

Welcome: Sunday 9th March 2025

This Sunday					
10:30am	Holy Communion in Church Worship Together in Church and Online. No Service				
Sunday 16th March					
8:00am	No Service				
10:30am	Worship Together and Holy Communion in Church and Online				
6:30pm	No Service				

## **Opening Prayer:**

Almighty God, who's Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness so may we know your power to save through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

Amen.

Reading of the week: Luke 4: 1-13

Verse of the week: Luke 4:8

Worship the Lord your God and serve him only.

# Thought for the day: Nigel Andrews

Temptation - Lk 4:1-11. Jesus has just been publicly affirmed by the Father and dramatically filled with the Holy Spirit; to equip him for his public ministry of teaching, healings, miracles, suffering and death. He retreats to be alone with God and commit, totally, to serve his Father. Satan tempts him, aiming to derail his ministry and so block the Gospel, the kingdom of God, modelled by Jesus' faithful ministry and death. Like us, in his humanity, Jesus was vulnerable; "He was tempted in every way just as we are - yet without sin" (Heb 4:15). Jesus knows exactly what it is be human - and sympathises with us when we come to him. He answers Satan with the words of Scripture and steadfast commitment to serving the Father - as we can too. Jesus' earthly example and discipleship training show us the ultimate potential in a human being, fully devoted to serving God.

## **Weekly Update**

**Please continue to pray for** Pat W, Pam S, Tom and Viv H, David B and Pete B. Pray for those waiting for appointments, test results and operations and those supporting people in difficult situations at work or home, those struggling with mental health and their carers.

Our next Community Lunch will be on Monday 10th March. It will be vegetable soup and a roll followed by pancakes. Cost £3:00. Doors open at 12:30pm, lunch served at 1:00pm. If you would like to come sign up on the sheet in the Church Lounge.

**Electoral Roll 2025** This year is a brand new roll and everyone has to reapply if they want to stay on it. Letters and forms will be coming out to all those on the roll currently. More information will follow. You do not need to do anything yet! For those that do not know what the Electoral Roll is please watch out for more details.

The Café will be closed on Thursday 13th March, it will return on Thursday 20th March.

**Ladies Fellowship** meet in the Church Lounge at 2:00pm on Saturday 22nd March to watch the film Ordinary Angels. This film was inspired by the true story of a hairdresser who rallies a community to save the life of a critically ill child.

Men's Group - A day at the footie! Boston Utd v Sutton Utd on Saturday 29th March. Meet in Ellender's Bar at 1:30pm. Entry on the gate £20, concessions for OAP's and family groups. Seating in the main stand. Please sign up, make yourself known if you need a lift.

Boston Foodbank team have asked if anyone can help out for an hour (or longer) at the Asda Boston Store, 13th-15th June. This would involve standing at the store, giving out leaflets, thanking the public when they donate food or money and just chatting about the Foodbank. If you can help, please email bob.taylor@parishofboston.co.uk with your name, and the day(s) and times that you would be available. If you have any queries or questions, Bob Taylor the Foodbank manager would be more than happy to answer them, just pop him an email at the above email address.



#### The Team

Vicar Position currently vacant

Pastoral Outreach Susan Mathews 079205 34013

Worker

Works on Mon, Tues, susanm.pow@holytrinityboston.org.uk

Wed

Youth & Children's Position currently vacant

Worker

Lay Pastor Nigel Andrews

Church Wardens Francis Abiodun & Heather Percival

**Safeguarding Officer** Carol Acheson 07857 202016

Church Administrator Nikki Jackson 01205 310221

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## This week's prayer pointers

**Prayer Ministry:** Ministry Prayer Team; Prayer Services; Hospital & Health Professionals; Hospital Chaplaincy. Mission Focus: Safe

Families



# What's happening at Trinity

10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th
March	March	March	March	March	March
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Community Lunch Doors open 12:30pm Lunch 1:00pm Small Groups 7:00pm Blackthorn Lane 7:30pm Good News Seekers 7:30pm Homers Lane	1:30pm Open the Book Small Group 1:30pm Random Tangents	9:00am Trinity Tots 3:00pm Milkshake Shack	CAFÉ CLOSED TODAY 10:00am Interviews	7:30pm Sleaford Keswick Bible Ministry at Riverside Church, Southgate, Sleaford.	
17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd
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2:00pm Care Home Service Willoughby Grange Small Group 7:00pm Pilgrims IT 7:30pm RoadHoG at Woad Farm	1:30pm Open the Book Small Group 1:30pm Random Tangents	9:00am Trinity Tots 3:00pm Milkshake Shack Small Group 7:45 pm Grays	10:30am Penny C Small Group via Zoom 11:00am Morning Service 11:30 am Trinity Café	<b>7:30pm</b> Clubnite	2:00pm Ladies Fellowship film in Church Lounge
24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	29th
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All meetings usually take place in Church or in the Church Lounge except Small Groups. Please use the diary to pray for events.