St. Mary & All Saints Parish Church, Bingham



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All Saints Day

Loving God, Sharing Christ,
Serving One Another





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Family News

Help Needed: We are looking for someone to take over the formatting and photocopying the weekly newsletter as well as the monthly poster of events and services. This is something that Heidi has done brilliantly for the last few years but due to work commitments is having to step back from. If anyone feels they could help with this please speak to Wendy.

In the meantime a huge thank you to Heidi for all her help with this - very much appreciated

Remembrance Day: We will be having our usual 9am Service on 8 November but there will be no 10.30am service that day as we will be joining the Royal British Legion and uniformed groups for the service on the square along with members of the Methodist church. The British Legion will be coming to church at 1pm to lay wreaths which you are welcome to come along to. There will be refreshments after that.

Upcoming events and services:

- November 1 (Sunday) 6pm : All Souls Memorial Service
- November 7 (Saturday) 7pm : Bingham and District Choral Society Concert
- November 8 (Sunday) 10.45am : Remembrance Day Service in Square
- December 6 (Sunday) 10.30am : Intergenerational Christingle Service
- December 17 (Thursday) 2.30pm : RMI Carol Service
- December 17 (Thursday) 7.30pm : Church Carol Service
- December 24 (Thursday) 4pm : Crib Service
- December 24 (Thursday) 9pm : Holy Communion
- December 25 (Friday) 9am : Holy Communion
- December 25 (Friday) 10.30am : Christmas Morning Worship
- December 27 (Sunday): Normal Sunday Services

Memorial Book: We are in the process of finding someone to bring the memorial book up to date. If you have an entry that you would like to be included, please give Wendy a note or email with name, date of birth and date of death and the entries will be made asap. If anyone is skilled at calligraphy do let Wendy know.

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.

Soup Service: Friday nights from 5.30 – 6.30pm. Homemade soup with crusty bread plus treats like mince pies and doughnuts. Come and join us, we'd love to see you there!

Bible Readings

9.00am Holy Communion
Bible Readings: 1 John 3: 1 – 3 & Matthew 5: 1 – 12

10.30am Intergenerational Worship
Bible Readings: John 15: 12 – 14

6.00pm All Souls Memorial Service
Bible Readings: Psalm 23 & John 10: 3 – 10

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:

- **Community:** That there will be a working of the Holy Spirit in our town, to stir a curiosity in the people, to know more about God.

- **Church:** That we will serve The Lord with love and gratitude for everything He has done in our lives, both individually and corporately.

- **Streets:** That those who live in the folloiwing streets will come to know The Lord Jesus as their personal Saviour – Station Street; St Mary's Road; Strong Close; Swale Grove; Swallow Drive.

- **Outreach:** That, by prayer and intentionality, we will be willing and ready to meet the needs of those people whom God sends us through the Thurs café etc.

- **New Rector:** That the appointment process for a new recetor would work through in God's way and timing.

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.

"Go into all the world and proclaim the Gospel
to the whole of creation."
Mark 16: V15