



Thoughts, notices and reminders
April 14 2019

We thank you
that Easter is not about
a people,
but all people,
that your love
and your Salvation
are for all who confess
with voices, hearts and lives
that the tomb is empty
because Jesus is risen,
that we might know
forgiveness,
that lives might be
reborn
and your name
glorified
now and for eternity.

John Birch

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THE PRAYER PAGE

Saint's Day	Prayer in the parish	Prayer in the diocese
Sunday Palm Sunday	Ruckland Court; Lincoln Cathedral Quarry workers Residents of: Langdale Close, Langton Close, Laughton Crescent, Laughton Way	JESUS MAY BE WELCOMED AND WORSHIPPED IN OUR CHURCHES, AND THAT WE MAY WALK FAITHFULLY WITH HIM AS WE MAKE THE HOLY WEEK JOURNEY.
Monday in Holy week	Ermine Community Action Group Residents of: Laughton Way North, Lenton Gardens, Manton Road, Mason Close, Midville Close	GREAT GRIMSBY ST MARY AND ST JAMES, ST MARK, ST MARTIN, ST HUGH. Fr Canon Andrew Dodd
Tuesday in Holy week	Housebound communicants Residents of: Millbeck Road, Minting Close, Moorby Close, Natal View	WITHAMSIDE Revd Dee Freeman THE CHRISM EUCHARIST
Wednesday in Holy week	Health care services; Social Workers Residents of: Nene Road, Nocton Drive, Oxen Park Close, Pietermaritz Street, Pietermaritz View	CLEETHORPES ST FRANCIS THE SCUNTHORPE CENTRE OF MISSION.
Thursday Maundy Thursday	Work with children and young people on the estate Residents of: Pine Close, Queen Elizabeth Road, Queen Mary Road	THAT AS SERVANTS OF OTHERS WE MAY WATCH FAITHFULLY WITH CHRIST IN HUMILITY AND REVERENCE.
Friday Good Friday	The PCC and Parish officers Phil Betts, Philip Howell, Sue Young, PCC members Residents of: Ravendale Drive, Redbourne Drive, Retief Close, Retief View	CHURCH SCHOOLS IN GRIMSBY AND CLEETHORPES DEANERY
Saturday Holy Saturday	Community Police and Neighbourhood Watch Helen Kumar, Amanda Allen, Craig Mobbs and Tina Worden Residents of: Ridge View, Riseholme Road, Riverton Close, Riverton View	SKELLINGTHORPE W. DODDINGTON. Revd Frances Clarke. THE EASTER VIGIL WITH BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION.

Give thanks for:	The life of Jean Harrison;
Special prayers this week for:	Our preparations for Easter; The applicants applying to be priest at St John's; The Church Wardens as they prepare to interview;
People in need:	Vicki Barnes, Fr John Clark, Irene Crosby, Mavis Daley, Elaine Dray, Dick Moore, Jean Harrison, Jan Hunter, Janet Seddon, Kathleen Smith, Ruth Spreadbury, Monica Wooster
Rest in peace:	Jean Harrison, Una Nicholson

THE PRAYER PAGE (week of 21 April)

Saint's Day	Prayer in the parish	Prayer in the diocese
Sunday Easter Day Anselm Abbot of Le Bec	Rachel Fleshbourne, our parish administrator; Lenton Green and Cathedral View Court Residents of: Rolleston Close, Rothwell Road, Roughton Court, Ruckland Avenue	ALLELUIA, CHRIST IS RISEN! TODAY WE WORSHIP THE TRIUMPHANT LORD WITH JOY AS WE FOLLOW HIM IN HIS RISEN LIFE!
Monday in Easter week	Lincoln Castle Academy; Yarborough Leisure Centre and the Sports Hub Residents of: Rusland Close, Rushlip Close, Sanders Close, Sanders View	WASHINGBOROUGH W. HEIGHINGTON AND CANWICK. Fr George Goalby.
Tuesday in Easter week. St George	Organist, Choir, vergers and servers Residents of: Scopwick Place, Searby Road, Sedgebrook Close, Stainton Gardens	BISHOP DAVID, BISHOP OF GRIMSBY
Wednesday in Easter week. Mellitus First Bishop at St Pauls	United Reformed Church The elders and people of the church Residents of: Stapleford Avenue, Steeping Court, Sturton Close, Sudbrooke Drive	CHURCH SCHOOLS IN THE GRAFFOE DEANERY
Thursday in Easter week. St Mark	The Estate Managers and council workers; postmen and women Residents of: Swaby Close, Tangshan Court, Tetney Close, Thoresway Drive	WADDINGTON Revd Annabel Barber
Friday in Easter week.	Lincoln North Children's Centre; the Women's refuge Residents of: Thurlby Crescent, Torrington Road, Trelawney Crescent, Troutbeck Close	SCARTHOS ST GILES WITH ST MATTHEW Revd Dr Sheena Cleaton
Saturday in Easter week. Christina Rossetti Poet	Readers, sidespersons, chalice assistants and intercessors Residents of: Waddingworth Grove, Welbourne Gardens, Welland Road, Welton Gardens	THE CHARITY SECTOR

THE PRAYER PAGE (week of 28 April)

