

Notices

1. Thank you to all who supported the **Spalding Ukulele Orchestra** concert and to Linda & Nigel for organising it. The concert was great fun and raised £257.76 to be shared equally between the church and the St Nicholas Fayre.
2. **St Nicholas Fayre** - Thank you to all who helped yesterday and to all who will help today. Let's hope that the weather holds!
3. Thank you to all who have helped with the **Community Larder TESCO collection** over the weekend. Donations have poured in.
4. Help is needed in church on Tuesday morning 5th Dec from 10.00 am to sort all the **TESCO Christmas Donations** for the **Community Larder** and on Friday 8th Dec from 9.30am in order to **pack the Christmas Hampers**. You are welcome to just turn up if you can help with either of these.
5. Readers are needed for the **Carol Service on 17th December at 6.30pm**. Names to Rosamund please.
6. The total for our **Harvest Red Cross Appeal** is £532.09 - helped enormously by the money raised at the Confirmation service. The Remembrance service raised £279.36 for the **British Legion** and the **Lincolnshire Churches Trust Ride and Stride** has so far raised a splendid £1,589 - which beats the £1,374 from 2016 and there is still a little more to come in.
7. From January onwards, **Kate** will be spending 3 Sundays out of 4 providing cover in the Sutton Bridge with Tydd St Mary benefice plus two days a week pastoral care. This will provide her with valuable additional training, but I am sorry to say that we shall not be seeing quite as much of her in Holbeach as we have been doing.
8. Please note that there will be our usual 10.30 am Eucharist on **Christmas Eve**, as well as the Crib Service and Midnight Mass.

Morning Prayer is said in the Lady Chapel at 8.30 am on Mondays, Tuesdays, & Fridays. All Welcome.

Days off: Vicar - Thursday, Curate - Thursday or Friday

*Please note: This church has a hearing loop installed.
Gift Aid: Tax Payers can gift-aid their donations by using the labelled envelopes on the pews.*

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3rd December 2017 Advent Sunday



Welcome to all who have joined us for worship today, especially if you are visitors or newcomers.

There are activity sheets and quiet toys available in the children's corner for use by young children.

Please take this notice sheet home with you.

Do join us for refreshments after the 10.30 service.

Today

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

President & preacher - Rosamund Seal,

4.00 pm Christingle Service

See separate service sheet

6.30 pm Advent Carol Service

A vigil for those who sit in darkness

See separate service sheet

For your Prayers

Rev'd Gareth Atha and the Elloe Stone Parishes
Refugees the world over

Sick Ira Coles, Patricia Parker, Brian Sadd, Joe Edwards, Diane Osmond, Sue Crowden, Joan, Lily Sandell, Peter Hiltz, Mary Knight, Michaela, Denise Clifford, Frank Butler, Jim Hammond, Patrick King, George Phillips

RIP Stanley Dodd,

In memoriam Ted Brown, John Goodley.

The week ahead

Monday 10.00 - Crochet group - 2 Park Lane

Monday 7.30 - Advent Course 2 - The Vicarage

Tuesday 10.00 - HCL donations sorting

Tuesday 10.30 - Bell-ringing practice

Tuesday 2.30 - Carol Service - Patchett lodge

Tuesday 7.30 - Ministry Team - The Vicarage

Wednesday 9.30 - Holy Communion - Lady Chapel

Wednesday 10.00 - Coffee - MBR

Thursday 7.00 - Prayer group - 9 Edinburgh Walk

Friday 2.30 - Carol Service - Mayfield's

Friday 6.30 - Junior Choir & 7.15 - Adult choir

Saturday 10.00 - Coffee Morning

Services for 10th Dec - Advent 2

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW)

6.30 pm Deanery Evensong