



Thoughts, notices and reminders  
July 8 2018

Your light is the only light I need,  
as I travel through life's mystery.  
Your word the only voice I hear,  
that still small voice that leads me  
to the place where I should be.  
Your presence is the only company I need,  
as I walk this narrow road.  
Your fellowship the warmth I crave,  
to help me on my way.

*John Birch*

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## THE PRAYER PAGE

<b>Saint's Day</b>	<b>Prayer in the parish</b>	<b>Prayer in the diocese</b>
Sunday <b>Trinity 6</b>	<b>The lunch club; Guides and Brownies</b> Sue Fleshbourne and the lunch club team Residents of: Edlington Close, Epworth View, Ermine Close, Escombe View	<b>LAY MINISTRY</b>
Monday	<b>Our charity for this year</b> Macmillan Cancer Support Residents of: Flavian Road, Fiskerton Drive, Garfield Close, Garfield View, Gayton Close	<b>THE BAIN VALLEY GROUP</b> Revd Sue Allison
Tuesday	<b>Bishop Grosseteste University</b> Staff and students Residents of: Glynn Road, Glynn View, Greenholme Close, Greyling Close	<b>BARDNEY, WITH APLEY, GAUTBY, MINTING, SOUTHREY AND STAINFIELD</b> Fr David Bartlett
Wednesday <b>St Benedict of Nursia</b> Abbot of Monte Casino	<b>St Francis School</b> <b>Ann Hoffmann (head), staff, pupils and governors</b> Residents of: Greyling View, Hackthorn Place, Hardwick Place, Harmston Close	<b>THE MEETING OF DIOCESAN SYNOD. THE FEN AND HILL GROUP</b> Fr Andrew Roberts
Thursday	<b>Ermine Primary Academy</b> <b>Jenna Richards (acting head), staff, pupils and governors</b> Residents of: Harpswell Road, Hatcliffe Gardens, Hawkshead Grove, Haydor Avenue	<b>THE HEMINGBY GROUP</b>
Friday	<b>Ermine West Methodist Church</b> Residents of: Ingleby Crescent, Jesmond View, Keddington Avenue, Kershaw View	<b>THE HORNCastle GROUP</b> Canon Fr Charles Patrick
Saturday <b>John Keble</b> Priest and poet	<b>Ruckland Court;</b> <b>Lincoln Cathedral Quarry workers</b> Residents of: Langdale Close, Langton Close, Laughton Crescent, Laughton Way	<b>THE WOODHALL SPA GROUP</b> Fr Richard Major

<b>Give thanks for:</b>	The work of our PCC and the meeting on Tuesday
<b>Special prayers this week for:</b>	People taking part in the Week of Guided Prayer this week Boys trapped in the caves in Thailand; our Brownies and Guides
<b>People in need:</b>	Doug Bradley, Fr John Clark, Gill Clayton-Hewson, Irene Crosby, Dick Moore, Joan Pratt
<b>Rest in peace:</b>	Gerrard

**Coming up this week:**

Sunday 8	10:00am 2:30pm	Family Eucharist Ruckland Court Songs of Praise
Monday 9	2:00pm	Fr Stephen at Ermine Primary Academy for a farewell assembly
Tuesday 10	7:00pm	Eucharist and PCC meeting
Wednesday 11	9:30am 10:30am 1:00pm	Eucharist Choir practice Knit and natter
Thursday 12	am 7:00pm	Ermine Primary Academy in church - session on Baptism Ermine Voices
Friday 13	7:30pm	Ermine Voices summer concert at Castle Academy
Sunday 15	10:00am	Eucharist

### Coming up soon:

Wednesday 18	9:30am 12:00pm	Eucharist Lunch club in the hall
Thursday 19	10:00am	Ermine Primary Academy end of year service
Friday 20	9:00am	Fr Stephen at Ermine Primary Academy leaver's assembly
Sunday 22	10:00am 12:00pm	Eucharist (Mary Magdalene) Farewell lunch for Philippa
Monday 23	7:30pm	St John's Singers
Wednesday 25	9:30am 10:30am 11:00am	Eucharist with prayer for healing Choir practice JJs Messy Church in the hall
Sunday 29	10:00am	Eucharist
Wednesday 1	9:30am 10:30am 11:15am 12:00pm	Eucharist Ruckland Court Eucharist Ermine House Eucharist Lunch club in the hall
Thursday 2	9:00am	Hall committee meeting
Sunday 5	10:00am 12:00pm 3:45pm	Eucharist (Transfiguration) Baptisms Fr Stephen preaching at Lincoln Cathedral
Wednesday 8	9:30am 10:30am 1:00pm	Eucharist Choir practice Knit and natter
Thursday 9	2:00pm	Mothers Union Songs of Praise at BGU
Sunday 12	10:00am 2:30pm	Family Eucharist Ruckland Court Songs of Praise
Wednesday 15	9:30am 12:00pm	Eucharist (BVM) Lunch club in the hall



**SUMMER CELEBRATION**



**WEDNESDAY 25<sup>th</sup> JULY**

**Craft activities at 11.00**  
**Worship and Lunch at 12.15**

at St John's Church Hall,  
Laughton Way



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### PHILIPPA'S LAST SUNDAY

Incredibly, after four years, 22 July will be Philippa's last Sunday with us. She will be celebrating and preaching and there will be a shared lunch after the service in the hall. Please do make sure you have this date in your diaries, and please do sign up at the back of church so that we know you are coming and what you will be bringing to share!

### MOTHERS UNION SPONSORED WALK

The Mothers' Union annual sponsored walk takes place on Wednesday. They will be raising money for the important work that the MU does in the community throughout the world. If you would like to sponsor them, the form to fill in is at the back of the church.

### PCC

The PCC meets on Tuesday evening. This will be Fr Stephen's last meeting, and he will be sharing the chair with Phil Betts, the lay chair. Phil will be chairing meetings of the PCC throughout the interregnum. There will be a full report of the meeting in next week's bulletin.



ERMINE MUSIC PRESENTS

**Summer**  
Concert

ERMINE VOICES • ERMINE  
HOMES GROUP

ST. GILES ACADEMY • ERMINE PRIMARY  
ACADEMY

7:30pm, Friday 13th July

Ermine  
music

VENUE: Lincoln Castle Academy, LN1 3SP