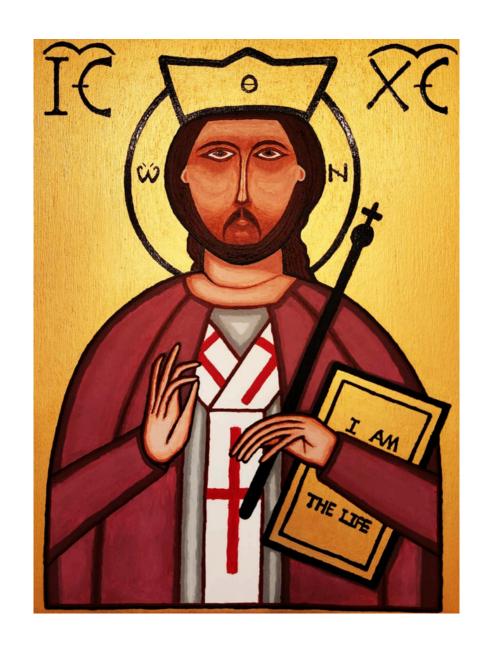
NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER 2025



ST NICHOLAS, SKIRBECK
ALL SAINTS, FOSDYKE
SS PETER & PAUL, KIRTON



THE PILGRIM GROUP



CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY 23RD NOVEMBER



A Message from Fr Paul

With the year drawing to an end we call to mind all that we have done, all that has passed, therefore November tends to be a time of remembrance. This time of remembrance starts on the 1st November as we celebrate the feast of All Hallows, also know as All Saints day. This is the day when we remember all of the saints that have gone before us. This is not the saints that we know and love, whose days we celebrate throughout the year, but those unsung heroes who good works have gone unnoticed by the Church and by the world. No doubt we all know someone who has been a saint to us, a saint known to us alone. These are the people we should be remembering this day.

The next day, 2nd November, is the feast of All Souls. All Souls Day is the day when we remember all who died, all that have been close to us, but is also a time for those who have no one to pray for them, all those who have been forgotten. This would be a good day where we just to take five minutes to remember these people and all they given us, and perhaps comfort someone who you know may be struggling with their own loss.

The last Act of Remembrance is when we remember those who lost their life in war on 11th November. This should be a time of great gratitude by us as we recall the sacrifice that they paid, that we may have our lives this day. This however is a double Act of Remembrance, firstly with those who gave their lives, but secondly as we remember the mistakes that led to war in the first place. If we do not remember these mistakes then we are likely to make the same mistakes. This would be a great sadness, to those who gave their lives for they would have given them for nothing.

No good ever came from conflict, always look for peace, in doing so we will bring peace to those who gave their lives.

Skirbeck St Nicholas <u>Service times</u>

Sundays - Parish Mass, 9.15am Holy Hour, 5pm

Tuesdays – Mass, 9.30am
Wednesdays – Mass, 6.30pm
Saturdays - Mass, 10am
Rosary, 9.30am (first
Saturday of the month only)

Feasts, Solemnities and Holy Days of
Obligation
as shown in notices

SS Peter & Paul, Kirton

SERVICE TIMES

Sundays – Parish Mass, 11.15am
Thursdays – Mass, 10am
Fridays – Mass, 6.30pm
4th Saturday of the Month – Rosary, 9.30am:
Mass, 10am

Social Media

Website – www.kirtongroup.com/kirton
Facebook – 'Like' us at St Peter & St Paul's Church, Kirton
Email – kirtonchurch@mail.com A Church Near You –
www.achurchnearyou.com/church/14667
Priest in Charge – Fr Paul Norwood (01205) 635817

All Saints, Fosdyke

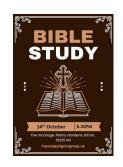
SERVICE TIMES

Sundays – Parish Mass – 11.15am (2nd), 9.15am (4th) Wednesdays (2nd & 4th) – Worship, 10am – Includes workshop on 2nd Wednesday Social Media

For general details please find us on:www.achurchnearyou.com/church/14663 or www.facebook.com/AllSaintsFosdyke Priest in Charge – Fr Paul Norwood (01205) 635817

THE PILGRIM GROUP MONTHLY NEWS

We have started our bible study sessions – this is about 8 people who attend currently, everyone is welcome it is on a Tuesday evening from 6pm tot 8pm. At the Vicarage, Penny Gardens.



Deanery Engagement Meeting.

Wednesday 12th November from 7.30pm At St Nicholas Community hall, Fishtoft Road.

or online on 3rd December or 1oth Decmeber

A chance to have your say either online or in person.

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A meeting with a member of the Diocese Senior staff - talk about where we are and how we move forward



Deanery engagement meeting – The wider church would like to know your views on where we go next in our time to grow. Details on the poster.









Harvest flowers and displays



We are starting to get ready for Christmas, with our Christmas tree festivals and fairs.

Keep an eye out for the posters and community fun.

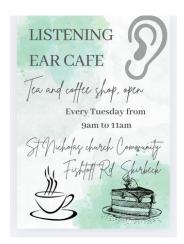
Christmas Social - Mulled wine and mince pies at the vicarage – 6pm to 9pm – 21st December.



