

All Saints' Driffield and St Mary's Little Driffield

Monthly Newsletter

February 2012

Lent 2012

The season of Lent begins this year on Wednesday 22nd February, Ash Wednesday. As well as the normal midweek communion on that day we will be having an evening communion service; an additional opportunity to reflect on this most important of Christian seasons leading up to Good Friday.

Lent is a time to get down to the essentials. It is an opportunity for Christians to focus upon the very essence of our faith, upon what Jesus did; his suffering and his sacrifice, his life, death, burial and resurrection, upon why he did all this, and why it matters to us. Many Christians prepare for Easter by observing a period of fasting, repentance, moderation and spiritual discipline during the Lent season. Even modest self-denial helps us focus and to approach the season in a prepared way.

Services at All Saints' Church

1st Sunday

5th February – 3rd Sunday before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion
10.45am Holy Communion
6.30pm Informal Worship

Wed 8th February

9.30am Midweek Communion

2nd Sunday

12th February – 2nd Sunday before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion
10.45am Morning Prayer
4.00pm Evensong

Wed 15th February

9.30am Midweek Communion

3rd Sunday

19th February – Sunday next before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion
10.45am Holy Communion
6.00pm CTID Prayer – NO SERVICE THIS MONTH

Wed 22nd February - ASH WEDNESDAY

9.30am Midweek Communion
6.30pm Holy Communion

4th Sunday

26th February – 1st Sunday of Lent

8.00am Holy Communion
10.45am All Age Service
4.00pm Evening Prayer

Wed 29th February

9.30am Midweek Communion

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As well as our individual prayer and reflection during the season there will be opportunities to meet with others to learn, discuss and to pray together. There will also be a programme of lent lunches involving all churches in Driffield. Watch the weekly noticesheets for further details or listen to information announced in church.

The Church Website

Our website is active again, after a period of inactivity due to our webmaster departing for Malaysia. Tony Goforth and Peter Reed have had some basic instruction about how to manage it and slowly the site has been able to get more up to date. There is more to learn before any radical changes take place, but meanwhile it is worth visiting to see what is happening and to keep up with news.

Peter Reed
Churchwarden

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FROM THE REGISTERS

Funerals

15 th November 2011	Charles May
10 th January 2012	John Spencer
12 th January 2012	Tom Jackson