

The Good News for Nettleham

Sun 1st March 2026

Second Sunday of Lent

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Sun 1 st	Second Sunday of Lent
8.30am	Said Holy Communion
10.00am	Parish Communion
6.00pm	Youth
Mon 2 nd	
9.00am	Safeguarding Course in Rooms 19/20
10.00am	Coffee Shop
3.15pm	Families
Tue 3 rd	
9.30am	Ducklings
12.00pm	Open the Book rehearsal in church
7.00pm	Lent Course with Jenny in Rooms 19/20
Weds 4 th	
9.45am	Churchwardens Meeting in Rooms 19/20
2.00pm	Standing Committee in Rooms 19/20
Thurs 5 th	
7.00pm	Chapter Meeting in Rooms 19/20
Fri 6 th	
12.00pm	BCP Holy Communion
12.30pm	Lent Course in church
Sun 8 th	Third Sunday of Lent
8.30am	Said Holy Communion
10.00am	Parish Communion
6.00pm	Youth

Morning Prayer at 9am: Monday – Facebook Live with Martin,
Tuesday – Facebook Live with Jean Wednesday and Friday – Zoom with Andy

Readings for the Third Sunday of Lent

Exodus 17.1-7

Psalm 95

Romans 5.1-11

John 4.5-42

Prayer for our Community

Sunday	1 st Streets: Riseholme Lane, Hall Lane, St George's Lane Community: St Mary's Church
Monday	2 nd Streets: Grange de Lings, Riseholme Farms Community: University of Lincoln
Tuesday	3 rd Streets: Lincoln Road, Welton Road Community: Beckside Nursery
Wednesday	4 th Streets: Washdyke Lane, Cliff Avenue Community: Conservation Groups
Thursday	5 th Streets: Greetwell Lane, Beech Avenue, Cherry Tree Lane Community: Farming
Friday	6 th Streets: Kingsway, Dalderby Crescent, Manor Court and Sutton Close Community: Christian Groups
Saturday	7 th Streets: High Street, Bridge Street, Beckside, The Rookery, Watermill Lane Community: Methodist Chapel

In need of prayer.... Sue & Ian, Gwen, Alison Whitlow, Christine Edwards, Barry Crum & Simon Vickers

RIP.... Sarah Howis, Sarah Kensey and Margaret Parker

Year's Mind... Mary Boyer, Barbara Milan and Harold Barnaby

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Lent Course runs in The Hub at 7pm on Tuesday's and in church at 12.30 on Friday's. All welcome.

Maundy Meal we will gather to share a meal together on Maundy Thursday again this year. More information will follow in the coming weeks.

To Love and Serve the Lord course will run here in our room in The Hub. If you would like to explore more about ministry through this course, please just let Michelle know or ask her any questions.

Prayer Area Throughout Lent the Reflective Prayer Space offers the opportunity to reflect and pray using the imagery of a desert: Brother Roger of Taizé (1915-2005) often used this imagery to represent times of dryness, loneliness, or spiritual emptiness, and believed that in these moments, a "flower" of joy, trust, and life can unexpectedly blossom through God's presence and our own commitment to inner peace. You are invited to reflect and pray in this sacred space. There is the option to write or draw your prayers on floating paper flowers. Please lift your flowers out of the water and leave them to dry before leaving the space. All prayers will be included in the "Healing and Wholeness" service on the 3rd Sunday of the month.

World Day of Prayer This year's service will take place on Friday, 6th March, 2pm at Welton Methodist Chapel. The service has been prepared by Christian women from Nigeria and the theme is "I will give you rest, come". If you need help getting there, contact Jean Carter or Myfanwy Denton.

Tower Update The scaffolding is going up, the work has begun! This is exciting... it may also be a little disruptive. If the work is causing you any issues or worries, please talk to us, we'll be very happy to help find solutions. Enormous thanks to all who have worked so incredibly hard to enable this project to reach this stage. Finally, please pray! The work will likely take around 6 months, and involves many people and so please hold in your prayers all who are involved.

Eco Church News We're delighted to share that our church has been awarded the **Eco Church Silver Award!** This is a moment to celebrate, and also to pause and reflect on how far we've come as a church family in caring for God's creation. Reaching Silver is not the finish line. It's an encouragement to keep going, to build on what we've already started, and to explore new ways we can care for creation as a church family and to continue to journey toward the Gold Award.

Update from Jenny This coming summer I am expecting to be ordained Deacon and will be entering into a full-time curacy with Rev'd. Al Jenkins in the North Lafford benefice, which includes All Saints Ruskington and churches in surrounding villages. I'm very much looking forward to seeing what God has in store for me there, and how the lessons that I have learnt from you all will equip me for my future ministry. My farewell service will be on 24th May at 3.30pm and the short service will be followed by afternoon tea. The details of my ordination will also be shared in due course.

Weekly Prayer

Almighty God,
by the prayer and discipline of Lent
may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,
and by following in his Way
come to share in his glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen