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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.

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 a

Monday, Wednesday and Friday

between 10 am and 2 pm for quiet reflection. The Church will be closed during School Holidays For further details contact the Churchwardens. Tel: Roger Green 01507 327260 or Dita Lacey 07568473413



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.



Deadline for the April Magazine is 14th March

Towards the end of the morning service, the priest announced, "anyone with 'special needs' who wants to be prayed over, please come forward to the front by the altar." David rose from his pew and got in line, when it was his turn, the Priest asked, "David, what do you want me to pray about for you?" David replied, I need you to pray for help with my hearing." The priest put one finger of one hand in David's ear, placed his other hand on top of David's head, and then prayed and prayed and prayed for David, and so the whole congregation joined in with great enthusiasm.

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After a few minutes, the preacher removed his hands, stood back and asked, "David, how is your hearing now?" David answered, "I don't know. My hearing ain't 'til next week."



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 King.

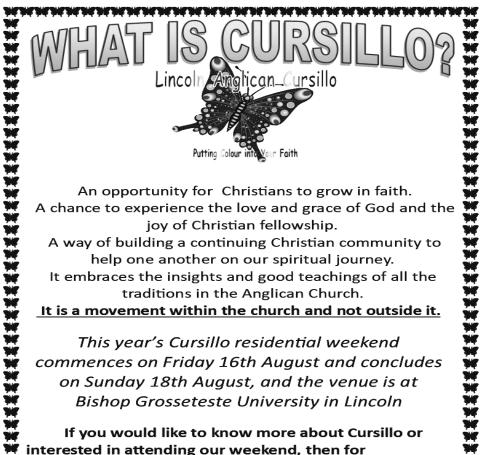
Father of all Mercies, grant to Charles our king comfort and sure confidence in you and keep him in perpetual peace and safety, through Jesus Christ our Lord Amen.

Early Christians in Mesopotamia dyed eggs in the period after Easter.

The practice was adopted by the Orthodox Churches, and from there it spread into Western Europe.

Eggs represent new life and rebirth, and it's thought that this ancient custom was absorbed into Easter celebrations.





An opportunity for Christians to grow in faith. A chance to experience the love and grace of God and the joy of Christian fellowship.

A way of building a continuing Christian community to help one another on our spiritual journey. It embraces the insights and good teachings of all the traditions in the Anglican Church.

It is a movement within the church and not outside it.

This year's Cursillo residential weekend commences on Friday 16th August and concludes on Sunday 18th August, and the venue is at Bishop Grosseteste University in Lincoln

If you would like to know more about Cursillo or interested in attending our weekend, then for more information please contact:

laydirector@lincolncursillo.org.uk or Rev Jacqui Morton on 01507 622639 🙀 revjacqui.morton@gmail.com



Teaching Terry! UNIQUE, CUSTOM STAND DESIGNED WORK OF HAIRCUT OUT IN THE GOD, WONDERFULLY CROWD? FEARFULLY MADE

Maunder Adult Brain Drain

Word Search Puzzle for Maundy Thursday

from www.geocities.com/lectionarypuzzles/

Words from the list on the right appear in a straight line in all directions on the grid below. Can you find them all?

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(John 13:3-5) Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. Then he poured water into



a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him.

Answers to last month's quiz: 1. Owl, bat, dove. 2. Frog, goat, dog 3. Ass, hen, gnat. 4. Camel, ant, bee. 5. Dragon, Ape. Asp. 6. Raven Bear, lion, 7. Sheep, eagle, ostrich.

Church Bellringing

At

St. John The Baptist, Carlton.

For more information on this ancient traditional British pastime.



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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.

Maunderings From The Editor

Hints of Spring are now well under way, with thanks to the mild winter and especially to the near summer temperatures we have had this last February. Although most encouraging to see new life beginning to burst out, we are very much warned of the threat of global warming which is endangering God's creation and we all having to accept our responsibilities. No doubt we do try at our own local and individual levels, but much more is needed by the world as a whole, united. I still do now believe this can be achieved but only with the help of God. This unique world of ours has gone through so many and far greater disasters over the last 3 billion years. However, God's creation has always overcome them and survived, albeit with many huge changes, every time. The world must learn to accept and adapt to these great changes and must look to God for his help and guidance to bring humankind through. At this time of new life and the rising from the dead of our Lord, I would like to wish you all a very happy and peaceful Easter.

