

Welcome to our weekly News and Diary from the parishes of Gateshead Fell, Harlow Green and Windy Nook

30th August 2026

Details of what is happening across our parishes this week

Sunday 30th August	8am: BCP Service at St Johns 9.30am: Service at St Johns 10.00am: NO at St Ninians 10.30am: Service at St Albans 4.30pm: Explore Communion at St Ninians
Tuesday	9am: Morning Prayer at St Johns 10am-1pm: Place of Welcome at St Johns 8.45pm: Mens Fellowship at Greencroft Club
Wednesday	9am: Morning Prayer at St Albans
Thursday	9.15am: Communion at St Ninians
Sunday 6th September	8am: BCP Service at St Johns 9.30am: Service at St Johns 10am: NO SERVICE AT ST NINIANS 10.30am: Service at St Albans 4.30pm: Explore Feast at St Ninians



**Inclusive
Church**

We are Inclusive Churches which celebrate and affirm every person and do not discriminate.



We still need a **new treasurer for St Albans** quite urgently - Hazel is supporting this at present and would welcome working with someone. Please do pray if you can support in this way and talk to Hazel, Lynn or Rob.

Would you like to be more involved in things? Our churches have teams for teas and coffees, reading the bible, leading intercessions in services, pastoral visiting and so much more. In a time of vacancy people can be stretched - if you have any extra capacity please do pray how you could help and then talk to clergy or churchwardens.

PRAYERS YOU MAY WISH TO USE THIS WEEK

Collect

Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Parish Waymark Prayer

God of life - you make all things new. Revive your church in our parishes. Inspire our worship, release our gifts, and give us courage to follow where you lead.

Jesus, help us to know you better and draw us deeper into your presence. Fill us with your Spirit so we can share your love and hope with all, and walk in the world as beacons of your light. **Amen.**

Prayers for those in our community

For healing Benny Bahmanizad, Connor Buckley, Jenny Devine, Betty Elliott, Jeff Hepple, John Goodenough, Peter Grainge, Andy Kindred, Sabric Mohmadpour, Carol Phillipson, Lilian Sample, Karl and Christina Smith, Chloe Sproates, Brenda Taylor, John Watts, Ryan Whittonstall, Laura Wick.

We renew our prayer list this week please email any of the churches or use Whatsapp groups to have names added

Our clergy team is:

Rev Canon Danie Lindley (07902477474),

Rev Ken Coulson (07596534635),

Rev John Mayes (07791615821)

Rev John Hinton

Our Parish Safeguarding officers are

St Albans and St Ninians: Lynn Coulson (07940 194154)

and St Johns: Catherine Mayes (07768 667045)

Churchwardens

St Albans - Lynn Coulson and Rob Watts

St Johns - Catherine Mayes and Yvonne Stonebank

St Ninians - Linda Smith

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