

The Benefice of Groby & Ratby

September 2026

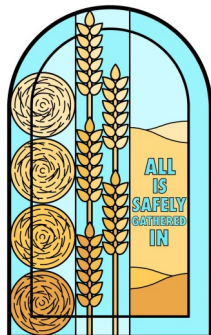
Dear friends,

As I write this letter, there is a lot of joy and excitement around the world because of the football World Cup and the tennis at Wimbledon. People in many countries are watching, cheering, and sharing the highs and lows together. Sport can bring people together in a wonderful way. It is also common to see passionate fans praying for their team to win, and footballers praying as they walk onto the pitch.

At the same time, we are very aware of the great sadness in Venezuela after the terrible earthquakes. Many people have died, many more have lost loved ones, homes and possessions, and there is an urgent need for food, shelter, clean water and medical help.

There is a real irony in seeing pictures of celebration on one television report and then, only moments later, seeing pictures of such suffering and loss. One thing that has struck me personally while watching reports of the disaster is the strong faith in God shown by many of those who have survived. In the middle of fear, grief and uncertainty, their trust and hope I have found to be deeply moving and so humbling.

The Bible says, "Rejoice with those who rejoice; weep with those who weep" (Romans 12:15). That feels very right for this moment. As Christians, we can enjoy good things and celebrate with others, but we also keep our hearts open to those who are suffering.



Please pray for the people of Venezuela: for those who are grieving, injured, homeless or afraid. Pray too for rescue workers, doctors, nurses, churches and aid workers who are helping people in very difficult circumstances.

If you are able to give, please consider supporting Christian Aid as they help people affected by this disaster. A small gift can still make a real difference when it is joined with the gifts of others.

As a church family, we can also look for practical ways to help. This might be through a collection, sharing trusted information, or encouraging one another to respond with kindness and generosity.

In times like these, we remember that God is close to the broken-hearted. May God comfort the people of Venezuela, strengthen all who are helping, and help us to respond with prayer, compassion and love.

With every blessing,
Joan Hawkins
Associate Minister
Ratby Parish Church

Holiday Club 2026: A Week Filled With Joy, Creativity, and Community

This year's Holiday Club has been a wonderful success, filling Ratby Church with colour, laughter, and the kind of energy that only a room full of excited children can create. Over two vibrant days, children explored big ideas through games, drama, crafts, and storytelling — and the joy on their faces said it all.

Every activity sparked curiosity and confidence. The children threw themselves into each challenge with enthusiasm, and it was a delight to watch friendships form, creativity flourish, and little moments of bravery shine through.

Our volunteers were at the heart of it all. Their warmth, patience, and willingness to dive into the joyful chaos made the programme run smoothly and created a welcoming space for every child. Whether leading games, supporting crafts, or offering a friendly smile, they helped make Holiday Club feel like a true community celebration.

The feedback from families has been overwhelmingly positive, with many commenting on how much their children enjoyed the mix of fun, faith, and friendship. Holiday Club continues to be a highlight of the summer — a place where children feel safe, valued, and inspired.

As we pack away the last of the craft supplies and reflect on the week, one thing is clear: Holiday Club 2026 has been a shining example of what happens when a community comes together with love, creativity, and a shared desire to make memories that last.

Louise Brown



Services and Events in September

Guess what - our alternating 8am communions (3rd Sunday in Groby, 2nd and 4th Sundays in Ratby) continue. Note no 8am service in Groby on 6th September! Then a 9.30am (in Groby) or 10am (in Ratby) service every week, alternating between communion and morning worship will continue. And of course Rev'd Ed will be back this month and we'll be joined by our new curate Cam Lewis as well – so come and worship with us!

As I remind you each month, never forget all our other regular services will continue – our lovely Telephone Church, every Sunday at 11.15am (call 0333 0164 757; room number 10336316#; pin 1920#) and during the week we continue to have morning prayer every Monday at 9am in Ratby and 9.30am Wednesday Communion in Groby every week. Our online Compline will be every Tuesday at 9pm (<https://www.facebook.com/StPandStJ>).

Keep an eye on everything else in the magazine and on our newssheets for all the other events coming up. And all our regular activities will restart with the new term – details of these and other things all in the magazine!

