

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 21st November - Christ the King

- St Andrew, Twyford; St James, Swarkestone
- ◊ The Church of Bangladesh
- ✦ *Marjorie Bradley; George Peppitt*

Monday 22nd November - Cecilia

- St George & St Mary, Gresley
- ◊ Ibadan North - The Church of Nigeria

Tuesday 23rd November - Clement

- St James, Shardlow; St Mary, Weston-on-Trent
- ◊ Ibadan South - The Church of Nigeria
- ✦ *John Arkwell; Thomas Hamilton;*
Walter Thompson

Wednesday 24th November

- St George, Ticknall; St James, Smisby;
St Michael, Stanton-by-Bridge
- ◊ Ibba - The Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ✦ *Enid Franklin; Jane Hoskin*

Thursday 25th November - Catherine of Alexandria; Isaac Watts

- St Wystan, Repton
- ◊ Idah - The Church of Nigeria
- ✦ *Caleb Beresford; Hilda Turvil; Gordon Kirk;*
Geoffrey Smith

Friday 26th November

- St Saviour, Foremark; St Mary, Newton Solney
- ◊ Idaho - The Episcopal Church
- ✦ *Henry Sporton*

Saturday 27th November

- Immanuel, Stapenhill
- ◊ Ideato - The Church of Nigeria
- ✦ *Eleanor Sharratt; John Blow*
- Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ◊ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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✦ *Paul Maddison, RIP*

✦ *Alan Johnston, RIP*

Christmas Tree Festival - 18th/28th November

The Christmas Tree Festival continues up to and including Advent Sunday, 28th November. There is still time to sign up for a spot of voluntary stewarding if you haven't already done so.

Gift Shop

There is something for everyone as Advent and Christmas items find their way onto the shelves again, joining our popular all-year-round ranges to offer lovely treats for family, friends, or just yourself!

Saint Leonard's

Access to the building is temporarily suspended pending a safety inspection on the ceiling.

Next Sunday - 28th November - Advent Sunday

08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
[09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's, Spital) TBC]
10.30 Choral Mass
Readings: 1 Thessalonians 3.9-end
Luke 21.25-36
18.30 Advent Procession with Carols



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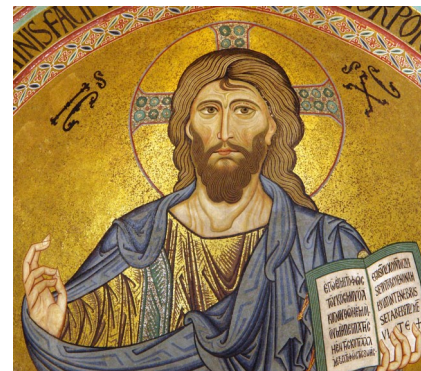
Who Rules our Lives?

In today's celebrity culture it is easy to let our lives be ruled by the loudest voice, the coolest lifestyle, or the best television appearance.

One discussion I was party to concerning the Archbishop of Canterbury criticised him for apparently not having a suitable face for television. His predecessor, Archbishop Rowan, had, as we know, been himself criticised for being 'too hairy'!

Jesus makes it clear to Pilate that the ruler of the world to come is the one who recognises and speaks the truth: God's truth, not just the truth as it may appear to us.

Today is the time to ask ourselves about truth and integrity in our lives. What motivates us? The superficial or the eternal? Eternal values or the passing fashions of the age? And Advent can be for us a time of prayer that in Jesus we will find the truth that leads us to God's Kingdom—now and in eternity.



CHRIST THE KING (21st November 2021)

08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30 Choral Mass
18.30 Choral Evensong

ALSO THIS WEEK:

Monday 22nd November

09.00 Morning Prayer
12.15 Mass
16.00 Evening Prayer

Tuesday 23rd November

09.00 Morning Prayer
09.30 Mass
16.00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday 24th November

09.00 Morning Prayer
09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday 25th November

09.00 Morning Prayer
17.00 Evening Prayer
17.30 Mass

Friday 26th November

09.00 Morning Prayer
12.15 Mass
16.00 Evening Prayer

Saturday 27th November

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18th November - 28th November
Christmas Tree Festival

CHRIST THE KING - CHORAL MASS

Processional Hymn: AM 612 (*See separate sheet*)

Setting: Missa VIII (De angelis)

Collect Prayer

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

A reading from the Book of Daniel Dan 7.9-10,13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousand served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened.

As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed .

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 456

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint John

Glory to you, O Lord John 18.33-37

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, '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.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ**

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 352

Communion Motet: Jesu, rex admirabilis (*Palestrina*)

Post-Communion Hymn: 446

Voluntary: Postlude on an old Irish Melody
(*C V Stanford*)

CHORAL EVENSONG

Responses: Brama

Psalm(s): 72

First Lesson: Daniel 5

Office Hymn: 454

Canticles: Fauxbourdons (*Nash*)

Second Lesson: John 6.1-15

Anthem: Gloria tibi, Domine (*Byrd*)

Hymn: AM 18 (*see separate sheet*)

Voluntary: Gloria: Et in terra pax (*François Couperin*)