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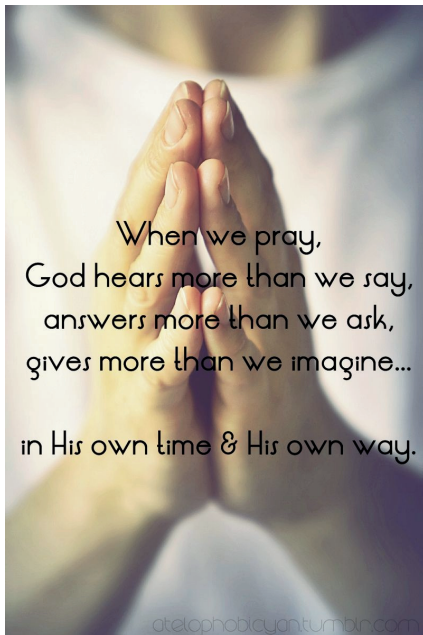
Welcome to the Weekly Newsletter for The Bain Valley & Woodhall Spa Group of Churches

Services in our Churches Sunday 3rd August

9.30am Eucharist Holy Trinity Tattershall - Revd Michael
11am Choral Morning Prayer St Peter's Woodhall Spa
Revd Sall
5pm Eucharist St Peter's Stixwold - Revd Sall

The Midweek Service at St Peter's Woodhall Spa
on Wednesday 30th July at 9.30am
is a service of Morning prayer
with our wonderful Reader
Mrs Sheila Mullinger
Revd Sall will be back on Wednesday 6th

Sheila Mullinger's
FRIDAY SLOT is LIVE on
www.facebook.com/WoodhallSpaGoC



When we pray,
God hears more than we say,
answers more than we ask,
gives more than we imagine...
in His own time & His own way.

Make August the month
when you spend a little
more time with God.
The ability to pray is the
gift He has given us to
encourage us to talk with
Him. So share your fears,,
your concerns for loved
ones, as well as your
moments of joy, and have
faith that God will hear
all that you say to Him.
He is always with you and
always listens to you.

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Have you got parish news, photographs or stories, that you want to share ?
Contact Revd Sall on sally.clifton@lincoln.anglican.org with the details.

Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy
keep us in the same;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Church Warden Andrew Price has been busy
updating A Church Near You which is the Church
of England website dedicated to keeping us all
informed about what is happening in each of our
churches and when. Service times and types are
listed as are details of all the events and mission
work that is happening in our villages. Check it
out at <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/>

SAFEGUARDING INFORMATION

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Ecclesiastes 1.2, 12-14 Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind. I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me —and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Psalm 49 v 1- 9

Colossians 3.1-11 So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Luke 12.13-21

Someone in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'



If you live in Woodhall Spa, Kirkstead, Bucknall, Horsington, Langton or Stixwold you can get married in any of the churches in those villages.

If you live in Tattershall, Coningsby, Roughton or Kirkby on Bain, you can get married in any of the churches in those villages.

If you were christened in one of the churches in any of those villages, you can get married in that church.

If your parents or grandparents were married in any of those churches, you can get married in the same church.