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The Midmarsh Parish Maunder



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School Term Times for the Academic Year.
 These dates may not apply to voluntary-aided schools, foundation schools, free schools or academies.
 Check your school's website to confirm.


Christmas Break	21 st Dec. 2023 - 2 nd January 2024
Spring Half Term	10 th - 18 th February
Easter	29th March - 15th April
Summer Half Term	25th May - 2nd June




QUIET REFLECTION
St. Marys church Manby,
 will be open on
Tuesdays and Fridays
 between 10 am and 2 pm for quiet reflection.
 For further details contact the Churchwardens.
 Tel: Roger Green 01507 327260 or Dita Lacey 01507 327199

BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES AND FUNERALS
St Mary's Manby.
 is still open for baptisms, marriages and funerals.
 Please contact Louthesk Deanery office on 610247 to make a booking.

The Sunday School Teacher asks,
 "Now, Johnny, tell me frankly do you say prayers before eating?"
 "No ma'am," little Johnny replies, I don't have to. My mum is a good cook."



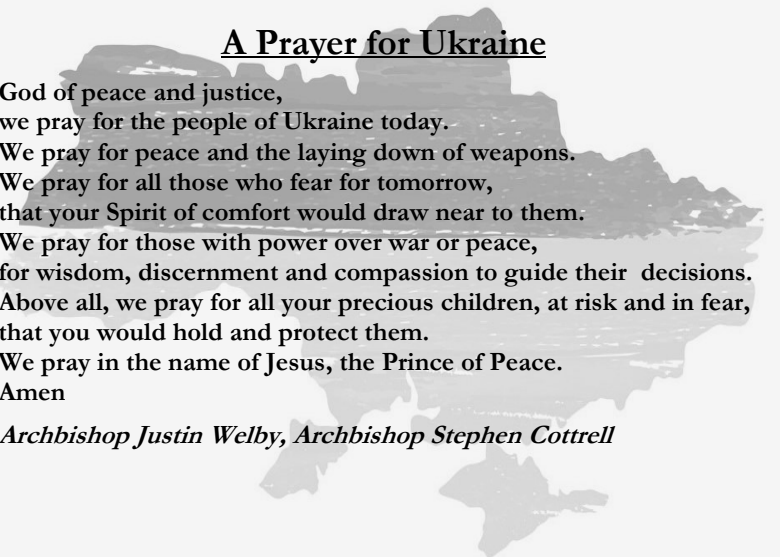
Deadline for the December Magazine is 14th November



A Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen

Archbishop Justin Welby, Archbishop Stephen Cottrell



A PRAYER FOR THE HOLY LAND

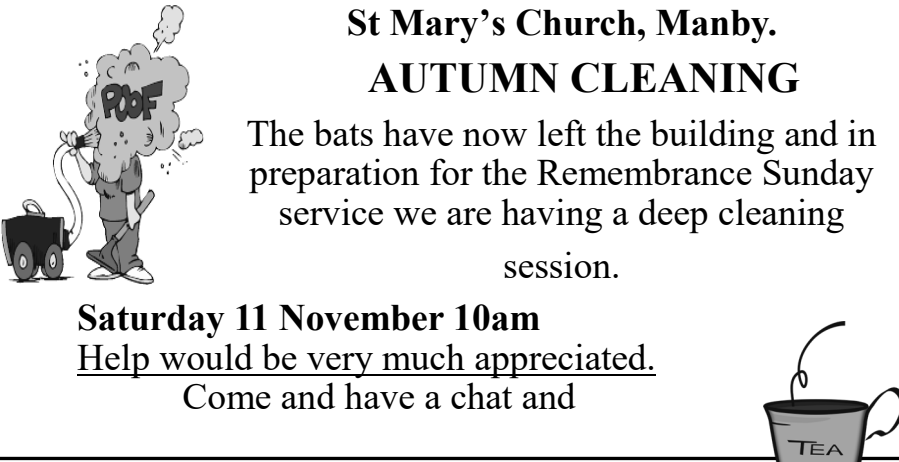
God of justice and peace, we hold before you the Israeli and Palestinian people in all their need, pain, and fear. Bring an end to humiliation, injustice, corruption and violence. Prosper all who work for peace with justice, that all the people of the Holy Land may know security and prosperity. We ask this through your Son, the Prince of peace, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Bishops of Lincoln, Grantham & Grimsby

St Mary's Church, Manby.
AUTUMN CLEANING

The bats have now left the building and in preparation for the Remembrance Sunday service we are having a deep cleaning session.