From Darkness to Light

February is a dull, dreary month for most of us with the dark, cold days, long nights, rain and snow. Outside the trees are bare and nothing grows and inside the lights and decorations of the Christmas season seem long gone. Then March creeps in full of promise and hope. The days lengthen, bulbs begin to push through the newly warmed soil and tree branches swell and burst into new leaf. All around there is new life and the suns warmth grows steadily stronger.

For me it is the perfect time of the year for the Christian season of Lent, which began this year on 14th February and will culminate, at the end of this month, on 31st March, Easter Sunday.

Throughout Lent most churches are sombre and bare of flowers or decoration and the colour for the season is purple.

Lent is a season of soul-searching and repentance. It is a season for reflection and taking stock. Lent originated in the very earliest days of the Church as a preparatory time for Easter, when the faithful rededicated themselves and when converts were instructed in the faith and prepared for baptism. By observing the forty days of Lent, the individual Christian imitates Jesus' withdrawal into the wilderness for forty days.

So the barrenness and darkness of the natural world at this time of year is a perfect reflection of that wilderness time endured by Jesus.

The last week of Lent, Holy Week, begins on Palm Sunday and as Christians we travel in "real time" with Jesus through the last week of his earthly life; through the Last Supper on Maundy Thursday to the Cross of Good Friday and finally into the tomb on a hillside outside the city walls. As we reflect on these things, we are drawn deeper and deeper into a knowledge of God's love for us and our undeservedness of that love.

Then comes the glorious celebrations of Easter Sunday. Our churches are filled with white and gold altar linens, the flowers adorn our worship space once again and the hymns are bursting with joy and gladness. Together we proclaim, "Christ is Risen", and together we know that because he is risen, then so shall we be. We may not deserve and cannot earn God's love and acceptance, but through the cross, Christ's death and his resurrection we experience his unconditional love once more.

Outside the fields are full of life and the hope of summer to come, inside we are filled with new life through Jesus and the hope of eternity within God's love.

I pray that this Easter, having travelled the hard road through the wilderness of Lent you will come to the joy of Easter day with a deeper understanding of the depth of God's love for you.

Rev J L Oddy-Bates

Dates of Church Vestry Meetings & Annual Parochial Church Meetings (APCMs)

Churchwardens are chosen annually at the Easter Vestry Meeting at which the people entitled to vote are:

- a) Anybody on the electoral roll of the parish.
- b) Anybody who lives in the parish and whose name is on the register of local government electors.
- c) After the churchwardens have been chosen, only those on the Electoral Roll of the parish church are entitled to vote on the business of the Annual Parochial Church Meeting.

Alvingham	To be arranged
Great Carlton	To be arranged
Grimoldby	Monday 15th April at 3.00pm at St. Edith's Church.
Manby	To be arranged
Saltfleetby	To be arranged
South	To be arranged
Cockerington	

FOR MUMS, STEP MUMS AND CARERS

What does my mother mean to me
My greatest friend she'll always be
She was there the day I was born
She was there when my heart got torn
As a kid when I scraped my knee
Unconditional love she offered to me
Deep down I know you're always there
So this is from me to show I care
Cause now am older the time has come
To say to you I Love You Mum

You left us beautiful memories,
your love is still our guide. ...
We love you and we miss you mum,
and though you've passed away,
you'll never be forgotten,
for we think of you each day.
Mum, your life was a blessing, your memory



We meet every 2nd
Thursday of the month
at 7p.m.
in Manby & Grimoldby
Village Hall,

unless otherwise advised.

Contact details for further information on how to join or upcoming events are:

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HELP!!!

What YOU can DO if you experience a Burst or leaking pipe.

Here are some tips on what to do if you have one in your home to minimise any damage:

- 1. Turn off the water supply
 Find and turn off the main stop tap it should be in the cupboard under your kitchen sink or where the service pipe comes into your home.
- 2. Drain the cold-water system, turn on all your cold taps to do this.
- 3. Turn off water heating systems. Switch off your central heating, immersion heater or any other water heating systems. If you use solid fuel, let this die out. Once it's shut down, turn on the hot taps to drain the system.
- 4. Turn off the electrics. Don't touch any wet electrical fittings such as lights, sockets, or appliances. Switch off the electricity supply straight away and call an electrician.
- 5. Release any ceiling water. If water's been leaking for a while, it may have damaged your ceiling plaster. If you see a bulge in the ceiling, make a hole to release the plaster and water.
- 6. Check your insurance. Your home policy may cover you for plumbing or heating emergencies; if it does, contact your insurer for assistance.
- 7. Call a professional to repair the damage. If you need to find a qualified plumbing and/or heating professional, take a look at the online search tool WaterSafe.



