

The Louth Herald



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HARVEST
at St James

Sunday 7th October 2018



Harvest Service at 10am

- Giving thanks
- Giving to others
- Giving ourselves



Please bring a gift for the Community Larder – Louth's Foodbank and donate to Christian Aid's Harvest Appeal 2018, their 'Breaking the Barriers' project
At the end of the service we will share bread and wine: symbols of God's that we are called to reflect in our daily lives.



Evening Service at 6pm

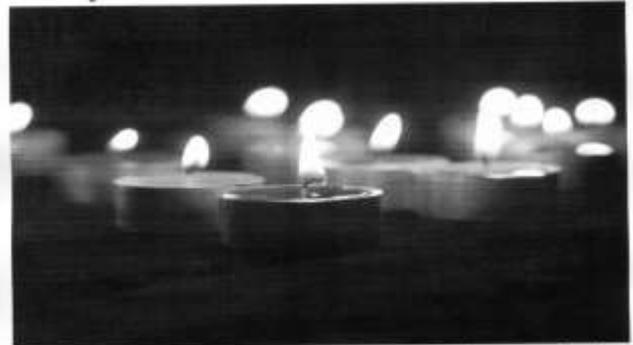
Choral Evensong with members of the Choir of St James', and a sermon reflecting on the contribution agriculture makes to our community and town.

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Sunday
4th November
2018



All Souls Service at 6pm



As autumn approaches minds turn towards remembering past generations. For centuries the Church has prayed at this time for those who have passed away. At this service there will be a chance to remember your own loved ones in the peace and tranquillity of this beautiful place of prayer.

The Parish Church of St. James, Westgate, Louth
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ALL IS SAFELY GATHERED IN.

The Ministry Team serving the Parish of Louth

Team Chapter

The Rev'd Nick Brown

Parish Priest: Team Rector of Louth

The Rectory, 49 Westgate, Louth, LN11 9YE.

Tel.: 603213

E-mail: nick.brown@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Nick is responsible for oversight of the work of the Church in the Parish of Louth, including its life of prayer and worship. As Civic Chaplain, responsible for engagement with Louth Town Council, ELDC and other civic bodies. Nick is also Rural Dean of Louthesk.

The Rev'd Janet Turville

Team Vicar of Louth

The Vicarage, Little Lane, Louth.

Tel.: 239534

E-mail: janet.turville@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Janet shares in overseeing the work of the Church in the Parish of Louth. Within this, her main work is acting as a pastoral link to the work taking place at Trinity Centre, St James' and other locations in the parish, and overseeing our work with Families and Young People (including our Ministry to schools).

Greg Gilbert

Community Outreach Manager

Trinity Centre, Eastgate, Louth

Tel.: 605803 or 610752

E-mail: greg.gilbert@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Responsible for developing the programme of social outreach, dialogue with local authority and third sector partners, and exploring ways in which the Church can reach out to the communities it serves.

Parish Ministry Team

The Rev'd Canon Alan Hayday Hon. Assistant

Tel.: 600877

Priest

(PTO)

Alan assists within the Parish of Louth as well as more widely in the Deanery of Louthesk.

The Rev'd Robert Mansfield Hon. Assistant

Tel.: 327533

Priest

(PTO)

Responsible for ministry to the congregations of St Andrew's, Stewton and St. Michael's in Louth. Robert also works as an Approved Mental Health Professional working for the NHS.

The Rev'd Ian Partridge Hon. Asst Priest (PTO)

Tel.:

600398

Ian assists in many aspects of the Church's ministry in Louth, including contributing to our work with KEVIGS.

Sylvia Pounds

Lay Reader

Mob: 07771 549947

Responsible for ministry to the congregation of St Martin's, Welton le Wold and co-ordinating the provision of communion to the sick across the Parish.

Paul Hill

Lay Reader (PTO)

Tel.:

605222

Responsible for co-ordinating the provision of activities to encourage Discipleship across the Parish of Louth.

Ronnie Partridge

Lay Reader (PTO)

Tel.:

600398

Responsible for 'Tinies Breakfast' at Trinity Centre.

Jill Trafford

Centre Administrator

E-mail: trinity@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Responsible for the efficient management of Trinity Centre, and assisting in the work taking place there and in the Parish

Zoe McIlpatrick

Projects Administrator

E-mail: trinity@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Responsible for Projects based at Trinity Centre, and assisting in community engagement across the Parish.

Ministers in training

Arabella Milbank Robinson

Assistant

Curate

designate

Arabella is currently completing her training prior to ordination and will join the Ministry Team in Louth following her ordination as a Deacon by the Bishop of Lincoln on 30th June in the cathedral.

