

Our prayers are asked:

- for the life of our parish and Cathedral church, that we might bear witness to the good news of Jesus Christ
- for Lincoln and Beverley being baptised today and for all those preparing for Holy Communion and Confirmation in the parish
- for our fathers as we celebrate Father's Day
- for the Discover DeCrypt project
- for all affected by the Grenfell Tower fire
- for all members of Government and for wisdom in the days ahead
- for the work of GARAS with refugees
- for all facing famine in Africa
- for those who are sick
- for those who have died including those caught up in the Grenfell Tower fire, the London and Manchester terrorist attacks.

Collections are taken during most services to pay for the running of the churches. If you are a UK tax payer, please use the Gift Aid envelope in the pew, complete your details and sign it. This is required to verify that it is you making the donation, so that we can recover tax at no extra expense to yourself. Better still, join our Planned Giving Scheme.

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The Parish of Hempsted with St Mary de Lode and St Mary de Crypt, Gloucester *in partnership with Gloucester Cathedral*

18th June 2017
First Sunday of Trinity



9.15am	Family Eucharist	St Mary de Lode
Readings	Exodus 19:2-8a; Matthew 9:35-10:8	
Hymns	369, psalm 100, 278, 262	
Preacher	Nikki Arthy	
11.00am	Holy Communion	St Swithun's
Readings	Exodus 19:2-8a; Romans 5:1-8; Matthew 9:35-10:8	
Hymns	21, 106, 12, 511	
Preacher	Nikki Arthy	
1.00pm	Baptisms	Cathedral
Preacher	Nikki Arthy	
3.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral

Monday, 19th

1.05pm Meditation for Everyone Cathedral Thomas Chapel

Tuesday, 20th

8.45am Morning Prayer St Mary de Lode

10.00am Coffee Pot Lysons Hall

2.30pm Sip and Study Lectio Divina Robert Raikes House

Wednesday, 21st *Hempsted School Prayer Day*

10.15am Holy Communion St Mary de Lode

Thursday 22nd

7.30pm Confirmation Group The Rectory

Friday, 23rd

9.15am Morning Prayer St Swithun's

1.00pm Sacred Space: St Mary de Crypt

Saturday, 24th

10.00am Coffee Morning in aid of Mothers' Union St Mary de Lode

10.00am Dry Bones Live Community Art Workshop St Mary de Crypt

7.00pm Launch of Friends of St Swithun's Lysons Hall

NEXT SUNDAY *Second Sunday of Trinity*

9.15am Sung Eucharist St Mary de Lode

11.00am Holy Communion St Swithun's

3.00pm Choral Evensong Cathedral

The **Coffee Morning** on Saturday 24 June in St Mary de Lode is in aid of Mother's Union for branch funds. All are welcome.

On Saturday 24th June 10am-4pm there will be an all-ages **art workshop** at St Mary de Crypt as part of Discover DeCrypt's *Dry Bones Live* Community Art Project. You are invited to join in this project with us by making your personal WishBone. Use our simple template to make a 3D 'bone' then draw, write, colour or collage in any way you like to make your bone unique and tell us what you wish for. Your finished bone will become part of our community artwork to be displayed at the re-opening of the buildings in 2019.

On Saturday 24 June at 7pm there will be a Pimms and Puddings night at the Lysons Hall to launch the **Friends of St Swithun's**. Do come and give your support to help maintain and preserve our beautiful and historic church. Entry is free but numbers are limited so please book a ticket in advance from Jan, Nikki, Jane Crichard at Church Farm or Di Turner at 60 Hempsted Lane.

On Friday 30th June **Sine Nomine Youth Choir** supported by the City of Gloucester Community Choir will be performing 'A Musical Journey' at St Mary de Crypt at 7.30pm: a variety of pieces on the theme of travel, exploration and flying. Tickets £6 from Gloucester TIC 01452 396572

On Friday 7th July Sarah Gardiner will be running a stall in Gloucester Market in aid of the charity '**Our Harry's Smile**', raising funds for her severely disabled nephew. She would be very grateful for donations of cakes, craft items (eg. knitting, candles, handmade items) and cuddly toys. Please leave donations marked 'Harry' in either of the churches by Saturday 1st July.

Rain or Shine Theatre Company present *Twelfth Night* in the Village Hall Gardens on July 13th. Tickets are now on sale from, Joan 501881, Irene 302714, and Hempsted P.O.