God bless you all. Prayers, as ever,
Rev'd Ed

SUNDAY TELEPHONE SERVICES - SEPTEMBER

DATE	GROBY/RATBY
6th	11.15am Telephone Church (KW)
13th	11.15am Telephone Church (EB)
20th	11.15am Telephone Church (RD)
27th	11.15am Telephone Church (RS)

ON-LINE SERVICES - SEPTEMBER

REGULAR WEEKDAY ONLINE SERVICES

At 9pm Tuesday - night prayer

NATIONAL CHURCH SERVICES ON-LINE

There are usually national church services being streamed on Sundays that can be accessed via:

<https://www.facebook.com/thechurchofengland>

and if that is not possible there is Sunday worship on Radio 4.

MIDWEEK COMMUNION SERVICES Sept 2026

GROBY	2nd	9th	16th	23rd
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Preacher deputising for Ed during his sabbatical:
2 Sept - Rev. Liz Rawlings

GROBY/RATBY ***SUNDAY SERVICES - SEPTEMBER***

DATE	GROBY	RATBY
6th 14th Sunday Of Trinity	NO 8am Communion service	
	9.30pm All Age Service (Team)	10.00am Morning Worship (RD)
	6.00pm Holy Communion (DH)	
13th 15th Sunday of Trinity		8.00am Holy Communion (EB)
	9.30am Holy Communion (EB)	10.00am Morning Worship (JH/AK)
	6.00pm Evensong (EB)	
20th 16th Sunday of Trinity	8.00am Holy Communion (EB)	
	9.30am Morning Worship (RS)	10.00am Holy Communion (EB/CL)
27th 17th Sunday of Trinity		8.00am Holy Communion (EB)
	9.30am Holy Communion (EB/CL)	10.00am Morning Worship (RD)
	6.00pm Evensong (RS)	

Preacher deputising for Ed during his sabbatical:
 6 Sept - Rev Dave Hover

September Diary

1st	Tues	9.00pm	Online Night Prayer
2nd	Wed	9.30am 12.00pm 1.30pm	Holy Communion at Groby Groby Church men's meeting at Stamford Arms Groby Sings rehearsals start
3rd	Thurs	10.30 - 12.00pm	CTG Fair Cuppa at Groby Village Hall
4th	Fri	9.30 - 11.00am 7.30 - 9.00pm	CTG CatCh at Groby URC Rock Solid at URC Groby
5th	Sat	10.00 - 12.00pm	Groby Tasters hosted at Groby URC)
6th	Sun	9.30am 10.00am 11.15am 6.00pm	All Age Worship at Groby Morning Worship at Ratby Telephone Church Holy Communion at Groby
7th	Mon	9.00am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer at Ratby Julian Meeting: <i>Sharing Silence</i> at Groby Library
8th	Tues	9.15 - 10.30am 3.15 - 4.30pm 9.00pm	Tots & Toddlers at Ratby Church Kids Konnect at Ratby Church Online Night Prayer
9th	Wed	9.30am	Holy Communion at Groby
10th	Thurs	10.30 - 12.00pm 2.30pm	CTG Fair Cuppa at Groby Village Hall Church Women's Guild meeting
11th	Fri	9.30 - 11.00am 2.00pm 7.30 - 9.00pm	CTG CatCh at Groby URC Over 60s Cinema at Ratby Church Rock Solid at URC Groby
12th	Sat	10.00 - 12.00pm 10.00 - 4.00pm	Groby Tasters hosted at Groby URC Ride & Stride at Groby and Ratby churches
13th	Sun	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am 10.00 - 4.00pm 10.30am 11.15am 2.30 - 5.00pm 3.00pm 6.00pm	Holy Communion at Ratby Holy Communion at Groby Morning Worship at Ratby Groby Yard Sale with Gill Tyler book sale Crossfire at Groby Village Hall Telephone Church Diocese 100 year celebration at The Athena Ratby Band concert at Ratby church Evensong at Groby
14th	Mo -	9.00am	Morning Prayer at Ratby
15th	Tues	9.15 - 10.30am 3.15 - 4.30pm 9.00pm	Tots & Toddlers at Ratby Church Kids Konnect at Ratby Online Night Prayer

