



# The Parishes of Hannington, Old, Scaldwell and Walgrave

**The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity - 19th August 2018**

***You are invited to use this Collect as a prayer during the week***

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve; pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

## ***Today's Readings***

Proverbs 9:1-6      Wisdom is personified as someone who offers hospitality freely and generously to those who come to her. She invites those who live unthinkingly to approach her table, to leave their immature ways, and to walk in the way of insight.

Ephesians 5:15-20    The Ephesians are urged to live wisely, understanding what the will of the Lord is, and giving thanks to God for everything in the name of Christ.

John 6:51-58        Jesus declares himself to be the living bread from heaven, which gives life to the world. This living bread gives those who eat it eternal life.

## ***Prayers***

We pray for all those that are sick at this moment that with God's healing hands they may return to full health. We particularly pray for Liz Dodwell of Walgrave who is undergoing treatment for pancreatic cancer at this time and also her family as they support and care for her during this difficult time.

## ***Forthcoming Events in September***

'Groove on the Green' music and beer festival is on Saturday 1st September in Walgrave. For details see [www.grooveonthegreen.com](http://www.grooveonthegreen.com).

'Ride and Stride' is on Saturday 8th September and sponsorship forms are available at each church.

Both Bible Study groups will resume on 11th September. The morning group at 10.30am in Old Community Centre. For details contact Judith Willis on 01536 791008. The evening group at Home Farmhouse in Scaldwell at 8.00pm.

Men's Breakfast Club will be held on Saturday 15th September in Scaldwell Village Hall at 9.00am. For details contact Tom Joyner on thomasjoyner@hotmail.com.

Rev Nicki Hobbs will be installed as Priest-in-Charge of Broughton, Cransley, Thorpe Malsor and Mawsley in St Andrew's Church Broughton on Sunday 16th September at 3.00pm. You are welcome to attend and support her.

The licensing of Lay Ministers and the five yearly re-licensing of existing Lay Ministers takes place at Peterborough Cathedral on Saturday 29th September at 2.30pm. Please come and support your Lay Ministry Team.

### ***Services and Events for this Coming Week***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>What</b>	<b>Where</b>
Thursday 23rd August	11.00am	Coffee Morning	Community Centre Old
Sunday 26th August	10.00am	Benefice Family Communion	Hannington

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