Officers and Representatives in the Parish of Louth

PCC Secretary	Jennifer Goodwin	605254	Safeguarding Officers	Greg Gilbert	605803 or 610752
PCC Treasurer	Mike Crosby	-----		Mandy Gilbert	Messy Church
Herald Editor	Stuart Sizer	604624		Cate Green	St James
Churches Together Reps	Eileen Byrne	605371		Frances Green	Messy Ch/St James'
	Jill Day	603998			
	Jennifer Smith	-----	WW Day of Prayer Rep	Jennifer Goodwin	605254

Trinity Meals and Wellbeing Service

The Meals service received a grant from Talk Eat Drink East Lindsey (TED) in 2017. The proposal was to develop a meals on wheels' service in Louth that would supply a cooked lunch to all of those over 50 in the first instance and to anyone else who would like a lunch. The project was planned over a 2year period and we have now come to the end of the first year.

Greg Gilbert the Community Outreach Manager says that we have had a 5-star kitchen at the Trinity centre and this hasn't been used to its full potential, local people want and need this service and with the staff and volunteers it will go on from success to success.

In 2017 we employed a cook to work 5 days a week additionally we have recruited a team of volunteer kitchen assistance to provide support cooking meals and cleaning the kitchen.

Some research was carried out in Louth to see if a meals on wheels' service was needed and viable, following a successful bid to TED the service was launched on Lincolnshire day 2017

Part of the Meals and Wellbeing services remit is to provide a checking service to those who receive a meal, our volunteers have received training into identifying individuals who are in difficulty due to ill health or who would need additional support from a range of local agencies, organisations and family members.

Sam the service cook says: The meals service is proving to be a well needed service within the we hope it continues to grow in 2018/19

Zoe and Hannah kitchen volunteers say: That the service gives me a sense that I have been able to make a difference to local people.

I enjoy helping the centre, I enjoy getting feedback from our customers knowing that I have done a good job.

The numbers of individuals who have received a meal has steadily grown and during 2017/18 we have delivered between Monday to Friday over 1,000 individual lunches using voluntary drivers and delivery staff. We have also launched a new lunch club with the Memories Matter (Dementia group) and started a new holiday lunch club for school children and their families.



Sam Gilbert (Cook), Zoe Dawes (Volunteer) & Hannah Daly (Volunteer)

The second year funding for the meals service has been confirmed from TED, therefore over the coming year the meal service is planning to provide outreach meals to villages who would like to start lunch clubs but struggle with facilities, increase the customer base, expand the meals provision at the Trinity Centre, provide buffets for functions and conferences and to look at new opportunities around Louth that will benefit communities and community groups.

If you would like more information on Meal services then please contact Sam or another members of the team at trinity on 01507 605803 or on trinity@teamparishoflouth.org.uk

Christmas Tree Festival 2018

This year we are hosting a Christmas Tree Festival in St James's. The event will run between **December 7th – 9th** (setting up on 6th and dismantling on the 10th) and there will be refreshments and a variety of fund raising events including tombola, raffle and music throughout the Festival. Local businesses and groups are invited to participate to promote themselves, raise funds for St James's and create a spectacular display in the run up to the festive season.

Participants would be responsible for purchasing or making and decorating a Christmas tree in a style of their choice to represent their business/group which would be displayed in the Church throughout the Festival and would then be required to remove their tree afterwards. The public will be invited to vote on the best tree and prizes will be awarded to the different categories. There will be a charge of £5 for trees **over** 6 feet £10 for smaller trees.

Please contact Jane Fletcher

(cjane Fletcher@btinternet.com) 07896804915

Or

Sue Hamilton (susieham1854@gmail.com)
07985247722

or Greg Gilbert

(greg.gilbert@teamparishoflouth.org.uk)

to discuss your group's requirements and the ways in which you would be willing to support the event.

Within the Flow.....Michaelmas

Within the flow of life here on earth there is a constant dance between gravity and levity, and as the seed settles upon the earth it is held in a sweet embrace as the etheric forces slowly sink once again into the depths of Being, receiving the imprint of the Divine Matrix of Its Inherent Pattern; awaiting the midway point of the winter solstice, and the call to once again rise into the heights of the cosmos; drawn ever upwards in levity towards the heavens, in ever greater expression of Life and Christed Being.

And so it is with us; with our soul! But for now, let us enjoy the fruits of the season. That which we have sown comes to fruition once again on this journey of evolving consciousness.....and the heart that finds Love, will know the warmth of Eternity, whatever the season.....



