

# St Edward's and St Nicholas'

In the Benefice of Castle Donington with Lockington cum Hemington



14<sup>th</sup> June 2026



## Second Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 18: 1-15; Matthew 9:35-10:8

### Today's Collect

Faithful Creator,  
whose mercy never fails:  
deepen our faithfulness to you  
and to your living Word,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**A very warm welcome to our worship today, whether you live in Hemington, Lockington or Castle Donington, or are visiting.**

10.30am	Holy Communion	St Edward's Church
4.00pm	Rooted: Prayer & Praise	St Edward's Hall

**If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, please do not hesitate to talk to one of the clergy. They would be delighted to pray quietly with you.**

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**Come. See. God is doing something new!**

*The next News Sheet will be published for Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June.  
Please do send in your items to the Parish email address above. Thank you.*

## Rooted – today at 4pm

*Rooted* is a short time together for us to worship and pray, suitable for the whole family. As we continue in the Shaped by God Together process, our prayers will be focused on meeting with God and waiting and listening to hear what God may be saying to us individually, and as a church. We gather for about 40 minutes followed by time for cake, coffee and a chat.



## Download – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June



Please pray for all attending the Download Festival this weekend, for safe journeys, good weather and a fun time. Pray, too, for the team of Chaplains who will be on site to listen to and pray with those who request it, that good conversations will be had. If you would like to join the Prayer Team or receive on email the Download Prayer Requests, please send an email to: [festivalprayer@cdlh-churches.org](mailto:festivalprayer@cdlh-churches.org).

## 🚩 Castle Donington Classic Vehicle & Community Celebration 🚩

*Fun for everyone!* A Classic Vehicle & Community Celebration is being held on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June from 2-5pm. Church will be open at the same time with refreshments, games and a bouncy castle, artwork display from local schools, and a film screening in Church at 4pm.

*Could you volunteer to help on the day?*

We need people to help with refreshments, to be stewards to help with set up and clear away, and volunteers to supervise some of the children's games. Please have a chat with Maria Laxton if you could help with activities or stewarding on the day.

*We also need lots of cakes please!*

Do speak to Val Ellett if you could bake some cakes or help serve refreshments.



It's essential that we engage in these events in support of our village community as our church continues to be a sign of God's loving presence at the heart of our local life.



**Come and join us for MORNING PRAYER**

*A time of peace to pray together and dwell a little on the reading for the day*

**Tuesdays & Fridays at 9am in St Edward's Church**

## St Nicholas' Church upcoming dates for the diary:

Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	9am	Holy Communion
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	10am – 2pm	Hemlock Yard Sale
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> July	9am	Holy Communion
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	9am	Morning Worship



## Foodbank



Thank you so much for your donations to Foodbank – they make a huge difference. Our local branch have now set up Amazon Wish Lists as a way people can buy things to donate to the foodbank. There are three wishlists: [urgently needed items](#), [food and drink](#), and [personal care and household items](#)

The Foodbank is open Thursday mornings between 10.30am and 12.30pm. If you are hungry, or know someone who is, **a foodbank voucher can be requested via The Hub**, or please speak to Revd Sue. This is completely confidential. Keep up with the latest news from the Foodbank on their Facebook page [here](#) and new Instagram page [here](#) – do follow them!

## New advice drop-in at Castle Donington Community Hub starting 15th June



**Come along and drop-in anytime from 9am-3pm, one Monday every 3 months.**

- Speak with a trained adviser for confidential support
- We're here to help, whatever the problem
- All advice is tailored to your individual needs
- We promise to Listen, Act and Empower



## Castle Donington Community Hub 101 Bondgate, Derby, DE74 2NR

For more advice, visit <https://citizensadviceleicestershire.org/>

## Please pray for:

- the family and friends of Margaret (Rita) Logan, Alex's mum, whose funeral will be at 1pm on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July in St Edward's Church;
- safety, good conversations, and an abundance of fun at the Download Festival; for the team of Chaplains, Setup crews, the Welfare and Security teams, and all those on site;
- the St Philip's Centre in Leicester and their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration this weekend; for all the work they do to help diverse communities encounter one another in meaningful ways, to build understanding and trust and learn how to live well together;
- those who are in hospital, undergoing or recovering from surgery or other treatment, and for those who work so hard to heal, to comfort, and to restore them to health;
- peace and justice in our troubled and fractious world.

## Diary for Monday 15<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026

The Church Office will be open from **10.00am to 3.00pm** on Tuesday and Friday.

### Tuesday

Morning Prayer	9.00am	St Edward's Church
PCC Meeting	7.00pm	Cordwell Close

### Wednesday

Holy Communion	10.00am	St Edward's Church
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### Thursday

Church cleaning	9.30am – 11.00am	St Edward's Church
Little Sunbeam Club	10.00am – 11.30am	St Edward's Hall
Foodbank	10.30am – 12.30pm	St Anne's Room

### Friday

Morning Prayer	9.00am	St Edward's Church
Warm Welcome Space	10.00am – 2.00pm	St Edward's Hall

### Saturday

Church Open/Community Celebration	2.00pm – 5.00pm	St Edward's Church
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### Sunday

BCP Holy Communion	8.30am	St Edward's Church
Morning Worship	10.30am	St Edward's Hall

