

Please pray for...

Eben Atkinson, Sheila Bates, Margaret Brumby, Marie Rose Cubacub, Christine Evans, Sue Grainge, Annie Hall, Clive Hall, Robert Hitchens, Jane Knight, Imogen Matthews, Pat Reid, John Rowntree, Maggie Sharman, Ivan Spencer, Amanda Thomson, Clive Walker, Kevin Whitfield, King Charles III, and for any others whom we name in the silence of our hearts.

We give thanks for those on the road to recovery.

We remember Pat Heap, Judy Long, Ann Woodward, Carol Godfrey, Jo Honniball and the souls of all the faithful departed. May they rest in peace and rise in glory; and we pray for those who mourn their loss.

Funeral anniversaries: Walter Baxter (6 months); Maurice Brooker (1 year); Roy Machin (2 years); Barbara Jeffreys (13 years)

Sunday and regular weekday Services in the Group

29 December	11am	Eucharist	Morton
5 January	9am	Eucharist	Morton
	3pm	Evening Prayer	Haconby
12 January	9am	Eucharist	Haconby
	3pm	Evening Prayer	Morton
19 January	11am	Eucharist	Morton
26 January	11am	Eucharist	Kirkby Underwood
	3pm	Evening Prayer	Morton
Wednesday	10 am	Moring Prayer	Morton

Do you know anyone who is unable to get to church but who would like to receive Holy Communion? Speak to your churchwarden, or email ringstoneoffice@gmail.com



Can you help?

Please don't forget the Bourne Foodbank at this time of year. There is a collection box in St John the Baptist Church, on the left at the back of the church. Please be as generous as possible.

Safeguarding & Contact Information

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29 December 2024
First Sunday of Christmas

Collect for this Sunday

Almighty God, who wonderfully created us in your own image and yet more wonderfully restored us through your Son Jesus Christ: grant that, as he came to share in our humanity, so we may share the life of his divinity; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Readings for this Sunday

1 Samuel 2.18-20,26; Colossians 3.12-17; Luke 2.41-52



Psalm 148: Praise for God's Universal Glory

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!

Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!

Praise him, you highest heavens and you waters above the heavens!

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for he commanded and they were created.

He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.

Praise the Lord from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps,

fire and hail, snow and frost, stormy wind fulfilling his command!

Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars!

Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!

Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!

Young men and women alike, old and young together!

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven.

He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful, for the people of Israel who are close to him. Praise the Lord!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and for evermore, Amen

Post Communion Prayer for this Sunday

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son shared at Nazareth the life of an earthly home: help your Church to live as one family, united in love and obedience, and bring us all at last to our home in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

