## ST GUTHLAC'S COMMUNITY NEWS





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# Sunday 14 October 2018 Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

10.30 am Communion for All

President & Preacher: Canon Dr Stephen Foster

### WELCOME TO ANY OF YOU VISITING US FOR THE FIRST TIME!

Please introduce yourself to one of our welcomers and/or a Churchwarden and sign in the welcome book so that we can get to know you by name! St Guthlac's is YOUR local church. We feel part of the local community and we hope that you will feel part of the church community.

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#### FORTHCOMING SERVICES AND MEETINGS

October		
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Morning Prayer at St. Guthlac's
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	9.00pm	Morning Prayer at St. Mary's
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Choir practice
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion: Revd. Adrian Jones
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Knighton Youth Group
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup>	10.30am	Matins
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup>	10.30am	Church Club in Holbrook Hall
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00am	Morning Prayer at St. Guthlac's
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	9.00pm	Morning Prayer at St. Mary's
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Choir practice
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion: Revd. Adrian Jones
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Communion for All
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Morning Prayer at St. Guthlac's
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Worship Committee meeting
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.00pm	Morning Prayer at St. Mary's
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	7.30pm	Choir practice
November		
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion: Revd. Adrian Jones
Thursday 1st	6.45pm	Knighton Players
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	All Age Worship
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	1.45pm	WWI rehearsal

**THANK YOU** Very many thanks to all the clergy who are generously giving their time to officiate at our services.

**FOR YOUR PRAYERS** Please remember all those whom we have been asked to keep in our prayers. For other prayer requests, please speak to a churchwarden.

**GIFT FOR REVD NEIL BULLEN** It is not too late to give to Neil's leaving present. Please give any donations (preferably in an envelope marked 'for Neil') to a church warden, to Adrian or to James in the St Mary's Parish Office. Thank you.

**CHRISTIAN AID EMERGENCY APPEAL** for those affected by the earthquake and tsunami in Indonesia. Please use the envelopes in the pews. To find out more and for prayer points please visit caid.org.uk. Thank you.

**FOR THE NEWSLETTER** Please send material to be included in the next newsletter by **Thursday 10pm** to administrator@stguthlac-knighton.co.uk

#### KNIGHTON REMEMBERS WWI EVENTS

<u>Thursday 8 Nov</u> 10.30am in St Mary's: Sacrifice & Remembrance, a presentation by Lt Colonel Jeremy Prescott

<u>Friday 9 Nov</u> **7.30pm** in St Guthlac's: Cynthia Brown will give a talk on Leicester & the flu epidemic of 1918-19. All welcome. Bring friends.

#### Saturday 10 Nov:

Crafted in Memory: 2pm to 4pm in Holbrook Hall. Workshop with Linda Harding; Silk painting and making fabric poppies for remembrance. Suitable for adults and children over 8 (accompanied by an adult). Not to be missed! Free, pre-booking essential to reserve a place. First come, first served! Contact Margaret Bonney or email: knightonremembersww1@gmail.com

Flowers of the Battlefields: 11am-4pm in St Guthlac's. Botanical illustrators' exhibition & WWI memorabilia display. Also 12.30-4pm Sunday

**10.30 am -4pm** in St Mary's. Display of WWI memorabilia & armed services' war records. **Also open 12 noon-3.30pm Sunday** 

**Opening of Exhibition 'Knighton Remembers WWI: 11am** in Holbrook Hall by the Lord Mayor of Leicester. **Open 11-4pm Sat & Sun** 

WWI Heritage Trail: 11-4pm guided walks during the day from St G & St M

**Voices of the First World War: 7.00pm** in St. Guthlac's. An evening of poetry & music with David Clark, Stephen Foster, Richard Gill among others. Some of the poets represented: Wilfred Owen, Ivor Gurney, Rupert Brooke, and Siegfried Sassoon. **OPEN TO ALL** 

<u>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Nov:</u> Exhibitions as above in St. G, St M & HH

Son et Lumière: The Price of Peace, 6.30pm in St Mary's. telling the story of the young men who went to war and didn't return. Donations to The War Graves Commission. Free tickets available from Jane Wright & Parish Office

<u>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov</u> Come along & sing along: 7.30pm in St. Guthlac's. Songs from the trenches (e.g. It's a long way to Tipperary) and songs being sung back home in 'Blighty' (e.g. Daisy, Daisy...). **OPEN TO ALL** 

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE, BUT SOME REQUIRE PRE-BOOKING AND/OR A TICKET. Please check above for details.

**WWI HELP PLEASE** Can you help us by stewarding on **10 & 11 Nov**? We need people in both St Guthlac's church and in Holbrook Hall where there are exhibitions and displays. Please sign the list in the Welcome Area if you can help. Thank you.

#### **TEA & TALK: MONTHLY MEETINGS**

Tuesday 16th October 7.00pm That Day We Sang (Cert PG, 89 mins)

Come and join us for our next monthly social meeting where we will watch a film over tea, coffee and cake. Admission is free. The film is 'That Day We Sang' by Victoria Wood. This is a musical set in Manchester, 1969. It's the story of Tubby & Enid, two lonely middle-aged people who grab a second chance at life, reconnected by the power of music. They meet at a reunion of the Manchester Children's Choir who made the iconic Columbia recording of Nymphs and Shepherds in 1929. Tubby and Enid's faltering romance is interwoven with the story of Jimmy, a member of the choir whose love of singing transcends his difficult home life. Michael Ball and Imelda Staunton star as Tubby and Enid.

**ST. MARY'S QUIZ NIGHT Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm** in the Parish Centre in aid of St. Mary's church funds. Nibbles provided, please bring your own drinks and glasses. Tickets £5 from Ida Stanyer, Michael Kirk & Knighton Parish Office

**MOTHERS UNION** We look forward to welcoming M.U. Speaker, Linda Poole, at our next meeting. Linda will talk about "Mothers Union - Changes and Challenges". We meet at **2.15 p.m. in the Parish Centre Lounge, on Tuesday 23rd October**. Visitors and friends are most welcome.

#### MEMORY CAFÉ ST. GUTHLAC'S KNIGHTON

This informal cafe is for people, living at home, with dementia and memory loss with their families/carers. The cafe provides an opportunity to meet up, share experiences and learn in a socially supportive and friendly environment. Usually a variety of activities are provided as well as a short talk. Refreshments provided. The cafe is supported by the Alzheimer's Society.

The next sessions will include:

9<sup>th</sup> November – Dee Lehan - Christmas crafts

14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas party

For further information please call Nita Devabhai on 0116 231 6926

**ALL AGE MESSY CHURCH** at Stoneygate Baptist Church. The next sessions will be on **16**<sup>th</sup> **November and 14**<sup>th</sup> **December 2018.** 

**Wanted!** Family stories about flu victims after WWI - did anyone in your family suffer? Please let us know. We would love to hear from you.

**Wanted!** WWI memorabilia - for display in St Guthlac's over weekend 9 to 11 Nov. Please contact: knightonremembersww1@gmail.com or speak to Margaret.