



Eighth Sunday after Trinity 25th July 2021

**WELCOME TO ALL HALLOWS AND OUR SERVICE TODAY
Children are welcome in this church**

A toilet with baby-changing facilities can be found
in the Choir Vestry at the back.

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).



| READINGS FOR THE WEEK | |
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| Eighth Sunday after Trinity 25th July | 2 Samuel 11: 1-15 Psalm 14 Ephesians 3: 14-end |
| Monday 26th July <i>James the Apostle</i> | Jeremiah 45: 1-5 Psalm 126 Matthew 20:20-28 |
| Tuesday 27th July | Exodus 33: 7-11, 34: 5-9,28 Psalm 103: 8-12 Matthew 13: 36-43 |
| Wednesday 28th July | Exodus 34: 29-end Psalm 99: Matthew 13:44-46 |
| Thursday 29th July | Exodus 40:16-21, 34-end Psalm 84: 1- 6 Matthew 13: 47-53 |
| Friday 30th July | Leviticus: 23:1,4- 11,15-16,27,34-37. Psalm 81: 1-8 Matthew 13: 54-end |
| Saturday 31st July | Leviticus 25:1, 8-17 Psalm 67: Matthew 14: 1-12 |

Collect for Today

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and our bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever; we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

Strengthen for service, Lord the hands that have taken holy things: may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute: may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit: may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope: and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life: glory to you for ever. **Amen.**

Services this week

Wednesday 9.00 am Holy Communion

Next Sunday – 1st August Ninth Sunday after Trinity

9.30 am Holy Communion
Readings Exodus 16: 2-4, 9-15. John 6: 24-35

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

Please pray for:

The Warden & Residents Coronation walk Sheltered Housing

The Sick: Kate Lincoln, Brian Noake, Penny Greenwood, Mike and Sheila Richards

The Departed: Trudy Brokenshire, Tony Hallam.

| | Thought for today | In our Diocese | In our Parish |
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| Sunday | I am the Lord, I do not change. <i>Malachi 3:6</i> | We pray for those who work and learn in our schools as they prepare for the summer break. | Hardy's Drive Newlands Drive Church View <i>Grange Close</i> |
| Monday | Look for the blessed hope. <i>Titus 2:13</i> | Sherwood St Martin | Arnold Lane High Hazles Close <i>Park Lane</i> |
| Tuesday | I will come again and receive you to Myself. <i>John 14:3</i> | Stapleford St Helen; Stapleford St Luke. | Lambley Lane Glebe Farm View <i>Church Street</i> |
| Wednesday | Ask... that your joy may be full. <i>John 16:24</i> | Trowell St Helen; Awsorth St Peter; Cossall St Catherine. | Jessops Lane Earl Crescent <i>The Dumbles</i> |
| Thursday The Blessed Virgin Mary | Peace from Him who is, and who was and who is to come. <i>Revelation 1:4</i> | Wollaton St Leonard. | Grange Crescent Grange View Road Field Close <i>Green Lane</i> |
| Friday | We wish to see Jesus. <i>John 12:21</i> | Nottingham South Deanery | Lorimer Avenue Windemere Close York Close <i>Mapperley Plains</i> |
| Saturday | We live to the Lord. <i>Romans 14:8</i> | Attenborough St Mary the Virgin | Hereford Road Ullswater Close Axford Close <i>Spring Lane</i> |

2 Samuel 11.1-15

In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab with his officers and all Israel with him; they ravaged the Ammonites, and besieged Rabbah. But David remained at Jerusalem.

It happened, late one afternoon, when David rose from his couch and was walking about on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. David sent someone to inquire about the woman. It was reported, 'This is Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite.' So David sent messengers to fetch her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house. The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, 'I am pregnant.'

So David sent word to Joab, 'Send me Uriah the Hittite.' And Joab sent Uriah to David. When Uriah came to him, David asked how Joab and the people fared, and how the war was going. Then David said to Uriah, 'Go down to your house, and wash your feet.' Uriah went out of the king's house, and there followed him a present from the king. But Uriah slept at the entrance of the king's house with all the servants of his lord, and did not go down to his house. When they told David, 'Uriah did not go down to his house', David said to Uriah, 'You have just come from a journey. Why did you not go down to your house?' Uriah said to David, 'The ark and Israel and Judah remain in booths; and my lord Joab and the servants of my lord are camping in the open field; shall I then go to my house, to eat and to drink, and to lie with my wife? As you live, and as your soul lives, I will not do such a thing.' Then David said to Uriah, 'Remain here today also, and tomorrow I will send you back.' So Uriah remained in Jerusalem that day. On the next day, David invited him to eat and drink in his presence and made him drunk; and in the evening he went out to lie on his couch with the servants of his lord, but he did not go down to his house.

In the morning David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. In the letter he wrote, 'Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting, and then draw back from him, so that he may be struck down and die.'

John 6.1-21

After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming towards him, Jesus said to Philip, 'Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?' He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, 'Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.' One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?' Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down.' Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, 'Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.' So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, 'This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.'

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, got into a boat, and started across the lake to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The lake became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the lake and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, 'It is I; do not be afraid.' Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land towards which they were going.

Intercessions from John Rigby

Father God, as we start this holiday season we thank you for giving us the chance to get out and enjoy the countryside around us. As we adjust to doing things differently after the past 18 months we pray that people will continue to be aware that this virus will not be going away and we will have to adapt our lives to cope with it with your guidance and authority

Lord, in your mercy.....**Hear Our Prayer**

We continue to pray for your world and pray especially for the people in Europe who have suffered devastating floods. We pray they may get back to normality quickly and resume normal life.

Lord, in your mercy..... **Hear Our Prayer**

We pray for our local people here in Gedling, Lambley and other local areas. Keep them safe at this time and as local communities help us to bond closer together so we can enjoy each others company.

Lord, in your mercy..... **Hear Our Prayer**

We pray for all those we know who are ill at this time thinking especially of Kate Lincoln, Brian Noake, Penny Greenwood, Mike and Sheila Richards

Bring them comfort and if it is your will bring them back to good health and safe with their families.

Lord, in your mercy..... **Hear Our Prayer**

We pray for those who have died and are now in your heavenly home. Thinking of Trudy Brokenshire and Tony Hallam. Bring comfort to her family and friends in their loss

Accept these prayers for the sake of your son, our saviour Jesus Christ

Saturday 31st July Junior Church and Parish Picnic. All Welcome to join in.

Meet in Willow Park at 3pm



Bring own food and games if you wish



From September 2021 Junior Church will become

Messy Church



New Services from September

| Day/Date | Type of service | Time | Place |
|---|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Sunday 5th September | Morning Praise | 9.30 am | Church |
| Saturday 11th September | Live at Five | 5.00 pm | Church |
| Saturday 18th September | Messy Church | 3.00 pm | Church |
| Sunday 26th September | Messy Sunday | 9.30 am | Memorial Hall |

We hope to continue this pattern of services – Updates to follow.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**With the Covid restrictions soon to be relaxed.
We need to reinstate various roles for church services**
(previous volunteers will be contacted)

We need some new volunteers to act as

- **sides persons**
- **tea and coffee servers**
- **helpers for when we reopen on a Wednesday**
- **PCC committees (you do not have to be a PCC member) such as Building, Finance, Pastoral care,**
- **Trustees and committee members for the Memorial Hall.**
- **,A NEW group to plan future events**

If you would like to help Please give your name to John Rigby, Dorothy Ritchie, Eleanor Wilson or to Rev Mic Johnson.



Jam Jars Wanted

Preferably the 350g size as Eleanor is currently making gooseberry and elderflower jam; blackcurrant jam and strawberry jam and running short of jars.



Eleanor can collect from church, from individuals or they can be left in the porch at 1 Field Close

Many thanks Eleanor 0115 9561385



The telephone befriending scheme is operated by fully trained and safeguarded Christian volunteers. It is open to anyone who would benefit from support both within and beyond the immediate church community. For self-referrals, on behalf of someone else and further details please contact The Ark: theark@thearkgedling.org.uk or phone 0800 9991506

We now have a pre-recorded service available on the telephone.

The service (which will be changed weekly) can be reached by dialling:

0115 671 3537

(PLEASE NOTE, THE AREA CODE MUST BE DIALLED EVEN FROM A LANDLINE). It is a local rate call. We have set this up for those who do not have access to the Facebook or YouTube services. Any problems with accessing this, please contact Mic.

Items for the next Pew Leaflet should reach the Dorothy Ritchie by 6pm on Wednesday
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