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FOR YOUR PRAYERS

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

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

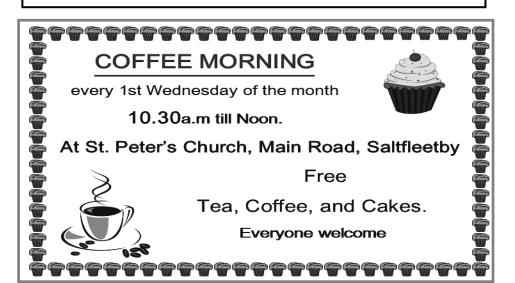


A PRAYER FOR THE HOLY LAND

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



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St. John The Baptist, Great Carlton.



The temporary removal of 4 benches and re-layout of the north aisle pews has proved successful and the PCC are preparing a faculty application to make the area an open space and improve access further.

Details will follow in the coming months.

Roof Repairs

The heavy rain last year and the loss of some tiles on the nave and chancel roofs has resulted in an increase in water leaks in several areas and a meeting was recently held with the church architect and a contractor to develop a short and medium repair plan.

There will be an update in the April Parish Maunder.

Church yard grass mowing - volunteers needed please.

We are fortunate to have help from volunteers to mow the churchyard and maintain the grass so well. At present it is split into 3 areas and we are seeking a volunteer or volunteers to work on a rota to cover the back of the church. There is a self-propelled mower to use, located in the toilet lobby area, which can be accessed at any time and fuel is provided.

Thank you.

If you are able to help or would like to know more, please contact John Smith on 01507 328369 or any member of the PCC. Thank you...

WHEELCHAIR

For FREE Loan at Grimoldby Church For Details Contact Peter Bates Tel; 01507 328917



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GOOD FRIDAY:

The Death of Jesus

From noon until three in the afternoon darkness came over all the land. About three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"). When some of those standing there heard this thoy said "He's gal

those standing there heard this, they said, "He's calling Elijah." Immediately one of them ran and got a sponge.

He filled it with wine vinegar, put it on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink. The rest said, "Now leave him alone. Let's see if Elijah comes to save him." And when Jesus had cried out again in a loud voice, he gave up his spirit.

At that moment, the temple curtain was torn in two from top to bottom. The earth shook, the rocks split and the tombs broke open. The bodies of many holy people who had died were raised to life. They came out of the tombs after Jesus' resurrection and went into the holy city and appeared to many people.

When the centurion and those with him who were guarding Jesus saw the earthquake and all that had happened, they were terrified, and exclaimed, "Surely he was the Son of God!" Many women were there, watching from a distance. They had followed Jesus from Galilee to care for his needs.

Among them were Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James and Joseph, and the mother of Zebedee's sons.

(Matthew 27:45-56)



Easter Saturday - It is also known as Easter Eve, Easter Even, Black Saturday, or the Saturday before Easter. Jesus lay in his tomb after he died. He was resurrected on Easter Sunday, the day after Holy Saturday, according to Christians. .

Maunder Junior Brain Drain

He's Alive Biscuits

Why not try making these exciting biscuits for Easter morning?

IngredientsFor Biscuit Dough

315 gm plain flour

1/4 teaspoon baking powder

1/4 teaspoon salt

225gm unsalted butter at room temperature 170 gm sugar

170 gm sugar

Directions

1 large egg

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

For Filling:

8 large marshmallows 50gm melted butter 2 teaspoons Cinnamon 2 teaspoons Caster Sugar

♦ In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, baking powder, and salt. Set aside.

