

Dear Friends,

“All of them were filled with the **Holy Spirit** and began to speak in other tongues as the **Spirit** enabled them.” (Acts 2:4 NIV)

In our daily lives, do we speak the language of love or of hatred? Of peace or of war? Of inclusion or of discrimination? Of equalities or inequalities?

Services each week

Holy Communion remains the same at 8:30am on Wednesday and 1:15pm on Friday. Both these communion services continue to grow. Do please come along when you can.

We are hosting the Worshipful of Company of Haberdashers Annual Service on Thursday 7th June at 6pm.

Music

After a very successful John Hills Organ Series last month, this June we have Tessa Uys doing her series of lunchtime piano recitals. Please visit the [Piano](#) and [Organ](#) pages for more details.

Wedding

Please include in your prayers the two couples who are getting married in our church this month:

2nd June at 2pm – Nicholas Webb and Francesca Hoffman

9th June at 4:30pm - Nick Quinton – Katie Spong

David's Sabbatical Leave – 9th April to 8th July 2018

David is currently on his 3-months sabbatical leave. He has been exploring City of London and Livery links around the world. So far, he has been to the USA, Canada and New Zealand. He is current in Australia. Based on his [blog](#) he seemed to be enjoying it so far. His [blog](#) includes lots of pictures of the exotic places and people. Here are some of the pictures.



If you want to know more, then please follow his [blog](https://sljblog276056635.wordpress.com/) at <https://sljblog276056635.wordpress.com/>.

60th Anniversary Appeal and Events

We launched last year our [60th Anniversary Appeal](#) to raise funds (around £25,000) for three new sets of glass doors by July 2018. As of 29th May, we have raised £17,141.98. Thank you very much for those who have supported us in this appeal, most especially to Alexandra Epps and Jill Finch who gave their time for the Wren Watching event on 23rd May. We had very good feedbacks from those who attended the event that we are considering another Wren Watching event in the future. Watch this space.

For those who wish to support us more, please visit our [60th Anniversary Appeal](#) webpage.

The last two events are:

Wednesday June 13th 2018 starts at 6pm - Beating the Bounds in a Mini! (now open for anyone interested to join)

smallcarBIGCITY have a fleet of restored classic Mini Coopers and a team of passionate local guides to show off our wonderful city from a different perspective. They have kindly donated an evening of touring the City in four of their beautiful classic Minis. Each trip will last approx. 30 minutes and will take in such highlights as: The Bank of England, Monument, London Bridge and Borough Market. There will be a wine and nibbles reception in the church, whilst you wait for your ride. Starts and ends at St Lawrence Jewry. **Tickets cost £30 each and we only have 36 places!** So if you wish to come and join us and do your bit to support the St Lawrence Jewry Diamond Doors Appeal, please contact Katrina on 0207 600 9478 or katrina@stlawrencejewry.org.uk.

Tuesday 24th July at 5:30pm – SLJ Annual Rededication Service

Please come and join us as we close our 60th Anniversary Celebration with our Annual Church Rededication Service on Tuesday 24th July at 5:30pm. The Bishop of London, Rt Revd Sarah Mullally, will be preaching. The service will be followed by a reception. All is welcome.

Online shopping fundraising

All abroad for big donations. Collect FREE donation for St Lawrence Jewry when you book your holiday through easyfundraising. It is easy to do. Just follow these 3 simple steps:

1. Go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stlawrencejewry/ If you have QR reader on your mobile phone or tablet, just scan this QR code.



2. Register yourself by giving your first name, last name, email address and create a password. If you're a UK taxpayer, you can help us claim 25% more, without any cost from you, by adding Gift Aid to your donation.
3. Choose from among +2,000 retailers that you want to shop. Every time you check out, the retailer(s) will donate certain percentage of your total payment to St Lawrence Jewry.

Please don't forget that we also collect used stamps to raise fund for our church. Please drop them off to the church office and we will do the rest.

Ward of Cheap Alderman Election

Lord Montevans has retired as Alderman of the Ward of Cheap. There will be a Ward Election on Thursday 5th July to replace him and we are hosting the election hustings on Wednesday 20th June at 6pm. If you are an electorate in the Ward of Cheap, then please come and meet all the candidates for the said election.

We wish to thank Lord Mountevans and Lady Mountevans for all their hard works and support to the Ward of Cheap, to this church and to the City of London. May God continuously bless them with His choicest graces!

Advance Notices

19th July - Loriners Annual Church Service 12:00pm

24th July - SJ Rededication Service 5:30pm

26th July - Girdlers Annual Service 12:15pm

God bless you all.

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