

**Notices 14th October 2018, 20th Sunday after Trinity,
Parish of Wiverton in the Vale:
One flock, One Shepherd, Six Pastures**

Welcome to our services on Sunday 14th October:

- St John's, Colston Bassett: 9.00am Holy Communion (BCP);
- St Michael's and All Angels, Elton: 10.00am Harvest Festival;
- Holy Trinity, Tythby, 10.30am: Holy Communion;
- St Andrew's, Langar, 10.30am: Morning worship

Please note the change of time for the Elton Harvest Festival – 10.00am, not 9.00am in the Wiverton News and on notice boards.

CHILL ALERT! PLEASE BE AWARE that the boiler at St Giles has been condemned; we have a secondary background heating system, but we still advise you dress accordingly! **Because of this we are moving the All Souls' Service on 2nd November from St Giles' to St Andrew's Langar – see 'Dates for your Diary'.**

HOME GROUPS normally meet weekly, to support one another through fellowship, prayer and bible study.

Monday evening (fortnightly) Langar Robin & Julie Coles 01949 860655, randj4494@gmail.com

Tuesday afternoon, Cropwell Bishop 2.15 for 2.30 -4.00pm Hilary Tabron 0115 9894836 hilary.tabron@wivertoninthevale.co.uk

Tuesday evening Granby, 7.15 for 7.30 – 9.00pm Maureen Wright: 01949 850441 wright.maureen46@gmail.com

Wednesday evening Cropwell Bishop, Ann Mansell: 7.15 for 7.30–9.00pm 0115 9892770 ann.mansell@hotmail.co.uk

HARVEST produce, donations and gifts

WE will be supporting Self-Help Africa through our harvest service offertories, supplemented by the sale of homemade produce such

as preserves, jam, cakes, bread, soft drinks, wine, cordial, eggs etc. Fresh food offerings will go to Dove Cottage; tinned, bottled and dried food plus toiletries will go to the Friary.

SELF-HELP AFRICA: there are gift aid envelopes available. Please use them if you wish, either through the collection or pass on to your Church warden or PCC rep.

DIARY for the week commencing 14th October

- **Sunday: Worship** as above, plus a Baptism at St Giles, 2pm
- **Home Groups:** as above.
- **Monday and Friday: Morning Prayer**, 8am at St Giles, Cropwell Bishop, about 30-35 minutes. All welcome.
- **Monday: "Time for you"** 8.55-10am, St Giles, Cropwell Bishop
- **Wednesday: "Coffee, Cake and Chat"** 9am-11am St Giles, Cropwell Bishop with Bell-ringer beginners from 10am.

COMING UP and DATES for your diary:

- **SERVICES next SUNDAY 21st October:**

All Saints' Granby: 9.00am Holy Communion;

St Giles' Cropwell Bishop: 10.30am, All Age Harvest Festival;

St Andrew's Langar: 10.30am, Harvest Festival;

St John's Colston Bassett: 10.30am, Harvest Festival.

- **INSTALLATION SERVICE** for Bronwen: **22nd October 2018, 7.30pm.**

Church of St John the Baptist, East Markham

- **CHURCH BIG BREAKFAST** Colston Bassett Village Hall from 10am; **28 October.**
- **SOUPERBOWL:** 12.20 for 12.30pm Colston Village Hall: **1 Nov, 6 Dec**
- **ALL SOULS' SERVICE** 7.00pm St Andrew's, Langar;
- **PARISH PRAYER MEETING 45 mins** 2nd Monday of the month, **7pm**, Anne Mansell's home **12 Nov, 10 Dec.**

Children and Families in Focus

LITTLE SAINTS: has now closed in Cropwell Bishop but there will be a new group "**Hubbub**", in the Methodist School Room, Nottingham Road, Cropwell Bishop – **10.30am to 11.30am** every Friday (**apart from** Good Friday, August Bank holiday, Christmas and New Year weekends).

BARNSTONE UNDER FIVE GROUP for babies to toddlers under 5: this is a new group meeting on Tuesdays at the Village Hall in Barnstone.

We are looking for volunteers from church who would be happy to be on the door to welcome people, help with teas and coffees and snacks for the children and generally help the running of things. Please contact Lucy Paine 07974145392 initially.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH 1st Sunday of the month, 10.30am St Andrew's, Langar. **We are still looking for additional leaders/helpers.** If this is a ministry into which you believe God is calling you, please contact Lucy Paine (as above).



CHILDREN IN CHURCH: We welcome children to all our services each Sunday, so don't worry if they are not quiet! Look out for the smiley face symbol and/or "All-age" on the service rotas for services which are more suitable for children.

GENERATE: With the help of the Diocesan leader, David Keetley, our deanery will be running 3 Generate events on

18 November 2018, 10 February and 12 May 2019.

This will be for **year 6 children** (*top juniors in old money!*) **upwards.**

They are all Sunday evenings 6-8pm and the venue will be St Mary's Church Hall, Radcliffe on Trent.

There will be invitation cards and posters around in the deanery.

PRAYER MATTERS If you would like us to pray for you, someone else or a particular concern, please contact Hilary Tabron RLM, in confidence, 0115 9894836 email hilary.tabron@btinternet.co.uk People for whom we have been asked to pray: Roger Fletcher; Kathleen Hardy; Jackie Swift; Dick Bond; Pam Mosely; those who have died recently: John Gibson, and those who mourn them.

READINGS for today:

Hebrews 4. 12-end; Mark 10.17-31; and Psalm 90.12-end, as below:

¹² So teach us to count our days, that we may gain a wise heart.

¹³ Turn, O LORD! How long? Have compassion on your servants!

¹⁴ Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love,
so that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

¹⁵ Make us glad as many days as you have afflicted us,
and as many years as we have seen evil.

¹⁶ Let your work be manifest to your servants,
and your glorious power to their children.

¹⁷ Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us
the work of our hands— O prosper the work of our hands!

HARVEST READINGS:

Joel 2.21-27; Matthew 6.25-33; and Psalm 126, as below:

¹ When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion,^[a] we were like those
who dream.

² Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with
shouts of joy; then it was said among the nations,
“The LORD has done great things for them.”

³ The LORD has done great things for us, and we rejoiced.

⁴ Restore our fortunes, O LORD, like the watercourses in the Negeb.

⁵ May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy.

⁶ Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing,
shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.

*Please let me have notices by Thursday for the coming weekend. I will try
to keep notices brief! email hilary.tabron@wivertoninthevale.co.uk*