- Using an electric mixer, beat the butter and sugar until smooth. Add the egg and beat until fluffy, about 2 minutes. Beat in the vanilla.
- ♦ With the mixer on low, gradually add the flour mixture, mixing until just incorporated (the dough will be stiff). refrigerate, wrapped, for at least 1 hour and up to 3 days.
- ♦ Roll dough out on a floured work surface to about ¾ cm thickness, and cut circles with a medium biscuit cutter
- ♦ Mix together the caster sugar and cinnamon in another small bowl.
- ◆ Take one marshmallow, which represents the body of Christ.
- ♦ Dip the marshmallow in the butter and then roll it in the cinnamon and sugar mixture. This mixture represents the oils and spices used to wash Jesus body after he had died.
- ◆ Lay the marshmallow on the dough and carefully wrap it around the marshmallow.
- ♦ Make sure all seams are pinched together well. This represents the tomb, which was sealed with a large stone.
- ♦ Place on a baking sheet and Bake at 200° for 8 minutes (or until golden brown)
- ♦ Cool on a wire rack.
- ♦ When cool bite into the cookies you will find that the marshmallow has melted and the centre of the cookie is empty!!! Just as Mary and the disciples came to the tomb on Easter morning to find the tomb empty because Jesus had risen from the dead.

You can find the story in the Bible (John 20 6:7)



The Wonderful World of Roof Angels

Not all angels have wings
A Talk By
Geoff Wheatley (Angelic Researcher!)
On Saturday 27th April 2024.

(At St. Edith's Church from 2.00pm)

A Unique Opportunity To See and Hear About Lincolnshire's Historic Angels.

Learn about Lincolnshire's Medieval Angelic Hosts including "Stars of St. Edith's"

The talk will commence at 2.30pm.

Tickets £5pp(Children under 12 free)

Pay at Door (Cash Only as no internet available)

or for Advance Booking

Email Mr Peter Bates at blasterwavynavy@gmail.com Or Tel 01507 328917.

Art, Craft stalls and Displays.

Light Refreshments available.

Proceeds and profits to support the ongoing work to our angels.

St. Edith's Church, Tinkle Street, Grimoldby. LN11 8SW

St. Leonards
South Cockerington

COFFEE, CHAT, CATCH-UP & CLEAN

every 1st Tuesday of the month
10.00a.m, till 12.00 Noon.

Everyone welcome

St Peters Church, Saltfleetby. Lincolnshire Chine Supper.



Saturday 13th April 2024 commencing at 7:00pm.

Tickets, £12.00,
Available from
June Spetch 07961 424988
or Pete Hatton 07443 508055

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.

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Service Rota for March 2024

<u>Date</u>	Season	Alvingham	Great	<u>Grimoldby</u>	Manby	Saltfleetby	South	Set Readings
		St. Adelwolds	Carlton	St. Edith's	St. Marys	St. Peter's	Cockerington	
			St. John The Baptist				St. Leonards	
3rd March	Lent 3 Purple		9.30am Holy Communion Rev Robert Mansfield			10.30am Holy Communion Rt Rev David Court Bishop of Grimsby		Exodus 20.1-17 Psalm 19* 1 Corinthians 1.18- 25 John 2.13-22
10th March Mothering Sunday	Lent 4 Purple	10.30am Morning Worship		10.30am Rise & Worship Rev Julie Oddy-Bates Peter Bates		10.30am Methodist Service Mrs Carol Carter		Numbers 21.4-9 Psalm 107.1-3, 17- 22* Ephesians 2.1-10 John 3.14-21
17th March	Lent 5 Purple		9.30am Morning Prayer	10.30am Morning Worship Peter Bates		10.30am C of E Prayers Local Team		Jeremiah 31.31-34 Psalm 51.1-13 or Psalm 119.9-16 Hebrews 5.5-10 John 12.20-33
24th March	Palm Sunday Red			10.30am Palm Sunday Service Peter Bates		10.30am Methodist Holy Communion Mrs Tricia Johnson		Mark 11.1-11 or John 12.12-16 Psalm 118.1-2, 19- 24*
29th March	Good Friday Hangings Removed			11.00am Proclamation of the Cross Rev Julie Oddy-Bates				Isaiah 52.13 — 53.12 Psalm 22* Hebrews 10.16-25 or Hebrews 4.14-16; 5.7-9 John 18.1 — 19.42
31st March	Easter Gold or White			10.30am Benefice Holy Communion Rev Julie Oddy-Bates		10.30am C of E Service Local Team	3.00pm Service of the Word Lay Led	Acts 10.34-43 or Isaiah 25.6-9 Psalm 118.1-2, 14- 24* 1 Corinthians 15.1- 11 or Acts 10.34-43 John 20.1-18 or Mark 16.1-8

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.

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