

## Contacts

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The ministry of All Saints is funded by the generosity of the Church family. We encourage each person to 'give what they have decided in their heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver' (2 Cor 9:7).

### Special Collect for growth

God of mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give wisdom to our planning, wisdom to our actions, 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.

## The Week Ahead

Day	Time	Event
Mon 14th		
Tues 15th		
Wed 16th	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice
Thur 17th	10.00am	'Little Saints' baby and toddler group meets in the Church Hall
	7.45pm	Bible Study group at 17 High Street
	8pm	Prayer Walk
Fri 18th		
Sat 19th	8am	Prayers in Church
	7pm	Band rehearsal
Sun 20th	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10.30am	Parish Communion
	7pm	Pentecost Praise

## Welcome to today's service



All Saints' Church, Cottenham with Rampton

### Service Today

#### 'The Power of Prayer'



*8.30 only*

Acts 1: 15-17; 21-26

*8.30 and 10.30*

John 17: 6-19



Before his arrest, Jesus prays for his disciples that they may be one, as he is one with the Father. He asks that they may be protected from evil. How do we follow Jesus' example today?



Please stay for coffee/tea/juice in the Church Hall after the service so we can get to know you better.

We are delighted to welcome you to church today as we join together 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. If you have children, our children's groups meet on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month in term-time. We worship all-together at our All-Age Service on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month. There are toilets and a baby changing area in the Church Hall. We would count it as a privilege to pray with you during Communion about anything that might be going on in your life. Members of the prayer ministry team will be in the settee area at the back of the church.



All are welcome to receive the bread and the wine at Communion; if you wish to receive a blessing, please keep your hands at your side. The bread at the 10.30 service is gluten-free. If you'd prefer a wafer, please ask. If you need Communion brought to you where you sit, please tell the Welcome Team.



#### 8.30am: BCP Holy Communion

Led by: Canon Ian Winterbottom

Reader: David Woodcroft

#### 10.30am All-Age Service with Baptism

Led by: Revd Lynda Davies

Leading prayers: Cheryl Lowe

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## TODAY

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### Hymns:

My Jesus, my Saviour  
Our God is a great big God  
541 What a friend we have in Jesus  
Bless the Lord O my soul

### Collect

Risen ascended Lord,  
as we rejoice at your triumph,  
fill your Church on earth with power and compassion,  
that all who are estranged by sin  
may find forgiveness and know your peace,  
to the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

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## PRAYER NEEDS

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### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Canon Chris Barber, Ray Stearn, Cynthia Haird, Bill Horner and Yvonne Warham.

If you'd like someone 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:

Constance Joy Young (funeral on Mon 14th May at 2.30pm)

### PLEASE ALSO PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

- The relationship between North and South Korea
- Increasing tension in the middle east following America's withdrawal from the nuclear deal with Iran
- The plight of Syrian refugees and those who live in areas of conflict
- The work of Jimmy's night shelter, CBM International; and Tearfund's work in Nepal
- Friends, family and neighbours who you would love to know Jesus (please make use of your Thy Kingdom Come prayer resources)
- Prince Harry and Meghan Markle as they marry on Sat 19<sup>th</sup> May.

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## COMING SOON

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**JUNIOR CHURCH Leaders and Helpers** are meeting **today** at **8pm** in the Hall. If you would like to help with Junior Church please speak with Emma.

**SINGERS NEEDED:** If you'd like to sing with the band at Pentecost Praise on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm, please come along to the rehearsal in Church the night before at 7pm. All welcome!

**PRAYER** Join others in prayer from 8am Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> to 8am Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> and 'raise the spiritual temperature' of our lives together. Prayer in Rampton Church 11am-12 and 3pm - 4pm on Saturday.

**PRAYER WALKS** Thursday evenings until 15<sup>th</sup> July there will be CTiC prayer walks around Cottenham. Meet outside the village sign on the High Street at 8pm.

**WORKDAYS** Friday 8<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June 9.30 am -12 noon. Please come and help us tidy up our Churchyard and Church.

**CHURCH WEEKEND OF CELEBRATION** on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> of June. We have invitation cards to distribute to every house in Cottenham from **May 20<sup>th</sup>**. They are bundled together, one for each house in the named street. Please take the bundle for your chosen street and pop one through each door any time after next Sunday. There are also sign up sheets for help during the weekend.

**CHURCH VISION DAY** on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July - 11.30am to 3pm (lunch provided).

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## CHURCH NEWS

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**BIBLE STUDY GROUPS** Meet on alternate Mondays at 241 High Street at 8pm led by Lynda Unwin (250435) using material from The Bible Society.

Cheryl Lowe (488068) leads a group on alternate Thursdays at 17 High Street at 7.45pm. The group will be doing an academic study of Ecclesiasticus.

An ecumenical study group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 1.30pm during term at 68 High Street. Small children are welcome. Contact [kirstenburrows@gmail.com](mailto:kirstenburrows@gmail.com)

**HOLIDAY CLUB** Helpers are needed for this year's Churches Together Holiday Club (themed Psalm Tree Island) from 30 July to 3 August. Roles include: small group leaders/helpers, craft leaders/helpers, refreshment team, drama team, security, games team. An up to date DBS Check is essential (speak to Margaret Edwards). If you're able to help, contact Rebecca Bell ([cottenhamholidayclub@gmail.com](mailto:cottenhamholidayclub@gmail.com)). Please start collecting kitchen roll tubes, straight sided wine bottle corks, any shade of brown wool, multicoloured wool (any quantity, ball-ends fine).

**RAMPTON** The notice and draft pastoral scheme for the union of Cottenham and Rampton parishes are posted in both porches. Representation may be made to the Church Commissioners for or against all or any part of the draft scheme by Weds 23 May 2018. Further details are on the notice.