### CONTACTS

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### Special Collect for growth

God of mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, joy to our worship, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

WEEK AHEAD		
Day	Time	Event
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Little Saints meets in the Hall
Tues 21st	7.30pm	PCC meets in the Hall
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	7.30pm	Bible study at 17 High Street
Thur 23 <sup>rd</sup>		
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	1pm	Church and Churchyard tidy
	3pm	Bible study at 5 Church Close
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Church and Churchyard tidy
	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	10.30am	Holy Communion





SUNDAY 19th November 2023 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 **Holy Communion**

Presiding: Revd. Lynda Davies Preaching: Revd. Lynda Davies Reader: **Judi Middleton** 

### 10.30am Café Church with Baptism of **Iames Charlton** Leading:

Revd. Lynda Davies and Revd. Marie Lucchetta-Redmond

Talk: Revd. Marie Lucchetta-Redmond

## Readings:

1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11 Matthew 25: 14-30

### 6.00pm

Evening Prayer on Zoom- for the link email: chervl@cvnewulf.co.uk

### CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Junior Church runs during term-time with all aged 3vrs and upwards welcome. All leaders and helpers are safely recruited in line with our Safequarding Policy. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month, we have an All-Age Service where all ages worship together. For very young children there is a play area near the organ, or in the '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 vou 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**

This is the day that the Lord has made Upside down, inside out Rise and shine, give God the glory, glory The Lord is my light, my light and salvation I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

#### COLLECT

Heavenly Lord,
you long for the world's salvation:
stir us from apathy,
restrain us from excess
and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- James Charlton and William Muirhead baptised today
- Peace in the Middle East for all who have been hurt, harmed or killed in this conflict
- The ongoing war in Ukraine, for an end to fighting; the ongoing crisis in Sudan; the people of Syria who are facing starvation
- A global response to climate change and its impact on the poorest nations
- Our Church charities: Tearfund, Christian Blind Mission and Jimmy's
- Those whom we long to come to know the life-transforming love of Jesus, and the five people that many of us have decided to pray for as part of 'Pray for Five'
- Those who are unwell: Ray and Susan Stearn, Deirdre Edwards, Hazel Thomas, Robert Patman and Peter Hughes
- Those struggling with anxiety and depression, and all who worry about them
- Those who continue to grieve for the loss of loved ones.

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: Roy Palmer

#### **URGENT PRAYER SUPPORT**

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

#### **COMING SOON**

CHRISTMAS SERVICES Do pick up a flyer with details of our Christmas services. Please be praying for those who will come to a Christmas Service this year – that they will hear something of the Good News of Jesus that will inspire them to want to know more. Who you might want to invite to come with you to a Christmas event? Most people will come if personally invited.

CHURCH CLEANING WEEKEND On Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November from 1 pm and Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November from 9.30am we will be doing our annual church clean up ready for Christmas. There are lots of jobs, big and small, inside, and out that need doing, please come and help for an hour or so if you can.

#### **CHURCH NEWS**

TREASURER VACANCY Sarah Rossouw has been a fantastic Treasurer but needs to step down to focus on her preaching ministry. She writes: 'The role of Treasurer provides a unique opportunity to come to know and understand the very heart of our wonderful church. As treasurer you will have the chance to make a real difference by supporting the clergy and the PCC team with simple but effective reporting and by looking after the day to day payments and deposits. The system is well set up and the software is easy to use. The Treasurer is automatically a member of both the PCC and the Standing Committee.' If you are interested in serving your church family in this way, please speak to Sarah and she will tell you more about what it entails.

**BIBLE STUDY** will continue Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30pm at 17 High Street. We will look in more depth at the bible readings from Sunday.

BIBLE STUDY ON PAUL'S LETTER TO THE GALATIANS continues Friday 24th November at 3pm. For more information or to join the group meeting at Frances' house (5 Church Close), please email her at <a href="mailto:horser:horse

**EXPLORE PLUS** continues Wednesday 29th November, 6th and 20th December.

**PRAYING IN DIFFERENT WAYS** continues Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 7.30pm All are welcome to explore different approaches to prayer.

**LUNCH ON CHRISTMAS DAY** If you don't want to be on your own on Christmas Day (either as an individual or a couple), Revd Lynda, Martyn and their son Harry will be cooking a Christmas lunch in the Church Hall for anyone in the Church family who would like to join them. Costs to be shared. Speak to Lynda or Martyn to find out more or to sign up.

**HANDMADE CHRISTMAS CARDS** by Lynda Unwin will be on sale TODAY. These are made for pleasure. ALL proceeds will go to the church charities.

**COTTENHAM CHARITIES** and the Fitzwilliam Charity provide help at Christmas to those on low income. **Christmas voucher application forms** are available from Monday 20th November from Cottenham Post Office or online at <a href="https://www.cottenhamcharities.co.uk">www.cottenhamcharities.co.uk</a> and must be returned by Wednesday 6th December. Proof of eligibility will be required and only one application per household will be accepted.