

THE CHURCHES OF ALL SAINTS, WIGSTON MAGNA & ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE, SOUTH WIGSTON

THE WIGSTON BENEFICE



THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES TODAY

SUNDAY 21ST JUNE 2026

8:30 AM SAID MASS	<i>ALL SAINTS, WIGSTON MAGNA</i>
10:00 AM MORNING PRAYER	<i>ALL SAINTS, WIGSTON MAGNA</i>
10:00 AM SUNG EUCHARIST	<i>ST. THOMAS', SOUTH WIGSTON</i>

The Week Ahead

Sunday 21st June	The Third Sunday after Trinity 8:30 am Said Mass 10:00 am Morning Prayer 10:00 am Sung Eucharist	<i>All Saints</i> <i>All Saints</i> <i>St. Thomas'</i>
Monday 22nd June	Alban, first Martyr of Britain, c.250	
Tuesday 23rd June	Etheldreda, Abbess of Ely, c.678	
Wednesday 24th June	The Birth of John the Baptist 10:30 am Eucharist	<i>St. Thomas'</i>
Thursday 25th June	Feria 10:00 am Said Mass	<i>All Saints</i>
Friday 26th June	Feria	
Saturday 27th June	Feria 10:00 am Morning Prayer	<i>All Saints</i>
Sunday 28th June	Peter and Paul, Apostles 10:00 am Sung Mass 10:00 am Café Church 12:00 pm Baptism 4:00 pm Churches Together Service	<i>All Saints</i> <i>St. Thomas'</i> <i>All Saints</i> <i>St. Mary's</i>

Notices and Upcoming Events

Welcome!

A very warm welcome to any guests who are joining us for our services.

Parish Giving

If you would like to give to support the life and work of our churches, you can use these QR Codes. All donations are very gratefully received, and help to keep us serving our communities.

**Give to
All Saints**



**Give to
St. Thomas'**



'Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.'

— cf. Matthew 6.19-21

Got a notice?

If you have a notice that needs including in our benefice bulletins, kindly send an email with the details to David. It would be helpful if you could flag your email with the word 'Notice' in the subject line.

Benefice Contacts Updates

Very many thanks to everyone who has submitted a form, allowing me to update our benefice contact list. If you have yet to fill one in, please find one at the back of our church buildings and hand it directly to David or one of the churchwardens.

Strawberry Tea and Raffle

Saturday 27th June | 3:00 pm | All Saints Church Room

You will be very welcome to join us for a Strawberry Tea and Raffle. Please sign up on the sheets at the back of both churches so we know how many people to cater for. We also need volunteers to make scones for the event. Please contact Carol or Viv at All Saints if you are able to help.

Tickets: £5 adult | £2.50 children

Churches Together Service

Sunday 28th June | 4:00 pm | St. Mary's Churches Together in South Wigston will be having a United Service next Sunday, 28th June, at 4:00 pm at St. Mary's Church. All are welcome.

Diocese Celebrates 100 Years

As part of the diocesan centenary celebrations, the Diocese would love to feature every single parish, worshipping community, chaplaincy, church school and diocesan-affiliated organisation, in a special picture slideshow that will be on display at events throughout the centenary period. They would like a smiling group photograph of our church communities as they are gathered together in God's glory, where you worship. Each picture will be labelled with who we are and will be on rolling display including at the Cathedral, during our event in September, and on the centenary pages of our diocesan website.

Diocesan Safeguarding Audit

The Archbishops' Council has appointed INEQE to take an independent look at safeguarding across the Church of England. They want to check how things are working day to day and help us make sure our churches and worshipping communities are places where everyone feels safe, valued and respected. Everyone is therefore invited to take part in the independent INEQE safeguarding audit, designed to strengthen and support best practice in safeguarding in the Church of England. The surveys will provide an opportunity to share your experiences and perspectives of safeguarding across the Diocese of Leicester, including what's working well and where things could be better.

*Surveys are now open until
Wednesday 5th August 2026*

Organ Voluntaries

All Saints: J.S. Bach (1685-1750) Organ Sonata I, 1st Movement (Allegro Moderato) BWV 525

St. Thomas': 'Allegro con moto' from Fantasie in E flat – Camille Saint-Saëns (1835-1921)

Find Our Churches

All Saints

Moat Street, Wigston Magna, LE18 2BA
what3words ///tells.famous.apples
www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4717/

St. Thomas the Apostle

St. Thomas' Road, South Wigston, LE18 4TA
what3words ///lobby.organ.mining
www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4706/

Clergy Contact Details

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH ROOM

Strawberry Tea & Raffle



SATURDAY **27** JUNE - 3pm

Tickets: Adults £5, Children £2.50

Sign up at:

ALL SAINTS CHURCH WIGSTON
ST THOMAS' CHURCH SOUTH WIGSTON
UNITED REFORMED CHURCH WIGSTON



ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS
RUNNING COSTS OF ALL SAINTS CHURCH



Safeguarding Survey 2026

**HAVE
YOUR
SAY...**

Take the survey:



**What's working well?
What could we do better?**

Share your views on
safeguarding and help us
be a safer church
for everyone.

leicester.anglican.org/safeguarding/audit



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THE PARISH OF ALL SAINTS,
WIGSTON AND GREATER
WIGSTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AN ILLUSTRATED TALK

THE HABERDASHERS COMPANY AND ITS LINKS TO
THE PARISH OF ALL SAINTS WIGSTON MAGNA

By DAVID BARTLE

LIVERYMAN AND FORMER ARCHIVIST OF THE
HABERDASHERS COMPANY

At LITTLE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL,
LAUNCESTON ROAD, WIGSTON, LE18 2GZ

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or on 07813 782899. Pay on the door.

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