Saturday 11 November 10am
Help would be very much appreciated.
 Come and have a chat and



“Remember, remember the fifth of November.... “

Well, November is quite a month for remembering. It is a month that highlights how important remembering is in our Christian tradition; how remembering has shaped our worship today, and how it underpins our plans for the future.

We begin the month remembering All Saints’ Day, (we will celebrate it this year on 1st November). This is a day to remember the great heroes of the Christian faith, whose lives drew others to Christ; from the famous saints of the New Testament right through to the present day. We remember that we too are called to be saints, here and now, to shine as lights in the world, and by our lives, draw others to Christ. Celebrating All Saints’ Day began in the fourth century, so we are following a great Christian tradition.

Many churches also celebrate All Souls’ Day. It is sometimes known as the ‘Commemoration of the Faithful Departed’. This is the day when we pray with thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith, and ask that we may be strengthened by their examples.

November 11th sees the great Act of Remembrance: remembering those who have given their lives in the service of others in the two world wars and other wars. A day to remember with gratitude, and to pray for peace and justice in the world. On Sunday 12th we join together as a Benefice at 10.50 am in St. Marys, Manby for our annual Service of Remembrance.

However, alongside all these special days of remembering, week by week, we celebrate another act of remembrance together: the Holy Communion.

“This is my body, this is my blood, do this in remembrance of me”, said Jesus to his disciples. The Holy Communion is the central act of Christian Worship, the act of remembrance that Jesus gave to his disciples to continue. The great saints that we commemorate in November did just that, and they would exhort us to do the same: *“Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, that is my Gospel”* (2 Timothy 2:8).

Such Acts of Remembrance cannot be just for their own sakes: we remember so that we can be strengthened, learn and move out in mission. We remember those great Christian saints who have gone before us, so that we can be inspired by their examples in our lives today. We remember those who gave their lives in war, so that we can learn from the past and strive for peace and justice in the world today. We remember and receive Jesus’ gift of his body and blood each week, so that we can be strengthened to go out and do His will.

“Remember, Remember”, and in the spirit of remembrance let us give thanks for the past, value the present, and move forward together in mission.
Rev. Julie Oddy–Bates PtO.

Maunder Adult Brain Drain

We all have in our minds some verses of the Bible that we love. They were often learnt in childhood and have remained with us all our lives. Below are a selection of popular verses with a word or phrase missing. How well can you do in filling in those gaps?



- 1: You shall have no other _____ before me.
- 2: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of _____: but fools despise wisdom and instruction.
- 3: But the _____ is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.
- 4: No man can serve two _____: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and money.
- 5: Jesus said to him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no one comes to the _____, except by me.
- 6: He only is my rock and my _____: he is my defence; I shall not be moved.
- 7: But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall rise up with wings like _____; they shall run, and not grow weary; and they shall walk, and not grow faint.
- 8: Blessed are the _____: for they shall be called the children of God.
- 9: To every thing there is a _____, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:
- 10: And the third day there was a marriage in _____ of Galilee; and the mother of Jesus was there:





THE WISE MEN, BEING WISE, GOT ALL OF THEIR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING DONE WEEKS BEFORE THE RUSH

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS:



Season's Greetings!

Why not send your Christmas greetings to your friends or family by inserting your message in the Maunder Magazine and save on expensive postage, we will publish your Christmas message in next months edition. Simply send or email your requirements to the editor at blasterwavynavy@gmail.com by 14th November 2012 and we will do the rest!

Maunderings From The Editor

Welcome to this 'Pre-Christmas' edition of the Parish Maunder. No, I am not following the retail shops or garden centres in trying to bring Christmas in early, it's just that so much is happening at the beginning of December so it gives you plenty of time to make arrangements to attend or take part in these events. Anyway, enough of that for now until next month. Well, after the very warm start to autumn, we have now got well into the normal colder temperatures and we are fast heading into winter. Still, no time to relax, there is plenty to do in the garden, all that tidying up of fallen leaves and all the preparations of the flower and veggie beds, putting the garden to 'bed for the winter'. Then maybe relax a little before the excitement, rush, and busyness of Christmas and New Year, an awful lot of preparations for such a brief but important time in our Christian calendar, and something to look forward to. So wrap up, keep warm and see you in Advent.





**ST. MARYS CHURCH,
MANBY**
**REMEMBRANCE
SERVICE**
SUNDAY 12th November
 Parade to meet at **10.00am** and form up
 In base car park.
Meet in Churchyard for Wreath Laying
 at **10.50AM**
 Followed by
CHURCH SERVICE
 Led By
REV KIETH DALLY
 ALL WELCOME

Lest We Forget

Blow out, your bugles, over the rich dead!
 There's none of these so lonely and poor of old,
 But, dying, has made us rarer gifts than gold.
 These laid the world away : poured out the red
 Sweet wine of youth; gave up the years to be
 Of work and joy and that unhopd serene
 That men call age: and those who would have been
 Their sons, they gave their immortality.