Saint's Day	Prayer in the parish	Prayer in the diocese
Sunday Easter 2	Mothers' Union; our website Sue Fleshbourne and the members of our branch; Danny Holt Residents of: Wellingore Road, Wickenby Crescent, Willingham Avenue, Winster Close	FOR THOSE WHO HAVE YET TO RECOGNISE JESUS FOR WHO HE IS, AND FOR THE GIFTS OF GOD'S SPIRIT THAT SINS MAY BE FORGIVEN AND PEACE MAY FLOW.
Monday	Shops and businesses on the estate Residents of: Woodburn Close, Woodburn View, Woodhall Drive	SWINDERBY Fr Canon Andrew Vaughan
Tuesday Pandita Mary Ramabai Translator of scriptures	The library, Sudbrooke Drive Community Centre, and the Ravendale Drive sports field Library staff, centre managers and users, sports field users and managers Members of our congregation who live outside the parish	HIGHER AND FURTHER EDUCATION COLLEGES
Wednesday Sts Philip and James Apostles	Our parish and people Residents of: Allandale Close, Allandale View, Amble Close, Apley Close, Ashlar Close	THE DIOCESE PRAYER DIARY FOR MAY IS NOT YET AVAILABLE
Thursday St Athanasius Bishop of Alex- andria	Jackie Howell Residents of: Asterby Close, Aubourn Avenue, Aylesby Avenue, Bain Street	
Friday	Our Lady of Lincoln church and school Fr Colin, the clergy and people; the staff, governors and pupils of Our Lady Primary School Residents of: Barkston Gardens, Bassingham Crescent, Bilsby Close, Blankney Crescent	
Saturday English Saints and Martyrs	Ermine House Residents of: Brattleby Crescent, Broxholme Gardens, Buchanan Street, Burnside Close	

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE BULLETIN NEXT WEEK.
THE NEXT BULLETIN WILL BE ON SUNDAY 5 MAY**

Coming up this week:

Sunday 14	10:00am 2:30pm	Family Eucharist / blessing of palms at St Johns Ruckland Court Songs of Praise
Monday 15	7:00pm 7:30pm	Eucharist St Johns singers
Tuesday 16	7:00pm	Eucharist
Wednesday 17	9:30am 10:30am 12:00pm 7:00pm	Eucharist with prayer for healing Choir practice Lunch club Eucharist
Thursday 18	12:00pm 8:00pm	Lunch club Eucharist with washing of feet and watch until midnight
Friday 19	10:00am 1:30pm	Ecumenical service at Ermine URC Solemn liturgy of Good Friday
Saturday 20	9:00pm 7:00pm	Church cleaning and construction of the Easter garden Easter Vigil
Sunday 21	10:00am	Mass of Easter Day

Coming up soon:

Wednesday 24	9:30am	Eucharist with prayer for healing
Sunday 28	10:00am	Eucharist
Wednesday 1	9:30am 10:30am 10:30am 11:15am 12:00pm	Eucharist (Philip and James) Choir practice Ruckland Court Eucharist Ermine House Eucharist Lunch club in the hall
Thursday 2	7:00pm	Ermine Voices
Friday 3	12:00pm	Funeral in church – Jean Harrison
Sunday 5	10:00am 12:00pm	Eucharist Baptisms
Wednesday 8	9:30am 10:30am	Eucharist Mothers Union
Thursday 9	7:00pm	Ermine Voices
Sunday 12	10:00am 2:30pm	Family Eucharist Ruckland Court Songs of Praise
Monday 13	7:30pm	St John's Singers
Tuesday 14	7:00pm	Eucharist and PCC meeting
Wednesday 15	9:30am 10:30am 12:00pm	Eucharist Choir practice Lunch club in the hall

A MESSAGE FROM BABY BASKET

Dear Church Members

Thank you for all the beautiful things donated to Baby's Basket, we really appreciate the generosity of the church members. Handknit blankets and cardigans are always needed, they are a gift of the love and care that goes into making them. Toiletries are always useful to have too, we send a packed toiletry bag for each mum and if we are able, a little pamper treat.

Baby's Basket has helped over 80 babies already this year and we couldn't do this without the wonderful support of many donors, thank you for your part in making this happen.

Many thanks
Anne Jones



EASTER

As we begin Holy Week please remember we have services **everyday** this week. Including a Eucharist at 7pm on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Also church cleaning and construction of the Easter garden will take place on Saturday 20 April at 9am. Lots of help needed!

CHRISTIAN AID COFFEE MORNING

The 2019 Christian Aid coffee morning will be held at the United Reform Church on Saturday 18th May at 10am. Donations of raffle/tombola prizes, books and cakes would be greatly received. Tim is our Christian Aid representative and has been liaising with the URC to organise the coffee morning. Please speak to him if you can donate or need any more information.

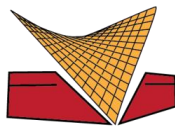
RIP JEAN HARRISON

As you may already know Jean Harrison sadly passed away last week. Please keep her family in your prayers at this time. Her funeral will be here at St John's on Friday 3 May at 12pm.

NEXT STAGE IN FINDING A PRIEST

The closing date for people to apply for the position of priest here at St Johns has now passed and we had five applicants! We will now be making plans for the next stage which will include the interviews. The interviews will take place on Friday 3 May. Prior to this we are hoping to arrange a chance for you to meet and greet the candidates. At the moment we are unsure of how this will be but you will be informed as soon as we know. We hope as many people as possible can be around to be involved in this important stage.

St John the Baptist



ERMINE, LINCOLN



Holy Week

Sunday 14

Palm Sunday

10:00am Eucharist with
palm blessing

Monday 15,

Tuesday 16

7:00pm Eucharist

Wednesday 17

9:30am Eucharist

7:00pm Eucharist

Thursday 18

Maundy Thursday

8:00pm Eucharist

Friday 19

Good Friday

1:30pm

**Solemn liturgy
of Good Friday**

Saturday 20

Holy Saturday

7:00pm

Easter Vigil

Sunday 21

Easter Day

10:00am Eucharist