16th	Wed	9.30am	Holy Communion at Groby
17th	Thurs	10.30 - 12.00pm	CTG Fair Cuppa at Groby Village Hall
18th	Fri	9.30 - 11.00am 7.30 - 9.00pm	CTG CatCh at Groby URC Rock Solid at URC Groby
19th	Sat	10.00 - 12.00pm	Groby Tasters hosted at Groby URC <i>magazine deadline</i>
20th	Sun	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am 11.15am	Holy Communion at Groby Morning Worship at Groby Holy Communion at Ratby Telephone Church
21st	Mon	9.00am	Morning Prayer at Ratby
22nd	Tues	9.15 - 10.30am 3.15 - 4.30pm 9.00pm	Tots & Toddlers at Ratby Church Kids Konnect at Ratby Church Online Night Prayer
23rd	Wed	9.30am	Holy Communion at Groby
24th	Thurs	10.30 - 12.00pm	CTG Fair Cuppa at Groby Village Hall
25th	Fri	9.30 - 11.00am 7.30 - 9.00pm	CTG CatCh at Groby URC Rock Solid at URC Groby
26th	Sat	10.00 - 12.00pm	Groby Tasters hosted at Groby URC
27th	Sun	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am 10.30am 11.15am 12.30pm 6.00pm	Holy Communion at Ratby Holy Communion at Groby Morning Worship at Ratby Crossfire at Groby Village Hall Telephone Church Ratby Lunch Club Evensong at Groby
28th	Mon	9.00am	Morning Prayer at Ratby
29th	Tues	9.15 - 10.30am 3.15 - 4.30pm 9.00pm	Tots & Toddlers at Ratby Church Kids Konnect at Ratby Church Online Night Prayer
30th	Wed	9.30am	Holy Communion at Groby

Rector's Ramblings

I am a great lover of science fiction and will admit to rather enjoying the Terminator films, for all the post-apocalyptic fears they contain, especially around AI, which feels rather worrisome at times! But perhaps the most famous line is when the Terminator says 'I'll be back'! Well, this is the month I'll be back!

I have little doubt there will be a pile of stuff that awaits my return! Again, I write this in advance, at the start of my Sabbatical and as I write I am praying I will only be coming back to a small pile and not a mountain. I am hoping that will be the case because of what I wrote for the last magazine in my Ramblings. At which point I imagine some of you searching for last month's magazine to try to recall what I said! In the faith I have in God and all of you, I believe that the Holy Spirit will have been inspiring you to do God's work while I've been away. After all, Jesus trusted in that when he left for a time (albeit rather longer than my Sabbatical, but he too promises that one day 'I'll be back'). And if Jesus can trust in that, then so can I. After all, the Church we have today is built upon the work of ordinary people empowered by the Holy Spirit. The Church is still being built today by all of us empowered by the Holy Spirit. And if God is with us, we can do *'immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us'* (Ephesians 3:20). I wonder what God will have been doing while I am away. What immeasurable things will have happened?

And so, although there will doubtless be a pile of work for me to catch up on, what I will really be looking forward to is seeing how you worked together in love and grace to build the Kingdom of God. And I wonder how I can join back in, perhaps in different and new ways now that you've seen you can do new things yourselves. And in that I will be saying to God what the reading I quoted from Ephesians continues with – *'to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.'*

Looking forward to seeing you all soon!

*God bless,
Rev'd Ed*

Activities for children and families in our Benefice in September



Tues 1st	9.15am	Tots & Toddlers	Ratby Church	under 5s
Tues 1st	3.15pm	Kids Konnect	Ratby Church	Primary
Fri 4th	9.30am	Catch	URC Groby	under 5s
Fri 4th	8.30pm	Rock Solid	URC Groby	Age 10 to 15
Sun 6th	7.30pm	All Age Worship	Groby Church	Families
Tues 8th	9.15am	Tots & Toddlers	Ratby Church	under 5s
Tues 8th	3.15pm	Kids Konnect	Ratby Church	Primary
Fri 11th	9.30am	Catch	URC Groby	under 5s
Fri 11th	7.30pm	Rock Solid	URC Groby	Age 10 to 15
Sun 13th	10.30am	Crossfire	Groby Village Hall	Secondary
Tues 14th	9.15am	Tots & Toddlers	Ratby Church	under 5s
Tues 14th	3.15pm	Kids Konnect	Ratby Church	Primary
Fri 18th	9.30am	Catch	URC Groby	under 5s
Fri 18th	7.30pm	Rock Solid	URC Groby	Age 10 to 15
Tues 22nd	9.15am	Tots & Toddlers	Ratby Church	under 5s
Tues 22nd	3.15pm	Kids Konnect	Ratby Church	Primary
Fri 25th	9.30am	Catch	URC Groby	under 5s
Fri 25th	7.30pm	Rock Solid	URC Groby	Age 10 to 15
Sun 27th	10.30am	Crossfire	Groby Village Hall	Secondary
Tues 29th	9.15am	Tots & Toddlers	Ratby Church	under 5s
Tues 29th	3.15pm	Kids Konnect	Ratby Church	Primary



