

Benefice Noticeboard

~Thrapston Town Band – present 'Brass In Concert' on **Saturday 10th October at 2pm in St Mary's Church, Ringstead.** Tickets £10 per person including refreshments. For tickets please contact Rosie Coles or any church members at St Mary's. Everyone welcome.

~Ringstead House Group – The next house group meeting will be **Tuesday 13th October from 2pm-3pm** at 5 Carlow Road. Everyone welcome.

~Wednesday Worship – Our next Wednesday Worship will be **Wednesday 14th October at 7pm in St Mary's Church.** Everyone welcome.

~Deanery Synod – The next Deanery Synod will meet at **Christ the King in Kettering on Tuesday 6th October at 7:30pm.** Everyone welcome.

~Churchwardens Meeting – The next churchwardens meeting will be **Wednesday 7th October at 7pm in the Community Enterprise Centre** (opp. SPAR).

Readings for Sunday 11th October The Nineteenth Sunday After Trinity

Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23 or 23

Exodus 32: 1-14

Isaiah 25: 1-9

Philippians 4: 1-9

Matthew 22: 1-14



Sunday 4th October 2026 The Eighteenth Sunday After Trinity Matthew 21: 33-46

The Parable of the Tenants

³³ "Listen to another parable: There was a landowner who planted a vineyard. He put a wall around it, dug a winepress in it and built a watchtower. Then he rented the vineyard to some farmers and moved to another place. ³⁴ When the harvest time approached, he sent his servants to the tenants to collect his fruit. ³⁵ "The tenants seized his servants; they beat one, killed another, and stoned a third. ³⁶ Then he sent other servants to them, more than the first time, and the tenants treated them the same way. ³⁷ Last of all, he sent his son to them. 'They will respect my son,' he said. ³⁸ "But when the tenants saw the son, they said to each other, 'This is the heir. Come, let's kill him and take his inheritance.' ³⁹ So they took him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him."

⁴⁰ "Therefore, when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" ⁴¹ "He will bring those wretches to a wretched end," they replied, "and he will rent the vineyard to other tenants, who will give him his share of the crop at harvest time."

⁴² Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the Scriptures:

"The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;
the Lord has done this,
and it is marvellous in our eyes'?"

⁴³ "Therefore I tell you that the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people who will produce its fruit. ⁴⁴ Anyone who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; anyone on whom it falls will be crushed."

⁴⁵ When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard Jesus' parables, they knew he was talking about them. ⁴⁶ They looked for a way to arrest him, but they were afraid of the crowd because the people held that he was a prophet.

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St Peter, Raunds

Churchwardens

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Today: 11am Sunday Service

This week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday 10am Mid Week Communion

7pm Churchwardens Meeting in CEC

Thursday 8:50am Collective Worship in St Peter's Academy

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 9am Holy Communion

All Hallows, Hargrave

Churchwardens

Savitri Pollard Tel. 626960, Paul Birch Tel. 07885 768763

Today: 11am Harvest Holy Communion

This Week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday 10:30am Coffee Morning

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 6pm Holy Communion

Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary, Ringstead

Churchwardens

Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262, Ian Gallagher 07515 020775

Today: 11am Harvest Sunday Service

This week

Monday 10am-12noon Little Angels

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday 10:30am Collective Worship in Ringstead Primary School

Friday 1:30pm Ringstead Primary School Harvest Festival Service

Saturday 2pm Thrapston Town Brass Band Concert

Sunday 11am Holy Communion

12:30pm Confirmation Course in church

St Laurence, Stanwick

Churchwardens

Sam Chambers Tel. 623855, Lisa Adair 07742 327996

Today: 9:30am Harvest Café Church

This Week

Monday 2:45pm Collective Worship in School.

Tuesday 4pm- 5:30pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday

Thursday 9:15am-11am Little Treasures

7pm PCC Meeting in church

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 9:30am Family Service

