

### A Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice,  
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.  
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,  
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace,  
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,  
that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.

Amen

*Archbishop Justin Welby*

*Archbishop Stephen Cottrell*



## Ringstone in Aveland News Sheet



1 May 2022  
The Third Sunday of Easter

### Psalm 30 - Thanksgiving for Recovery from Grave Illness

I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up,

and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

O Lord my God, I cried to you for help,  
and you have healed me.

O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol,  
restored me to life from among those  
gone down to the Pit.

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones,

and give thanks to his holy name.

For his anger is but for a moment;  
his favour is for a lifetime.

Weeping may linger for the night,  
but joy comes with the morning.

As for me, I said in my prosperity,  
'I shall never be moved.'

By your favour, O Lord,  
you had established me as a strong

mountain; you hid your face;  
I was dismayed.

To you, O Lord, I cried,  
and to the Lord I made supplication:

'What profit is there in my death,  
if I go down to the Pit?

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your faithfulness?

Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me!

O Lord, be my helper!

You have turned my mourning into  
dancing;

you have taken off my sackcloth  
and clothed me with joy,  
so that my soul may praise you and not be  
silent.

O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you  
for ever.

### Guests from Ukraine

I am hopeful that very shortly I will be welcoming two guests from Ukraine who have had to flee from their homes because of the war.

Anastasiya has had to leave her home in Kyiv and Liudmyla, her home in Chernihiv due to Russian shelling. They are currently in a hostel Kraków Poland and, as soon as the government paperwork is sorted out, they will fly to the UK and will be staying here in the Vicarage.

Please keep Anastasiya & Liudmyla in your prayers as they prepare to take this next step and pray also for the family that they have left behind in Ukraine who are either unable or unwilling to leave their homes. I trust that Anastasiya & Liudmyla will receive a warm welcome when they arrive.

*Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." (Matt25.37-49)*

In his service, Revd Neil

### Collect and Post Communion Prayer for this Sunday

#### Collect

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever **Amen**.

#### Post Communion Prayer

Living God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

### Please pray for...

#### From our prayer list

Eben Atkinson, Sheila Bates, Margaret Brumby, Josh Elliott, Christine Evans, Sue Grainge, Nora Green, Ann Hall, Clive Hall, Annie Hersey, Arthur Jeffries, June Langley, Judy Long, Imogen Matthews, Neil Morgan, Jonathan Newell, Richard Rice-Oxley, John Rowntree, Maggie Sharman, Jose Stokes, Alan Tosney, John Weatherspoon, and for any others whom we name in the silence of our hearts.

We give thanks for those on the road to recovery.

We also remember Ed Cunningham, Margaret Gibson, and the souls of all the faithful departed may they rest in peace and rise in glory; and we also pray for those who mourn their loss.

Please pray for those whose anniversaries fall this month:

Weddings: James and Harriet Guest (1 year)

Funerals: Evelyn Stuble (1 year), Roy McConchie (1 year)



### Readings for this Sunday

Acts 9.1-6 [7-20]; Revelation 5.11-14 ; John 21.1-19



### Ringstone in Aveland APCMs

17 May	7.30pm	APCM	Dunsby (Village Hall)
24 May	7pm	APCM	Kirkby Underwood (Church)

**Please make sure that you are on your church's electoral roll.**

**If you would like to be more involved in the life of your church, please speak to the church warden, or Revd Neil.**

### Thank you

Thanks to your generosity, we raised £93.05 for Life Skill International, through the second collections during Lent.



### Bourne Foodbank

#### THESE ITEMS ARE CURRENTLY WANTED

Tinned meat	Tinned custard	Tinned rice pudding
Tinned vegetables	Jars of pasta sauce	packets of plain rice
Squash or fruit juice	Tinned potatoes	Instant mash
Shaving gel	Toothbrushes	

### Sunday and regular weekday Services in the Group

1 May	11am	Eucharist	Haconby
	6pm	Evening Prayer	Morton
8 May	11am	Eucharist	Kirkby Underwood
	6pm	Evening Prayer	Rippingale
15 May	11am	Eucharist	Morton
	6pm	Evening Prayer	Haconby
22 May	11am	Eucharist	Rippingale
	3pm	Rogation service	
		With Morton School	Morton
	6pm	Evening Prayer	Kirkby Underwood
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Morton</b>
<b>Thursday 26 May</b>	<b>5.30am</b>	<b>Dawn Eucharist for Ascension Day</b>	<b>Kirkby Underwood</b>
Monday - Saturday	9 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom

Contact Revd Neil for the link

**Do you know anyone who is unable to get to church but who would like to receive Holy Communion?** Just contact Revd Neil on 01778 219626 or

[revdneil@yahoo.com](mailto:revdneil@yahoo.com)

### Have you come to church and forgotten to bring cash for the collection?

Fortunately this need not be a problem if the service is at Haconby, Kirkby Underwood, Morton or Rippingale as they all have online giving pages.

#### How do I access these pages?

- Use your phone and go to the group website, [www.ringstonegroupchurches.org](http://www.ringstonegroupchurches.org)
- Go to the dark blue box on the home page and select the name of the church
- Follow the instructions online and select one of the set amounts, or choose your own amount
- Enter your card details (you may have these already saved on your phone)
- ALL DONE

If this seems too tricky, you can always make a payment from your PC, laptop or tablet when you get home.

**EVEN EASIER Morton now has a card reader**, so you can donate to the collection using your card or payment app on your phone.

**If you already use the online giving pages, thank you for your generosity, and please spread the word as to how easy it is now to give to your church.**