

# **East Loveden Church and Parish News**

**September 2020**

**The East Loveden Group**

**Covering Ancaster,**

**Greylees, Heydour,**

**Kelby, Rauceby,**

**Welby and Wilsford**

**Rector: The Rev'd Georgie Machell**

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### September Reflection

Well I have done it again, taken a book off the shelf and found a prayer, typed on a piece of paper long ago and forgotten. It's not just genes we inherit from our families but habits too....my Mum used to tuck birthday cards away, that were bought for the next family member or friend to receive, only to forget where she had 'tucked' the card as the date drew close and so, often, I was commissioned to buy another one for her just in time!

The words of the prayer I found from my bookshelf just leapt out at me from the page as I read it, the contents speaking to today's world and our own circumstances. As we continue to adjust to the way life is now, not just for us but our world, the small piece that we inhabit but beyond far beyond our imagining. So it's time now to share it with you and to reflect on where the pandemic leaves us as human beings...redefining what matters most.

Read and pray the prayer as it follows;

*'Lord of the universe, look in love upon your people, pour the healing love of your compassion on a world that is wounded and dying. Send us out in search of the lost, to comfort the afflicted, to bind up the broken and to free those trapped under the rubble of their fallen dreams.'*

Words written by Sheila Cassidy who was born in Cranwell 1937, a doctor eventually specializing in Palliative Care and for her outspoken defence of human rights imprisoned in Pinochet's Chile before returning to the UK. When I first read this prayer it must have been just right for that moment and worthy to be slipped into a book for safe keeping. At this moment of writing we are reeling from the news of an almighty explosion in Beirut where the rubble has truly buried many dreams, but of course there will be dreams of our own, crushed by circumstances beyond our power to change. Perhaps as we pray these words we can thank God for them and the woman who through horrendous suffering in Chile gave her skill and her faith through her writing to teach others how to care for one another through and at the end of life.

Blessings

Reverend June Freshney

# YOU'RE WELCOME TO COME IN AND PRAY

We hope you find comfort and peace in this quiet place.  
Whatever, or whoever is on your mind today, be still  
before God, who cares for you and those you  
love.

You might like to  
access some prayers  
on your phone

If you have a QR Reader  
app, scan this code for  
some prayers you might



Or visit this web page  
[www.churchofengland.org/  
prayers-for-the-moment](http://www.churchofengland.org/prayers-for-the-moment)

There are some words to help  
if you're missing someone  
who has died, and more  
prayers to help you pray  
about family and friends.

Light a  
virtual candle

To light a candle as  
you pray for someone  
or something, please



Or visit this web page  
[www.churchofengland.org/  
light-a-candle](http://www.churchofengland.org/light-a-candle)

To remember someone  
who has died, visit:  
[www.churchofengland.org/  
funeral-candle](http://www.churchofengland.org/funeral-candle)

We are working hard to open our churches for services.

## **BENEFICE PRAYER**

Heavenly Father

As we put our trust in you, send Your Holy Spirit to bring vision to our planning, and guidance and direction for the future of our churches.

May we be the salt and light to this place as we embrace our diversity and work together in unity to make disciples of all people, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

## **WEDNESDAY MORNING HOME GROUP**

The weekly Bible Study group meets usually during term time at 10.15am, venue, courtesy of Elizabeth and Henry.

Please ring 01400 230969 for further details.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT WITH THE THREAT OF THE CORONAVIRUS**

**WE HAVE PUT THESE MEETINGS ON HOLD**

PLEASE NOTE

## **PRAYER for SEPTEMBER**

• Heavenly Father

• We pray this month that all children will be able to return to school  
• and we pray for the students attending College or University to keep  
• themselves safe.

• We pray for teachers to focus on the disadvantaged pupils who have  
• received very little home schooling for 6 months. May they spark a  
• love of learning and curiosity in those children in their care.

• Lord in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

• Amen.

## **CAYTHORPE & ANCASTER MEDICAL PRACTICE**

The practice has now a Facebook page as @Caythorpe & Ancaster Medical Practice' to allow them to publish information and updates quickly to patients.

### **PC & PCSOs for**

**North and South Rural and Earlesfield, Barrowby Gate & St John's Ward**

**PC Mark Barr 07973845128**

**PCSO Stuart Bowden 07973844861**

**PCSO Marti Blackshaw 07976947161**

**PCSO Courtney Denton 07973847061**

**For Culverthorpe, Kelby, Rauceby & Wilsford**

**PCSO Colin Ironmonger 07973 845 622**

**PCSO Patrick Welby-Everard 07973 846 992**

**Please note that police mobiles are not manned 24 hours a day.**

**In an emergency continue to ring 999 or to report crime and less urgent matters dial 101.**

### **1ST WILSFORD BROWNIES**

**Meet in Wilsford Village Hall on Monday** evenings during school term time. For more information please contact

**<http://www.girlguiding.org.uk> click on Get Involved, or phone free  
08001 695 901.**

Leaders needed, for more information please also contact the above.

	<b>FROM THE REGISTERS</b>	
<b>FUNERALS</b>		
Heydour	Lt Col Patrick Bowlby	10th July
Ancaster	Donald McGillivray	20th August



## AROUND THE PARISHES

### ANCASTER

Please would you continue to leave any donations for the Foodbank at the door of 17 Ermine Street and they will be taken to the Food Bank—donations have fallen off lately but they are needed as much as ever.

### WILSFORD

St. Mary's Church, Wilsford is pleased to be open for Private Prayer every Wednesday between 9.30am – 10.30am. The usual rules of social distancing, the wearing of masks and sanitising hands on arrival and departure will be in place. Everyone is welcome to attend who wishes for a peaceful time for prayer and contemplation.



**ANCASTER YOUTH GROUP**  
Year 5+ (Age 9 onwards)  
New members always welcome!  
Make new friends, play games,  
learn new skills.  
Sunday Evenings – 6pm – 7pm  
Ancaster Village Hall  
ONLY £1.00 per week  
No joining fees!!

## VIRTUAL CHURCH

THE BBC HAS LAUNCHED VIRTUAL CHURCH SERVICES ACROSS LOCAL RADIO IN ENGLAND WHICH WAS INITIALLY LED BY THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTURBURY, JUSTIN WELBY.

**We are beginning a New Service of Celtic Prayer**

**On Sunday September 20<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.**

This will be a short monthly service via Zoom to enable those not able to be in church through the winter season as well as a new way of being church for those with an internet connection.

The material used for the service comes mostly from the Iona Community's Week Worship Book with a Bible reading and short reflection and prayer.

Details of how you can join us below;

Georgina Machell is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Georgina Machell's Zoom Meeting: CELTIC PRAYER

Time: Sep 20, 2020 04:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86173784678?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86173784678?pwd=STNTbnhxWk8wMisycGtXQUptRzhFUT09)

[pwd=STNTbnhxWk8wMisycGtXQUptRzhFUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86173784678?pwd=STNTbnhxWk8wMisycGtXQUptRzhFUT09)

Meeting ID: 861 7378 4678

Passcode: 8yniDD

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Dial by your location

## EAST LOVEDEN BENEFICE SERVICE ROTA— SEPTEMBER 2020

	Ancaster	Heydour	Kelby	Rauceby	Welby	Wilsford	Notes
6 <sup>th</sup> September Trinity 13		Holy Communion 10:00					
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> September	SAID Holy Communion 9:30						
13 <sup>th</sup> September Trinity 14	Holy Communion 10:00						
20 <sup>th</sup> September Trinity 15					Holy Communion 10:00		
27 <sup>th</sup> September Trinity 16						Holy Communion 10:00	Wedding Heydour 26/09/20