

Benefice Noticeboard

~ **Polite Notice** – Please note that intinction, (dipping of wafers into wine) is not permitted. Please refrain from this practice. Thank you, Revd Neil.

In order to ensure we are welcoming to EVERYONE we now offer gluten free wafers and non-alcoholic wine at all Eucharists. If you would like to receive either of these, please let a church warden know before the service.

November

~**Advent Course** – Our Advent Course starts on **Tuesday 18th November (Enterprise Centre) at 7pm or Wednesday 19th November (5 Carlow Rd) at 2pm.** Everyone welcome, there is still plenty of time to sign up.

~**Stanwick Village Christmas Fair** – St Laurence's Church and Stanwick village are hosting their Christmas Fair on **Sunday 30th November 2pm-5pm** with the **Christmas Lights Switch On at 5:15pm.** Everyone welcome.

December

~**Hargrave Singers present 'A Christmas Celebration'** – Join us in All Hallows Church, Hargrave for some festive entertainment on **Friday 12th December at 7:30pm.** Tickets £8 including refreshments. For tickets please contact Pat Worden on 01933 623524 or 07856 728599. Come and sing along to your favourite carols and songs. Everyone welcome.

~**Toy Service** – Mother Christmas will be attending the Café Church Toy Service on **Sunday 7th December at 9:30am** to collect all new toys donated. These will be given to children who are known to social services in Northamptonshire. If you would like to donate any toys, these can be left in St Laurence's Church or at Lisa Adairs house 1 Brookside, Stanwick. Thank you.

Readings for Sunday 23rd November

The Sunday Next Before Advent

Christ The King

Psalm 46

Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Colossians 1: 11-20

Luke 23: 33-43



Sunday 16th November 2025
The Second Sunday Before Advent
Luke 21: 5-19

The Destruction of the Temple and Signs of the End Times

⁵ Some of his disciples were remarking about how the temple was adorned with beautiful stones and with gifts dedicated to God. But Jesus said, ⁶ "As for what you see here, the time will come when not one stone will be left on another; every one of them will be thrown down." ⁷ "Teacher," they asked, "when will these things happen? And what will be the sign that they are about to take place?" ⁸ He replied: "Watch out that you are not deceived. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not follow them. ⁹ When you hear of wars and uprisings, do not be frightened. These things must happen first, but the end will not come right away." ¹⁰ Then he said to them: "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. ¹¹ There will be great earthquakes, famines and pestilences in various places, and fearful events and great signs from heaven. ¹² "But before all this, they will seize you and persecute you. They will hand you over to synagogues and put you in prison, and you will be brought before kings and governors, and all on account of my name. ¹³ And so you will bear testimony to me. ¹⁴ But make up your mind not to worry beforehand how you will defend yourselves. ¹⁵ For I will give you words and wisdom that none of your adversaries will be able to resist or contradict. ¹⁶ You will be betrayed even by parents, brothers and sisters, relatives and friends, and they will put some of you to death. ¹⁷ Everyone will hate you because of me. ¹⁸ But not a hair of your head will perish. ¹⁹ Stand firm, and you will win life.

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St Peter, Raunds

Churchwardens

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Today 11am Sunday Service

3:30pm Evensong

This week

Monday

Tuesday 7pm Advent Course in St Peter's Enterprise Centre

Wednesday

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

Friday 10am Coffee Morning in the Enterprise Centre

7:30pm Friday Club

Saturday

Sunday 11am Holy Communion

All Hallows, Hargrave

Churchwardens

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

Today: 9am Holy Communion

This Week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 11am Sunday Service

Nativity of blessed Virgin Mary, Ringstead

Churchwardens

Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262

Today: 11am Sunday Service

This week

Monday 1:30pm Little Angels

Tuesday

Wednesday 2pm Advent Course at 5 Carlow Road

Thursday 10:30am Collective Worship in church

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 9am Holy Communion

St Laurence, Stanwick

Churchwardens

Sam Chambers Tel. 623855

Today: 11am Holy Communion

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 4pm-5:30pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 10am Holy Communion

Thursday 9:30am Little Treasures

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 11am Sunday Service

