

**FROM OUR REGISTERS**

**WEDDINGS**

*We celebrate the commitment in love of*  
**John Ginty & Claire Baker**



**FUNERALS**

We remember in love those who have died  
**Joan Alice Abell**



**LITTLE FISHES**

**Please note change of date for April**  
**TUESDAY April 20<sup>th</sup> 2pm - 3pm at**  
**St Andrew's Church, Great Staughton**

Come and join us and have fun listening to stories; making music; singing songs  
and much more.

We welcome all ages from birth to Primary School with a grown-up

**ANDREW'S CREW**

Welcomes all 10 – 13 year olds

Next meeting

**TUESDAY April 13<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm at St Andrew's Vicarage**

**THE VILLAGE HALL**

**Contact:** Dawn Isaacs (01480 477003)  
Hire Rates: £8 ph Hail Weston Residents  
£10ph Non-Village Residents  
Deposit: £20

**PRE-SCHOOL ACTIVITY GROUP**

Mon-Fri 09.30am-12noon

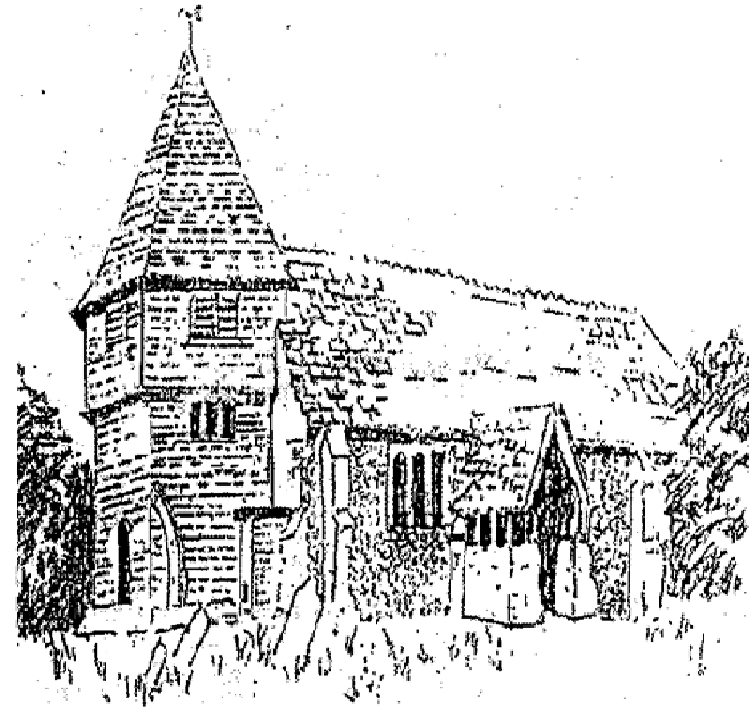
**Contact:** Mandy Clarke (01480 476277)

**If you have news, articles or events for inclusion in the next issue, please contact**  
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**ST NICOLAS' CHURCH HAIL WESTON**

**APRIL 2010**

**VILLAGE NEWSLETTER**

**Rector:** Reverend Judi Clarke  
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**Churchwarden**

Mrs Mary Deacon

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**Village contacts for St Nicolas' Church:**

Mrs Jenny Holland (01480 475827)

Mrs Elaine McCarthy (01480 474542)

Arrangements for baptisms, weddings and other pastoral matters should be  
made direct with Reverend Judi Clarke

A message from Judi, our Rector....

Dear Friends

This month our letter from St Nicolas Church has been written by Paul Deacon our treasurer so I would just like to repeat my greetings from the March newsletter to you all for a very Blessed and Joyful Easter, and hope to see many of you with us for our Holy Week and Easter Day services in one of our churches.

With love and prayers to you all  
Judi

### **ST. NICOLAS' CHURCH 100 CLUB**

The parish church of St. Nicolas Hail Weston last year celebrated its' 800 anniversary. The past generations who worshiped God and used the church, preserved and maintained it for us to worship in and enjoy today – no mean feat when you consider they did not have the technical knowledge and equipment available to us in this 21<sup>st</sup> century.

However, the one thing that does not change is the ever increasing cost of maintaining your wonderful old building. The regular small congregation cannot raise the £13,000 running costs each year and the Parochial Church Council (PCC) is always looking for ways of raising funds in order to help preserve your church for future generations.

The PCC is trying to raise some funding this year by starting a '100 Club' and to this end Terry and Janice Matthews agreed to go knocking on doors to get as many people as possible to 'join up' and have been successful in obtaining 89 villagers who want to take part. A marvellous achievement and testament to the fact that no-one wants to see your church fall into disrepair. There are still some tickets left, so if you want to do your bit to raise funds as well as having the chance to win, please contact Terry or Janice on 01480 215478. The cost is £25.00 per year to enter into a Monthly Draw with prizes of £50; £25; £10; and a special Christmas Draw of £100; £50; £30; £10. The first draw will take place in April 2010.

A huge thank you to Terry and Janice for all your footwork and getting the 100 club up and running.

Paul Deacon  
Treasurer  
PCC

## **HOLY WEEK AND EASTER CHURCH SERVICES 2010**

### **St Nicolas Church Hail Weston**

#### **PALM SUNDAY**

Sun March 28<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Parish Communion

Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Mar 7.00pm Compline

#### **EASTER DAY**

Sun 4<sup>th</sup> April 4.00pm Family Worship

### **St Leonard's Church Southoe**

Mon 29<sup>th</sup> Mar 7.00pm Compline

### **St Andrew's Church Great Staughton**

#### **PALM SUNDAY**

Sun Mar 28<sup>th</sup> 10.30am Parish Communion

Weds Mar 30<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm Compline

#### **MAUNDY THURSDAY**

Thurs April 1<sup>st</sup> 8.00pm Holy Communion followed by Vigil

#### **GOOD FRIDAY**

Fri April 2<sup>nd</sup> 12.30pm – 2.00pm Church quiet for private prayer  
2.00pm Devotional Service

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

Sun April 4<sup>th</sup> 10.30am Group Family Communion  
(Please note correction of time)

## **CHURCH SERVICES FOR THE REMAINDER OF APRIL 2010**

### **St Nicolas Church Hail Weston**

Sun April 11<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Parish Communion

Sun April 25<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Parish Communion

### **CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

Will meet at 2 Crown Close on 22nd April @ 7.30pm