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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

'The Third Sunday before Advent'

Welcome to our Service of Remembrance.

The hymns can be found on the separate Order of Service.

Please find below the Notices for the week, with new and amended ones underlined.

Sunday 9th November	10.00am	Remembrance Service with Procession to War Memorial
	10.00am	Sunday Club & Youth Alpha meet in Community Centre
	12.00noon	Korean Veterans' Service at Hamerton Gardens
	2.00pm	Pastoral Teas
Monday 10th November	1.30pm	Confirmation group meet
	7.30pm	Manor House Road School Trust meet at St. Mary's
Wednesday 12th November	9.30am	Holy Communion
	12.30pm	Funeral of John Smith
Thursday 13th November	2.30pm	Safeguarding Group meet
	6.00pm	Choir Practice
Saturday 15th November	9.00am	Prayer Breakfast meet at Costa Coffee
	10.00am	Coffee in Church
	7.00pm	Tearfund Quiz (see below)

FUNDING CAMPAIGN

Thank you to all those of you who responded to the Funding Campaign over the last few weeks. We have received many positive responses from fellow members of the congregation, for which we are very grateful. It is possible, of course, to review one's giving at any time and members of the 'Cornerstone Finance Team', Fiona Martin, Sue Hopper, Stefan Urbanowicz, Janet Leedham and the Rev. Charles Patrick, are always happy to discuss any questions you may have related to giving. Thank you, once again, for your support for this campaign, which is much appreciated.

'TEARFUND QUIZ'

Life Church are promoting a Quiz to support the work of Christian charity 'Tearfund' on Saturday, 15th November at the Community Centre from 6.30pm for a 7.00pm start. We are co-hosting this event, alongside six hundred other Churches from across the country, to help 'test our knowledge, build community, and end extreme poverty'. It is open for all to take part, with teams of up to six players. Tea and coffee will be provided, but you may wish to bring your own drinks. There will also be light nibbles available. There is no entry fee, but donations will be welcomed for the charity.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

We look forward to the Tree Festival taking place over the weekend of the 6th and 7th December. This will begin with a Concert by Banovallum Singers on Friday, 5th December at 7.30pm. Donations of Mince Pies and Cakes, or Chocolate for the Tombola, would be much appreciated. Also, please let Helen Marshall or Debbie in the Church Office know if you can help provide a Welcome or offer Refreshments to our visitors over the weekend. Thank you.

MOTHERS' UNION

The next Mothers' Union meeting will be on Wednesday, 19th November at 2.15pm, when Elaine Barrett will be talking about the 'Scouts and Guides' Poacher Camp'. All are welcome.

THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

Sunday 16th November	10.00am	All-age Worship
	10.00am	Holy Communion at Ashby Puerorum
	12.15pm	Baptism of George and Harvey Haresign
Monday 17th November	11.30am	Funeral Service for Patricia Caborn
	12.00noon	St. Hugh's Day Service at Lincoln Cathedral
	2.15pm	Mothers' Union meeting
Tuesday 18th November	11.00am	Funeral Service for Patricia Allison
Wednesday 19th November	9.30am	Holy Communion
Thursday 20th November	6.00pm	Choir Practice
Saturday 22nd November	10.00am	Coffee in Church

SUNDAY ROTAS

We are doing a review of Rotas for our Sunday morning services. If you are interested in Reading a lesson or Leading Intercessions, or offering Refreshments at the end of the service, please see Helen or Fiona, our Wardens, or Debbie in the Church Office. Thank you.

PRAYER FOR THE TOWN

Week beginning the 9th November: please pray for the residents and businesses of the village of Scamblesby and Sellwood Gardens.

If you would like your birthday mentioned, please contact Shelagh Carter. Her E-mail address is neil640lcarter@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*



Collect: Almighty God, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Job 19, 23 - 27a p. 498

2 Thessalonians 2, 1 - 5, 13 - end p. 221

Luke 20, 27 - 38 Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question, 'Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.'

Jesus said to them, 'Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die any more, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.'

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.