

November 2021



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As I write this there are announcements about foreign travel being possible again. Hopefully by the time that you read this some of you will either have been on holiday or have been able to plan one. We need rays of hope and joy like these.

Things have been hard for so many of us during the pandemic and particularly those who have lost someone close to them. Many of us have been unable to say goodbye properly or at all. It can often feel as though we and our lost loved ones have just been forgotten. So on Tuesday 2nd of November at 6.30pm in St. John's Harleston and St. Andrew's Scole we will be remembering by name all of our loved ones who have died. These services will be quiet and reflective, the names of those whom we remember will be read out, and there will be an opportunity to light a candle. If you would like a name read out just get in touch. We will read out their name and remember them whether or not you are able to attend.

Then on Remembrance Day and Remembrance Sunday we remember those who have died in wars, past and present. We pray for our armed forces and their loved ones. We pray also for an end to the horror that is war.

November can feel like a heavy month to bear but November ends with the feast of Christ the King. We remember that there is a hope greater than the pandemic, greater even than fear or death. In the face of all the sadness we celebrate the hope of a better future. So, this November, let's remember, cry, hope and celebrate together!

God bless,
Nigel.

Donations wanted

Donations wanted for the raffle and tombola which will be at St John's Church on the 4th of December. There is a list in St John's Church of things to donate for the hamper.

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

Tuesday 2nd November 6.30pm

St John's, Harleston

St Andrew's, Scole



Remembrance Services



9.30am - Remembrance Service - All Saints
Thorpe Abbots

10.45am - at Harleston Memorial

11.00am - Remembrance Service - St John's Harleston

10.45am At Scole Memorial

11.00am - Remembrance Service - St Andrew's Scole

3.00pm - Remembrance Service - St Leonard's Billingford

3.00pm - Remembrance Service - St Peter & St Paul Brockdish

3.00pm - Remembrance at Wortwell War Memorial

6.00pm - Remembrance Service - St Peter's Needham

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

STILLNESS, MINDFULNESS, CONTEMPLATION

Free & Open to All

Wednesday 3rd November

7.30pm to 8.30pm

The Rectory, Harleston

Contact Nigel Tuffnell- 01379 308905
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St John's Harleston

Saturday 6th November

9.30am till 12noon

Coffee and cake Morning

St Andrew's Scole

Coffee Morning

Saturday 6th November

10am - 12 noon

come and enjoy homemade sausage rolls,
cheese scones and home baked
cake along with coffee, tea, raffle and friendly
chat.



St Peter & St Paul Brockdish

Saturday November 27th

Quiz Night

7.30pm for 8.00pm

table up to 6 people £5 per person, to include light supper.

Tel: Jan 01379 668630 for bookings and further information.

The PCC at St Leonards Billingham

We would like to thank all that came to the Picnic & Pimms at St Leonards Billingham on Sunday 19th September, also to enjoy the Harvest Festival led by Lynda and Sandy.

This was our first fundraiser since 2019 and proved very successful, with everyone enjoying a chat after such a long time. We are grateful that the weather was kind to us.

Thanks to Carol, Joanne, Nik and Lesley for their help during the afternoon.

Sue & Georgina
For Billingham PCC



Tea coffee and Singing is Back



St John's Harleston

Every Tuesday from 10.40am for tea and coffee then
11.00am to 12 noon for singing.

Community Cafe

Every Tuesday At St John's Harleston

2.00pm - 3.00pm

Everyone Welcome

Come along and enjoy a coffee or tea, biscuits and a cake or
desert

(menu changes weekly)

