Bulletin

The people of Eastcote are the treasure of God.

15 November 2026 | Trinity +24

Readings: 1 Thes 5.1-11| Psalm 90 1-8 & 12 | Matt 25-14-30
Response: Satisfy us by your loving kindness so shall we rejoice & be glad

Today:
08:00 Eucharist
10:00 Eucharist

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We pray for

Immediate needs:
Zoe & Ian Woodbridge, Penny, Joanna Rand, Mel and Peter Gough

On-going needs:
Robert Barker, Sophie A'Court, Fiona Sheehan, Gordon Ralph, Irene Jones, Jack Spencer, Joan Jay, Martin Peirson and Jean Hugo

Recently departed:
Alan Charles Gay, Joyce Taylor, Justin Miller, Lucy Elliot, Magaret Williams (née Dunwoody)

Anniversaries of death:
15 Nov Bill Hitchinson (Priest) 2nd Vicar of St Lawrence Eastcote, Ellen Solomon and Daniel Nolan
17 Nov Ronald Johnstone-Scott
18 Nov Frank Patient
21 Nov Harry Dando and Robert Barham

Diary of events and services

15 November, Sunday	08:00	Quiet Mass in Church	Church
15 November, Sunday	10:00	Community Mass	Church
22 November, Sunday	08:00	Quiet Mass in Church	Church
22 November, Sunday	10:00	Community Mass	Church
28 November, Saturday	13:30	Christmas Fair	
29 November, Sunday	08:00	Quiet Mass in Church	Church
29 November, Sunday	10:00	Community Mass	Church

Church news

Update on Church Streaming Activities: All church streaming activities, have been temporarily paused while safeguarding concerns are reviewed by the Parochial Church Council (PCC)
The safety and wellbeing of our church community remain our priority. Thank you for your patience, understanding and continued support.

🎁 **Operation Christmas Child – Shoebox Appeal | Sunday 15 November 2026 | 10:00**
A big thank you to everyone who has collected a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child. The filled shoeboxes will be collected today for a **special blessing during the 10am service**.

🎄 **Christmas Fair 2026 | Saturday 28 November 2026 | 1:30pm–5:00pm**
Our Christmas Fair is getting closer, join us for a festive afternoon of fun and community spirit.
Volunteers are still welcome to help with decorating and setting up on Friday 27 November, preparations on Saturday morning, or during the Fair. There are also flexible planning tasks that can be done from home.
Donations are welcome now, including raffle prizes and items for the Christmas hamper, books, toys, gifts, cuddly toys, Christmas-themed items and homemade cakes. If you have something to donate, please contact Eleanor.
To volunteer, donate or find out more, contact Eleanor:
07500 868 984 or eleanormaxwell@hotmail.co.uk
Thank you for your support—we look forward to seeing you there!

🎵 **Hillingdon Chamber Choir Christmas Concert | Sunday 6 December 2026 | 6:00pm**
Enjoy a festive evening of music, refreshments and carols for everyone to join in.
Tickets £17 | Advance booking £15 | Under 18's £5
Book online www.ticketsource.co.uk/hillingdon-chamber-choir

 **Christmas Wreath Workshop | Sunday 6 December 2026 | 7:00pm**
Our popular Christmas Wreath Workshop returns in the church hall! Tickets are **£32.50 per person**, including all materials to create your own beautiful wreath, plus tea, coffee and mince pies. Prosecco will also be available.
Places are selling fast, please reserve yours before they're all gone!
To reserve your place, email office@stlawrenceeastcote.org.uk

Hillingdon Food Bank
Next collection date | **Monday 7 December 2026**
Urgently needed items: Potatoes, noodles, Jam, sugar, cooking sauces, juice, rice, toilet roll, fruit, puddings.

Giving

We have now raised **£2,122.43** Planning to shop the Black Friday deals or get started on your Christmas shopping? Remember to visit easyfundraising first and choose our church as your cause. Participating retailers will donate a percentage of your purchase to the church, at no extra cost to you. **Thank you for supporting our church while you shop!**