St. Mary & All Saints Parish Church, Bingham



8th November 2026

Remembrance Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion

10.45am Remembrance Service in the Market Square

1.00pm Laying of Wreaths in Church

Loving God, Sharing Christ, Serving One Another

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Christmas Services 2026

Sunday 6 December:
Christingle Service at 10.30am
Thursday 17th December:
Carol Service at 7.30pm followed by mince pies and mulled wine
Thursday 24 December, Christmas Eve:
Crib Service at 4.00pm
Holy Communion at 9.00pm
Friday 25 December, Christmas Day:
9.00am Traditional service of Holy Communion
10.30am: Christmas Morning Worship
Sunday 27th December:
Usual services (9am communion; 10.30am communion)



Family News

New Rector: As you know we are still in the process of recruiting a new Rector. The advert will be out in mid November with a view to shortlisting and interviewing in January. It is really important that as a church we are praying not only for the process but also for our Parish Reps, the Archdeacons and the Diocese, the Crown Representative and of course for the person(s) who God is preparing to apply. The Monday morning prayer groups will run with this focus in mind during November and we hope to put on a couple of extra opportunities to come together to pray around the whole process so do look out for those. "Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer" (Romans 12:12).

Christmas Services: Please see flyer on front page for information. If you are able to help with the welcome at any of the extra services, please speak to Wendy.

Funeral: The funeral of Lewis (Lou) Levers will be held in church on Tuesday 17 November at 10.00am. Lou and his late wife, Wendy have been members of our church family in the past. Please do pray for the family as they come together to celebrate Lou's life.

Upcoming events and services:

- 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

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 Thessalonians 4: 13 – 18 & Matthew 25: 1 – 13

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 – Swinly Court; Sycamore Close; Tansy Way; Tees Court.
- **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.

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