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PARISH REGISTERS

SEPTEMBER 2018

BAPTISMS

2nd Sept Oliver Lee Rhodes
2nd Sept Pippa Willow Vear
2nd Sept Lexi-Rose Chamberlain
9th Sept Leo Gower
23rd Sept Erin Ophelia Benton
30th Sept Grayson Benjamin Smith

WEDDINGS/BLESSINGS

1st Sept Wayne Thomas Garlick with
Francesca French
1st Sept Cullum Rhys Davies with
Colette Catherine Hampton
8th Sept Robert Jan Jakubowicz with
Emma Louise Hamilton

FUNERALS

3rd Sept John Kenneth Vickers (Memorial)
21st Sept Moyra Hounsell
24th Sept Pamela Turner
25th Sept Betty Harris
27th Sept Joan Wakefield

BUTTERFLIES FOR BABY LOSS

MEMORIAL WEEK 8TH-10TH OCTOBER

A big "THANKYOU" to all who have crocheted butterflies for the Lincoln, Louth and Grantham Hospital Trusts Chaplaincy Departments where they will be distributed to families who have lost babies during Baby Loss Memorial Week.

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St. James's Guild Programme for 2018

Venue - Church House - Time
2.15p.m. unless stated otherwise

For more information contact Jane Fletcher
604132 or Jeannie Gurnham 609622

Tuesday 11th December - Rev. Nick Brown
talks on an aspect of Christmas.

Louth Churches Together Community Food Bank

Churches are receiving increasing numbers of appeals for help.

We need your support to stop people going hungry. The food bank can supply a food and hygiene parcel containing enough food for up to 5 days. During that time we support people and help them find longer term solutions.

The Community Food Bank NEEDS Your Help!

01507 605803 www.teamparishoflouth.org.uk



THE FRIENDS OF ST JAMES'S LOUTH

HELP TO LOOK AFTER OUR HISTORIC CHURCH
FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS.

Contact : Mr M Neal (610143)



Parish Church of Louth St. James

A place of prayer and worship – A place to be touched by God – A community of faith

Church Officers:

Churchwardens	Jeannie Gurnham	609622
	Dianne Thompson	-----
Asst Churchwardens	Jane Fletcher	604132
	Frances Green	-----
	Richard Gurnham	-----
	Robert Haynes	603118
	Robert Thompson	-----
	John Troughton	607931
DCC Secretary	VACANT	
ER Officer	Mary Haynes	603118
DCC Treasurer	Julie Speakman	610247
<u>Prayer and Worship:</u>		
Vergers	Chris Marshall	-----
	Andy Garner	-----
Hon. Asst. Vergers	Kate Clarke	-----
	Alan Durrant	-----
Master of the Choristers	Allan Smith	610247
Organist	Phil Hotham	-----
Associate Organist	Barry Whitfield	-----
Organist Emeritus	Fred Goodwin	-----
Church Flowers	Jennifer Goodwin	605254
Bellringers	Mick/Jill Day	603998

Ministry to Visitors:

Coffee Shop	Sue Hamilton and	07985 247722
	Sue French	606338
Gift Shop	Mary Haynes	603118
Church Guides	Stuart Sizer	604624

Church Organisations and Groups that are part of our wider church community:

Parent & Toddler Gp	Stacey Drew	-----
St. James's Guild	Jane Fletcher	604132
	Jeannie Gurnham	609622
Church bookings	Kate Clarke	604597
Church Hse Bookings	Julie Speakman (Office)	610247
Friends of St. James's Church, Secretary	June Barber	604595

Services and Regular Activities

Sunday

8 30am	Holy Communion: 4th Sunday only
10am	MORNING SERVICE (normally Sung Eucharist)
6pm	EVENING SERVICE (normally Choral Evensong)

Tuesday

11am	Holy Communion
7 45pm	Compline: every 3rd Tues of the month

Thursday

10am	Parent and Toddlers in Church Hse
10 30am	'Craft on Thursday' in Coffee Shop

Saturday

10 30am	CAFÉ CHURCH: every 4th Saturday of the month
12 30pm	Midday Prayer

Morning Prayer is normally prayed at 8 30am on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Parish Church of St. Michael, Louth

Church Officers:

Churchwardens	Brian Luckwell	607619
	Sylvia Luckwell	607619
DCC Secretary	VACANT	
DCC Treasurer	Sylvia Luckwell	607619
ER Officer	VACANT	
Organist	Janet McKee	327256
Flowers	Sylvia Luckwell	607619

Services and Regular Activities

Sunday

9 30am	SUNG MASS
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Saturday

10 30am	Coffee Morning, on the 1st Saturday of every month
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Parish Church of St. Andrew, Stewton

Church Officers:

Churchwardens	Dorothy Mansfield	327533
	Jane Rushby	327606
DCC Treasurer	Jane Rushby	327606
ER Officer	Dorothy Mansfield	327533
Organist	Fred Goodwin	-----

Services and Regular Activities

<u>Sunday</u>	11am	HOLY COMMUNION: 1 st , 3 rd and 5 th Sundays
<u>Monday</u>	5 45pm	Book Club: 1 st Monday of the month
<u>Tuesday</u>	10am	Community Coffee: 4 th Tuesday

Parish Church of All Saints, South Elkington

Church Officers:

Churchwardens	Charles Dobson	604632
	John Myers	607331
DCC Secretary	Amy Jobe	606348
DCC Treasurer	Caroline Blenkhorn	-----
ER Officer	Amy Jobe	606348
Verger	Jill Day	603998
Organist	Craig Pillans	-----
Church Flowers	Peeby Myers	607331
Church Inst. Bookings	Charles Dobson	604632

Regular Services

<u>Sunday</u>	11am	HOLY COMMUNION: 2 nd Sunday
	11am	MATINS (BCP): 4 th Sunday

Parish Church of St. Martin, Welton le Wold

Church Officers:

Churchwardens	Jim Cave	610275
	Alastair Kerr	-----
DCC Secretary and Treasurer	Peter Taylor	609280
ER Officer	Peter Taylor	609280
Organists	David Wormell/David Dickinson	
Church Flowers	Pat Cave	610275

Regular Services

<u>Sunday</u>	11am	MORNING PRAYER: 2 nd Sunday
	11am	HOLY COMMUNION: 4 th Sunday

Trinity Centre, incorporating The Chapel of The Holy Trinity, Louth

Centre Staff:

Community Outreach Manager	Greg Gilbert	610752 or 605803
Centre Administrator (including all bookings)	Jill Trafford	605803
Project Administrator	Zoe McIlpatrick	605803

Services and Regular Activities

<u>Sunday</u>	11am	HOLY COMMUNION: 3 rd Sunday
<u>Tuesday</u>	11am	HOLY COMMUNION: 1 st Tuesday
	12noon	'Tasty Tuesday': 1 st Tuesday only
<u>Wednesday</u>	10am	'Wednesday Drop-in'
	2pm	'Memories Matter'
<u>Friday</u>	12noon	Fish on Friday
<u>Saturday</u>	10 45am	MESSY CHURCH: 2 nd Saturday
		<i>Details of other activities are on the website.</i>

Services and events for SEPTEMBER and OCTOBER 2018

[Unless otherwise shown, services/events take place in St. James']



	30 th September 18 th Sunday after Trinity/ PATRONAL FESTIVAL OF ST MICHAEL'S	7 th October 19 th Sunday after Trinity	14 th October 20 th Sunday after Trinity	21 st October 21 st Sunday after Trinity
Sunday in the town of Louth...	<p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's</p> <p>10am SUNG EUCHARIST <i>Girls and Adults</i> Spirit of the living God <i>veson</i> Salisbury Service <i>Ives</i> A new commandment <i>Shepherd</i> Hymns 2; 416; 98; (508); 598.</p> <p>12 30pm Baptism</p> <p>6pm CHORAL EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Bramma Responses Psalm 121 Evening Service in the Dorian mode Tallis Almighty and everlasting God Gibbons Hymns 466; 97; 10.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at Stewton</p>	<p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's</p> <p>10am HARVEST EUCHARIST <i>Girls and Adults</i> Alvingham Service <i>Goodwin</i> Golden Sheaves <i>arr. Parker</i> Hymns 270; 271; 275; (254); 262.</p> <p>3pm Baptism at St Michael's</p> <p>6pm HARVEST EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Ayleward Responses Psalm 65 Evening Service in the Dorian mode Tallis Thou visitest the earth <i>Greene</i> Hymns 274; 259; 273.</p> <p>3pm Harvest Service and Auction at Stewton</p>	<p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's</p> <p>10am SUNG EUCH. & BAPTISM <i>Girls and Adults</i> O sing joyfully <i>Botten</i> Mass of St Anne MacMillan Brother James' Air <i>arr Jacob</i> Hymns 622; 581<i>li</i>; 311; (322); 418.</p> <p>12 30pm Baptism</p> <p>6pm CHORAL EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Ayleward Responses Psalm 127 Canticules to Isuxbourdons <i>Morley</i> Locus iste <i>Bruckner</i> Hymns 469; 214; 11.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at South Elkington</p> <p>11am Morning Prayer at Weilton le Wold</p>	<p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's</p> <p>10am SUNG EUCH. & BAPTISM <i>Girls and Adults</i> 'Tis the gift to be simple <i>American traditional</i> Salisbury Service <i>Ives</i> What wonderful love is this <i>arr Moore</i> Hymns 621; 594; 112; (100); 496.</p> <p>12 30pm Baptism</p> <p>6pm CHORAL EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Ayleward Responses Psalm 141 Gibbons Shoer Service Give almes of thy goods <i>Ye</i> Hymns 606; 455; 12.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at Stewton</p>
In the villages...				
During the week...	<p>Monday 1st October 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Tuesday 2nd 8 30am MORNING PRAYER at Holy Trinity 11am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) at Holy Trinity 12noon 'Tasty Tuesday' at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Wednesday 3rd 8 30am MORNING PRAYER 10am Drop-in at Trinity Centre 2pm 'Memories Matter' at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Thursday 4th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Friday 5th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER and Litany 12noon Fish on Friday at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Saturday 6th 12 30pm MIDDAY PRAYER 2pm WEDDING at St Michael's</p>	<p>Monday 8th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Tuesday 9th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER at Holy Trinity 11am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP), followed by Ministry Team Meeting 7pm 'Churches without walls' Prayer Group</p> <p>Wednesday 10th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER 10am Drop-in at Trinity Centre 2pm 'Memories Matter' at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Thursday 11th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Friday 12th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER and Litany 12noon Fish on Friday at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Saturday 13th 10 45am MESSY CHURCH at Trinity Centre 12 30pm MIDDAY PRAYER</p>	<p>Monday 15th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Tuesday 16th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER at Holy Trinity 11am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) 7 45pm <i>Prayer and Fiat</i>: COMPLINE and discussion</p> <p>Wednesday 17th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER 10am Drop-in at Trinity Centre 2pm 'Memories Matter' at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Thursday 18th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Friday 19th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER and Litany 12noon Fish on Friday at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Saturday 20th 12 30pm MIDDAY PRAYER</p>	<p>Monday 15th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Tuesday 16th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER at Holy Trinity 11am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)</p> <p>Wednesday 17th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER 10am Drop-in at Trinity Centre 2pm 'Memories Matter' at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Thursday 18th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER</p> <p>Friday 19th 8 30am MORNING PRAYER and Litany 12noon Fish on Friday at Trinity Centre</p> <p>Saturday 20th 12 30pm MIDDAY PRAYER</p>