Lt Rupert Brooke, Hood Battn, RND



St. Edith's Church Grimoldby

Is now open for private prayer,
for a time of gentle peace, and quiet reflection.
Monday to Friday during school terms
Look for our 'Church Open' Noticeboard at the
Lychgate.



FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Please pray for families in our parishes who have marked a significant family event in the last month.

The Funeral of Maureen Vamplew on 12th October at St. Edith's Grimoldby.

The Baptism of Evie Jayne Spence 22nd October at St. Edith's Grimoldby.

There are also a number of families in our parishes facing serious and life threatening illnesses, so please also hold them in your prayers.



Thank You Father, for our Midmarsh Churches.

We are grateful to be surrounded by people who love You and love us.
I pray that our family would settle for the long haul, ready to work alongside brothers and sisters in Christ as the Gospel goes forth.
Amen

Teaching Terry!



BENEFACT TRUST

Has approved a Grant application for repair work at
St. Edith's Grimoldby.

The Grant was applied for at the beginning of August for repairs which include



replacing missing and loose roof slates, re-bedding the ridge tiles, replacing defective flashings and the replacement of cast iron guttering to both sides of the chancel roof.

A part B faculty application was made in December last year just prior to the introduction of Faculty application fees, with the approval being received in September. The big difficulty was to invite the many

contractors to give estimates, with only one response received. At time of publication we are awaiting confirmation of commencement dates from the contractor Rodden & Cooper Ltd.

Details for an on-line grant application can be found at www.benefacttrust.co.uk or for advice contact ian.hearn@benefacttrust.co.uk

COFFEE MORNING

every 1st Wednesday of the month
10.30a.m till Noon.



At St. Peter's Church, Main Road, Saltfleetby

Free

Tea, Coffee, and Cakes.

Everyone welcome



UNBREAKABLE IN JESUS:

Louis Zamperini's military plane crashed at sea during the war, killing eight of the eleven men on board. Louis' and two others clambered into life rafts. They drifted for two months, fending off sharks, riding out storms, ducking bullets from an enemy plane, and catching and eating raw fish and birds. They finally drifted onto an island and were immediately captured.

For two years Louie was beaten, tortured and worked mercilessly as a prisoner of war. His remarkable story is told in the book Unbroken. Jeremiah is one of the Bible's unbreakable characters. He endured enemy plots (Jeremiah 11:18) was whipped and put into stocks (20:2) flogged and bound in a dungeon (37:15-16) and lowered by ropes into the deep mire of a cistern (38:6) He survived because God had promised to stay with him and rescue him (1-8) God makes a similar promise to us: Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you (Hebrews 13:5) God didn't promise to save Jeremiah or us from trouble, but He has promised to carry us through trouble.

Louis recognised God's protection, and after the war he gave his life to Jesus. He forgave his captors and led some to Christ. Louis realised that while we can't avoid all problems, we need not suffer them alone.

When we face them with Jesus, we become unbreakable.

Jesus, You are stronger than any storm. Please carry me through the one I am facing!

Church
Bellringing
At
St. John The Baptist, Carlton.

For more information on
this ancient traditional
British pastime.



Contact:
Louise Smith Tel: 07810 867382,
email: crakerfarm@hotmail.co.uk

Christmas
Craft & Gift Fayre
in aid of Mimi's Mission

Saturday, November 11th
10am - 4pm
Great Carlton Village Hall

Phone Sarah Howard
to book a table.
07578 704083

Refreshments by St John the Baptist Church

FREDA'S CHARITY SHOP
Continues every Saturday at
The Elms, Middlesykes Lane, Grimoldby.
Please do visit and support Freda in her most important work
in raising funds for our local Charities.

St. John The Baptist, Great Carlton

Christmas Craft and Gift Fayre

10am to 4pm Saturday 11 November -

The church is providing light refreshments at the Fayre and donations of cake would be most welcome. Please contact John Smith 01507 328369.

Christmas Tree Festival

December 2nd - 7th church open for viewing 10am to 4pm.

Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd 1-4pm children's activities, a book stall and festive refreshments

Creating more space for social gatherings.

We have removed some pews from the north aisle to create an open space for church events and gatherings. For example, we are having a Christmas Tree Festival at the beginning of December when the extra space will be helpful. The plan is to assess the value of the change over the coming months and then the



best layout for the area should it prove useful. Four pews are in temporary storage until a final decision is made.

