

December 2025

Sundays in December

Advent 2 : 7th Dec.

9.30am Holy Communion
at St Michael's, West Retford

11.00am All Age Worship
at All Hallows', Ordsall

Advent 3 : 14th Dec.

9.30am Holy Communion
at St Michael's, West Retford

11.00am Holy Communion
at All Hallows', Ordsall

6.30pm Memorial Service
at All Hallows', Ordsall

Advent 4 : 21st Dec.

9.30am Holy Communion
at St Michael's, West Retford

11am Family Communion
at All Hallows', Ordsall

6.30pm Carol Service
at All Hallows', Ordsall

Christmas 2 : 28th Dec.

10.30am Joint Service
Churches Together in Retford
at Grove Street Methodists

Bible Verse for December:

*"Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on
earth peace to those on whom His favour
rests."* Luke 2:14



Welcome to Church

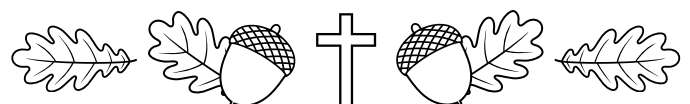
Welcome! We're very glad you're here. Here is your monthly Newsletter, which gives you all of the key dates of services and events happening in our parish. We also send out a weekly email which includes information on what's coming up during the week ahead. If you'd like to receive this, please fill in a green card at the back of church, or email Helen at hello@owrchurches.co.uk.

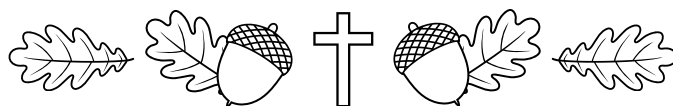
If you're new to church, it's great to see you! we'd would love to have a conversation with you about how we can support you in your journey of faith. My contact details are below, so please feel free to get in touch with me. For all church members both new and old, I hope that this sheet helps keep you up to date with the many things that happen in the life of our parish.

Contacting the Rev'd Alex Shiells

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Email: vicar@owrchurches.co.uk





Regular Weekly Activities:

Mondays

10am–12pm Garden Maintenance
at All Hallows' churchyard, Ordsall

7.00pm Bell Ringing practice at
various churches throughout each
month as follows:

1st Monday at West Retford

2nd, 4th & 5th Monday at Ordsall

3rd Monday at East Retford

No practice on bank holidays.

Tuesdays

9:30am Holy Communion

at St Michael's, West Retford

Open Tuesdays at St Michael's

Community Hall including:

10am–12noon Places of Welcome
Café

12–2pm Lunch Club

2–4pm Arts & Crafts Café

Wednesdays

9:30am Holy Communion

at All Hallows', Ordsall

on the 3rd & 17th December only

Open Wednesdays at All Hallows'

10am–12noon Places of Welcome
Café

1.30 – 3pm Craft Circle

in The Rectory, Hine Close, Ordsall
DN22 7ZH

Fridays

6.30pm Compline

at St Michael's, West Retford

Events coming up this month:

What's On:

There are leaflets with the full lists of the many and various special services & events taking place in the Advent season available at both churches. Please make sure you pick up a copy next time you are in church.

Thank You to our Volunteers:

As a small gesture of appreciation to all of our wonderful volunteers we will be hosting special 'thank you' Coffee Mornings just before Christmas.

Please join us from 10am onwards in St Michael's on Tuesday 16th or in All Hallows' on Wednesday 17th December if you help in any way to keep our two churches active as the beating heart of our community.

Christmas Day Joint Service:

Our Christmas morning service will be a joint service at 10.00am in St Michaels, West Retford

Kids Church:

Fun activities for Kids and their accompanying adults.

There will be NO Kids church in December. Please come along on January 25th at 4.00pm and join in the fun!