

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

- Sun 19th** **17th Sunday after Trinity**
2 Timothy 3.14-17; Luke 18.1-8
8.00am Morning Prayer
9.45am Sunday Club, Green School
10.00am Parish Holy Communion
12noon Baptism
6.00pm Churches Together United Service
- Church closed for installation of new heating and lighting Monday to Friday**
- Sat 25th** **9.30am Big Church Clean-up – all welcome**
12noon Soup & Social Lunch, Green School
Clocks go forward one hour.
- Sun 26th** **Last Sunday after Trinity**
2 Corinthians 9.6-15; Matthew 6.19-24
8.00am Said Holy Communion
9.45am Sunday Club, Green School
10.00am Parish Holy Communion
5.00pm Evensong: Ecclesiastes 11,12; 2 Timothy 2.1-7

The Office of Morning Prayer is said Monday - Saturday at 9am and that of Evening Prayer Monday - Friday at 5pm.

Rotas for 19th October

- Sides-** 8.00am Kevin Dawson
People: 10.00am Janis Hewitt, Keith Warren, Lyall Seale
Readers: 8.00am Kevin Dawson
10.00am Julie Bacon

Rotas for 26th October

- Sides-** 8.00am Jean Jones
People: 10.00am Geoff Chambers, Carol Cooper, Nick Evans
5.00pm Kay Roberts
Readers 8.00am Jean Jones
10.00am Henry Roberts
5.00pm Dorothy Harriss

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Sun 2nd Nov: Memorial Service, 4pm**
Sun 9th Nov: Remembrance Sunday
Sat 22nd Nov: Talk Clay to Wax, Green School
Fri 28th Nov: Wine Tasting evening, Green School

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.

Welcoming the Sacred Stranger: An event is taking place at Spalding RC Church, Saturday 1st November, 11.30am-3.45pm. Hear stories of those touched by modern slavery & forced migration, & others unseen in both town & countryside. Let's take action together.

Parish Lunch: The next lunch is **on Sunday 16th November 12.30pm at The Stage so no stairs!** The signup sheet gives more information; prices £13 to £20.

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.

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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St Guthlac's
Church

MARKET DEEPING PARISH NEWS

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

October 19th 2025: 17th Sunday after Trinity

Preacher: Revd George; Intercessor: Dorothy Harriss

Please pray this week for the people of the Church of St Nicholas, DSJ, and their minister Revd Erica Crust,

New Church Heating and Lighting.

The work will take place this week 20th - 24th October. The building will be closed, and our mid-week service is cancelled. We are looking for help from 9.30am on Saturday 25th for a big clean-up before we welcome everyone back to a warmer church. on Sunday 26th.

Thank you for all your support for the project.

Churches Together: Local Churches are having a united service **this evening at 6pm at the Methodist Church, DSJ.** Please speak to Kate if you need a lift to get there for a faith affirming occasion and a chance to meet up with fellow Christians in The Deepings.

Ladies Guild: We meet in the Green School on **Tuesday 28th October at 7.30pm** for a talk entitled 'A Detective's Tale' by Alan Lambert, a volunteer at Moulton Mill. Visitors are welcome to join us, £4.

Memorial Service: Our annual service to remember those who've died is on **Sunday 2nd November at 4pm.** Please join us for readings, prayers, and an opportunity to light a candle in memory of a loved one.

We're looking for volunteers to help the Rose Lodge residents get to church. We would need a couple of able-bodied people to volunteer to push wheelchairs every Sunday. The more volunteers, the less often each one needs to do it. Please speak to Nick Evans.

Remembrance Sunday: On 9th November we encourage our congregation to come to a **9am Holy Communion said Service**, which will include a silence. There will be no 8am Service that day. The **Act of Remembrance service is at 10.30am** and will have limited seating for congregation, so we will live stream it to YouTube enabling you to watch the service at home.

Tickets on sale: Kate has tickets for the talk by Paul Bainbridge, 'Clay to Wax' on sculpting figures for Madam Tussauds, **Saturday 22nd November, £12**, and for the Wine Tasting on **Friday 28th November, £20.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Revd George is under medical care for a voice condition, her consultant advising strict voice rest for some time. She continues to lead our Sunday 10am services with support, but this is an exception. She is grateful for your patience and prayers as she recovers.

Readings and Prayers for the Day inside this newsletter.



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