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**Sunday 20th November**

**Christ the King**

**Gospel Reading: Luke 23:33-43**

**The Crucifixion**

**6**The soldiers mocked him, too, by offering him a drink of sour wine. **37**They called out to him, “If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!” **38**A sign was fastened above him with these words: “This is the King of the Jews.”

**39**One of the criminals hanging beside him scoffed, “So you’re the Messiah, are you? Prove it by saving yourself—and us, too, while you’re at it!”

**40**But the other criminal protested, “Don’t you fear God even when you have been sentenced to die? **41**We deserve to die for our crimes, but this man hasn’t done anything wrong.” **42**Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom.”

**43**And Jesus replied, “I assure you, today you will be with me in paradise.”

**The Death of Jesus**

**44**By this time it was about noon, and darkness fell across the whole land until three o’clock

**Benefice Noticeboard**

**November**

Wednesday 23rd LYCIG (Leading Your Church into Growth) 5pm meeting at vicarage

Thursday 24th Churchwardens meeting at vicarage

Sunday 27th – Town Christmas Light switch on

**December**

Saturday 3rd Messy Church Christmas Party 3pm til 5pm

**Readings for 27th November**

**1st Sunday of Advent**

Isaiah 2: 1-5

Psalm 122

Romans 13: 11-end

Matthew 24: 36-44

**A Prayer for Ukraine**

God of peace and justice,  
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.  
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.  
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,  
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.  
We pray for those with power over war or peace,  
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.  
Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,  
that you would hold and protect them.  
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.  
**Amen**

**Archbishop Justin Welby & Archbishop Stephen Cottrell**

And to wish her a healthy, happy



**St Peter, Raunds**

Churchwardens

Mike Turner Tel. 623289, Andrea Haseldine Tel. 624644

**Today 10.00am Holy Communion**

This week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday Church opens to visitors 10am until 12 noon

5pm LYCIG meeting at vicarage

Thursday  8.50am Collective worship St Peters school

Friday

Saturday

Next Sunday 10.00am All Age Service

**All Hallows, Hargrave**

Churchwardens

Savitri Pollard Tel. 626960, Helen Parry Tel. 622959

**Today: 6.00pm Songs of Praise & Communion**

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 7.30pm Home group at Xanadu

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Next Sunday 10.00am All Age Service

**Nativity of blessed virgin Mary, Ringstead**

Churchwardens

Cliff Harris Tel. 625126, Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262

**Today: 10.00am Morning Worship**

This week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Next Sunday 10.00am Holy Communion

**St Laurence, Stanwick**

Churchwardens

Lisa Adair Tel. 778967, Sam Chambers Tel. 623855

**Today: 9.30am All Age service**

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 4.00pm to 5.30pm Bell ringing practice

Wednesday 7pm PCC meeting

Thursday

Friday Stanwick Youth group next meeting on 25th November

Saturday

Next Sunday 3.00pm All Age Communion