





Week beginning 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021  
The Seventh Sunday of Easter

**St John the Baptist Church is an inclusive church.**



Collect

O God the King of glory,  
 you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ  
 with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:  
 we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,  
 but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us  
 and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,  
 who is alive and reigns with you,  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Eternal God, giver of love and power,  
 your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world  
 to preach the gospel of his kingdom:  
 confirm us in this mission,  
 and help us to live the good news we proclaim;  
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.

<p><b>This Sunday</b>          [Ezekiel 36: 24 – 28]          Acts 1: 15 – 17, 21 – end*          Psalm 1          1 John 5: 9 – 13          John 17: 6 – 19  <i>*The reading from Acts must be used as either the first or second reading.</i></p>	<p><b>Next Sunday- Pentecost</b>          [Ezekiel 37: 1 – 14]          Psalm 104          Acts 2: 1 – 21          Romans 8: 22 – 27          John 15: 26 – 27; 16: 4b – 15  <i>*The reading from Acts must be used as either the first or second reading.</i></p>
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### This week in church:

Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> May Seventh Sunday of Easter	10.00 am	Parish Eucharist IN THE CHURCH THIS WILL BE LIVE STREAMED VIA OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL: St John the Baptist, Ermine, Lincoln
Monday to Saturday	9.00 am 5.00 pm	Morning and Evening Prayer will be said in the vicarage
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am 8.00 pm	Zoom Coffee Morning (see below for details) Compline (see below for details)
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May The Feast of Pentecost	10.00am	Parish Eucharist IN CHURCH

### Recycling Crisp Packets

Bring your empty crisp packets to church. We'll collect them and then pass them on so they can be recycled.



### THE NIGHT LIGHT CRISIS CAFÉ

Every Monday from 4 – 8 pm. Please continue to pray for the volunteers and the guests who come for support. From 19<sup>th</sup> April this will be held in the church.

### *St John's Coffee Morning every Tuesday at 10.30*

Topic: St John's Coffee Morning

Time: 10.30 am every week

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/76808815160?pwd=UUNNMVFCemwveVAzWlJlTlBqSUhJZz09>

Meeting ID: 768 0881 5160

Passcode: 2zvFx





<https://www.churchofengland.org/resources/daily-prayer-thy-kingdom-come>

Thy Kingdom Come this year is the 13th - 23rd May – 'Transform Lincoln' (formerly known as Greater Lincoln Active Faith Network) have invited us to join in a 24-7 prayer event from 7am on Thursday 13th to 1pm on Sunday 23rd May. All prayer slots will be at home and so everyone can get involved in praying. We will be focusing on three main points:

1. Naming five family members or friends who don't yet know Jesus.
2. Praying for unity for the church - for every church to flourish and for new churches to be planted.
3. Recovering our hope, renewing our city - praying for the peace and prosperity of Greater Lincoln.

Our unique link for people to sign up for the 24-7 prayer is here:

<https://www.24-7prayer.com/signup/79f46d>

## *Cosy Candlelit Compline at Home*

Time: May 18, 2021 08:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74862210255?pwd=OW5xbnM0NEFyMjAzNWN5cjk0ZmhRdz09>

Meeting ID: 748 6221 0255

Passcode: 2tE9mi

Revd. Rachel can be contacted Saturday – Thursday  
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Any items for this weekly sheet should be received by Revd. Rachel *no later than Wednesday.*

## PRAYER THIS WEEK

Saint's Day	Prayer in the parish	Prayer in the diocese
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> May <b>Seventh Sunday of Easter</b>	<b>Housebound communicants</b> Residents of: Millbeck Road, Minting Close, Moorby Close, Natal View	You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. John 15: 16  <i>The Anglican Church of Korea</i>
Monday  <b>'Thy kingdom come'</b>	<b>Health care services; Social Workers</b> Residents of: Nene Road, Nocton Drive, Oxen Park Close, Pietermaritz Street, Pietermaritz View	<b>The Education Team – Jackie Waters-Dewhurst</b>  Pray for all our Church schools across the Diocese, and for all students preparing to move on to the next stage of their lives.  <i>The Diocese of Butare – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda</i>
Tuesday  <b>'Thy kingdom come'</b>	<b>Work with children and young people in the parish, Holiday Club</b> Residents of: Pine Close, Queen Elizabeth Road, Queen Mary Road	<b>The Education Team – Paul Thompson, Deputy Director of Education</b>  Pray for our Governors and Clerks who volunteer to take on responsibilities for the support of their school communities  <b>Boston AMPC</b>  <i>The Diocese of Butere – The Anglican Church of Kenya</i>
Wednesday  <b>'Thy kingdom come'</b>  <b>Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury, Restorer of Monastic Life, 988</b>	<b>The PCC and Parish officers</b> Philip Howell, Jessica Bayston, PCC members Residents of: Ravendale Drive, Redbourne Drive, Retief Close, Retief View	<b>The Education Team – Peter Tomlinson, Finance &amp; Operations Manager</b>  Pray for all School staff who are responsible for managing tight budgets.  <b>Clergy Housing Committee</b>  <b>Assets Committee</b>  <i>The Diocese of Buye – The Anglican Church of Burundi</i>
Thursday  <b>'Thy kingdom come'</b>  <b>Alcuin of York, Deacon, Abbot of Tours, 804</b>	<b>Community Police and Neighbourhood Watch</b> Helen Kumar, Amanda Allen, Craig Mobbs and Tina Worden Residents of: Ridge View, Riseholme Road, Riverton Close, Riverton View	<b>The Education Team – Gillian Georgiou, RE Adviser</b>  Please pray for all our executive headteachers, headteachers and heads of school who have kept school communities together in spite of significant (and ongoing) challenges.  <i>The Diocese of Byumba – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda</i>

<p>Friday</p> <p><b>'Thy kingdom come'</b></p> <p><b>Helena, Protector of the Holy Places, 330</b></p>	<p><b>Lenton Green and Cathedral View Court</b> Residents of: Rolleston Close, Rothwell Road, Roughton Court, Ruckland Avenue</p>	<p><b>The Education Team – Lynsey Norris – Education Development Officer</b> Pray for our work with the Local Authority in providing training for Staff and Governors across our schools</p> <p><i>The Diocese of Calabar – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Niger Delta Province)</i></p>
<p>Saturday</p> <p><b>'Thy kingdom come'</b></p>	<p><b>Lincoln Castle Academy</b> and Head teacher Louise Lamming and all students and staff ; <b>Yarborough Leisure Centre and the Sports Hub</b> Residents of: Rusland Close, Rushlip Close, Sanders Close, Sanders View</p>	<p><b>The Education Team - Patricia Dixon, Tracey Smith &amp; Ellen Cross – DBE Administrators</b> Pray for our work supporting the provision of training, inspection, finance and governance.</p> <p><i>The Diocese of Calcutta – The (United) Church of North India</i></p>

<b>Give thanks for:</b>	
<b>Special prayers this week for:</b>	Peace in Israel/Palestine
<b>People in need:</b>	Clive Seabury, Dave Notman, Pat Shay, Andy, Dawn Wise, Laura Nuttall, Mick Price
<b>Rest in peace:</b>	