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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 27 th	7.45pm	Short course: How to read the Bible at 17 High Street
Tues 28 th		
Wed 29 th	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice in Church
Thur 30 th	7.30pm	Ascension Day Service
Fri 31 st		
Sat 1 st	9.00am	Morning Prayer
Sun 2 nd	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10.30am	Parish Communion
	1pm	Baptism of Vera Gifford

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All Saints' Church

Cottenham with Rampton

Welcome to our service



Service Today

Being married

◆
Colossians 3: 12-17
1 Cor 13

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What makes for a good marriage?

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Please stay for coffee/tea/juice 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. Our children's groups meet on the 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month in term-time. We worship all-together at our All-Age Service on the 2nd 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 at the back of church, behind the font.

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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 would prefer to dip or would like a wafer, please ask for one. If you need Communion brought to you where you sit, please tell the Welcome Team.

8.30am BCP Holy Communion

Led by Revd Lynda Davies
Reader: Lesley Maile

10.30 Parish Communion

Led by Revd. Lynda Davies
Reader: John Unwin
Prayers: Margaret Edwards

26th May 6th Sunday of Easter

TODAY

Hymns

310 Lord for the years

328 Make me a channel of your peace

321 Love divine, all love excelling

Speak O Lord – Townend and Getty (from CD)

298 *Let there be love shared among us*

383 *O Lord, your tenderness*

Bless the Lord O my soul

Collect

Risen Christ,

by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples:

help your Church to obey your command

and draw the nations to the fire of your love,

to the glory of God the Father

Amen.

PRAYER NEEDS

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Jean Wilmshurst, Rachel Millard, Bob Ward, Isabel Webster, Joan Fardell and Martin Hudson.

If you'd like someone's name 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:

Tony Huddleston and Janice Badcock.

PLEASE ALSO PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

- Our confirmation candidates preparing for their confirmation on June 24th: Alice Palmer, Peter Wilbourn, Hannah Ward and Kevin Hussien
- Canon Dr Dagmar Winter as she prepares to leave Hexham, where she is Rector, to take up her post as Bishop of Huntingdon
- Teresa May as she prepares to step down as Prime Minister; for wisdom and discernment for the Conservative Party as they select a new leader
- Wisdom for world leaders in areas where there is conflict, particularly in Zimbabwe and Syria
- For Christians in Burkina Faso where churches are increasingly coming under attack. For an end to the violence, for the families of those killed so far, and for the churches immediately affected
- The work of Jimmy's night shelter, CBM International; and Tearfund's work in Nepal.

COMING SOON

SERMON SERIES Our sermon series continues today exploring how we relate to others. The subject of today's sermon is 'Being married'. Still to come: Nurturing friendships.

HOW TO READ THE BIBLE New short course beginning **TOMORROW** at 7.45pm at 17 High Street. Please book in with Cheryl Lowe (488068).

ASCENSION DAY Service at All Saints' Cottenham at 7.30pm this Thursday.

QUIET DAY Sat 15th June. Please see the poster and let Lynda know if you are interested. The theme is Psalm 23: The Good Shepherd and looks to be a good day. So far, about 10 have signed up. Ideally, we'd like 15.

THY KINGDOM COME Between Ascension Day and Pentecost, we will take part in the annual 10 days of prayer (www.thykingdomcome.global). You are invited to take part in a 24/7 prayer event starting with breakfast in church at 9am on Sat 8th June. Please sign up for a prayer slot – list on the table. Later that day from 7pm we plan to read through the whole of Acts. Do come and join us!

PENTECOST PRAISE Sunday 9th June at Cottenham Baptist Church at 7pm. Come and join together as Christians in our village for an evening of worship and Prayer. If you want to join a small group of singers on the night, there will be a rehearsal on Friday 7th June at 7pm at the Baptist Church.

FEN EDGE FESTIVAL CTIC will be holding a stall at the FEF again this year with 'Hook a Duck' as the attraction and a prayer activity. All Saints' have agreed to help. Please add your name to the rota if you able to fill one of the slots!

CONFIRMATION SERVICE on Monday 24th June at 7.30pm at All Saints', Cottenham. Please come along and support Peter, Alice, Hannah and Kevin.

PET SERVICE On Sunday 14th July at 10.30 saying 'thank you' to God for creation, but particularly for our pets. Well behaved (and suitably caged) pets welcome. This will be a joint service at All Saints' Cottenham with the Baptist Church and one to which you are encouraged to invite your friends and neighbours.

CHURCH NEWS

TOWER UPDATE We have secured a grant of £550 from the Fen Edge Community Association. Although small this does take us a bit closer to meeting the total cost of the Tower Project. Many thanks to Edward and Alison. We are still anticipating a £30K shortfall in funding for the current tower repair. If anyone is able to either make a donation or offer an interest-free loan, then please speak to either Graham Appleby or Frances Horgan ASAP.

NEW SUFFRAGAN BISHOP The next Bishop of Huntingdon will be Canon Dr Dagmar Winter. She will be East Anglia's first female bishop. Dagmar will be consecrated on Wednesday, 3 July at St Paul's Cathedral in London. Great news!

THE MEDLOCK ENSEMBLE CONCERT held on Sunday 12th of June raised £850 for the Friends of All Saints' and the same amount for CamTrust. Many thanks to Helen Medlock for arranging this amazing event.