The Rev'd Nick Brown MA MA FSA, Team Rector
The Rev'd Janet Turville MA MA FSA, Team Vicar

The Rev'd Dr Arabella Milbank Robinson MA PhD, Assistant Curate

Allan Smith MA PhD, Master of the Choristers
Philip Hotham, Organist

Services and events for OCTOBER and NOVEMBER 2018

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	28 th October	4 th November	11 th November	18 th November
Sunday in the town of Louth...	<p>SIMON AND JUDE/BIBLE SUNDAY</p> <p>8 30am Holy Communion 9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's 10am BIBLE SUNDAY SERVICE <i>No choir</i> Special Order of Service.</p> <p>12 30pm Baptism 6pm CHORAL EUCHARIST <i>sung by Girls & Adults</i> Blessed are the pure in heart <i>Wolford-Davies</i> <i>Ireland in C</i> The King of love <i>Boirstow</i> Hymns 208 Pili; 183; 467; 585.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at South Elkington 11am Morning Prayer at Welton le Wold</p>	<p>4th Sunday before Advent</p> <p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's 10am SUNG EUCHARIST <i>Girls and Adults</i> Music details to be confirmed</p> <p>3pm Baptism at St Michael's 6pm ALL SOULS SERVICE <i>sung by Consort</i> Special Order of Service.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at Stewton</p>	<p>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY/ 3rd Sunday before Advent</p> <p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's 10 45am ACT OF REMEMBRANCE at the War Memorial 11 15am CIVIC SERVICE <i>Full choir</i> Special Order of Service.</p> <p>6pm CHORAL EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Ayleward Responses Psalm 127 Canticles to <i>fauxbourdon</i> Morley Locus iste <i>Bruckner</i> Hymns 469; 214; 11.</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at South Elkington 10 50am Morning Prayer at Welton le Wold</p>	<p>2nd Sunday before Advent</p> <p>9 30am Sung Mass at St. Michael's 10am SUNG EUCHARIST <i>Girls and Adults</i> Music details to be confirmed</p> <p>3pm Baptism at St Michael's 6pm CHORAL EVENSONG <i>sung by Consort</i> Music details to be confirmed</p> <p>11am Holy Communion at Stewton</p>
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NEWS from Trinity



REGULAR SERVICES and activities in and around Trinity Centre

Sundays	11am 12pm	HOLY COMMUNION followed by Parish Lunch (on the 1 st Sunday of the month) Baptisms (by prior arrangement)
Tuesdays	8:30am 11am 12-15am	Morning Prayer Holy Communion (on the 1 st Tuesday of the month) "Teaty Tuesdays" (on the 1 st Tuesday of the month) – please pre-book. Weekly "Wednesday Drop-in" with many agencies available "Fish on Fridays" – a week to please to meet and chat. No need to book.
Wednesdays	10am	MESSY CHURCH (on the 2 nd Saturday of the month)
Fridays	12noon	
Saturdays	10:45am	

In addition to these regular activities run directly by the Church, there are a range of other activities that take place in partnership with others – please call to do Trinity Centre to see what goes on!