Date for diary - Saturday 9th December from 9am Autumn churchyard clear-up

Each year, ready for the Christmas season, we trim the hedges, clear the drive, tidy the churchyard, blow leaves off the

grass, strim round graves, weed flower beds, clear rain water drains, trim overhanging branches etc.

We would be most grateful for volunteers to help with this work and if able to bring a rake, hedge trimmers, leaf blowers, strimmers etc. it would help to speed up the process. Light refreshments are served mid-morning. For more information, please contact John Smith on 01507 328369. Thank you.

Thank you to everyone who supported and made this year's Harvest Service possible.

Photo of .harvest Sheaf prepared by Louise Smith.

Rota's

November Cleaning: C Carter/V Galey

Flowers: M Neilsen

December Cleaning: M Neilsen/M Smith

Flowers: M Neilsen



Maunder Junior Brain Drain

Noah's Ark

We have had lots of rain over the summer and now into autumn, but not nearly as much as old Noah in the Bible. Can you unscramble each of the clue words below that are associated with his story?

Copy the letters in the numbered cells in the bottom grid with the same

number to find another word which appears in the story.

RAHTE						
OFLOD			6			
FEAL						
HAON	4					
NAMALI			3			
TYRFO			1			
PIAR		2				
KAR						
RIAN						
LDROW					7	
DRIB	5					

1	2	3	4	5	6	7



ST. EDITH'S GRIMOLDBY

Candlelit

Nine Lessons & Carols



**Sunday 3rd
December
commencing at
5.00pm**




Refreshments with Mulled wine.

ALL WELCOME

St Marys, Manby PCC.

Would like to ask the residents in the village of Manby, how they would like to see the church used and would welcome your suggestions as to how St Mary's can best serve the community. Please forward your views and/or comments to:
Churchwardens Roger Green Tel 327260 or Dita Lacey Tel 327199.



St. John the Baptist Church
at Great Carlton

**Christmas
TREE
FESTIVAL**

December 2nd - 7th 2023

Come and have a look during
normal opening times
(10am - 4.00pm) or come along
for childrens activities, a book
stall and festive refreshments
1-4pm 2nd & 3rd December

All funds raised for
'MIMIS MISSION'

Contact for information if you
would like to display a tree
Carol 07887 623803
Victoria 07774 015918
Kathy 07584 173168
Louise 07788 415836

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**St. Leonards
South Cockerington**

COFFEE, CHAT, CATCH-UP & CLEAN



every 1st Tuesday of the month

10.00a.m, till 12.00 Noon.

Everyone welcome

Service Rota for November 2023

<u>Date</u>	<u>Season</u>	<u>Alvingham</u> St. Adelwolds	<u>Great Carlton</u> St. John The Baptist	<u>Grimoldby</u> St. Edith's	<u>Manby</u> St. Marys	<u>Saltfleetby</u> St. Peter's	<u>South Cockerington</u> St. Leonards	<u>Set Readings</u>
5th November	4th Sunday before Advent Green		9.30am Holy Communion Rev Robert Mansfield			10.30am C of E Holy Communion Rev Daphne King		Micah 3.5-12 Psalm 43* 1 Thessalonians 2.9-13 Matthew 24.1-14
12th November	3rd Sunday before Advent Green				10.50am Remembrance Service. Rev Kieth Dally	10.30am Methodist Service Meeting of friends Local team		Amos 5.18-24 Psalm 70 1 Thessalonians 4.13-18 Matthew 25.1-13
19th November	2nd Sunday before Advent Green		9.30am Morning Prayer	10.30am Morning Worship Peter Bates		10.30am C of E Meeting of friends Local Team		Zephaniah 1.7,12-18 Psalm 90.1-8[9-11]12 1 Thessalonians 5.1-11 Matthew 25.14-30
26th November	Christ the King. Sunday before Advent Red			10.30am Holy Communion Rev Julie Oddy-Bates		10.30am Methodist Holy Communion Mrs Elaine Fox		Ezekiel 34.11-16,20-24 Psalm 95.1-7 Ephesians 1.15-23 Matthew 25.31-46
3rd December	Advent 1 Purple		9.30am Holy Communion Rev Robert Mansfield	5.00pm 9 Lessons & Carols Rev Julie Oddy-Bates				Isaiah 64.1-9 Psalm 80.1-8, 18-20 1 Corinthians 1.3-9 Mark 13.24-37

**If you have ANY Cold, Flu or Covid Symptoms, Please DO NOT Attend Services.
Readings at services may vary depending on type of service.
For any late variations, please check Church notice boards.**