

### Prayer corner

- We are in the midst of the time of year which the Church of England often calls 'ordinary'. Fortunately there is no such time as ordinary in church life, as God is always at work, and Jesus is always doing wonderful things amongst us and in the world. Look around for a moment, and thank God for all that is happening.
- There are always so many things in the news which we can worry about, but the Bible encourages us to pray instead. At the moment there is worse and worse news in Syria, and a really important election in the USA, both of which are good reasons to pray.
- This month members of the PCC s met together in teams to discuss the 3 key areas that we want to concentrate on and grow in as churches: Community, Discipleship and Evangelism. We made some really important progress, and have worked out some next steps, so please do be praying for us as we take this forward. There is more information on the separate sheet inside.
- Pray for our new service at Stoke Holy Cross, Sunday 4 Everyone, on the 4th Sunday of the month—we made a great start in September. Thank God for positive changes we have already made to the Praise and Worship service at Caistor.
- Please pray for the following people, and anyone else who are in trouble of any kind:
  - Juliette Jarrold, Joyce & Brian Williams, Viv & David Carrington, all having medical treatment
  - Ann Raines and Ken Naylor small heart attacks & stent fitting
  - Judith King, Daphne Ranson, and others receiving residential/domestic care.
  - The families of Audrey Posford and Philip Moulton, and others who have died recently.

*Please let us know of any others to add to this sheet: please ask their permission before giving us their information for printing.*

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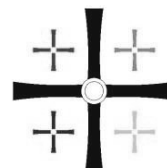
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### COMING UP

**30th October:** 10.30am Group Service of Holy Communion at Caistor  
**6th November:** 9.00am Traditional Holy Communion at Caistor, 10.30am Café Church at Stoke Church Hall  
**13th November:** 9.00am Traditional Holy Communion at Arminghall, 10.45am Venta Group Remembrance Service at Caistor

# The Venta Group

Arminghall, Caistor St Edmund, Stoke Holy Cross with Dunston  
23rd October 2016

**Please do come and join us for our  
Venta Group Service**

**Caistor St Edmund**

**Sunday 30th October**

**10.30am**



How *good and pleasant* it is  
when God's people  
*live together in unity!*  
Psalm 133:1

## St George's Dementia Support Café St George's Hall

2nd and 4th Monday's from 10-12.

We look forward to seeing you.

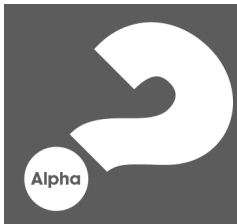
Telephone 01508493661 or 01508492938 for information about the cafe or becoming a volunteer.



An informal meeting of Worship, Teaching and Ministry. Cakes and coffee, followed by worship, testimony, teaching and the chance to give or receive prayer. The Filling Station is now in rural venues all over the United Kingdom and continues to serve and refresh Church

leaders and congregations and to reach those who are seeking answers to the meaning of life through the Christian faith.

3rd Thursday most months, 7 for 7.30pm NOW  
AT GREEN PASTURES GARDEN CENTRE



We are making plans to run the Alpha Course again from January 2017. To

do this we need your help— please start praying now, and start mentioning **now** to friends and neighbours that it is going to be happening!

All this information and more, including up to date service rotas, some recordings of talks, copies of notice sheets and our monthly magazine etc, all on our new website [www.venta-group.org](http://www.venta-group.org). Please have a look and let us know what you think!

### Traditional Service of Holy Communion

*Familiar words and music*

Stoke Holy Cross Church  
3rd Sundays at 11am  
Sunday 20th November  
and again from January

We look forward to welcoming you there.  
Coffee served from 10.30am onwards.



6th November, 10.30am  
at Stoke Holy Cross Church Hall  
Breakfast, chat, songs, craft, prayer, thought for the day...  
Please do come along and join us...

**Venta Group Remembrance Service** 13th November, 10.45am Caistor St Edmund



## Light Party coming soon!

Fun & Games, Food & Drink, Craft & Prizes.

All primary school age children welcome

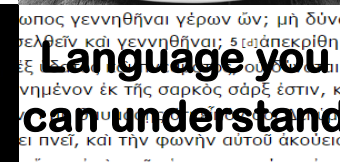
Monday 31st October, 5-6.30pm in the Church Hall— Email Angela [admin@venta-group.org](mailto:admin@venta-group.org)



## Church is....a place for everyone



A place for questions



**Sunday 4 Everyone**  
10.30am in the Church Hall  
4th Sundays of October and November

**Sparklers**  
Tuesdays 10-11.30  
Stoke Church Hall

Welcoming all 0-4s, and their parents, grandparents and carers...

 **Sparklers Stoke Holy Cross**



Stoke Holy Cross  
Church Hall  
Monday 9.00-1.00  
Wednesday 1.15-4.15