Rehearsals at Groby Club from 2nd September

Wednesday afternoon choir: 1.30pm - 3pm

Creche area available

Children's choir 3.40pm - 4.40pm

for children aged 7 years old and over

Wednesday evening choir: 7.30pm - 9.00pm

**Performances take place
Saturday 28th & Sunday 29th November**

www.grobysings.org for more information

Registered Charity no. 1180490



We're a dementia-friendly choir! For more information please get in touch with our dementia coordinator, Louise, at lou_ross@yahoo.com



NEWS FROM....



Well, what a summer of heatwaves we've had since we 'Groby Singers' last got together in our rehearsal room, the lovely air-conditioned Groby Club. That was in June when around 130 of us took part in two immensely enjoyable, if rather warm, end-of-season concerts at Brockington College, Enderby. A couple of weeks later we celebrated at our post-concert party' at the Club when we came together for a final sing-through of the concert programme. Our songs featured links with various food and drinks for *Groby Sings a la carte*.

This season, we will be entering *The Fantastic World of Groby Sings*, a realm of songs of quests, heroes and villains. Sounds exciting! We've only been teased with one clue so far about the songs on this theme: they are from various stories. But our conductor, did relent and told us that we will be singing an obvious but delightful one – the familiar theme from the film *The Neverending Story*. We can't wait to hear about the others.

A never-ending story might be a good description of the *Groby Sings* journey so far. From the start in 2013, the choir has weathered the trials of Covid together with the moving on of our founding conductor, Helen, both of which could have ended our fantastic years of community music-making. However, thanks to our dedicated management team and trustees, who kept us all enthused via email and newsletters and who worked hard to find Simon, our talented Musical Director and conductor, *Groby Sings* came back to life and our 'story' has continued to inspire people of all kinds to join us. We welcome anyone and everyone to our inclusive choir so why not come along and give it a go? It doesn't matter about your musical ability (or lack of it!), you can enjoy singing and socialising with us with no obligation to take to the stage for the concerts and don't forget about our delicious cake breaks!

We will be back at the Club from **Wednesday 2nd September** and every Wednesday, except school holidays, until our end-of-season concerts on **Saturday 28th and Sunday 29th November**. As usual, we have 3 Wednesday sessions:

Adult singers: 1.30-3.00pm and/or 7.30-9.00pm

Youth & Children's Choir (7 years and over): 3.40-4.40pm.

Pre-school children are welcome in the afternoon in the care of their adult with a crèche area available.

Enquiries via our [website www.grobysings.org](http://www.grobysings.org) and check out our Facebook page too.

Groby Sings is a Registered Charity no. 1180490

THE RATBY CO-OPERATIVE BAND
MYTHS & LEGENDS CONCERT

CONDUCTED BY CHRIS JEANS

ST PHILIP & ST JAMES CHURCH RATBY

13th September 2026 at 3pm

Tickets £10 Adults (children free)

Available from
Anne 07813 645923
Steve 07498 562001

Or on the door

Celebrating 100 years of the Diocese of Leicester

Join us for an afternoon on **Sunday 13 September** at the Athena in Leicester celebrating the life of the Diocese of Leicester over its 100 years with very special guest The Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Revd Dame Sarah Mullally.

Everyone is welcome to attend the afternoon worship event, tickets for which are free and can be booked through Eventbrite. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/diocesan-centenary-worship-gathering-tickets-1990950498536?aff=oddtcreator>.

Note: deadline for booking tickets, **6 September**

Ride & Stride

12 September 10am-4pm

An opportunity to raise funds for both our churches and for Leicestershire Historic churches. Registration forms are now in both churches for riders together with an opportunity to sponsor those taking part. We very much need volunteers to be in church to welcome visitors so please do add your name to the sign-up sheet if you are available to help on the day.



