

The Church of England in the parishes of Melbourne,
Smisby, Stanton by Bridge and Ticknall



The Bulletin

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Remembrance Sunday - 8th November 2015

8am Holy Communion

10.30am Remembrance Service followed by Act of Remembrance outside at
the War Memorial

(Please see Order of Service)

Readings: can be found on pages 7/8

Hymns: 490, I vow to thee, O valiant hearts (page 8), 499

Anthems: For the fallen *Douglas Guest*

Psalm 23 Hylton Stewart

Organ Voluntary: Solemn Melody *Walford Davies*

Refreshments are served after the service. All who wish to stay will be very welcome. An excellent chance to build up community here.

6.30pm Said Evensong

Yellow tax reclaim collection envelopes are in the pews. Please use them if you are offering cash during the services today, remembering to enter your name, address and postcode. Thank you very much.

Melbourne Parish Church: St Michael with St Mary

Part of the Melbourne Group of Parishes: Melbourne, Ticknall, Smisby and Stanton.

Melbourne Parish Church has a long and distinguished history. Once the southern seat of the Bishops of Carlisle, it now has a ministry to the small market town of Melbourne. Sunday and daily worship, music, youth work, bellringing, outreach and pastoral care, together with a lively Friends programme, are all valued parts of the life and ministry here.

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Welcome!

A very warm welcome to worship today, a particular greeting going to those who are visitors or newcomers.

The church is open daily, 9am – 5.15pm

Across the Benefice today

Melbourne: 8am – Revd Sandra Chantry
10.30am – The Rector
6.30pm – The Rector
Smisby: 5.30pm – Canon David Edwards
Stanton: 11am – At Swarkestone
Ticknall: 10.45am – Revd Angela Plummer



Melbourne Parish Church Choir
presents a liturgical performance of
“Requiem Mass”
by Gabriel Fauré
in the Parish Church
Armistice Day
Wednesday 11th November at 7.45pm



Calling All Cake Bakers

It is nearly time for the Autumn Fair and I would like to ask all the wonderful bakers who bake such delicious cakes for Church House Teas and anyone else who loves to bake if they would bake a cake for the cake stall on Saturday 21st November. The cake stall is always very popular and the more cakes we have the more we can sell. Demand always outstrips supply and we do not want to disappoint anyone.

You can bring the cakes to the Assembly Rooms after 8-45am and before 10am and if you would be good enough to package them ready for sale that would be wonderful. It is much easier to transport home a well wrapped cake and they are much more likely to sell quickly. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to get in touch and in anticipation, a big thank you.

Maureen Anderson (Tel 863901 email maureen.anderson1953@yahoo.co.uk)

There are posters and flyers for the Autumn Fair at the back of church. Could you help by distributing them round the village and displaying in your windows? Many thanks ...
Social Committee

Taking responsibility for Church life today:

This *Bulletin* section is a useful reminder to all who are on duty at this time, and may well also help visitors and newcomers to begin to identify who's who:

8am Holy Communion

Server: Karen Grewcock

Sidesmen: Noreen & Tony Taylor

Reader: Joanna Hocknell

10.30am Remembrance Service followed by Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial

Sidesmen: Pam Starkey, Carolyn Tasker

Crucifer: John Tivey

Readers: Julie McLean, David Smith

Intercessor: Ros Bell

Coffee: No Coffee today

Coffee rota **Kate Landenberger** 01283 200762

Readers' rota **Janet Warner** 01283 701542 (janet@warner8.freemove.co.uk)

6.30pm Said Evensong

Illuminating the Tower

To make your booking, please call the church office - 862153. Donations to sponsor the lights for an evening should be placed in a clearly marked envelope and put in the Sunday collection or put through the Vicarage letterbox.

Daily Prayer in church

Tuesday & Wednesday **Morning Prayer** 9.15 am (in Rectory during winter months)

Tuesday to Friday **Evening Prayer** 5.00 pm (BCP)

You will be very welcome occasionally or regularly. This church, all who live in this parish, and the needs of the world, are prayed for daily.

Thursdays at 9.15am Holy Communion

DAYS OFF: Mark has Monday as his day off and Angela has Friday. Please try to limit calls and emails on these days to issues that are urgent.

AUTUMN FAIR



The Autumn Fair will soon be upon us. **Saturday November 21st from 10am to 12noon at the Assembly Rooms.** Please make a note of it in your diaries. We are collecting

bric-a-brac, books, tombola prizes and goods to sell on other stalls. Remember to have a clear-out at home; goods can be stored in Church House or brought in on the day, or you can bring things to church. Contact Kate or any member of the Social Committee (numbers below). Many thanks in advance.

Stalls include:

Cakes and Preserves: Beth Anderson & Sylvia Weston

Tombola: Nigel & Carolyn Tasker

Caring Hands: Angela Plummer plus others from the group

Produce: Sheena Wilkins

MU Teas: Ros Bell and team

Books: Helen Powell and Joanna Hocknell

Game: Gordon Hughes and Graham Truscott

Raffle: Terry and Avril Harrison

Bric a brac: Kate Landenberger and Victoria Hancock

Bling: Bronwen

Quiz: Jenny Starkey

Weight of the cake: Margaret Brackenbury

Social and Promotional: Ena Hunt and Elsie Elliott

Choir:

Bellringers: game (Rachel & Christian Peckham)

Junior Church: Lisa Gilchrist

Christmas Knits and novelties: Erica Stewart and team

Guys and Dolls: Jennifer Smallwood

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If you can think of anything else we could include on our list, please don't hesitate to let us know. Please ring Kate (862153), Sheena (865053), Margaret (864853), Carolyn Tasker (864940) or the Wardens.

If you could help set up or clear away, we would also be pleased to hear from you. Set-up will be from 8.30am.



Guys and Dolls:

I am collecting dolls and teddies for a stall at the Autumn Fair. If you have any items you could donate, I would be most grateful. Please contact Jennifer Smallwood on 486923 or leave them at Church House. Thank you very much.

Trip to York: The Probus Club has arranged a coach trip to York leaving Castle Square at 9am on Monday 30th November. Seats are available at £15 per head. The wonderful setting of York is the backdrop for their Christmas Market which will be open. The coach will park near the Minster. There is no set programme, just do you own thing and enjoy the beauty of York and its Christmas theme. The coach should be back in Melbourne by 7pm. Contact Terry Harrison for tickets on 862013.

Children's Society: Message from Helen Powell



The Children's Society has seen a shortfall in house box income and is urging coordinators to ask their box holders if, instead, they might consider setting up a Direct Debit. If this is something that you would be willing to do, please speak to me and I can give you the necessary forms to complete.

Alternatively, if you are a tax-payer and willing to gift-aid your box donation then, again, please speak to me.

Obviously, if you prefer to continue giving through the box scheme the Children's Society is grateful for all that you do to support their cause.

Helen Powell

Saturday 28th November: 11am Walk and Requiem for the global industrial society: A guided "time-travelling" walk, with reflections, from Markeaton Park (Mundy Play area car park – join people with signs!) along the Markeaton Brook to the Cathedral, where you may join the 11am to 3pm prayer vigil relating to the climate change talks in Paris (known as COP21) if you wish.

Short poems, prayers, prose, art or artifacts relevant to the theme and appropriate flags/banners are welcome on the walk. Departing the car park at 11am. Approx 1.5 miles. If you would like a lift from Melbourne, please contact Graham on 862028

Fancy A Cuppa!

Tuesday November 10th from 10.30am to 11.45am, at the Senior Citizens Centre, featuring Jane Carroll talking on "When is a crisis an emergency?". £1 for tea/coffee, £1 for home-made cake. A warm welcome is extended to all.

Anyone for Bridge?

Calling all would-be bridge players: John Smallwood is offering bridge sessions for beginners. Sessions are on Tuesdays at 2pm in the Hardinge Arms, Kings Newton.

It is hoped that this will also be an opportunity for those with some experience of playing to get together for an afternoon of social bridge.

For more details, please see John or Joanna Hocknell.

This week in connection with Melbourne Church

Monday:	2pm	Caring Hands in the Honner Room
	7pm	Rector to School Governors meeting
Tuesday:	10am-3pm	Curate to Training Day in Derby
	2.30pm	Rector's Ministerial Review
	7.30pm	Friends Executive meeting
	7.25pm	Bellringing Practice
Wednesday:	11am	Armistice Day service
	7.45pm	Faure Requiem Mass
Thursday:	9.15am	Holy Communion
Saturday:	9am	Bulletin production team in Church House
	5pm	Church prepared for Sunday worship

A pattern for daily prayer, so that, at home or at church, we can pray together

Monday: Those in great poverty or need.

Tuesday: Those who have asked for our prayers: Anne Brazier, David Harris, Fred Heafield, Roo Hubbard, Dot Simmonds and Wendie Moore. Also those in Derby's hospitals and hospices. All at Pool Cottage.

Wednesday: Our group of parishes.

Thursday: The church worldwide. All Christian people. The local church. The Anglican Communion

Friday: All in need, especially the hungry, poor and homeless

The departed

In our prayers this week, we can remember those who have died recently, and those whose anniversaries occur near this time, among them Kenneth William Jackson, Clifford Elliott, Olive Webster, Phyllis Warner and Patricia Mary Collins.

Next Week at Melbourne – Second Sunday before Advent

8am **Holy Communion** (Sidesmen: Sheena & Henry Wilkins)

10.30am **Parish Communion, Baptism, Junior Church & Coffee**

(Sidesmen: Janet & Cliff Warner)

(Coffee: Jane Cox, Maurice & Pam Starkey)

6.30pm **Evensong** (Sidesman: Ann Hammond)

The Readings at 8am and 10.30am:

The First Reading: *Hebrews 9.24-end*

For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high

priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgement, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

The Gospel Reading: *Mark 1.14-20*

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.' As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, 'Follow me and I will make you fish for people.' And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Offertory Hymn at 10.30am:

1. O valiant hearts who to your glory came
through dust of conflict and through battle flame;
tranquil you lie, your knightly virtue proved,
your memory hallowed in the land you loved.
2. Proudly you gathered, rank on rank, to war
as who had heard God's message from afar;
all you had hoped for, all you had, you gave,
to save mankind - yourselves you scorned to save.
3. Splendid you passed, the great surrender made;
into the light that nevermore shall fade;
deep your contentment in that blest abode,
who wait the last clear trumpet-call of God.
4. Long years ago, as earth lay dark and still,
rose a loud cry upon a lonely hill,
while in the frailty of our human clay,
Christ, our Redeemer, passed the self-same way.
5. O risen Lord, O Shepherd of our dead,
whose cross has bought them and whose staff has led,
in glorious hope their proud and sorrowing land
commits her children to thy gracious hand.