

HOLY TRINITY BOSTON

Welcome Sunday 19th November 2023

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8:00 am	No service
10:30 am	Worship Together with Holy Communion. Live in Church & online.
5:30pm	African Praise. In Church only.
7:30pm	CYFA

Sunday 26th November

8:00 am	Holy Communion. In Church only.
10:30 am	Worship Together. Live in Church & online.
4:00pm	Messy Together. In the Church Lounge.
7:30pm	CYFA

Opening Prayer

Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations. Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. Psalm 90:1-2

Today's Reading

Matthew 25:14-30

Verse of the week: Psalm 90:1

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Thought for the Day: Bishop Nicholas

How are you using what God has given you? This reading picks up the challenge from two weeks ago – what has God given us? What are we doing with our gifts and talents, money, possessions, homes, jobs, skills and interests? Are we like the third servant holding fast to what we have, burying it, only using it for ourselves. Or are we wise servants of the God of generosity? Jesus told this parable to remind his listeners there will come a day when we are all held to account before God. Jesus himself gave everything, and the riches that flow from his sacrifice on the cross and resurrection are eternal, his treasure will never perish. We have been given so much – new life in Christ as well as all the things we often take for granted. Let's commit ourselves to using what we have well so that we too will hear those words: "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Weekly Update

It was good to have Noah Wright with us on Sunday. Following his DTS time, Noah is now back in the UK. Please pray for him and his future plans, also for some kind of temporary work for now. Pray too for the Wright family now scattered across several continents. Aidan is in America, Keziah in Australia, and John and Vikki in Uganda getting used to having children elsewhere in the world.

A big thank you: Gavin and Jane West would like to say a big thank you to the Church family for your prayers, cards, messages of encouragement and offers of lifts to Nottingham during Gavin's time in the cardiac unit of the City hospital. Gavin is now home and on the road to recovery.

2nd December Butterfly Hospice: "Light Up a Life" Annual Remembrance Service: "Light Up a Life" welcomes everyone, whether they have had a connection with the hospice or not, to reflect on happy memories finding special moments to celebrate the lives of those we have loved whilst helping Butterfly Hospice to support people living with life-limiting illness and their families. **This year, our doors will open earlier at 2:00pm**, inviting you to join us as we take over the Stump coffee shop for the afternoon. Before the event, we invite you to join us for refreshments, including lots of delightful homemade cakes - an opportunity to meet with our nurses and charity staff, fostering an atmosphere of togetherness and support available until 3:30pm as our **service starts at 4:00pm**. We will be joined by the Blighty Belles Lincolnshire Vocal Academy Choirs who will sing for us and with us, their music will not only inspire us into reflective thinking but entertain us as well.

Sleaford Keswick Bible Ministry: Deidre Brower-Latz will be speaking at the Riverside Church in Sleaford on **1st December at 7:30pm**. Deirdre has been the Principal of Nazarene College in Manchester since 2012. Most recently she has been involved in research considering "What does it mean to be a church on the margins?" If you would like more information contact **Jack Marris Tel: 01526 833176**

BRING AND SHARE LUNCH

SUNDAY 19TH NOVEMBER
BISHOP NICHOLAS WILL
BE PREACHING AT OUR
MORNING SERVICE

Please do join him and others after our service for a time of fellowship and food. Drinks will be provided.



HOLY TRINITY BOSTON
Christmas
DROP 'N' SHOP
Thursday 7th December
4:30-6:00 PM
GAMES | FOOD | SONGS | INPUT
AGES 4-11
IN THE CHURCH LOUNGE
For more information, please contact Eden Prothero at:
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This week's prayer pointers

Pastoral Care: Baptisms; Marriages; Pastoral Team; Funerals, Bereavement & Life Crisis Support.

Mission Focus: George & Anne Todorov and church in Varna



Christmas Dates:

Sunday 17th December 4 pm

Carols by Candlelight

Sunday 24th December 4 pm

Crib Service

Sunday 24th December 11:30 pm

Christmas Communion

Monday 25th December 10:30 am

Christmas Day All age Holy Communion

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What's happening at Trinity

20 th Nov Monday	21 st Nov Tuesday	22 nd Nov Wednesday	23 rd Nov Thursday	24 th Nov Friday	25 th Nov Saturday
<p>10:00am NW Link Churches meeting at Grantham</p> <p>Small Group 7:00pm IT Pilgrims'</p> <p>7:30pm Vicarage</p>	<p>1:30pm Open the Book</p> <p>Small Group 1:30pm Careys'</p> <p>7:30pm Fabric and Finance</p>	<p>9:00am Trinity Tots</p> <p>1:00pm Tower Road visit</p> <p>3:00pm Milk Shake Shack</p> <p>Small Group 7:30pm Leggotts'</p>	<p>11:30am Trinity Café</p> <p>4:30pm Epic Explorers</p>		<p>2:00pm until 4:00pm Church Family Afternoon Tea</p>
27 th Nov Monday	28 th Nov Tuesday	29 th Nov Wednesday	30 th Nov Thursday	1 st Dec Friday	2 nd Dec Saturday
<p>Small Group 7:00pm Blackthorn Lane</p> <p>7:30pm Road HoG Wood Farm</p>	<p>10:30am Prayer Meeting via zoom contact Penny C</p> <p>1:30pm Open the Book</p> <p>Small Group 1:30pm Careys'</p> <p>7:30pm Prayer Meeting</p>	<p>9:00am Trinity Tots</p> <p>3:00pm Milk Shake Shack</p> <p>7:15pm Men's Event</p> <p>Small Group 7:45 pm The Grays'</p>	<p>11:30am Trinity Café</p> <p>4:30pm Epic Explorers</p>	<p>7:30pm Clubnite</p>	
4 th Dec Monday	5 th Dec Tuesday	6 th Dec Wednesday	7 th Dec Thursday	8 th Dec Friday	9 th Dec Saturday
<p>10:00am Wreath Making Workshop</p> <p>Small Group 7:30pm Vicarage</p>	<p>12noon Wider Chapter Christmas Lunch</p> <p>1:30pm Open the Book</p> <p>Small Group 1:30pm Careys'</p>	<p>9:00am Trinity Tots</p> <p>3:00pm Milk Shake Shack</p> <p>Small Groups 7:30pm Leggotts'</p> <p>7:45 pm The Grays'</p>	<p>11:30am Trinity Café</p> <p>4:30pm Shop and Drop</p>		<p>8:30am Mission Partner Breakfast</p>

All meetings usually take place in Church or in the Church Lounge except Small Groups. Please use the diary to pray for events.