

Reepham Christmas Stockings After the success of last year, Hayley and the team are collecting donations of new gifts, suitable for ages 0-17. These items will then be given to families who may be struggling this Christmas or who find themselves in a time of crisis. Donations can be left at Motts Pharmacy, Kerri's Pine, The Bircham Centre (Saturday 10-12pm) and Reepham Library. Please ensure all donations are received by 30th November.

For further information or to discreetly request gifts, please email christmasstockings2020@yahoo.com

Reepham Church Christmas cards are now available @ 5 for £4.50 or £1 each. An example and booking form will be in church on Sundays, or contact Rachel Richmond rachel.42rr@btinternet.com (01603871000)

Autumn Fayre

Join us at **Lyng Village Hall** from **10am on Saturday 27th November** for our Autumn Fayre. With a Grand Raffle, Tombola, delicious teas as well as stalls selling cakes, preserves, plants, books, bric-a-brac and games it promises to be a great morning.

In aid of St Margaret's, Lyng.

Wonder On Wednesdays

Our weekly "gathering" for those who wish to discuss and dig a little deeper into topics around Christianity. Please join us every Wednesday on Zoom from 7pm to 8pm.

Zoom meeting ID: 836 9720 0393

Password: 102113

Our next WOW social is on **Thursday 9th December** from 7pm-8.30pm in St Michaels, Reepham. All welcome to join us for food, chat and friendship.



Pew Notes

Sunday 21st November (Christ the King)

9.00am	Sparham	Holy Communion
10.00am	Reepham	Café Church, service starts at 10.30am
10.30am	Salle	Morning Prayer
10.30am	Attlebridge	Holy Communion
10.30am	Elsing	Word and Praise
10.30am	Lyng	Holy Communion



Fakenham Town Band Concert In aid of St Mary's, Sparham

Join us on Thursday 25th November from 7.30pm for a concert of brass band music in the beautiful surroundings of St Mary's.

Tickets are £10 with seasonal drinks and nibbles included.
Please contact Gill Page 01362 688379 or Pam Fuller 01362 688220

Sunday 28th November (First Sunday of Advent)

9.00am	Bylaugh	Matins
10.30am	Swannington	Whole Benefice Holy Communion

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Pew Notes are available to download from the RWV website and the E-newsletter

Words of Light and Hope from Tony Hawes.

Christ the King.

You are the King of Glory, O Christ, you are the everlasting Son of the Father.

Come, Lord, and rule in our hearts, until your Kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven.

Come, Christ our King, and reign over us.....

The Kingdom of God is something within you which has the power of growth like a seed; something that you discover almost accidentally; something that you are searching for, and of whose value you become more confident and excited as the search proceeds, and you discover truer, lovelier things which are constantly being surpassed; something for which you have to give everything you have.....

George Appleton. 'Journal for a Soul.'

Prayer Before the Throne.

Here Lord, is my precious time, which I husband so jealously. I have nothing more precious to offer you - and so, here I am letting my time run out before you, drop by drop, to no apparent purpose.

These thirty slow minutes, which I have decided to burn before you – here they are, empty, emptied of everything before you.....

I am ashamed to admit, that I do not really know what to do with them. I am here, rather at a loss, sometimes just a bit bored, and pestered by the thought of all those things, which I had deliberately set aside, in order to give this time to you. They keep hammering at the walls of my soul, and I just do not know how to shut them up. Forgive my distraction, my awkwardness, and my boredom.....

With all the faith I have got, such as it is, I believe. You are true act, and you act in me, but at so deep a level, that I am not even aware of it. You are love, and you penetrate the very substance of my soul, but in a manner too divine for me to feel.....

I believe in you. I believe in your action in me.

I pour out my time in this act of faith and offer it to you as a libation. I sacrifice to you these thirty, irreplaceable minutes of my life.....

Sister Jeanne d'Arc. 'The Listening Heart.'

John 18:33-37 *Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.*

Pilate asked Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

As we approach the season of Advent, we are supporting our local food-banks as they create Christmas Hampers for families and individuals. Donations of Christmas treats such as boxes of biscuits, chocolates, advent calendars, mince pies (alcohol free), Christmas cakes and puddings (alcohol free), crisps, nuts, Christmas crackers, tinned ham, tinned salmon over the next few weeks will go into Christmas hampers to bring some festive joy to those experiencing difficulties.

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs
Morning Prayer	8am Zoom	8am Zoom	8am Zoom	8am Zoom
Holy Communion			10.30am St Mary's Reepham	
Midday Prayer			12noon Zoom	
Evening Prayer		6pm Zoom	6pm Zoom	6pm Zoom

Daily Prayer All our regular services use the Zoom joining details below.
Meeting ID: 825 0887 5273 Password: 374589 Dial-in numbers (to join by telephone): 0131 460 1196 / 0203 051 2874 /0203 481 5237 / 0203 481 5240 Dial-in calls cost between 2p-10p per minute depending on your provider, mobiles may be more. Please check before calling.