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A Prayer for peace in Israel and Gaza

Heavenly Father, we pray for the many people whose lives have been torn apart by conflict in Gaza and Israel. We pray especially those who have died, those who are grieving, the injured and those now without food, shelter, or medical supplies. Strengthen and support the work of all relief organisations. We pray also for those who have the power to bring peace. May they be touched by a spirit of compassion and kindness. Lord hear us as we pray in the power of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

WEEK AHEAD

Day	Time	Event
Mon 25 th	10am	Little Saints' meets in the hall
	7pm	Reflection in Church
Tues 26 th	7pm	Reflection in Church
Wed 27 th	7pm	Reflection in Church
Thur 28 th	7.30pm	Service of Holy Communion with foot washing
Fri 29 th	Midday	Reflection at the cross AS Cottenham
	3pm	Reflection at the cross AS Rampton
Sat 30 th	9.00am	Morning Prayer
	10am	Pilgrimage walk to Ely Cathedral
Sun 31 st	6.30	Sunrise Service of Holy Communion Followed by breakfast in the hall
	7am	
	8.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	9am	Family Communion at AS Rampton
	10.30am	Family Communion at AS Cottenham

Welcome

SUNDAY 24th March 2024

All Saints' Church

Cottenham with Rampton



We are delighted to welcome you to church today as we join to worship God. If you are new to church, do fill in one of the welcome cards on the table so that we can get to know you and keep in touch.

SERVICES TODAY

8.30am BCP

Holy Communion

Presiding:

Revd. Lynda Davies

Preaching:

Revd. Marie Lucchetta-Redmond

Reader:

Lesley Maile

10.30am

Holy Communion with Junior Church

Presiding:

Revd. Lynda Davies

Preaching:

Revd. Marie Lucchetta-Redmond

Reading:

Chris Lowe

Intercessor:

Sarah Rossouw

Readings:

Psalms 118:1-2, 19-end
Mark 11: 1-11

6.00pm

Evening Prayer on Zoom- for the link email:

cheryl@cynewulf.co.uk

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Junior Church runs during term-time with all aged 3yrs and upwards welcome. All leaders and helpers are safely recruited in line with our Safeguarding Policy. On the 2nd Sunday of each month, we have an All-Age Service where all ages worship together. For very young children there is a 'Children's Area' at the back of Church.

PRAYER

If you have come with something on your heart today either about yourself or someone you care for, a member of the ministry team would be happy to pray with you in confidence after the service. Just let one of us know.

COMMUNION

Communion is offered in both kinds: bread and wine together (the wafer is intincted into the wine and immediately administered) or bread and wine separately, the wine being received from the Common Cup. If you wish to receive the wine from the shared cup, please come to the side of the Communion Rail closest to the organ. If you need Communion brought to you where you sit, please tell the Welcome Team. If you do not receive communion, do come up for a blessing if you wish.

FACILITIES

There are toilets and a baby changing area in the Church Hall, over the road.



TODAY

HYMNS

11 All glory laud and honour
435 Ride on, ride on in majesty
215 Hosanna/203 He is exalted
Blessed is the King who comes

Communion:

220 How sweet the sound
211 Holy, holy, holy is the Lord
458 Stay with me

COLLECT

True and humble King,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory.
Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- For those coming to services during Holy Week and Easter, that they would come to know the risen Lord Jesus
- An end to war in the Middle East: please use the prayer at the end of the Weekly Sheet; an end to war in Ukraine
- A global response to climate change
- Our Church charities: Tearfund, Christian Blind Mission and Jimmy's
- Those whom we long to know the life-transforming love of Jesus
- Those who are unwell: Robert Patman, Susan Stearn and Barbara Groom
- Those struggling with anxiety and depression, and all who worry about them
- For Marie as she discerns 'What next?' after her curacy.

If you would like someone's name added, please contact Maggie Appleby (07519 543832). Names will normally be listed for four weeks unless advised otherwise.

PLEASE ALSO PRAY FOR THE FAMILIES OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

Vima Linney, Peter Sanderson, Rosemary Gawthrouph, Jennifer Bradford, and Phyllis Sanderson.

URGENT PRAYER SUPPORT

If you have a crisis and need immediate prayer, do let Cheryl know (488068 cheryl@cynewulf.co.uk). If appropriate and *only* with your consent, will she then share with the ministry team and other church members.



CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

REFRESHMENTS AFTER THE SERVICE To make it easier for people to stay and chat after the service, refreshments will be served in the church for a 3-month trial. We want to provide a welcoming environment where we can enjoy each other's company and get to know one another better. Do stay!

STEWARDSHIP Do please read the letter from Revd Lynda and consider how you might respond. If you want to know more about giving regularly to the Church, please speak to Lynda or one of the Churchwardens, Iain, or Lesley.

TABLES FOR CAFÉ CHURCH As this all-age service continues to grow, we are raising money to buy some round tables to make this more comfortable and accommodate more people. If you would like to donate something to this cause, please follow link: <https://gofund.me/c1d2bd2b> or speak to Lynda.

EXPLORE We say the Creed each week, but have you ever wondered what it really means to 'Believe and trust in God the Father, his Son Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit'? Why not join a short course after Easter using the CofE's Pilgrim material to explore these statements in more detail. Open to new and established members of the church, and those seeking to know more about the Christian faith. Why not have a chat with Revd Lynda?

BIBLE STUDY at 5 Church Close will continue after Easter. We are looking at the first letter of John. All are welcome.

BIBLE STUDY at 17 high street will continue Wednesday 17th April and then the Wednesday studies will be weekly on weeks when there isn't a prayer meeting. Prayer meetings in church will be 10th April, 1st May, 5th June.

PILGRIMAGE WALK On Easter Saturday we will have the usual walk from All Saints' Cottenham to Ely Cathedral, arriving in time for Evensong. We will leave Cottenham at 10am, stopping along the way for readings and reflections. Bring a packed lunch. All ages welcome. If you want to join us, please sign up by adding your name to the sheet on the table.

ELECTORAL ROLL The Roll is a list of all those aged 16 and over who consider All Saints, Cottenham, or All Saints' Rampton their spiritual home. If you're not currently on the Roll, or are new to the Church, please complete a form by 31st March (Easter Day).

APCM The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will take place on Sunday 28th April at midday. This is an opportunity to celebrate what's been happening in both churches over the last year as well as hear about plans. All welcome.

QUIET DAY Several people have asked if we can have another Quiet Day where a group gathers around a theme to read Scripture, reflect, and pray. The theme of our last Quiet Day in 2019 was The Good Shepherd and was a positive experience. On Saturday 15th June 10am-3pm we will therefore hold another Quiet Day for those who'd like to take part. This will be led by Revd James Shakespeare, the Diocesan Lead for Spirituality. More details to come but please put the date in your diaries and let Revd Lynda know that you'd like to take part.