

## **Community News**



## Sunday 21st & 28th September 2025

All Age Family Service at the Ascension – Sunday 21st Sept, 10am. A fun, interactive service for all ages following by refreshments. This service will not be live-streamed.

Wellbeing Café in Ascension Church Hall – Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> Sept, 10am-12noon. Hot drinks, homemade cakes, crafts, table games, friendship and a listening ear. FREE with voluntary donations!

Rising Stars Baby & Toddler Group in Ascension Church Hall - Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Sept, 10am-12noon. Toys, crafts, soft play, sensory corner, songs, storytime, toast & healthy snacks FREE! ©

**The Bible Course** – Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Sept: in the Vicarage from 10.30am-12noon and Ascension Community Rooms from 6.30-8pm.

FREE Dance Classes for 12-18 year olds in the Church Hall run by Positive Futures – Begins Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Sept from 5.30pm-6.30pm and then every Friday at the same time.

Morning Prayer at the Ascension Mon - Thurs 9:00am, refreshments on Wed - All welcome ©

Harvest Family Communion at the Ascension – Sunday 28th Sept, 10am followed by Benefice Bring & Share Harvest Lunch in the Ascension Church Hall at 11.30am. Food donations (tinned & dry food) will go to Grantham Foodbank. All ages welcome ©

Harvest Festival at St John the Baptist's Londonthorpe – Sunday 28th Sept, 4pm, followed by refreshments. Food donations (tinned & dry food) will go the Grantham Passage. All welcome ©

Benefice Service of Holy Communion at the Ascension – Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Oct, 10am followed by refreshments. Also live-streamed. We are delighted that Katy Castañeda will be preaching.

Pet Blessing Service at St John the Baptist's Londonthorpe – Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Oct, 3pm followed by refreshments. Bring you beloved pet on a lead, in a cage or bring a photo for them to be blessed ©

Community Quiz Night in Ascension Church Hall – Sat 11th Oct, 6.30pm, to raise money for the Church Roof Fund. Contact Lisa at churchoftheascension.work@gmail.com to reserve a place. FREE entry.

Donations for Christmas Fayre welcome! – Any tombola & raffle prizes, teddies, children's toys and fancy goods would be most appreciated ©

Happy Birthday to Alison Jeins (23rd Sept) & Enid Burbage (30th Sept)

## Readings for 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> Sept **Trinity 14 & Harvest**

Jer 8:18-9:1 Deut 26:1-11 Psalm 79:1-9 Psalm 100 1 Tim 2:1-7 Phil 4:4-9 Luke 16:1-13 John 6:25-35

## **Special Prayer for Harvest**

Creator God, you made the goodness of the land, the riches of the sea and the rhythm of the seasons; as we thank you for the harvest, may we cherish and respect this planet and it peoples, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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