ANGLESEY GROUP OF PARISHES
Holy Trinity, Bottisham; St Mary's, Quy; St James', Lode;
St Mary's, Swaffham Bulbeck; St Mary's, Swaffham Prior



Sunday 8 November – Remembrance Sunday

9am	**Online service**	**on Zoom**
10.50am	**Act of Remembrance**	**Lode**
	Remembrance Service	**Quy**
	Remembrance Service	**Swaffham Bulbeck**
	Remembrance Service	**Swaffham Prior, with Scouts**

PRAYER REQUESTS

- All in need of God's healing power including: Rod, Kate, Robin, Amanda and Vincent, Jonathan, Mike, Enid, Jutta, David, Linda, Lydia, Derek, Lesley, John, Alun, Janet, and others known to us personally. Giving thanks for those who have been on this list, have recovered and are grateful for our prayers and God's grace.
- In thanksgiving for the lives of the recently departed, including Edward Webb, thinking of his family; Keith Pratt, thinking of Sue and family; Monica Thompson, thinking of Walter and family; Roger Jenyns, thinking of Jill, George, Frances and families; Dr David Hanke, thinking of Veronica and family.
- All victims of war or conflict, especially at this time of remembrance
- Our uniformed organisations, represented at our services
- Lay ministers who work particularly hard this time of year leading services and supporting worship

REGULAR EVENTS – open to all in the Benefice

- **Play + Praise –** Fridays in term time, St James', Lode, 9.30am
- **Baby & Toddler Playgroup** – Tuesdays, Holy Trinity, Bottisham, 9am
- **Peaceful & Prayerful Art Group** for adults - first three Fridays of the month, St James' Church, Lode 1.30-3.30pm. All welcome - drawing/painting materials supplied or bring your own craft project; refreshments, 077792 656223 rutheblundell@gmail.com

Bible Study/Prayer Groups

- **Lent Group follow-up – Sacred Space** - St James', Lode, 8-9pm – for prayer, quiet singing and contemplation. First Tuesdays, all welcome lizbutl@gmail.com
- **CbyC: a short contemplative service:** Monthly on first Wednesday**,** 8pm on Zoom – Next: **Wednesday 2 December**
- **Home Study Group**, monthly on first Monday, 10.30am Mike Procter, mike@procter.com - new members welcome
- **Home Study Group**, a Wednesday each month, 10.30am, contact Maggie Field 01223 604019

FORTHCOMING SERVICES

Sunday 15 Nov - Second Sunday before Advent, Red or Green

9am	Online service, on Zoom
	Morning Prayer, Quy
10.30am	Holy Communion, Swaffham Bulbeck
	Morning Prayer, Bottisham

Sunday 22 November - Christ the King, Red or White

9am	Online service, on Zoom
	Holy Communion BCP, Swaffham Bulbeck
10.30am	Holy Communion, Swaffham Prior – Revd Steve Rothwell, Clergy Development Officer

Sunday 29 November - First Sunday of Advent, Purple **YEAR B**

9am	Online service, on Zoom
10.30am	Holy Communion, Lode
4pm	Advent by Candlelight, Cambridge Voices, Swaffham Prior

Thursdays 10.30am Holy Communion, Lode

EVENTS

Saturday 21 November – Christmas Café & Market – Village Hall, Swaffham Prior, 2-4.30pm – festive bakes and stalls in aid of St Mary's and Red2Green; Father Christmas 3-4pm

Saturday 28 November – Coffee and Cake Organ Concert – Wayne Marshall, Holy Trinity, Bottisham, 10.30am – suggested donation £10 for Holy Trinity Building Fund

Sunday 29 November – Advent by Candlelight – Cambridge Voices in the two churches of Swaffham Prior; 4pm, tickets £10 at the door, in aid of Emmaus; mince pies and milled wine

Saturday 5 December – Christmas Fair – St Mary's Church, Swaffham Bulbeck, 10am – 12.30pm in aid of Mara and St Mary's

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Readings for Sunday 8 November – Year A

Collect

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Old Testament – Wisdom of Solomon 6 12-16

12 Wisdom is radiant and unfading, and she is easily
discerned by those who love her, and is found by those
who seek her. 13 She hastens to make herself known to
those who desire her. 14 One who rises early to seek her
will have no difficulty, for she will be found sitting at the
gate. 15 To fix one's thought on her is perfect
understanding, and one who is vigilant on her account will
soon be free from care, 16 because she goes about seeking
those worthy of her, and she graciously appears to them
in their paths, and meets them in every thought.

Psalm 70

1 O God, make ¹ speed to ¹ save me; ♦
O ¹ Lord, make ¹ haste to ¹ help me.

2 Let those who seek my life be put to ¹ shame
and con¹fusion; ♦
let them be turned back and dis¹graced who ¹ wish
me ¹ evil.

3 Let those who ¹ mock and de¹ride me ♦
turn ¹ back be¹cause of their ¹ shame.

4 But let all who seek you rejoice and be ¹ glad
in ¹ you; ♦
let those who love your salvation say ¹ always, ¹ 'Great
is the ¹ Lord!'

5 As for me, I am ¹ poor and ¹ needy; ♦
come to me ¹ quickly, ¹ O ¹ God.

6 You are my help and ¹ my de¹liverer; ♦
O ¹ Lord, do ¹ not de¹lay.

Glory to the Father and ¹ to the ¹ Son ♦ and ¹ to the ¹ Holy ¹ Spirit; as it was in the be¹ginning is ¹ now ♦ and shall be for ¹ ever. ¹ A¹men

New Testament - 1 Thessalonians 13-18

13 We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and
sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not
grieve as others do who have no hope. 14 For since we
believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through
Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. 15 For
this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we
who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord,
will by no means precede those who have died. 16 For the
Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's
call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend
from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then
we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the
clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and
so we will be with the Lord for ever. 18 Therefore
encourage one another with these words.

Gospel - Matthew 5 1-12

1 When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain;
and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. 2 Then he
began to speak, and taught them, saying: 3 'Blessed are the
poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. 4 Blessed
are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. 5 Blessed
are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. 6 Blessed are
those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they
will be filled. 7 Blessed are the merciful, for they will
receive mercy. 8 Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will
see God. 9 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be
called children of God. 10 Blessed are those who are
persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the
kingdom of heaven. 11 Blessed are you when people revile
you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against
you falsely on my account. 12 Rejoice and be glad, for your
reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they
persecuted the prophets who were before you.'



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