

12th October 2025

Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

Harvest Thanksgiving

Today's Worship

9.15am	Time for God Harvest, Loddington
10.00am	Family Communion, Rushton
10.00am	Tea & Toast, Thorpe Malsor
10.45am	Harvest Festival with Communion, Rothwell
6:00pm	Choral Evensong, Holy Trinity

Hymns at Rushton	15, 242, 490, 560
Hymns at Rothwell	705, 662, 186, 736

Week Commencing 13th October

Monday	10:00am	Trinity Threaders, Holy Trinity
	2:00pm	Marigolds Friendship Group, Holy Trinity
	6:00pm	Broughton Brownies visit to Bone Crypt
Tuesday	10:00am	Lego Club, Holy Trinity
	11:30am	Winter café meeting, Holy Trinity
	7:00pm	Choir practice, Holy Trinity
Wednesday	2:00pm	Mothers Union meeting, Holy Trinity
	2:00pm	Tresham Benefice Fellowship meeting, Cransley Village Hall.
	7:30pm	Bell Ringers practice, Holy Trinity
Thursday	10:00am	Holy Communion, Holy Trinity
	1:45pm	Sunbeams, Holy Trinity
Saturday	9:30am	Café St Leonards, Loddington Village Hall
	10:00am	Camerata rehearsal, Holy Trinity
	2:00pm	Messy Harvest, Holy Trinity

Next Sunday Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

9.15am	Parish Communion, Rushton
10.45am	All Together Service, Rothwell
11.00am	Parish Communion, Loddington

Collect

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Reading: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, 'Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us.' When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: 'A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labour on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.' You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

Gospel: John 6:25-35

When they found him on the other side of the lake, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered them, 'Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.' Then they said to him, 'What must we do to perform the works of God?' Jesus answered them, 'This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.' So, they said to him, 'What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, "He gave them bread from

heaven to eat.” Then Jesus said to them, ‘Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.’ They said to him, ‘Sir, give us this bread always.’ Jesus said to them, ‘I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Notices

Church Magazine – All articles for **November’s** issue to Janet Ray by **24th October** magazineholyltrinity@gmail.com

Charity of the month – During **October** Holy Trinity church are supporting **Water Aid**.

Remembrance Day - Once again we will have our poppy cascade with names of lost loved ones at Holy Trinity. Please give names to Christine Richardson or Julie Hindle with a donation of **£1.00** per name before the end of October. Money raised will go to Rothwell British Legion. Thank you.

Fairtrade – Orders for Christmas cards will be taken on Thursdays **9th/16th** and Sunday’s **12th/19th**. Cards will be available for collection from **30th October**. Please bring cash.

12th October – Food Auction for Water Aid. Our annual food (and drink) auction will take place after the service at Holy Trinity. Please come along and support a worthy cause. Any donations of food and drink to sell will be gratefully received.

14th October – Meeting at Holy Trinity church @ **11:30am** to discuss relaunching our Winter café. If you think you may be able to help in any way, please pop along and Ian will explain how we propose to run the café.

18th October – Messy church (Harvest) at Holy Trinity church from **2:00pm** to **4:00pm**. The team are collecting kitchen roll tubes for this event so please bring any empty tubes into church over the next few weeks. Thank you. If you would like to attend our Messy Church event, please contact Zoe Deag: zoe.deag@gmail.com

20th October - New course at Holy Trinity commencing **Monday 20th October** & runs for **five** weeks. Gathering from **6pm** and starting at **6.30pm** to finish by **8:00pm**. Dates: **October 20, 27 & November 3, 10 & 17**. More information at the back of Holy Trinity. Please contact Dawn to book your place.

2nd November – Remembrance Service for those that have been recently bereaved at Holy Trinity @ **6:00pm**.

4th November – Relaunch of our Winter café at Holy Trinity church from **9:00am** to **12noon**.

15/11/25 – Safeguarding Basic Awareness training event at Holy Trinity from **2:00pm to 4:00pm**. This is open to all churches in the benefice. Hot drinks & cakes provided.

Readings for the Week

Monday: Romans 1.1-7, Psalm 98, Luke 11.29-32
Tuesday: Romans 1.16-25, Psalm 19.1-4, Luke 11.37-41
Wednesday: Romans 2.1-11, Psalm 62.1-8, Luke 11.42-46
Thursday: Romans 3.21-30, Psalm 130, Luke 11.47-end
Friday: Romans 4.1-8, Psalm 32, Luke 12.1-7
Saturday: Acts 16.6-12a, Psalm 147.1-7, Luke 10.1-9

Please Pray for

During Prisons week all prisoners, their families, victims of crime, prison staff, chaplains and volunteers.

Our new Archbishop of Canterbury the Rt Revd and Rt Hon Dame Sarah Mullally.
All those suffering from strife or natural disasters, especially those affected by the Israel/Gaza war.

All that are homeless or lonely.

Intercession List

Florrie & Eliza, Edra Cooper, Anne Sloan

Please let Dawn Cooper know of names to be added to our Intercession list to be included in our Prayers for one month unless notified otherwise. Tel 07955 119099 (Tuesday to Thursday between 9:00am – 5:00pm) or E Mail: treshambeneficeassistant@yahoo.co.uk