

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Sun 5 th	Harvest Deuteronomy 8:7-10; James 1:17-18; Matthew 6.25-26 8.00am Said Holy Communion 10.00am All Age Holy Communion
Mon 6 th	10.00am Prayer Meeting in Church 2.00pm Funeral of Caroline Pope
Wed 8 th	10.30am Said Holy Communion
Thu 9 th	7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice
Fri 10 th	9.30am Crafts in the Green School 6.30pm Choir Practice
Sat 11 th	10.30am Coffee Morning, Green School
Sun 12 th	Dedication Sunday Ephesians 2.19-22; John 10.22-29 8.00am Morning Prayer 9.45am Sunday Club, Green School 10.00am Parish Holy Communion <i>Sorry, but the Pet Service has been cancelled</i> <i>The Office of Morning Prayer is said Monday - Saturday at 9am and that of Evening Prayer Monday - Friday at 5pm.</i>

Rotas for 5th October

Sides-	8.00am Peter Hilton
People:	10.00am Joy Elliman, Roger Clarke, Di Wheatley
Readers:	8.00am Peter Hilton 10.00am All Age

Rotas for 12th October

Sides-	8.00am Peter Hilton
People:	10.00am Kay & Henry Roberts, Chris Warren
Readers	8.00am Peter Hilton 10.00am Scott Miller

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sun 12 th	Oct: Dedication Service, 10am
Sun 19 th	Oct: Churches Together Joint Service, 6pm, Methodist Church, DSJ
Sun 2 nd	Nov: Memorial Service, 4pm
Sun 9 th	Nov: Remembrance Sunday
Sat 22 nd	Nov: Talk on Sculpting figures for Madam Tussaud's
Fri 28 th	Nov: Wine Tasting evening

NEWSLETTER ITEMS:

Deadline 6pm Thursday; hard copy to Dorothy Harriss, 1 The Orchard, MD; email harriss.dorothy@gmail.com ring 07587 691743 – please note these new contact details.

Greeting Cards: Pam Pearson and Greg Ford make very attractive cards which are on sale at the back of Church;

Church Floodlighting: Sponsor church floodlights by ringing Kay on 07510 267140 to book a date: remember a loved one, mark a special anniversary or birthday in a unique way. The £20 fee is paid to our treasurer Julie.

Grand Prize Draw: Lots of books of tickets available to have a chance to win a wheelbarrow full of bottles of wine plus other prizes, proceeds to heating project.

To Love and Serve the Lord: This course continues on **Mondays 6th & 13th October**, Green School, 7.30pm.

Church is open each day till 5pm: please come in to be still in God's presence, to pray or explore the building.

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Church

MARKET DEEPING PARISH NEWS

**Reaching out in Love
Growing in Faith
Welcoming All**

October 5th 2025: Harvest

Talk: Revd George & Andrew; Prayers: Children

Please pray this week for the people of St Michael and all Angels, Langtoft, their minister Revd Carolyn Bailey, and their outreach into their community.

Exciting News - Our church is getting brand new heating! To allow the work to take place, we are very sorry, but the building will be totally closed from 13th-17th October. This means our mid-week service is cancelled that week. Thank you so much for your understanding and for all your support so far in making this possible. The fundraising is still ongoing, so every gift and prayer continues to make a real difference. We look forward to welcoming everyone back to a warmer church on 19th October.

Harvest Service: Today's All Age Communion is our harvest celebration, when we give thanks to God for his gifts to us in creation, and those who work to produce our food from the land year on year. If you've forgotten an offering for the Foodbank, please drop it in during the week. Thanks.

Prayer Meeting: Join us in Church on **Monday 6th at 10am** to pray for the concerns of the world, our community, and any individuals in need at this time. Please tell us of anyone you know to add to the list.

Caroline Pope's funeral is in church tomorrow October 6th at 2pm with a reception in the Green School following the graveside service. If you can help serving refreshments and clearing afterwards please speak to Kate or Dorothy.

We welcome the appointment of Rt Revd and Rt Hon Dame Sarah Mullally as the new Archbishop of Canterbury. Please hold her in your prayers.

Friday Crafts: We meet on **10th October at 9.30am** in the Green School for 2 hours of crafting felt pumpkins, tutor Eve. £10 for session to cover extra material costs.

Coffee Morning: Join us on **Saturday 11th at 10.30am** in the Green School for delicious refreshments and social time together. Book and jigsaw stall, raffle, and cakes to buy.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Revd George is under medical care for a voice condition and, on consultant advice, is observing strict voice rest for the next 4 weeks. While she will continue to lead our Sunday 10am services with support, this is very much an exception. She is grateful for your patience and prayers as she focuses on recovery.

Readings and Prayers for the Day inside this newsletter.



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