

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Sun 9 th	Remembrance Sunday Isaiah 2.2-5; John 15.12-17 9.00am Said Holy Communion 10.30am Remembrance Service 4.00pm Compline
Wed 12 th	10.30am Said Holy Communion
Thu 13 th	7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice
Fri 14 th	6.30pm Choir Practice
Sat 15 th	2.30pm Messy Church, Green School
Sun 16 th	Safeguarding Sunday 1 John 3.16-24; Matthew 18.1-10 8.00am Said Holy Communion 9.45am Sunday Club, Green School 10.00am Parish Holy Communion 12.30pm Parish Lunch at The Stage

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

Rotas for 9th November

Sides-	9.00am Kevin Dawson, Peter Hilton
People:	10.30am Kay & Henry Roberts, Geoff Chambers, Lyall Seale, Chris & Keith Warren 4.00pm Kay Roberts
Readers	9.00am Kevin Dawson 10.30am The Mayor

Rotas for 16th November

Sides-	8.00am Kevin Dawson
People:	10.00am Janis Hewitt, Lyall Seale, Keith Warren
Readers:	8.00am Kevin Dawson 10.00am Nigel Clayton

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sat 22 nd Nov:	Talk Clay to Wax, Green School
Fri 28 th Nov:	Wine Tasting Evening, Green School
Sun 7 th Dec:	Christingle Service, 4pm
Sat 13 th Dec:	Christmas Coffee Morning, 10.30am
Sun 21 st Dec:	Carol Service, 5pm
Wed 24 th Dec:	Crib Service, 4pm

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.

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.

Raffle Prizes: We are always grateful to receive prizes for the raffles held at various events. Please let Kate or Julie have suitable items. Thanks.

Ness Group: To join a morning prayer service via zoom at 9am any weekday morning with our LMP neighbours to the north, just ask for the link. Have a Bible nearby.

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**

November 9th 2025: Remembrance Sunday

Sermon: Revd George; Intercessions: Kate Brown

Please pray this week for the people of the church of St Firmin, Thurlby, their priest Revd Carolyn Bailey, and their outreach into their community.

Remembrance Sunday: Today we have a Said **Holy Communion Service at 9am**, which will include a silence. The annual **Service of Remembrance is at 10.30am** with uniformed organisations, the Mayor, and Town Councillors in attendance. Due to limited seating for congregation, we will live stream the service via YouTube so people can watch at home. Worship ends at 4pm with a contemplative service of Compline.

Messy Church: Families are invited to our next Messy Church session on **Saturday 15th November, 2.30 - 4.30pm** in the Green School. Crafts, food, and worship for all the family in a relaxed setting. All welcome.

Parish Lunch: The next lunch is **at The Stage (so no stairs!)** next Sunday **16th November 12.30pm**. Please contact Nick Evans, 07973 681095, if you find you can now attend, and he will see what he can do.

Tickets on sale: Kate has tickets for two events in the Green School: **Saturday 22nd November at 7.30pm:** Paul Bainbridge will give a talk, 'Clay to Wax', relating his experiences sculpting figures for Madam Tussauds, £12, to include a glass of wine and nibbles; **Friday 28th November at 7.30pm:** a Wine Tasting evening; six quality wines to taste, with nibbles, £20 per ticket (all over age 18 welcome), booking essential.

Grand Prize Draw: Tickets still available for a chance to win a wheelbarrow full of bottles of wine plus other prizes, proceeds to heating project. They will be on sale at both the above events, and the draw will take place appropriately at the wine tasting.

Advent Study Group: Three sessions are planned at **7.30pm in the Green School** to follow a course provided by the Diocese of Lincoln called "Hearts on Fire". The sessions are:

Mon 1st December: A voice in the wilderness - Justice;

Mon 8th December: Yours are the hands - Service;

Mon 15th December: Holy, holy, holy – Worship.

See the November magazine for more details.

Thank you to those who have volunteered to push Rose Lodge residents to church in their wheelchairs each Sunday. We can always use more volunteers, so the less often each one needs to do it. Please speak to Nick Evans if you've not already done so.

Readings and Prayers for the Day inside this newsletter.



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