Mondays

- Franciscans
- Modern Pilates
- Children's Theatre
- 2nd Louth Guides

Wednesdays

- Advice Drop-in
- Dementia Café
- Arthritis Group
- Patchwork & Quilting Group
- Mindfulness
- Modern Pilates

Tuesdays

- Morning Prayer
- Communion (1st Tuesday)
- Teaty Tuesday Lunch Club
- Camaraderie Club Lunch
- Yoga
- Children's Centre Toddler Group
- Addaction
- Be A Friend Craft / Singing
- Talk Eat Drink (TED) Group
- Relaxation Yoga

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What's On?

Fridays

- Fish On Friday
- Extend Exercise
- Addaction
- USA Art Group

Thursdays

- Modern Pilates
- USA Photography
- Parkinson's Society
- A&M Freedom Dance
- Slimming World
- 7th Louth Guides & Rangers

Sundays

- Holy Communion (3rd Sunday)
- Sunday Lunch
- Louth People's Orchestra
- Louth Strategy Games Club

Saturdays

- Messy Church
- Tevah Fellowship
- Louth Area Autism Family Support

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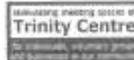
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Memories Matter!



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A sociable get together for people with dementia and their carers or people who used to care for others with dementia.

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For more information, please contact

Sam Gilbert on 01507 605803

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call into the Trinity Centre, Eastgate, Louth, LN11 8DJ and pick up a copy of the monthly programme.

NEWS FROM SOUTH ELKINGTON



SOUTH ELKINGTON WI

President Val Goth welcomed members, guests and chairman, Chris Morgan to the September meeting, following which a minute's silence was held for all to remember Moyra Hounsell, our much loved committee member, who will be greatly missed by so many.

The guest speaker was Susi Mulligan who demonstrated her skills of willow weaving, by making a garden obelisk which she kindly donated as a raffle prize.

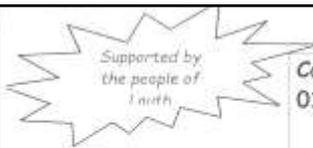
Our Harvest Supper of home-made soup and apple pie will be held on Tuesday, 2nd October at 7.15. If you are interested in joining us, please telephone 01507 622778—you will be made very welcome.



Snippets from Stewton

Living in the country we cannot fail to observe the annual ritual of the harvest being gathered in and new crops sown which leads us to think of Annual Harvest festival and Auction not forgetting the tea and cake which will be held here at St Andrew's on Sunday 7th October at 3pm. This service is so popular that we literally say come early if you want a seat and you may leave with a few bargains from the Auction of Harvest produce.

When we finally built the toilet at the church at Stewton we were taken aback by its cost, but we were even more taken aback when we discovered that 2.5 billion people in the world don't actually have a toilet. As a church community we considered what we could do to help, having spent so much to build our own facility, and so it was we discovered Toilet Twinning whereby for as little as £60 we could twin our toilet with a single household latrine in an impoverished community somewhere in the world. At the time of writing we have twinned with 22, but we intend to keep going as the need is so great. We shall never get to meet the people that we provide the latrine for but that does not matter. To us, we are providing what is a basic necessity of life. Toilet twinning is simple to do and anybody can do it to celebrate a birthday or special event.



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Memories Matter! - Programme (September - October 2018)

Dates	Time	Activity	Guest Visitors
Wednesday 5 th Sept	2pm - 4pm	Talk from Oonagh Quin Healthwatch Lincolnshire	
Wednesday 12 th Sept	2pm - 4pm	Bingo £2	
Wednesday 19 th Sept	11am-1pm	Louth theatre tour	
Wednesday 26 th Sept	2pm - 4pm	Choir - The Community Singers and buffet £2	
Wednesday 3 Oct	2pm - 4pm	Board games £2	
Wednesday 10 Oct	2pm - 4pm	Bird boxes £2	
Wednesday 17 Oct	2pm - 4pm		
Wednesday 24 Oct	12 - 2pm	Meal £3	
Wednesday 31 Oct	2pm - 4pm	Quiz! £2	

Fellowship

During my time at Lincoln Theological College - some thirty years ago - I trained for the ministry alongside a number of Methodist students. A phrase that came up from time to time in conversation with them was 'Tea and fellowship' to describe what took place after their times of worship. On the face of it this had no equivalent in the Anglican tradition.

So, what did 'Tea and fellowship' mean? Tea, I think, is self-explanatory; but 'fellowship' what exactly does that mean? More to the point, what do we mean when we speak of 'fellowship'?

If you put that question to a number of people, I guess you would get a variety of responses; and these would depend on each person's life experience.

Speaking personally, I could mention my membership within hobby-based societies - such as the Radio Society of Great Britain, reflecting my amateur radio interest, or the Hornby Railway Collectors Association for my hobby of collecting and running a vintage model railway.

