

Trinity 19 Sunday 11th October

LIGHT at the DOOR

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

GROUP SERVICE



The Dean of Lincoln Cathedral

The Very Reverend Dr Simon Jones

Is coming to St Peter's Woodhall Spa to preach & preside at a Eucharist on 11th October 2026 at 11am. He will stay for refreshments and meet with everyone.

There will be no service in any other church in the Woodhall Spa and Bain Valley groups on this Sunday.

SAFEGUARDING INFORMATION

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Woodhall Spa & Bain Valley Churches

All Souls Service



Sunday 1st November

3pm Holy Trinity Church Tattershall

3pm St Peter's Church Woodhall Spa

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for Bain Valley & Woodhall Spa Churches

Sunday 1st November 10.00am

ALL SAINTS' DAY

Horsington All Saints Patronal Eucharist

led by Revd Sall

No service elsewhere in the villages

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Isaiah 25.1-9 O Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you, I will praise your name; for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure. For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin; the palace of aliens is a city no more, it will never be rebuilt. Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you. For you have been a refuge to the poor, a refuge to the needy in their distress, a shelter from the rainstorm and a shade from the heat. When the blast of the ruthless was like a winter rainstorm, the noise of aliens like heat in a dry place, you subdued the heat with the shade of clouds; the song of the ruthless was stilled. On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death for ever. Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken. It will be said on that day, 'Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

PSALM 23

Philippians 4.1-9 Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Matthew 22.1-14 Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet." But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, mal-treated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, "The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet." Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. 'But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, "Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

Sunday October 18th Trinity 20

9.30am Morning Prayer St Michael's Coningsby

Sheila and The Team

9.30am Eucharist St Margaret Bucknall Revd Sall

11am Eucharist St Peter's Woodhall Spa Revd Sall

COLLECT for Trinity 19

O God, forasmuch as without you
we are not able to please you;
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
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.
Amen.

Sunday October 4th Trinity 18

9.30am Eucharist St Peter's Stixwould Revd Sall

9.30am Morning Prayer Holy Trinity Tattershall with Reader Sheila

11am Morning Prayer St Peter's Woodhall Spa with ALM Paul



3pm St Margaret's Langton Harvest Festival

Revd Sall & ALM Paul Alan and the Choir



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The DEAN of LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

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Sunday October 25th Trinity 21

9.30am Eucharist St Margaret Roughton Revd Barbara

9.30am Morning Praise All Saints Horsington Churchwardens David F & David M

11am Eucharist St Peter's Woodhall Spa Revd Sall

Sunday 1st November (All SAINTS) 10.00am

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3pm Bain Valley All Soul's Service Holy Trinity Tattershall

Revd Barbara

3pm Spa Group All Soul's Service St Peter's Woodhall Spa

Revd Sall



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If you have lost a loved one in 2025 or 2026 and the funeral was taken by a priest or a reader, you will receive a letter from Debbie inviting you to the service closest to you. But you can attend the service in either Tattershall or Woodhall Spa. If you would like to come to a service to remember a loved one, to hear their name spoken, and light a candle in their memory, please email Revd Sally or leave a message with the name of your loved one, and in which of the two services you would like them to be remembered in. You do not have to attend, we will speak their name in the service and light a candle on your behalf.

Contact Revd Sall on sally.clifton@aol.com or leave a message on 07949 556494

