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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, KIRTON

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RIP;

Sadly, it has recently been brought to our notice, that Frances Hayes, of 25, Kirton Park, died on September 16th. Her funeral has taken place at Ollerton Crematorium - God Bless Frances!

ALL SOULS' DAY SERVICE - KIRTON ;

This lovely, emotional service will take place on Sunday, November 3rd, at 10.30am. This is an opportunity to light a candle for any loved ones you have lost - and then, after the service, to join us for refreshments in Church. Everybody very welcome!

REVD ANNA ALLS ;

We said goodbye to Anna and family, at her leaving service at Kneesall on October 6th. May we wish her all the best as she takes up her new appointment as Vicar of Burton Joyce and parishes.

ARMISTICE SERVICE;

This year the Armistice service will take place at Kneesall on Sunday, November 10th at 10.30am. This is another emotional service, where the bugler plays the 'Last Post' and where the attending Parishes lay their poppy wreaths - All welcome !

KIRTON POPPIES FOR REMEMBRANCE DAY;

Thank you to everybody who donated a poppy this year. The response was amazing, resulting in a very colourful display throughout the village - there were hardly enough lampposts to put them on! A big thank you to Richard and Nicola Batty for spending so much of their weekend positioning them all, and to Rhys Williams for supplying the ties.

The poppies and the soldier in Kirton make a massive and meaningful impact, and bring to mind the many heroes who lost their lives in the service of others. We will never forget their sacrifice ! May God Bless all those serving in our armed forces today !

FESTIVE GATHERING;

Jonathan will be hosting the 'Festive Gathering' on Sunday, December 15th at 1.30am. We are giving plenty of notice so that you can put the date down on your calendar! More information in the December Newsletter! We will be making the third draw of the 100 club at this event!

HEAVY TRAFFIC SITUATION;

As most people will know by now, there is much unrest about the planning application for a stone crushing plant on Boughton Industrial estate. The Church Council and Parish Council are already having issues with Highways with regard to the number of heavy and enormous lorries that pass through the village daily. These vehicles have been causing damage in Kirton for several years now, and the Church wall, a listed building is being battered on a regular basis, as well as other buildings in the vicinity. The prospect of up to 500 lorries more per day adding to this chaos, as well as the industrial fumes that this plant would produce is outrageous! Please sign all the petitions you can, and most importantly, object on the Notts County Council site online, or write a hard copy letter of objection and post it to them. We know many people have already done this - but, if you haven't, there isn't much time left - the deadline for objections is November 11th

CAKES;

Many thanks to Colin, who volunteered to supply the refreshment, and to his wife Pat, who baked three lovely big cakes for our last Sunday service. They were delicious and much appreciated by the congregation of 26 who devoured them after the service!