St Nicholas Church Skirbeck Rosary and Mass First Saturday of the month 9.30am for Rosary 10.00am Mass



EVENTS AT SKIRBECK ST NICHOLAS











NEWS FROM SKIRBECK ST NICHOLAS

<u>MESSY CHURCH</u> is on Saturday 8th November, 3pm to 5pm in St Nicholas Community Hall. An afternoon of crafts, celebration and a yummy tea. Children must be accompanied by an adult, all ages welcome.

Listening Ear Café every Tuesday, 9am to 11am in St Nicholas Community Hall. Why not pop in for a cuppa, cake and a chat, all welcome.

<u>PIZZA, PRAISE AND PRAYER</u> is on Tuesday 25thNovember, 6pm to 8pm, in St Nicholas Community Hall. For ages 11 to 16, with a slightly different format, so do come along. Parents not required to stay but will need to sign attendance forms.

<u>ALL SOULS DAY MASS</u> will be a Benefice Mass held at SS Peter & Paul , Kirton on Sunday 2nd November at 5pm. All parishes are encouraged to attend.

<u>ST NICHOLAS DAY</u> on Saturday 6th December. Mass at 12 noon followed by a light lunch in the Community Hall. All welcome to attend.

<u>Fosdyke Patronal Festival</u> will be held at All Saints Church on 1st November at 12 noon, please support our sister parish in The Pilgrim Group.

FUND-RAISING

<u>Harvest Lunch</u> raised £650 for Church Funds. Thank you to all who supported this and those who worked hard to put it on.

<u>Christmas Prize Bingo</u> – Saturday 1 st November at 7pm (doors open at 6.30pm). Entry £2 includes refreshments, come and join us for a fabulous evening.

<u>CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL</u> – Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th November, 11am to 4pm both days. Our theme is 'Nursery Rhymes & Songs'. Decorated trees in Church; stalls, games, light lunches and refreshments in the Community Hall. **NOT TO BE MISSED!**

Advance notice – <u>WREATH MAKING</u> – Sunday 7th December at 2pm. £20 per person includes all materials, cuppa and cake. Phone Linda on 354687 to book your place.

CHURCH DONATIONS If you would like to support us, please visit our website and follow the link.

FROM THE PARISHREGISTERS

Holy Baptism 5th October - Briella Maria Lane;19th October - Isabel Reed, Mia Reed.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Website - www.skirbeckstnicholas.com

Email - skirbeckstnicholas@gmail.com

A Church Near You – www.achurchnearyou.com/church/14655/

Facebook - 'Like' us at St NicholasChurchSkirbeck

Please note – Twitter and Instagramarenolongerinuse.

CONTACT INFORMATION

BAPTISMS AND HOLY MATRIMONY-Please contact Fr Paul Norwood on (01205)635817. COMMUNITY HALL BOOKINGS-Please contact Mr & Mrs Reece on (01205)365324.

If you are unable to get to church and wish to receive communion at home, please contact Fr Paul Norwood on the above number.

EVENTS AT ST PETER & ST PAUL KIRTON

St Peter and St Paul's Kirton

All Souls Service Sunday 2nd November At St Peter and St Pauls Linton You are warmly welcome to attend a service to remember those who have gone before us from 5pm with refeshments afterwards.

Deck the Holly
21st November
2025
From 7.30pm to 9pm

Outside service, Lighting up the Holly tree,
Blessing the tree and the parish, carols, Mulled wine and mince pies,

This is a free event donations to parish projects.

Christmas Tree Festival
and Christmas Fair
22nd November 2025
From 12 noon to 4pm
Christmas Tree Festival and craft fair, refreshments, coffee and and games.

23rd November 2025
From 1pm to 4pm
Christmas Tree Festival and wreath making booking essential.

£20.00 per person use Eventhrite or Office@pilgrimgroup.uk

Sunday 23rd November
1pm to 4pm

St Peter and St Paul's Church

Christmas wreath making

Tickets are £20 each, which will include mulled wine and .mince pie, wreath making equipment and some instuction. Tickets from Eventrite or Carol at Office@pilgrimgroup.uk

Kirton Parish News

October was a very busy month and seemed to go on for a long time, We started with our harvest festival supper on the 4th October and catered for 46 people. It was a very fun event and no- one went hungry. Harvest services were well attended by the primary school and we collected lots of food for the food bank.



We held a Wave of light event for the

community and lots of people added ribbons for babies that were taken to heaven far too soon.

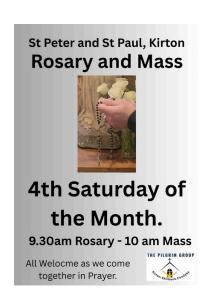




Our coffee morning was well attended, and we cleaned and tided the church.

Book club celebrated it 6th month of going and Sing - the woman's wellbeing group who meet on a Tuesday evening have seen some growth.







All Saints Patronal Festival All Saints Church

24 Old Main Rd, Fosdyke PE20 2BL Saturday 1st Nov 12 noon. All welcome