A Waveney foodbank project

First week in December

St John's Christmas coffee and craft stalls

4th December 9.30am - 4.00pm

Brockdish Village Hall Christmas Coffee Morning

4th December 10.00am - 12noon

Scole Winter Warmer Coffee Morning

4th December 10.00am - 12noon

St Peter's Needham Carol and Christingle Service

5th December 4.30pm



4th December

*Merry
Christmas*

St John's

Coffee Morning

Craft Stalls

9.30am to 4pm

Light Lunch served

12noon to 2pm

**Raffle,
Tombola,
Cake Stall.**

Brockdish Village Hall

Christmas Coffee Morning

Raffle
Coffee
Chat

Books
Jams
Cakes

Proceeds to Brockdish Church

December 4th
10.00am - 12.00noon



**St Peter's
Needham
Church
Open Daily
9am to 4pm**

14th November - 6.00pm Remembrance Service

21st November - 9.30am Morning Prayer

5th December - 4.30pm Carol & Christingle

19th December - 9.30am Simple Holy Communion



THE REGISTERS - 25TH SEPTEMBER TO 24TH OCTOBER 2021

Funerals and Interments

30th September	Edward Borrett, Waveny Crematorium
11th October	Patrica Soanes, St John's Harleston
13th October	Patrick Howard, St Mary's Redenhall
13th October	Mr Davies, St Mary's Redenhall
20th October	Ronald Gardiner, St Andrews Scole
23rd October	Marion Courtney, St John's, Harleston

Baptism

23rd October	Meadow Rush, St Peter's Needham
23rd October	Maisie Rush, St Peter's Needham

	7churches Benefice Services	
Celebration Service		
St Andrew's, Scole Sunday 28th November 4.30pm		
Compline		
All Saints Thorpe Abbots, Thursday 25th November 6.30pm		

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Fran Pitt-Pladdy, Mel Veness.

If you have a loved one who is very ill and would like them to be on our prayer list then please get in touch with one of our ministers. (*details on the back*).

NOVEMBER SUNDAY SERVICES AND READINGS

SUNDAY 1st All Saints' (Gold)	6.30pm	Evening Prayer (Patronal)	All Saints, Thorpe Abbots
<i>Hebrews 12.18-24/Matthew 5.1-12</i>			
Tuesday 2nd All Souls (Purple)	6.30pm	Commemoration of the Faithful Departed	St John's, Harleston
	6.30pm	Commemoration of the Faithful Departed	St Andrew's, Scole
<i>1 Peter 1.3-9/John 5.19-25</i>			
SUNDAY 7TH 3rd Before Advent (Red)	9.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter & St Paul, Brockdish
	9.30am	Holy Communion (bcp)	St Mary's, Redenhall
	11.00am	Informal Worship	St John's, Harleston
	11.00am	Informal Worship	St Andrew's, Scole
<i>Hebrews 9.24-28/Mark 1.14-20</i>			
SUNDAY 14TH Remembra nce Sunday (Red)	9.30am	Remembrance Service	All Saints, Thorpe Abbots
	11.00am	Remembrance Service	St John's, Harleston
	11.00am	Remembrance Service	St Andrew's, Scole
	3.00pm	Remembrance Service	St Leonard's Billingford
	3.00pm	Remembrance Service	St Peter & St Paul, Brockdish
	3.00pm	Remembrance	Wortwell War Memorial
	6.00pm	Remembrance Service	St Peter's, Needham
SUNDAY 21ST Christ the King (Red)	9.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter & St Paul, Brockdish
	9.30am	Holy Communion	St Leonard's, Billingford
	9.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peters', Needham
	11.00am	Morning Prayer	St John's, Harleston
	11.00am	Holy Communion	St Andrew's, Scole
	4pm	Modern Evening Prayer	St Mary's, Redenhall
<i>Revelation 1.4b-8/John 18.33-37</i>			
SUNDAY 28TH Advent Sunday (Purple)	9.30am	Holy Communion	St Peter & St Paul, Brockdish
	9.30am	Morning Prayer	St Mary's, Redenhall
	11.00am	Holy Communion	St John's, Harleston
	11.00am	Holy Communion	St Andrew's, Scole
	4.30pm	Celebration Service	St Andrew's, Scole
<i>1 Thessalonians 3.9-13/Luke 21.25-36</i>			

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