Notices

We are exploring the possibility of doing a **Homegroup** based on the Nicene Creed, the words that we say every week as we express our faith. This is a Church of England course and can be accessed by an app or we can order you a booklet (£.3.50) if you would be interested. The course can be done on your own or with a group of people and includes readings and moments for reflection. If you would be interested then please sign up at the back. There will be the option just to order a book or to select whether you would be interested in either an online or in-person course.

Show Songs for a Summers Evening - Summer Concert at St Mary Magdalene Gedney on 28th June at 7pm. Tickets are £12 incl a welcome drink. Please contact Jill Duffy on 01406 365586

If you wish to add any notices to the pew sheet please contact Caz Dennis at the Deanery Office on 01406 423460 or email eedeanery@lincoln.anglican.org

Please note: This church has a hearing loop installed.

Please place any donations to the church in the plate on the way into church.

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All Saints Church, Holbeach Trinity 1 22nd June 2025



We are an inspiring and inclusive place of worship at the heart of the community. We hope and pray that you will find this place a blessing to you, a place of worship, a place to encounter God, a place of community and above all, a place of welcome.

Gluten free wafers available on request. **Do join us for refreshments after the 10.30 service.**

Today

10.30 Holy Communion

Leader and Preacher Revd Sherine Angus

Hymns 565 Praise My Soul The King Of Heaven

720 We Pray Thee, Heavenly Father

277 Here Is Bread, Here Is Wine

Anthem I Am The Bread Of Life

87 Broken For Me, Broken For You

714 We Hail Thy Presence Glorious

6.30pm Evensong

Leader and Preacher Revd Sherine Angus

Hymn 19 All My Hope On God Is Founded

Psalm 57

Anthem Faithfull One, So Unchanging
Hymns 45 As The Deer Pants For The Water

752 Will You Come And Follow Me

For your Prayers

For the Sick Ruth, Raymond & Anastasia Winter, Matti Corrado, Sarah Abiss, Julie, David & Val Arnold, Roger Quested, Harry Pollard, Ann Onyett, John Bambury, Revd Paul Winn, Elijah Olive

The Recently Departed Joyce Chapman, May Brown, Rosemary Carter, Viv Root

In Memorium Christine Gregory, Nicholas Carter, Linda Saville, John Allwood

The week ahead

Monday 23rd - 6.00pm - ALM Youth Training Wednesday 25th - 9.30am - Holy Communion Thursday 26th - 2.00pm - Bell Ringing Practice Saturday 28th - 10.00am - Antiques Valuations

Services for 29th June - Trinity 2

10.30 am Holy Communion

18.30 pm Evensong

Sunday 22nd June

COLLECT

O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature, we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

FIRST READING Isaiah 65.1-9

I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask, to be found by those who did not seek me. I said, 'Here I am, here I am', to a nation that did not call on my name. I held out my hands all day long to a rebellious people, who walk in a way that is not good, following their own devices; a people who provoke me to my face continually, sacrificing in gardens and offering incense on bricks; who sit inside tombs, and spend the night in secret places; who eat swine's flesh, with broth of abominable things in their vessels; who say, 'Keep to yourself, do not come near me, for I am too holy for you.' These are a smoke in my nostrils, a fire that burns all day long. See, it is written before me: I will not keep silent, but I will repay; I will indeed repay into their laps their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together, says the Lord; because they offered incense on the mountains and reviled me on the hills, I will measure into their laps full payment for their actions.

Thus says the Lord: As the wine is found in the cluster, and they say, 'Do not destroy it, for there is a blessing in it', so I will do for my servants' sake, and not destroy them all. I will bring forth descendants from Jacob, and from Judah inheritors of my mountains; my chosen shall inherit it, and my servants shall settle there.

PSALM 22.19-28

19 But you, O Lord, do not be far away! O my help, come quickly to my aid! 20 Deliver my soul from the sword, my life from the power of the dog!

21 Save me from the mouth of the lion!
From the horns of the wild oxen you have rescued me.
22 I will tell of your name to my brothers and sisters; in
the midst of the congregation I will praise you:
23 You who fear the Lord, praise him! All you offspring
of Jacob, glorify him; stand in awe of him, all you
offspring of Israel!

24 For he did not despise or abhor the affliction of the afflicted; he did not hide his face from me, but heard when I cried to him.

25 From you comes my praise in the great congregation; my vows I will pay before those who fear him.

26 The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the Lord. May your hearts live for ever! 27 All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord and all the families of the nations shall worship before him.

Trinity 1

28 For dominion belongs to the Lord, and he rules over the nations.

SECOND READING Galatians 3.23-end

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

GOSPEL Luke 8.26-39

Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, 'What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me'- for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, 'What is your name?' He said, 'Legion'; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss. Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine. and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, 'Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.' So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

POST COMMUNION

Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts:
may our communion strengthen us in faith,
build us up in hope, and make us grow in love;
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord