



**Welcome to ALL HALLOWS and our services today.**

**Children are welcome in this church.**

There are toys in the Children's Corner and Choir Vestry at the back if they become restless. There is a toilet and baby-changing unit also in the Vestry.

**LARGE PRINT COPIES OF THIS SHEET & SERVICE BOOKLETS ARE AVAILABLE. PLEASE ASK A SIDESPERSON.**

**A Loop System is installed for those with Hearing Aids  
Please switch to 'T'**



**Gluten Free Communion Bread** is available.

*(Please see a Churchwarden before the start of the service).*



### **8.00 am Holy Communion**

*(Book of Common Prayer)*



### **9.30 am All Age Worship Gift Service**

*(Please see separate Order of Service)*



### **6.00 pm Evensong**

**HYMNS CAN BE FOUND IN THE GREEN HYMN BOOK**

- 1. 35** O come, O come, Emmanuel  
Psalm: 25 (1 – 9)  
First Reading: Isaiah 1: 1 – 20  
Second Reading: Matthew 21: 1 – 13
- 2. 32** Hark, the glad sound!
- 3. 67** Hail to the Lord's Anointed
- 4. 337** Make me a channel of your peace
- 5. 157** There's a light upon the mountains

### **Collect for today**

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### **Prayer after Communion**

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

*Please join us for light refreshments following our 9.30 am service*

Services this week

9.00 am    Wednesday    Holy Communion

Next Sunday ~ 10th December ~ Second Sunday of Advent

8.00 am    Holy Communion

9.30 am    Junior Church

9.30 am    Parish Communion

*Readings: Isaiah 40: 1 – 11; Mark 1: 1 – 8*

6.00 pm    Annual Commemoration Service



**Parish Prayer Diary**

Please use this Prayer Diary as a part of your daily prayer

**Please pray for:**

**The Staff and Residents** of Charnwood House Residential Care Home

**The Sick:** Anne Birkett, Ray, Caroline, Michelle Bools, Stephen Dodds, Sue Brown, Peggy Cox, Pauline, Sheila Cox, Margaret Oldham, Beryl Smith, Clare Bower, Isabel Harding, Nick & Susannah, Mary Wilson, Norman Harris, The Family of Louise Bethell

**The Departed:** Louise Bethell, Gillian Pearce

**Please pray for:** All our preparations for Christmas

	Thought for Today	In our Diocese	In our Parish
Sunday	The Lord raises those who are bowed down. <i>Psalm 146:8</i>	The work of Sacrista Prebend and its staff (Erika Kirk)	Willow Road Willow Avenue
Monday	I, the Lord will hear them. <i>Isaiah 41:17</i>	St Winifred Holbeck; St Mary Norton Cuckney	Ousebridge Drive Ousebridge Crescent Coronation Walk
Tuesday	Behold, your God will come. <i>Isaiah 35:4</i>	St John Scofton with Osberton (Vacancy)	Emerys Road Ambleside Way William Close
Wednesday	I will joy in the God of my salvation. <i>Habakkuk 3:18</i>	St Peter Hayton; St John the Baptist Clarborough	Stoke Lane Florence Road Florence Crescent
Thursday	Hold me up, and I shall be safe. <i>Psalm 119:117</i>	<b>SECTOR MINISTRIES</b> University Hospitals NHS Trust – QMC	Harrington Close Carisbrook Avenue Raglan Drive
Friday	Consecrate yourselves today to the Lord. <i>Exodus 32:29</i>	St Peter East Drayton with Dunham-on-Trent, Darlton, Ragnall, Fledborough (Vacancy)	Braemar Drive Beaumaris Drive Conisbrough Avenue
Saturday	I, the Lord, search the heart. <i>Jeremiah 17:10</i>	St John the Baptist East Markham; St Nicholas Askham	Pendennis Close Linden Grove De Buseli Close

## This Week

**TODAY WE ARE RECEIVING GIFTS AND GIFT VOUCHERS FOR CHILDREN LIVING IN AND AROUND NOTTINGHAM NEEDING YOUR GENEROSITY AT THIS TIME OF YEAR. PLEASE BRING GIFTS UNWRAPPED**

DISTRIBUTED BY FAMILY CARE, NOTTINGHAM

Today



12.30 pm to 5.30 pm **CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL**

Come and vote for your favourite tree!

Admission: Adults £2.00, Children 4-16 years 50p, under 4s free.

Musical entertainment and activities for children plus seasonal refreshments and Grand Christmas Prize Draw.

Monday

11.30 am Funeral Service for Gillian Pearce

### **Tuesday 5th December 7.30 pm A Concert of Clarinets & Carols**



**in church** with Sherwood Clarinets and All Hallows Church Choir

Admission £5.00 includes seasonal refreshments. Tickets available from church or contact the church office or pay on the door. (Doors open from 6.30 pm). Friends of All Hallows Christmas Prize Draw will take place during the interval and winners of prizes will be announced on the notice board in church and on the website.

## Advance Notices



**Sunday 10th December 12.00 Noon ALL HALLOWS PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH** at Mapperley Golf Club. Full details and signing up list can be found on the south aisle notice board.

**PAYMENT IS NOW DUE - PLEASE PAY BY CHEQUE OR WITH CORRECT CASH TO TONY HARRISON. ONLY 3 PLACES LEFT!**

**Sunday 10th December 6.00 pm ANNUAL COMMEMORATION SERVICE**

**Thursday 14th December 2.00 pm at Carlton Library, Manor Road 'RING OUT THE BELLS'** – Seasonal hand bell ringing demonstration with the opportunity to 'have a go'. Free admission including refreshments

**Saturday 16th December 9.30 am** Decoration of the church for Christmas

**Sunday 17th December 6.00 pm CAROL SERVICE**

**Monday 18th December 7.00 pm** Beer and Carols at The Willowbrook

Tuesday 19th December 11.00 am Service at Charnwood Care Home



Wednesday 20th December – 10.00 am to 12.00 Noon

Churchwardens Festive Coffee Morning – A Thank You for ALL helpers



Friday 22nd December 9.30 am All Hallows School Christmas Service

Friday 22nd December 2.00 pm Willow Farm School Christmas Service

### General Notices

A HUGE THANK YOU to everyone who helped with and supported the Christmas Bazaar. A total of £1150 was raised for church funds.



Christmas Wreaths may be placed in the Garden of Rest for the period Advent Sunday until Candlemas, 2nd February 2018

There are still some Christmas Cards to be distributed around the Parish. Please take a bundle for one of our local streets, sign on the list of streets and help deliver them over the coming week. Please pop in on Wednesday and collect some left overs. Thanks for helping to spread the word with this piece of outreach.



It came upon a midnight clear

**NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CHURCHES 2018 CALENDARS**  
for sale from the bookstall - £5.00 each. Profits to go to Southwell & Nottingham bell repair fund.



### **FOOD BANK**

Thank you very much for all of the donations so far. We continue to collect and are grateful for any donations you are able to make.

Thank you. *Margaret Hicking*

Items for the next Pew Leaflet should reach the office by 10.00 am on Thursday

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