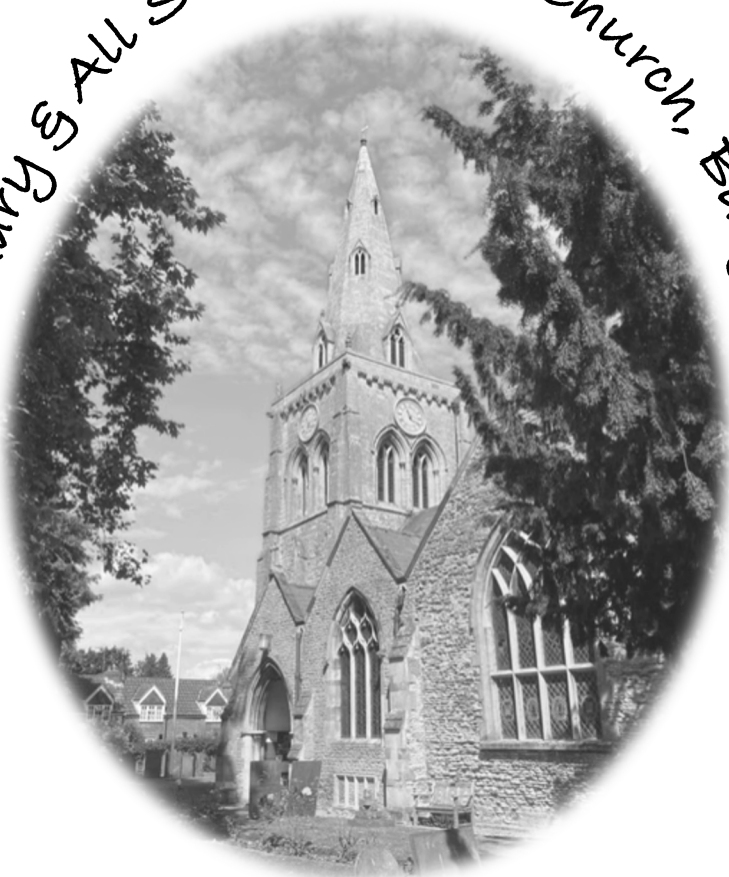


St. Mary & All Saints Parish Church, Bingham



Loving God, Sharing Christ, Serving One Another

16th August 2026
Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Family News

Newsletter – there will be no newsletter for Sundays 23 and 30 August (Wendy is on leave from 17 – 31 August).

Message from June – *Thank you to everyone who came to see me in the Queen's Medical Centre during my stay there and also when I arrived home bringing me food and helping to organise my house move. Thank you too for the person that helped me sign my documents for the move and to the people who came and stayed with me when I fell in my hallway and waited for the ambulance. Thank you to everyone for support during another journey according to God's will. Love June x*

Funeral – Very sadly, **Ben Barrow**, who was a faithful attender with his wife Anne before moving into care, has died. His funeral will be held at Rushclife Oaks at 1.15pm on Thursday 20 August. Please pray for his family and friends and especially for his daughter Helen and her husband Mike who would always make sure that Anne and Ben could get to church for services and other events during the time they were living in Bingham.

Wed Afternoon Home Group – We are recruiting! We meet every Wednesday between 13.00-14.30 and, as the newest Home Group, we need new friends as there are only 4 of us on a good day. We always have lively discussions around whatever topic we're looking at as a church and we'd love you to join us. Please speak to Lesley, Marylin, Chrissie or Natalie if this sounds like you.

Garden Party – A big thank you to everyone who came to Wendy's garden party on Wednesday - an extremely hot day! Thank you too for all the cake donations - there was enough to go around and more so please enjoy today after the service with a coffee too.

We had a lovely afternoon of fellowship together so thanks again everyone.

Monday morning prayer: 9.30am – 10.00am in church, all welcome. It's important that we pray together as a church, please join with us to pray for our community, our nation and the world around us. We usually go for coffee afterwards, please feel free to join us.

Lesley is on holiday 24th & 31st August (Bank Holiday).

Soup Service:

When? – Friday nights.

What time? – 5.30pm – 6.30pm

Come and share a free bowl of soup and a cob on Friday evenings in church. No sign-ups, no requirements, just soup and a place to sit and chat together.

Bible Readings

Both 9.00am Traditional Holy Communion and 10.30am Morning Worship:

- Romans 11: 1 – 2a & 29 -32
- Matthew 15: 21 – 28

Pray

“Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.”

~ 1 Thessalonians 5: 16 - 18

Please pray for:

- **Our Church:** that we would be united and thankful family who strive to love God, share Christ and serve one another as we follow in the footsteps of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus.
- **Our Town:** that as the schools, colleges and universities along with other term-time only activities draw to a close for the Summer, that there would be opportunities for all to take rest and reflect, before the business of the Autumn term.
- **Our New Rector:** as we trust God in this process, that as the advert goes out for a new Rector for our church that the right person would put themselves forward.

- **Our World:** that there would be a renewed sense of hope and an awakening of a world-wide knowledge of the source of all hope in Christ; that wars, famine and other disasters would cease; that the world would become a peaceful place under the sovereign reign of King Jesus. Come Holy Spirit.
- **Outreach:** that during this time of rest from term time activities, we may pray, plan and find ways of continuing to reach the wider community in new and exciting ways.
- **Streets to pray :** during the Summer let's pray for our town as a whole, that more people would come to know the Lord Jesus, that they may be curious and come to Church to find answers to their questions. If there is a street that you feel particularly needs prayer, why not pop the name of that street on our prayer noticeboard in Church.

Please remember to make use of the **Prayer Board**, located near the kitchen. Write and date your prayer requests and the prayer team will pray through them for a month (or longer if required).

If you would like prayer after the service, please speak to Lesley, Andy or Wendy who would be happy to pray with/for you.

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*“Go into all the world and proclaim the Gospel to
the whole of creation.”*

Mark 16: v15