



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 Parish Communion in Epiphany

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

1. 67 Hail to the Lord's Anointed!
2. 352 Will you come and follow me
3. 330 I, the Lord of sea and sky
4. 324 Dear Lord and Father of mankind
5. 253 There is a Redeemer
6. 125 How lovely on the mountains



### 4.00 pm Christingle Service

(Please see separate Order of Service)

#### Christingle Collecting Candles

Please bring in your collecting candles for this afternoon's service or at any service time over the next week.



### **Collect for Today**

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; 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. **Amen**

### **Prayer after Communion**

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of 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 – 21st January – Third Sunday of Epiphany

8.00 am    Holy Communion

9.30 am    Junior Church

9.30 am    Parish Communion

*Readings:* Genesis 14: 17 – 20; John 2: 1 – 11

6.00 pm    Evensong

*Readings:* Jeremiah 3: 21 – 4: 2; Titus 2: 1 – 8, 11 – 14

**Parish Prayer Diary**    Please use this prayer diary as part of your daily prayer

**Please pray for:**

**The Warden & Residents** of Bramble Court Sheltered Flats

**The Sick:** Anne Birkett, Caroline, Michelle Bools, Stephen Dodds, Sue Brown, Peggy Cox, Pauline, Sheila Cox, Margaret Oldham, Clare Bower, Isabel Harding, Nick & Susannah, Mary Wilson, Norman Harris, Betty Mottram, Kristy

**The Departed:** Florence Ashurst, Ray

**Please pray for:** All babies born this year and their families

|   | Thought for Today   | In our Diocese   | In our Parish                                     |
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| Sunday  | Blessed is the man who trusts in You!<br><i>Psalm 84:12</i>       | Our Link Diocese of the Holy Land, Father Fahdi, the Clergy & the People | Avon Road<br>Exeter Close<br>Saltford Close       |
| Monday  | Do not turn aside from following the Lord. <i>1 Samuel 12:20</i>  | Costock C of E Primary School<br>Jane Mellor                             | Wykes Avenue<br>Rectory Drive                     |
| Tuesday   | God is able to make all grace abound.<br><i>2 Corinthians 9:8</i> | Cotgrave C of E Primary School<br>Craig Moxham                           | Willow Lane<br>Willow Crescent<br>Bleasdale Close |
| Wednesday   | He cares for you.<br><i>1 Peter 5:7</i>                           | Cuckney C of E Primary School<br>Lisa Crossland                          | Yew Tree Lane<br>Sapele Close                     |
| Thursday<br><b>WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY</b> | The Lord has been mindful of us.<br><i>Psalm 115:12</i>           | Dunham-on-Trent C of E Primary School<br>Julia Wallace                   | Almond Walk<br>Tamarix Close<br>Blackthorn Close  |
| Friday  | The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. <i>Psalm 23:1</i>      | St Peter's C of E Academy E Bridgford<br>Richard Tomlinson               | Acorn Drive<br>Maple Drive<br>Green's Farm Lane   |
| Saturday  | The eternal God is your refuge.<br><i>Deuteronomy 33:27</i>       | St Mary's C of E Primary School<br>Edwinstowe<br>Nikki Monks             | Oak Tree Drive<br>Alma Close<br>Jayne Close       |

## This Week

**Monday 12.00 Noon** Funeral Service for Florence Ashurst

**Tuesday 11.00 am** Service at Charnwood Care Home

## Advance Notices

**Wednesday 24th January 11.00 am** Service at Gedling Village Care Home

**Wednesday 24th January 2.00 pm** Building Committee meeting

**Saturday 27th January 9.30 am** All Hallows Men's Fellowship Annual General Meeting at The Willowbrook, Main Road, Gedling. All members are welcome to attend – any new members will get a free breakfast! Annual subscriptions are being held at £5.

**Monday 29th January 7.30 pm** A meeting in church to discuss a Commemoration Event for the 100th year since the end of WW1

**Wednesday 31st January 10.00 am** Friends of All Hallows AGM in church

**Friday 2nd February 11.00 am** Service at Stoke House Care Home

**Monday 5th February 11.00 am** Pastoral Care meeting in church

**Tuesday 6th February 11.00 am** All Hallows Social Group meeting – the first of regular monthly meetings for fellowship, activities and outings. Initially in the Wrinkly Lettuce Bistro, Main Road, Gedling. Contacts: Emily Galloway & Eleanor Wilson

**Monday 12th February 7.15 pm** PCC meeting in the Memorial Hall

**Tuesday 13th February 2.00 pm** Bible Study in the Memorial Hall

## General Notices

### **CONFIRMATION CLASSES**



Are you interested in being confirmed this year? If so, there is a sign-up sheet at the back of church on the notice board.

Confirmation in the Church of England is the occasion when someone makes a public declaration of their faith in Christ and becomes a full member of the church.

For those of us who were baptized as a baby it is often our first real chance to say this is my faith. I would encourage all of you who have been baptized and have been attending our church to prayerfully consider this next step in our faith.

## LENT COURSE

We are thinking of running a lent course this year based on the Creeds. If you would like to take part in the course would you please sign the form at the back of church indicating whether you would be able to attend during the day or in the evenings.



Lent like Advent is one of those times of year that we can put aside to explore the deeper meaning of our faith, especially as we approach Holy Week and the wonders of Easter.

It would therefore be wonderful to spend some time together exploring the Creeds; those statements of our faith which we say together so often and which attempt to sum up the truth of our shared faith.

**Planned giving envelope boxes are now available on the bookstall. If you would like to make use of this form of regular giving, please see Eleanor.**



**PRAYER REQUEST BOARD** - The Prayer Board is situated alongside the book shelf. If you know of someone you would like included in our prayers, please fill in one of the pale blue prayer cards (located on the book shelf) and pin onto the board. Unless a longer period is specified, requests will remain on the board and be entered into the Pew Leaflet for three weeks.



## **CHURCH LIBRARY**

**Did you know we have a collection of books in church you can borrow? All sorts of gems for spiritual development are available. Just sign them out in the book provided. Please see a Churchwarden to find out where the library is located.**

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

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Why not visit our website? <http://www.allhallowsgedling.co.uk>

## **Readings for Parish Communion**

### **Psalm 139: 1 – 6, 11 – 18**

To the leader. Of David. A Psalm. O LORD, you have searched me and known me. You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away. You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways. Even before a word is on my tongue, O LORD, you know it completely. You hem me in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon me. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain it.

If I say, 'Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light around me become night', even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day, for darkness is as light to you.

For it was you who formed my inward parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well. My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth. Your eyes beheld my unformed substance. In your book were written all the days that were formed for me, when none of them as yet existed. How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them! I try to count them—they are more than the sand; I come to the end—I am still with you.

### **John 1: 43 – 51**

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.' When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'