Picnic in the Park - We were there!

When the Groby Parish Council invited local groups and businesses to be part of this new venture it was agreed that it would be good for Churches Together in Groby to have a presence.

The event attracted large numbers of local families with the slightly cooler weather being very welcome!

Visitors noticed our display – the new CTG banner was a great advertisement!

Members of both churches were there ready to greet folk and a number of good conversations took place. Several visitors used the opportunity to place a prayer bead into a glass dish. and a few children were given a “Let’s Pray” booklet.

Some of our “Open the Book” props sparked memories from children, one young lady recalling the assemblies from her days at primary school.

Some of the helpers had fun with them!!

Congratulations to the Parish Council for a well organised very enjoyable event.



CHURCH WOMEN'S GUILD - SEPTEMBER REPORT

Hello ALL.

Hope everyone is surviving the Summer?

On THURSDAY 13th AUGUST 2026 we met at the home of Elizabeth Jarvis where we had an excellent talk from Bernard Fitchett about the history of building in Groby over past years. We all enjoyed it so much that on THURSDAY 13th AUGUST we shall be meeting again at ELIZABETH JARVIS home 41 FLAXFIELD CLOSE GROBY 2.30 pm to continue the talk.
'The Changing face of Groby'
see you there.

(Further information contact Annette fowler 2873169)



*Gill Tyler will be holding a
SECOND HAND BOOK SALE
as part of the **Groby Yard Sale**
on Sunday 13th September 2026 10am to 4.00 pm.
We will be in the front garden of 21 Highfield Road
and refreshments will be next door at No. 23 !!!
We look forward to seeing you there!*

FAIR CUPPA



FAIR CUPPA ROTA - SEPTEMBER	
3rd	Peter & Enid
10th	Connie & Beryl
17th	Gillian & Ruth
24th	Pat & Janet

**Thursdays at
Groby Village Hall
10.30 to 12.00 noon**

Please come along for a chat and a cuppa!

For further information contact Elizabeth Jarvis 0116 431 9990



Taizé Prayer

with songs and silence

inspired by the international
monastic community of Taizé, France



13th September 6pm

11th October 6pm

15th November

13th December 6pm

24th December 4pm

'Contemplative Christmas'

At Markfield Methodist Church
Main St, Markfield LE67 9UU

For more information: Karen 07739 555015

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Rector's Recipes – Spiced Roasted Cauliflower

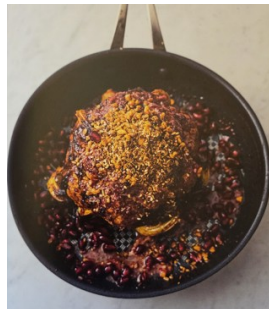
I hope you've got your dukkah from last month, as you'll need it for this month! This lovely vegetarian dish is one I have made several times and I hope you enjoy it.

Ingredients:

- 1 small head cauliflower (around 600g)
 - 2 heaped rose harissa (if you can find rose harissa, other types work fine)
 - 2 heaped tablespoons natural yogurt (to make this dish vegan, use vegan yogurt)
 - 1 pomegranate
 - 1 tbsp dukkah
 - ½ tablespoon red wine vinegar
- Salt and pepper

Method :

1. Preheat oven to 180°C/Gas Mark 4.
 2. Discard any tough outer leaves of your cauliflower and, keeping it whole, use a knife to cut a deep cross in the stalk – this helps with both the cooking and dividing it up later!
 3. In a bowl, mix together the harissa, yogurt, red wine vinegar and little sea salt and black pepper. Rub the mixture over the cauliflower.
 4. Place the basted cauliflower into a tight-fitting roasting tray. Halve the pomegranate and squeeze the juice of one half out through a sieve over the cauliflower. Add 100ml of water to the base and roast for 1 hour 15 minutes – I find I need to check it doesn't dry out, so check occasionally and add more water to the base if needed.
 5. When time is up, baste the cauliflower with the juices from the pan (that's why you need to make sure it doesn't dry out!) and return to the oven for a further 10 minutes.
- Remove from the oven, spoon the juices back over the top and then quickly sprinkle over the dukkah so it sticks. Take the other half of the pomegranate and remove the seeds whole to sprinkle over the cauliflower. Halve or quarter and serve up!



Rev'd Ed



Grief is hard.
Death can impact
all of life.

The Bereavement
Journey
a place to talk

7 Sessions of films
and discussion
for *anyone* bereaved *anytime*

Topics include:

- Attachment, separation and loss
- The pain and responses of grief
- Anger and guilt
- Coping with others' reactions
- Delayed and suppressed grief
- Adjusting to change
- Moving forward healthily
- Faith questions – a Christian perspective (optional)

To find out more visit:
thebereavementjourney.org

Running soon:

**commences Friday
9/10/26 to 20/11/26
6-30pm to 8-30pm
Ratby Church rooms**

For further details
Please contact Joan Hawkins
tel.: 07545909868

What really stood out to me, what made me think..."

said a young man from Germany

"...was whenever Steve walked into the ...well...the crowd... they moved aside for him. Now, these are tough guys, hard guys; living hard lives."

A small Outreach Team from Germany were here in Worcester for two weeks; they served with the Ywam ministries. It was their actual Summer holidays from their 'day jobs'. This was the first time volunteers had helped prepare the food/ingredients and then also drove into Town to serve the breakfasts at 6am; for the two Wednesdays and Thursdays of their stay. They were amazing. It was a great help to us; we are getting tired this Winter. They were so good with the guys, nearly 100 people each Thursday. And they were an unexpected boost and encouragement to Steve and myself; even to Hannah-Rachel as she prepares to leave.

We pray for more Protection with Thanksgiving each time we take breakfasts to that appointed place, anointed task, at the side of the road, in the dark! We note the peace, the friendliness, the ways potential fights/ violence are defused. But we didn't note the deeper peace, the deeper transformation happening each time: respect; trust; honouring.

Steve walks in Love, with Respect for guys who are usually ignored, feared or blamed. Steve walks as a Child of God, opposite to the normal. We are grateful for that revelation.

The German Team stood out to us; they made us think.

Notes about the Breakfasts, like a journal, are on Instagram:
steveandvaloutreach

***“For I know the plans I have for you”
Declares the Lord
“Plans to prosper you and not to harm you,
Plans to give you hope and a future”
Jeremiah 29:11***

This is the verse on a card given to us by the German team. It is a Promise most relevant to our family at the moment. Hannah is leaving for the UK on September 13th. She feels called to relocate permanently and will be living with Grandma, to look after her. The changes for Mum are overwhelming, symbolised by the hospital bed just installed. But her voice sounds stronger as she talks of Hannah arriving and the life they can share together. Huge change for Hannah as she says goodbye to friends here. Huge change for Steve and I. We all trust and hold onto Promises like the one above.

Thank You, Lord.

XXX Steve, Val, Hannah, Ruth and Jean XXX



CHURCH REGISTERS

WEDDINGS

Ratby

None

Groby

11th July ~ Rebecca Huckle & Roy Thorley



BAPTISMS

Ratby

None

Groby

None



FUNERALS

Ratby

18th May ~ Douglas Harwood

Groby

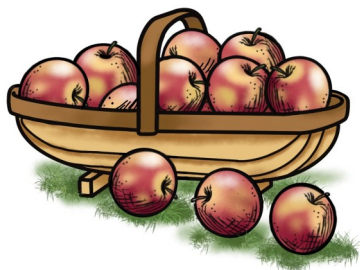
22nd May ~ Irene Cartwright



We extend our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends, and pray that they may find peace through faith in Jesus Christ our Lord.

If you would like to support the work of the church but find yourself with no cash.
Please use the QR code below to go directly to our giving site.





FLOWERS Sept		
	Altar	Memorial Vase
6th		Marjorie
13th	Ruth	
20th		
27th	Hayley	

Church Cleaning Sept

30 Aug - 12 Sep	Linda & John
13 Sep - 26 Sep	Gillian & Matthew
27 Sep - 10 Oct	Gill & Alan

Parish Office

The office will be closed from 11.30am on Friday 28 August until 9.30am on Monday 21st September owing to Administrators holiday.



October Magazine Deadline Saturday 19th Sept

Please send all items to
spandjmagazine@googlemail.com

Items for the
weekly news sheet
to:

office@bradgatechurches.org.uk

Do you receive the magazine on a regular basis?

If not and you would like to have a copy each month, please contact a member of the clergy or one of the church wardens.

You will find their details on the contact list overleaf.

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