

The Parish of St Mary the Virgin, Nunthorpe

Sunday 21st September, 14th Sunday after Trinity

10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
11:45 am	Baptism	Church
12:30 am	Baptism	Church
5:30 pm	Eucharist	Church

Evening readings: Ps. [128] 129, Ezra Ch.1, John 7:14-36.

This week in the Parish:

Wed 24 th Sept 10:00am	Eucharist	Church
Thu 25 th Sept 10:00 am	Pram Service	Hall
Thu 25 th Sept 11:00 am	Funeral	Church

Altar flowers

The Altar flowers have been kindly donated by Sylvia and Tony King in memory of their daughter, Debbie.

The funeral of Sybil Ginty will be held in church on Thursday 25th September at 11am.

Coffee Morning:

Saturday, 27th September is the date for the Macmillan Coffee Morning, which will take place at St. Mary's Church Hall, 10 am – 12 noon. Please come and support this worthy cause! For more

information please contact Sue on 07568 382087 or see <https://tinyurl.com/stmarysmacmillan> (where you can also donate). Sue Cox.



Harvest Quiz: We're holding a harvest event on **Friday 17th October** at 7:00 pm. There will be supper and a quiz at the Church Hall. More details to follow! Linda Smith.



St Mary's Festival Choir

The choir help to support our worship and usually sing at festival services and the 4th Sunday Evensong. They are a friendly bunch and are always looking for new people to join them. You don't need to be able to read music. If you would like to know more, please speak to Andy Devine (organist) or Graham Hinton (choirmaster). Tessa Stephens



Calling all dogs, cats, guinea pigs, budgies and goldfish! Our annual Café Church Pet Service is on Sunday, 5th October, 9.30 in the Church Hall. We'd love to see you there! P.S. – Your well-behaved humans would also be very welcome.

For prayer and reflection this week:

Today, Church of England congregations are being invited to join with other churches to pray for the people of Gaza, Israel and the wider Middle East.

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: In your mercy, provide for all those in Gaza and beyond who suffer from hunger and starvation, that they may be given both physical bread to nourish their bodies and heavenly bread to sustain their souls. By the power of your Spirit, bring a speedy end to this cruel war, the release of all captives, care for the sick and wounded, comfort for those who have lost loved-ones, and the opening of a pathway for a just and lasting peace here in the very homeland where your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, ministered during his earthly life; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A prayer by the Most Reverend Dr Hosam E. Naoum, Anglican Archbishop in Jerusalem

Those seeking comfort and healing, or who have requested prayer:

We pray for Becky, Edytha B, Joan L, Stephanie C, Helen B, Madge M, Basil E, Marie H, Vera C, Liz B, Jess, Evelyn & Keith B, Mary H, Diana W, and Amy R.

We pray for Rory Pryde, and for Reeva Alder and her parents Aimee Lefevre and Matthew Alder who are all being baptised today. We ask that God will bless them and their families as they are welcomed into the church.

We give thanks for the life of Sybil Ginty and pray for Sandra, Jillian and the family as they prepare for her funeral on Thursday.

We remember Joan Wem following her funeral this week, and we pray that her family and friends may be comforted.

Years Mind: We remember with thanksgiving: Grace Wheater, Debbie Pinder-King, Frances Shoobridge, Doris Heron, Betty Wetherburn, Stephen Johnson, Lesley Donnelly, George Lowe, Norman Donkin, Cyril Baker, Joan Clancy, John Morris, Raymond Smith, Elizabeth Howard, Clifford Gallagher, Ernest Scott, Andrew Narey, and John Scrace. May all whom we remember rest in peace and rise in glory!

Next Sunday:

28th September, 15th Sunday after Trinity

10:00 am	Eucharist	Hall
5:30 pm	Choral Evensong	Church

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