I enjoyed fellowship in my RAF days, travelling the world on Transport Command as a member of a crew of six or seven, trusting in each other's ability.

Each of you will have examples of fellowship in your own lives, I'm sure. How then can we begin to define what we mean by fellowship?

I believe true fellowship has a number of hallmarks: joint and common aim or interest, shared culture or activity, mutual trust, tolerance, respect or dedication, being comfortable with each other, caring for each other, and not least, a sense of humour!

So, what might we mean when we talk of fellowship in the church? Because the term - or the idea - crops up in our church life, and in our life of faith. But not necessarily in the shape of the word 'fellowship' itself. Also - the concept of fellowship

has always been present in human history down the ages.

Let's take some prominent examples from scripture:

The Hebrews, held in slavery in Egypt, were a people with a common, shared, and firm faith. It was this shared trust in God that led them to follow Moses as they were led out of Egyptian slavery in what we know as the Exodus. Though, as you read the account, you will find that their common interest and faith faltered and was tested more than once. It was Moses who had the difficult task of reawakening the spirit of fellowship and faithfulness among the Hebrew people.

Much later we find the idea of fellowship appearing in the accounts of the building up of the kingdom under the leadership of people like kings David and Solomon, and other charismatic leaders. As well as building up the kingdom, they were also developing a sense of fellowship among those under them.

Moving on through the centuries, we meet Jesus and, in the Gospel accounts of his ministry, we meet probably a much more understandable concept of fellowship. In his calling of his disciples, Jesus brings the idea of fellowship much closer to home, and surely much easier to understand.

Following Jesus' resurrection we come to St Paul as he travels widely in the ancient world, with his followers, preaching the Good News and encouraging the growth of Christian communities. Each of these, different though they might have been in many ways, showed the hallmarks of fellowship:

common aims, shared culture and activity, trust, tolerance, respect, dedication, and yes, a sense of humour.

So, an important question arises: do we, today, as a Christian community, and as members of the human race, qualify as belonging to, and practicing the hallmarks of, a true fellowship?

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The young people's help-line Freephone 0808 808 1677

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Prayer and Pint

...the timeless evening service of Compline -- a quiet end to the day:

**The Ancient Office of Compline,
sung in St James at 7 45pm**

Part Two...

...a chance to have a friendly discussion on the evening's chosen subject:

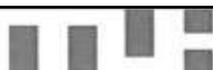
Discussion in *The Wheatsheaf*, from about 8pm

Prayer and Pint takes place on the 3rd Tuesday evening of every month



TAB – opportunities for those in the twenties, thirties and beyond to meet socially and for discussion.

Contact Matthew Harbage (matthew.harbage@teamparishoflouth.org.uk).



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Activities Programme – October 2018

Tues. 2 nd October	Tasty Tuesday – £5.50
Weds. 3 October	Memories Matter Dementia Café £2
Fri. 5 th October	Fish on Friday £4.80
Weds. 10 th October	Memories Matter Dementia Café £2
Fri. 12 th October	Fish on Friday £4.80 (inc. raffle)
Sat 13 th October	Messy Church – A fun event for all the family 10.45am – 12.45pm
Tues. 16 th October	'Road2recovery' Stroke Group Café – 2pm – 4pm £2
Weds. 17 th October	Memories Matter Dementia Café £2
Fri. 19 th October	Fish on Friday £4.80 (inc. raffle)
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St James's Guild Summer Events

Over the summer the St James's Guild have enjoyed three very successful outings around our locality. In June a group of 20 travelled to Woodall Spa for afternoon tea at the Tearooms in the Woods which was a great success. In July a slightly smaller group met up at The Marigold Cottage Gardens in Sutton-on-Sea for a wonderful tour of the amazing flower and vegetable gardens before lunching at the Bacchus Hotel. This month, nearly thirty people enjoyed a lovely lunch at The Royal Oak (The Splash) in Little Cawthorpe. The photos tell a story of conviviality and friendship.

We also announced that there will be an extraordinary meeting on Tuesday 20th November at 2.15 when we approve and adopt the new constitution and fill in the membership forms.

In December, Rev. Nick Brown will talk to us on an aspect of The Bible, and we will have a 'Bring and Buy' sale to raise money and enjoy some Christmas goodies ourselves.

Look forward to seeing you all there. Jane Fletcher and Jeannie Gurnham

Louth Park Abbey

The Bishop of Lincoln originally offered the monks a site on the Isle of Haverholme, but they were unhappy with the agricultural potential, and it was given to the order of Gilbert of Sempringham, who settled there in 1139. Alexander of Lincoln then gave the Cistercians a site within his own park at Louth instead. The first monks to settle at the abbey site were headed by an Abbot Gervase.

