

The Good News for Nettleham

Sun 17th May 2026

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8.30am Said Holy Communion
 10.00am All Age Parish Communion with Baptism and Confirmation
 12.00pm Open Churches Weekend continues
 4.00pm Wholeness and Healing
 6.00pm Youth

Mon 18th

10.00am Coffee Shop
 3.15pm Families

Tue 19th

9.30am Ducklings
 12.00pm Open the Book Rehearsal and Performance
 7.00pm Course Night in Rooms 19/20

Wed 20th

2.00pm Meeting in Rooms 19/20

Thu 21st

1.30pm School Pentecost Service in All Saints Church
 2.00pm Pastoral Care Team Meeting in Rooms 19/20

Fri 22nd

10.00am Tower Team Meeting in Rooms 19/20
 12.00pm BCP Holy Communion
 1.00pm Prayer afternoon (come along and we'll pray for you. Here until 3pm!)

Sun 24th

Pentecost

8.30am Said Holy Communion
 10.00am Parish Communion
 11.15am BCP Holy Communion at St Mary's
 1.00pm Baptism
 3.30pm Jenny's Farewell Service and Afternoon Tea
 6.00pm Youth

Morning Prayer at 9am: Monday – Facebook Live with Martin,
 Tuesday – Facebook Live with Jean Wednesday and Friday – Zoom with Andy

Readings for Pentecost

Acts 2.1-21

Psalms 104

1 Corinthians 12.3b-13

John 20.19-23 or John 7.37-39

Prayer for our Community

Sunday	17 th Streets: Herrington Avenue, Shaw Way, Cooper Close, Mansford Close, Aima Court Community: West Lindsey District Council
Monday	18 th Streets: Crickets Drive, Honeysuckle Close, Sellers Way, Mulberry Close. Community: All Local Community Groups
Tuesday	19 th Streets: Highfields, High Leas, Kerrison View, The Steepers, Wold View Community: Green Spaces
Wednesday	20 th Streets: Brookfield Avenue, Jubilee Court, Orchard Way Community: The Village Hall
Thursday	21 st Streets: Ash Tree Avenue, Midway Close, Riverdale Community: The Scouts and Guides
Friday	22 nd Streets: Ridgeway, Willowfield Avenue, Mill Hill, Vicarage Lane Community: Nettleham Junior School
Saturday	23 rd Streets: Greenfields, The Vinyard Community: Tennis, Football and Cricket Clubs at Mulsanne Park

In need of prayer.... Sue & Ian, Gwen and family, Alison, Christine, Barry, Joan, Ian, Barbara, Maxine and Brian
 RIP.... Delia Vincent, Pauline Smith and Margaret Shirley Smith

Year's Mind... David Williams and Mary Green

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The 'To Love and Serve The Lord' Course will run in The Hub at 7pm and initial thoughts are to begin on Tuesday 2nd June. It's a great course if you are interested in deepening your Christian faith or exploring how you might be called to serve? The "To Love and Serve the Lord" course, offered by the Diocese of Lincoln, provides a welcoming space to grow in understanding, reflect on your vocation, and consider how you can live out your faith in everyday life.

9 Days of Prayer Since the beginning of the Church, the nine days between Ascension and Pentecost (known as the Novena) have been designated as a time for prayer for individuals and our church communities. This year we invite everyone in All Saints church and St. Mary's church Riseholme, to read and pray with the Archbishop of Canterbury's "Thy Kingdom Come" booklet entitled "God With Us". There are copies for all. Please also see the poster for more information about our prayer pebbles and how to be part of using them to create a prayer cairn.

Email we know that criminals can use widely available information about our church to target people by email. If you receive any email asking for money or assistance, even if not church related, we'd always be happy to help look over it or confirm whether it has come from us... or not!

Jenny's Farewell There is now a list of suggested food items at the back of the church for you to sign up to if you are coming to Jenny's farewell afternoon tea on Sunday 24th May. Please can you bring your contribution ready to serve prior to the farewell service. Thank you so much. It's going to be a lovely afternoon. J. Hanson

Reflective Prayer Space We would like to say thank you to all who have contributed their works of art to the Reflective Prayer Space. Your creativity has shaped a contemplative display that invites stillness and a doorway into encountering God as we journey towards Pentecost.

The artwork in this space draws upon the theme of this year's "Thy Kingdom Come" – **God with us.**

You are invited to enter the stillness. Let the art speak. Let your soul listen. And may you encounter the Divine in the beauty of this space. Ann Marie and Jane

Beetle Drive On 6th June at 3pm Marcin will be running a Beetle Drive for the whole church community and we hope it's going to be a really enjoyable afternoon to spend together. There are posters in church with more information and you can also talk to Marcin to find out more!

Fellowship Postponed Fellowship on 18th May is postponed and more details will follow in due course.

Corpus Christi On 4th June 7pm we will gather in church to celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi. Please save the date, it will be a wonderful opportunity to worship together.

Weekly Prayer

O God the King of glory,

you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ

with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:

we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,

but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us

and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,

who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen