



St Helen's Church

Loving God, loving others, loving the world

Notices for 10th November 2024

Third Sunday Before Advent

COLLECT	READINGS
God, our refuge and strength, bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end, that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord.	2 Corinthians 5 vv 18 – 6 v1 John 15 vv 9-17

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday 10th November

- 9:30am Remembrance Service at St Helen's
6:00pm Holy Communion at Isley Walton (see notice)

Monday 11th November

- 7:30pm Pilgrim Group*

Tuesday 12th November

- 2:30pm Friends, Fellowship and Faith*

Wednesday 13th November

- 10:30am Holy Communion at Prior Park

Thursday 14th November

- 10:00am Café Church at St Matthew's, Worthington

Friday 15th November

- 2-4pm Warm Hearted Space in the Community Heritage Centre

Saturday 16th November

- 9:30 am Morning Prayer in Hastings Chapel

Sunday 17th November

- 8:30am Holy Communion at Staunton Harold
10:30am Holy Communion at St Helen's, including Stepping Stones
10:30am Holy Communion at Coleorton

* Contact the Parish Office for location

SATURDAY 9th NOVEMBER, 8:00AM
Men's Breakfast Club

I am please to announce the next Men's Breakfast at 8:00am on Saturday 9th November 2024 at Ashby Wetherspoons Pub followed by a talk to be presented by Hugh "The Story of a Really Good Man". All welcome to hear this fascinating talk.
Geoff Richman

SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER, 9:30AM
Remembrance Service

We would like to remind you that the service on Sunday will be at 9.30am followed by an act of remembrance at the town War Memorial. We hope that you are able to join us.

SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER, 6:00AM
Service at Isley Walton

The service of Holy Communion at Isley Walton will include a time for us to remember loved ones who have died and to light candles. All are welcome.

TUESDAY 12th NOVEMBER, 7:30PM
Connections Session

The next "Connections" (exploring Ignatian Spirituality) session will be on Tuesday 12th November 7.30 – 9.30 in the Hildersham Room, Community Heritage Centre. In this session we'll be exploring the theme of "Obedience".

All are welcome, but if you would like to come and haven't already done so please let Andy know - email him on andy.xrn@outlook.com).

FRIDAY 15th NOVEMBER, 7:00-9:00PM

PRG would like to give thanks

You are invited to a Thanksgiving meal (traditional menu with a vegetarian option) in the Heritage centre from 7.00-9.00pm. Places are limited so please sign the sheet at the back of church or contact Liz as soon as possible. There is no charge but any donations will be gratefully accepted.

SUNDAY 17th NOVEMBER, 3:00PM
Seeds of Hope

3:00 pm on Sunday, 17 November 2024 at Holy Trinity Ashby. All Welcome. You are warmly invited to come along to Holy Trinity on the afternoon of Sunday, 17 November, for a special service of hope and remembrance for those who are grieving loss.

On this day, we will be taking some time to be with those in our community who are grieving loss - including those who are mourning someone who has died. Come and join us to take some time to remember, to receive God's comfort and hear about the hope that Jesus brings. The service will be followed by tea, coffee and cake. Whether you go to church regularly, or will be coming along for the first time, or the first time in a long time, we'd love to have you with us. All are welcome, so please feel free to bring family or friends with you.

Fernleigh Care Home

We have had a request for anyone who might be able to offer an activity at Fernleigh. This could be a craft activity, offering a talk or a slide show or any other activity.

If you would like to find out more, please contact Tim at St Helen's office – sthelensashby@gmail.com

FRIDAY 29th NOVEMBER, 7-8:30PM **30th Birthday of Rock Solid Youth Club**

On Friday 29th November, Ashby Youth for Christ will be celebrating the 30th birthday of Rock Solid youth club. The event will be held at Ashby Baptist Church, from 7-8.30pm, to include (optional) games, refreshments, a reflection from Youth For Christ's national director and time to reminisce and thank God. Please RSVP to Helen.davis@yfc.co.uk to confirm your attendance, or speak to Emily for more information. We'd be so pleased if you could join us.

MONDAY 2nd DECEMBER, 7:30PM

Holy Trinity Advent Carol Service

Holy Trinity Church, Ashby, invite members of St Helen's to their Advent Carol Service on Monday 2nd December at 7.30pm. The speaker will be Rev Graham Heath. Coffee/Mince Pies to follow. There will be an opportunity if you wish to give a donation to Newlands House, Leonard Cheshire Home.

GIVING

You can make donations to the work of St Helen's through the Collectin card reader at the back of church any time. Alternatively, donations can be made via the open plate at the back of church after our Sunday services, the wall safe at the back of church or via our website: <https://www.sthelensashby.net/Groups/327469/Giving.aspx>

In addition, regular donations can be made through the Parish Giving Scheme. Further information can be found at www.parishgiving.org.uk.

Deadline for next week's Notice Sheet: **10pm Tuesday** evening, sent to noticesheet@sthelensashby.net

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