley Methodist Church.

Morning Prayer on Mondays 9 – 9.30am on Zoom, ask Petra for the link.

Stagsden Open Door Tues 3-4.30pm in St Leonard's all welcome. Restarts 2nd Sept

Prayer Group Thurs mornings 10.30am in the Fellowship Room at St Owen's. Re starts 4th Sept

Sewing Group on the 1st & 3rd Weds in St Owen's Fellowship Room 2-4pm. Next 3rd Sept. Contact: Margaret Parrott on 824402

Tuesday Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in St Owen's Fellowship Room at 11.30am followed by a simple lunch. Next service 2nd Sept

Link Up Next meeting is on Thurs 11th September at 2.30pm in the Fellowship Room, St Owen's. Contact Tessa for more information.

First Friday Coffee Morning next meeting on Fri 5th Sept 11am- 1.00pm in the Fellowship Room, St Owen's Bromham. Contact Flora on 822094

Open Saturdays next date in St Owen's 13th Sept 10am-12 noon. If you can help open up, please contact Sarah

Our Voice Youth Group. For anyone in Year 7 to 13. The group will start up again in September. Please contact Emma on ourvoicetoo@gmail.com to for info.

Fellowship Lunch next lunch is on Sun 7th Sept in the Fellowship Room St Owen's. Bring some food to share, and enjoy the company of others as we eat together. Contact: Vivien Butler 407351