

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

13th September 2026

HARVEST WEEKEND! 26th and 27th September 2026



Saturday 26th September

10am **St Johns Village Show**

Last day to register for entries is 20th September so do get a form from church.



Saturday 26th September 6pm Geordie Night in St Johns do you have a turn? Let us know - if not - bring yourself, some drinks and enjoy the sing along and fun!



Sunday 27th September

8am. 9.30am, 10am, 10.30am services all **Harvest festivals**

St Albans are collecting for Gateshead Foodbank
Other churches are still to decide.

**Join us as we celebrate the
last 8 years and say
goodbye to Rev Danie**

**When:: 27th September
2026**

Where: 4pm at St Johns
*then walk or drive down the hill
or just join us for*
5pm at St Albans

**followed by a shared tea at 5.45pm in
St Albans church - *bring along
something for the table if you can but
do please stay and chat with Danie.***

**We will be having lots of singing and
stories in this celebration and all are
welcome.**

4pm Rev Danie's Final Service starting at St Johns at 4pm and moving to St Albans by 5pm finishing with a shared tea in church. See poster for details

Details of what is happening across our parishes this week

Sunday 13th September	8am: BCP Service at St Johns 9.30am: Service at St Johns 10am: Service at St Ninians 10.30am: Service at St Albans 12.30pm: Baptism at St Albans 4.30pm: Explore Bible at St Ninians 5pm-6.15pm: Youth Group at St Albans Hall
Monday	7am: Morning Prayer at St Johns 1pm - 3.30pm: Arts & crafts at St Albans
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	9am: Morning Prayer at St Ninians
Sunday 20th 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 with shared Lunch 4.30pm: Explore at St Ninians



**Inclusive
Church**

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



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

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, 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.

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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