

Benefice Noticeboard

RIP – sadly many of you will know that Rowan Craven has passed away. The church family would like to pass on their deepest condolences to Edna at this difficult time.

Summer holidays – as the children and young people start their summer holidays, please hold them in your prayers.

Loving God, we pray for all children as they prepare for a new season in their lives. As they look towards the start of nursery or school for the first time – give them joy in new experiences As they move to new classes – give them confidence in growing friendships. As they move to new schools – give them strength in their growing independence. As they move on to college or university – give them wisdom in their maturity. And for all the teachers, assistants, helpers, carers and volunteers who teach and nurture our children and young people, we ask for your blessing, your joy, your wisdom and your patience as they re-charge their batteries over the summer break, ready for the new term! We ask this in the name of Jesus. Amen.

August

~ **Quiz Night with Fish & Chip Supper.** St Peter's Church, Raunds will be hosting a quiz night on **Saturday 31st August at 7pm.** Teams of 4.

The evening will start with a fish & chips supper followed by the quiz. If you would like to attend please let Keith Gubbins know for catering purposes. Everyone welcome.

~**Messy Church.** Our next Messy Church will be **Saturday 3rd August, 3pm-5pm.** Join us for some summer fun of team games and a picnic.

Readings for Sunday 4th August The Tenth Sunday After Trinity

Psalm 51: 1-13

2 Samuel 11: 26-12: 13

Exodus 16: 2-4, 9-15

Ephesians 4: 1-16

John 6: 24-35



Sunday 28th July 2024 **The Ninth Sunday After Trinity** **John 6: 1-21**

Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand

6 Sometime after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), ² and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the signs he had performed by healing the sick. ³ Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. ⁴ The Jewish Passover Festival was near. ⁵ When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" ⁶ He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. ⁷ Philip answered him, "It would take more than half a year's wages to buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!" ⁸ Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, ⁹ "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?" ¹⁰ Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." There was plenty of grass in that place, and they sat down (about five thousand men were there). ¹¹ Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish. ¹² When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted." ¹³ So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten. ¹⁴ After the people saw the sign Jesus performed, they began to say, "Surely this is the Prophet who is to come into the world." ¹⁵ Jesus, knowing that they intended to come and make him king by force, withdrew again to a mountain by himself.

Jesus Walks on the Water

¹⁶ When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, ¹⁷ where they got into a boat and set off across the lake for Capernaum. By now it was dark, and Jesus had not yet joined them. ¹⁸ A strong wind was blowing and the waters grew rough. ¹⁹ When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus approaching the boat, walking on the water; and they were frightened. ²⁰ But he said to them, "It is I; don't be afraid." ²¹ Then they were willing to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the shore where they were heading.

St Peter, Raunds

Churchwardens

Mike Turner Tel. 623289, Andrea Haseldine Tel. 624644

Today 10am Service for All Ages

This week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday 11am Ashfield House

Thursday

Friday 10am Coffee Morning in Enterprise Centre

Saturday 3pm-5pm Messy Church

Sunday 3pm Service for All Ages with Holy Communion

All Hallows, Hargrave

Churchwardens

Savitri Pollard Tel. 626960, Helen Parry Tel. 622959

Today: 10am Service for All Ages

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 7:30pm Homegroup at Xanadu

Wednesday

Thursday 10:30am Coffee Morning

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 10am Holy Communion

Nativity of blessed virgin Mary, Ringstead

Churchwardens

Cliff Harris Tel. 625126, Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262

Today: 10am Holy Communion

This week

Monday

Tuesday 2pm Tea with Friends

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday 10am-12noon Coffee Morning

Sunday 10am Morning Worship

St Laurence, Stanwick

Churchwardens

Sam Chambers Tel. 623855

Today: 10am Morning Worship

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 4pm-5:30pm Bell Ringing Practise

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday 7pm Compline

Saturday

Sunday 9:30am Café Church