The abbey was on an elevated area of ground south of the River Lud. The river was used by the abbey to turn the wheel of the grain mill that had been given to them by the Bishop. However, it was too distant for the monks water needs, or to supply their fishponds. To solve this, the monks dug a ditch to bring water from the springs of Ashwell and St. Helen's at Louth to the abbey grounds. The ditch reached the abbey from the east and then divided into east and west channels around its edges, effectively forming a moat. To the east, the water was sent into two fishponds, one 'of great size', was still full of water, and stocked with fish, in the late 1800s. Now known as 'Monks' Dyke', although substantially altered, the main ditch from the Louth springs still survives today.



The earliest abbey buildings, built by the monks after the foundation, were plain and unadorned, as preferred by the Cistercians, in the Transitional Norman style.

By 1291, the abbey housed 66 monks and 91 conversi, or lay brothers. During the Black Death of the 1349 many monks died, including the Abbot he was succeeded by Dom Richard de Lincoln.

A plan drawn up in 1873 from historic records and site visits suggests that at its most developed the abbey included a church, sacristy, chapter house, store rooms, monk's parlour, Abbot's lodge, kitchen, monk's refectory, Lay brother's refectory, undercroft with dormitory above, guest house, cloister court and lavatory as one complex, with a separate infirmary building and gate house. In the grounds, in addition to the two fish ponds, was a burial ground.

The internal length of the church at the abbey was 256 ft by 6 ft making it 70 ft longer than the nearby church of St. James Church at Louth, and the nave, was 61 feet wide, only 11 feet less than Lincoln Cathedral. Its walls were 7 foot wide and constructed from Lincoln stone, sandstone and chalk.

The abbey's fortunes declined and there were only ten monks with Abbot George Walker when it was dissolved in the Act of Suppression on 8 September 1536. The Abbot was given a pension and the monks had £4. 6s. 8d. to divide between them, and an additional 20 shillings each to purchase secular clothes. One of the monks, William Moreland, alias Borroby, or Borrowby, later recalled that, at first, 'they lived for a while as near as they might to their old monastery', only venturing out to attend church in Louth or talk with one another. Moreland was having breakfast with his fellow former monk Robert Hert when they heard the alarm that signalled the start of the Lincolnshire Rising. Moreland joined the protestors and was later put to death as a traitor.

A Note from the Churchwardens, St. James's Church

You might have noticed in Church that the pews are beautifully shiny and sweet smelling suddenly. A big thank you to Diane Thompson, who has been very busy organising and drumming up support to get the church clean for Christmas. The pews have been cleaned with water and vinegar and polished with lavender wood polish by Diane and volunteers from the Louth community. Much more needs to be done, and if you can spare a bit of time, do have a word with Diane about how you can help. Thanks also go to Robert Thompson for his help and support.

Welcome also to our new Vergers, Dale Walker and Shane Yallop, who have taken over from Chris Marshall who retired from his post last week. Do say hello to Dale and Shane if you see them; they will both be working hard to learn all that is going to be required of them. Obviously, Chris is going to be missed very much but we are pleased that he will be carrying on his work on the history of the church and he will be working regularly as a guide.

Jeannie Gurnham

Remembrance Day Bells

On November 11th 2018, St. James's Bell Ringers will be participating in the National bell-ringing to mark the centenary of the end of the First World War.

The bells will be ring at 7.00p.m.

For more information, contact Jill Day on 603988

The Lincolnshire Rising was a rising by Roman Catholics against the establishment of the Church of England by Henry VIII and the dissolution of the monasteries set in motion by Thomas Cromwell. The royal commissioners seized not only land, but the church plate, jewels, gold crosses, and bells. Silver chalices were replaced by those made of tin. In some instances these items had been donated by local families in thanksgiving for a perceived blessing or in memory of a family member.

The rising began on **1 October 1536** at St James' Church, Louth, after evensong. It occurred shortly after the closure of Louth Park Abbey. The aim of the uprising was to protest against the suppression of Catholic religious houses, not the rule of Henry VIII himself. It wasn't helped by the rumour that St James Church was to lose all its valuables and possibly, be closed.

The commissioners' registers were seized and burned. The Rising quickly gained support in Horncastle, Market Rasen, Caistor and other nearby towns. With support from local gentry, a force of demonstrators, estimated at up to 40,000, marched on Lincoln and occupied Lincoln Cathedral. They demanded the freedom to continue worshipping as Catholics and protection for the treasures of Lincolnshire churches.

The protest effectively ended on 4 October 1536, when the King sent word for the occupiers to disperse or face the forces of Charles Brandon, 1st Duke of Suffolk, which had already been mobilised. By 14 October, few remained in Lincoln.

Following the rising, the vicar of Louth and Captain Cobbler, two of the main leaders, were captured and hanged at Tyburn. Most of the other local ringleaders were also executed during the next twelve days, including William Moreland, one of the former Louth Park Abbey monks. The Lincolnshire Rising helped inspire

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