

 **Benefice Noticeboard
Holiday Club –** I am hoping to run a holiday club this year in the six weeks summer holidays. However, I can only do this if I have enough helpers. It would be for three days on Wednesday 26th, Thursday 27th & Friday 28th July from 9:30am till 3:30pm. If you would like to help (you don’t have to cover all day; mornings or afternoon sessions are fine) please let Ginny know by emailing her at ginnypledger@sky.com Thanking you all in advance.

**June

St Mary’s Church, Ringstead** are hosting a **Spring Fayre on Saturday 3rd June from 10am -1pm.** There are a variety of stalls and a raffle plus refreshments. Please do pop along and support St Mary’s.

**St Peter’s Church, Raunds** are hosting their **Flower Festival on Saturday 24th (10am-4:30pm) & Sunday 25th June (12noon-4:30pm).** There will be a variety of stalls, a raffle and refreshments/lunches will be served.
**Raunds Community Choir Concert** will be held in **St Peter’s Church on Saturday 24th June at 7pm.** Tickets are £5 on the door.

**Sunday 28th May 2023
PENTECOST**

**Gospel Reading
Acts 2:1-21**

**The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost**

**2**When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. **2**Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. **3**They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. **4**All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them. **5**Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. **6**When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken. **7**Utterly amazed, they asked: “Aren’t all these who are speaking Galileans? **8**Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language? **9**Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, **10**Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome **11**(both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!” **12**Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, “What does this mean?” **13**Some, however, made fun of them and said, “They have had too much wine.”
**Peter Addresses the Crowd 14**Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. **15**These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning! **16**No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:
**17**“‘In the last days, God says,
    I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
    your young men will see visions,
    your old men will dream dreams.
**18**Even on my servants, both men and women,
    I will pour out my Spirit in those days,
    and they will prophesy.
**19**I will show wonders in the heavens above
    and signs on the earth below,
    blood and fire and billows of smoke.
**20**The sun will be turned to darkness
    and the moon to blood
    before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.
**21**And everyone who calls
    on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

**R.I.P**

I am very sorry to say that Rita Chantrell has passed away. Her funeral will be held in St Peter’s Church, Raunds on Monday 5th June at 11:45am for all who wish to attend.



**Readings for Sunday 4th June**

**Trinity Sunday**

Psalm 8

Isaiah 40:12-17, 27-end

2 Corinthians 13:11-end

Matthew 28: 16-end

**St Peter, Raunds**

Churchwardens

Mike Turner Tel. 623289, Andrea Haseldine Tel. 624644

**Today 10am Service for All Ages**

This week

Monday Bank Holiday

Tuesday

Wednesday 11am Ashfield House
Thursday 2pm Funeral

Friday 10am-12noon Coffee Morning in the Enterprise Centre

Saturday 3pm Messy Church

Sunday  3pm Service for All Ages with Holy Communion and
 baptism

**All Hallows, Hargrave**

Churchwardens

Savitri Pollard Tel. 626960, Helen Parry Tel. 622959

**Today: 10am Service for All Ages**

This Week

Monday Bank Holiday

Tuesday 7:30pm Homegroup at Xanadu

Wednesday

Thursday 10:30am Coffee Morning

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 10am Holy Communion

**Nativity of blessed virgin Mary, Ringstead**

 Churchwardens

 Cliff Harris Tel. 625126, Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262

 **Today: 10am Holy Communion with baptism**

 This week

 Monday Bank Holiday

 Tuesday 2pm Tea with Friends

 Wednesday

 Thursday

 Friday

 Saturday 10am Spring Fayre

 Sunday 10am Morning Worship

 **St Laurence, Stanwick**

 Churchwardens

 Lisa Adair Tel. 778967, Sam Chambers Tel. 623855

 **Today: 10am Songs of Praise**

 This Week

 Monday Bank Holiday

 Tuesday 4pm to 5.30pm Bell ringing practice

 Wednesday

 Thursday

 Friday 7pm Compline

 Saturday

 Sunday 9:30am Café Church