# Calendar For November 2025

# SUNDAY 2nd November Scalm Park 9am Holy Communion All Saints Church

# SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup> November Selby Road

10am Family Service Methodist Church Mrs. Cunningham followed by a service of remembrance at 10.45am at the war memorial led by Mrs. Cunningham

SUNDAY 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Station Road
9am Holy Communion	All Saints Church
SUNDAY 23rd November	Tate Close
9am Family Service	Methodist Church
SUNDAY 30th November	The Green
3pm Family Service	Methodist Church

MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup> December Christingle Service
6pm All Saints Church

## **Thank You**

## **Macmillan Cancer Coffee Morning**

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising coffee morning. We sent £338 to Macmillan Cancer charity.

Thank you to all who supported our Soup Social. £300 was raised for Church and Chapel funds.





## Altar Flower Guild

2<sup>nd</sup> November Mrs. Swan

16th November Mr. Jackson

# WISTOW VILLAGE NEWS

November 2025



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# **WISTOW VILLAGE CHURCH**

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# WHO, WHAT, WHERE & WHEN IN WISTOW

WHO, WHAI, WHERE	X WHEN IN WISTOW
Singing For Fun	Wistow Parochial CE VC Primary
Sundays 6pm to 7.30pm	School
Methodist Chapel	Headteacher –
Alison Cunningham	Mrs. C. Cox
07854085644	01757 - 268378
alisoninwistow@btinternet.com	admin@wistow.n-yorks.sch.uk
1 <sup>st</sup> Wistow Brownies	1 <sup>st</sup> Wistow Rainbows
Monday 18.00 to 19.15	Monday 16.45 to 17.45
Jubilee Hall	Jubilee Hall
Amanda Greenaway	Amanda Greenaway
07470344018	07470344018
1st Wistow Guides	Wistow Youth Club
Monday 19.15 to 20.45	Ages 8 to 11
Jubilee Hall	Friday 7pm to 9pm
Alison Cunningham	Jubilee Hall
07854085644	Sue Sampson
alisoninwistow@btinternet.com	07738660796
Parents & Toddlers	Smart Start Pre-School
Wednesday 9.30am – 11.30am	Monday – Friday 9am – 3.15pm
Methodist Chapel	Jubilee Hall
Ages 0 to 3	Susanna Phillips
£2 to include tea and coffee	01757 – 242576
Janet 07981229668	wistowsmartstart@gmail.com
	www.wistowsmartstart.co.uk
Wistow Parish Council	Wistow Gardening Group
Clerk – Samantha Edwards	Contact 07800545052 or
<u>clerk@wistowparishcouncil.gov.uk</u>	lindabaillie@gmail.com
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Musical Chairs	Wistow Jubilee Hall
Monday at The Jubilee Hall	Booking Contact Jill –
Tarek Hassan 07741 999990 or	01757–268442
Tarekhassan15@icloud.com	jillianmarsden47@gmail.com
Cawood Art Group	Wistow Jubilee Hall
Alternate Mondays 10am to 12pm	Diamond Dancesport
Old Boys' School, Cawood	Ballroom/Latin /dance fitness
Anne Marie –annemarie50@sky.com	classes on Tues & Wed pm
01757-269442	Contact Rachel –07719 449186
	<u>Diamond.dancesport@gmail.com</u>

# **NOVEMBER NEWS**

#### DIAMOND DANCESPORT

Ballroom/Latin dance classes & dance fitness - Tuesday & Wednesday evenings in the Village Hall.

Contact Rachel <u>diamond.dancesport@gmail.com</u> / 07719 449186 There is a new 4-week course for absolute beginners starting 4th November – all welcome.

#### **Wistow Parish Council Meeting**

The next Parish Council meeting is on Wednesday 12th November at 7pm in the Methodist Church.

## **Coffee Morning**

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November at 10.00am in the Methodist Church – all welcome.

# Forward notice Wistow Village Church Posada Posada is a Spanish word meaning 'inn'.

You may remember that in December 2019 we made a set of nativity figures and asked if you would like you to 'offer them shelter for the night' in your home as they 'journey to Bethlehem'. This symbolises how we make room for Jesus in our hearts, homes and community as we prepare to celebrate Christmas.

The Posada will be in Wistow School from 1st December to 5<sup>th</sup> December and then it will travel around the village until Christmas Day, when it will form part of our Christmas Day service in All Saints Church.

If you would like to take part in this 'journey' and give Mary and Joseph a room for the night, before it is then passed onto the next home, please contact us on <a href="wistowmethodist@gmail.com">wistowmethodist@gmail.com</a> or see the list of dates available at the back of the church / chapel. In doing so we do ask that you are willing to make your name and telephone number available so that you can arrange to pass it onto the next family on the list.

# **Dear Friends**

October always makes me think of an early 20<sup>th</sup> Century hymn by Estelle White:

Autumn Days when the grass is jewelled And the silk inside a chestnut shell

A detailed observation of the beauty that can be found in nature, whatever the season. It's so easy, as the amount of daylight reduces, and the nights get colder to long for the balmy days of summer but take a moment to appreciate the here and now; the colours, the smell of wood smoke, the intricate structure of the trees in full view after the leaves have fallen.

The chorus of the hymn also reminds us that we mustn't forget "to say a great big thank you". Saying thank you to God is simple. It's just like saying thank you to a friend for a gift for example, or when someone does you a good turn and it usually results in a smile of appreciation in return. So, why not make God smile today by remembering to say "thank you" to him for the richness of nature in our part of the world.

God bless Alison Cunningham

#### **Parochial Register**

Holy Baptism We welcome into the family of the church -

21st September Harpe

Harper Hallie Sigurdsson, daughter of Kevin &

Francesca

'Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not. For such is the Kingdom of Heaven.'

We sympathise with the family and friends of those who have died.

<u>Funeral</u>

Kathleen Lund 23<sup>rd</sup> September aged 93 Lynda Harrison 2<sup>nd</sup> October aged 76

'And underneath are the everlasting arms.'

Monday 1st December 6pm in All Saints Church



Come to our

# Christmas Afternoon Tea

Thursday 4thDecember

At Wistow Methodist Chapel 12noon to 4pm



Tickets £12.50 available from

Sue Culkin 01757-268952



Chris Scott 01757-242545



Products may contain nuts, dairy and gluten.

All proceeds to go to All Saints Church and Wistow Methodist Chapel



Come and join your friends and pick up a bargain from the many stalls: cakes gifts, local jams, tombola and raffle.



Entry £1 includes tea/coffee and biscuits.

All proceeds will be shared between

All Saints and Wistow Methodist Church

funds.

Donations for the tombola, raffle prizes and cakes would be most welcome.

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