

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Welcome to our Service this morning. Please find below the Notices for the week, with new and amended ones underlined.

This morning we welcome the Rev. Peter King, Chaplain to Stanford Hall, the Defence Medical Rehabilitation Centre, near Loughborough, as our preacher. Peter lives in Thornton with his wife, Lizzie.

Hymns	334	A man there lived in Galilee	AMNS
	226	As pants the heart for cooling streams	
	133	Immortal love forever full	
	205	Now thank we all our God	

Sunday 12th October	10.00am	Holy Communion with with Sunday Club & Youth Alpha
	3.00pm	Thimbleby Harvest
	3.00pm	Pastoral Teas
Monday 13th October	1.30pm	Pastoral Committee
	7.30pm	Deanery Synod meeting hosted by St. Mary's
Tuesday 14th October	11.30am	Funeral Service for the Rev. Canon John Thorold
Wednesday 15th October	9.30am	Holy Communion
	2.15pm	Mothers' Union meeting
	7.30pm	Missions' Committee meeting at the Vicarage
Thursday 16th October	6.00pm	Choir Practice
	7.30pm	Thimbleby VCC
Saturday 18th October		Prayer Breakfast at 'Costa Coffee'
	10.00am	Coffee in Church

CALL FOR MUSICIANS

We look forward to our All-age Worship service next Sunday. If anyone would like to join the musicians they would be very welcome. Please have a word with Claire Parker-Robson if you are able to help.

ASHBY PUERORUM HARVEST

St. Andrew's, Ashby Puerorum celebrate their Harvest Festival next Sunday, where there will be a collection of 'non-perishable' foodstuffs and toiletries for the Horncastle Community Larder.

'RACE NIGHT'

The Friends' of St. Mary's are hosting a 'Race Night' on Friday, 24th October at 7.00 for 7.30pm at the Community Centre. Tickets at £12.00, which include a light supper, can be purchased from the Church Office. Please note the event is only open to those over 18.

HIGH TOYNTON CEILIDH

High Toynton Church are promoting another 'Ceilidh' in aid of their 'Renewed' project to refurbish the Church. The dance, featuring the 'Higgledy Piggledy Band', will be on Saturday, 25th October at Stanhope Hall, with the doors opening at 7.00pm. Please see the posters for further information, including where to purchase tickets.

'HOLIDAY CLUB'

Our next 'Holiday Club' for Primary School aged children will be on Tuesday, 28th October from 1.00pm, with the theme 'All things wise and wonderful'. All children welcome with their parents/carers.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL

It is that time of the year again when Rotary Shoeboxes are available to collect from Helen Marshall. Helen writes: "We are limited to 20 boxes this year! There is a deadline of three weeks to complete them so that they can be returned in good time for delivery. Any questions please see me after the service or ask Debbie in the office where the boxes will be kept. There is information on the boxes with suggestions. No money needs to be attached as the boxes have been purchased. Start shopping today and brighten someone's Christmas!"

Collect: Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; 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.

2 Kings 5, 1 - 3, 7 - 15c p. 360

2 Timothy 2, 8 - 15 p. 227

Luke 17, 11 - 19 On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Sunday 19th October	10.00am	All-age Worship
	10.00am	Harvest Communion at Ashby Puerorum
Wednesday 21st October	9.30am	Holy Communion
Thursday 22nd October	6.00pm	Choir Practice
Friday 24th October	7.00 for 7.30pm	Friends' 'Race Night'
Saturday 24th October	10.00am	Coffee in Church
	1.00pm	Mark & Debra's wedding
	7.00pm	High Toynton's 'Ceilidh'

WEDDING CELEBRATION

The Rev. Mark Holden and Debra Aitkenhead write warmly invite you to share in their Wedding Celebration on Saturday 25th October at 1.00pm in St Mary's for their Service followed by a toast.

FUNDING CAMPAIGN

We are launching a Funding Campaign over the next few weeks. Please see the leaflet, which has been specially written to share with you our financial situation and inviting you to give some prayerful consideration to your financial giving. It is possible, of course, to review one's giving at any time, but you will see that there is an invitation to a 'Pledge Weekend' to be held here on Saturday, 1st November from 10.30am – 12.00noon and Sunday 2nd November from 11.30am – 1.00pm, when members of the Cornerstone Team, Janet Leedham, Fiona Martin, Susan Hopper, Stefan Urbanowicz and Rev. Charles Patrick will be on hand to discuss all aspects of giving.

PRAYER FOR THE TOWN

Week beginning the 12th October: please pray for the residents and businesses of Ralph Brown Way and Reindeer Close

BIRTHDAYS

Sunday, 12th October - Malcolm Baxter & Ray Smith

If you would like your birthday mentioned, please contact Shelagh Carter. Her E-mail address is nell640lcarter@gmail.com

At our Communion services, if you would like a gluten free wafer, please let the Stewards or Clergy know before the service starts.

Please note, if you wish to leave a gift by Bank Card, you can use the 'Goodbox' near the entrance. Also, to give via your 'phone, you can use the QR code on the cards in the pews. Thank you.

*Please look at our website for further details on these notes:
www.stmaryshorncastle.org.uk*



Lord, please give us the confidence to live the love of Jesus Christ with the community here in Horncastle and in the surrounding villages. Amen.