

Team News

16 September 2018

No. 294

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

for the parishes of
Bressingham, Diss
Fersfield, North Lopham,
Roydon, South Lopham



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Services today: The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

The Liturgical Colour is Green

8:00 AM	Diss	Eucharist	The Rector
9:30 AM	Bressingham	Morning Prayer	Angie Gardner
9:30 AM	S Lopham	Harvest and Eucharist	The Rector
10:45 AM	Diss	Eucharist – followed by ☺	The Rector / The Revd Maggie Swayze
11:00 AM	Roydon	Morning Prayer	Home Team / Angie Gardner
11:00 AM	Fersfield	Harvest Service followed by Lunch	Richard Hewitt
6:00 PM	Diss	Choral Evensong	Angie Gardner

Readings for The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Principal Service:

Isaiah 50.4-9a; Psalm 116.1-8; James 3.1-12; Mark 8.27-38;

Evening Service:

Exodus 18.13-26; Matthew 7.1-14;

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Church Diary

Every weekday at St Mary's, Diss Morning Prayer at 8.30am and Evening Prayer at 5.00pm.

Mon 17 th	7:00 PM	Rehearsal for Induction service in church
	7:30 PM	Diss Bell Ringing Practice
Tue 18 th	9:30 AM	Edward Bear Club
	5:30 PM	Silent Prayer in St Mary's Hall, Diss
Wed 19 th	10:30 AM	Coffee Morning at Roydon Parish Room
	11:00 AM	Burial of Ashes of Michael Marsh at Diss Cemetery
	11:30 AM	Funeral of Marie Bailey at West Suffolk Crematorium
	7:30 PM	Roydon PCC
Thu 20 th	12:00 PM	Careers Group at St Mary's, Diss
	7:15 PM	Choir Practice (St Mary's)
Fri 21 st	9:30 AM	Friday Coffee and Cake in St Mary's hall, Diss
	10:00 AM	FoodBank until noon
	7:30 PM	Friends of Diss Museum
Sat 22 nd	9:00 AM	Quilting Exhibition at South Lopham church
Sun 23 rd	9:00 AM	Quilting Exhibition at South Lopham church
	2:00 PM	Confirmation Class at North Lopham

Services for The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

The Liturgical Colour will be Green

8:00 AM	Diss	Eucharist
9:30 AM	S Lopham	Morning Prayer
9:30 AM	Fersfield	Eucharist
10:45 AM	Diss	Eucharist
11:00 AM	Roydon	Eucharist
11:00 AM	N Lopham	Family Service
6:00 PM	Diss	Choral Evensong

Readings for The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

Principal Service:

Wisdom of Solomon 1.16 – 2.1,12-22 or Jeremiah 11.18-20; Psalm 54; James 3.13 – 4.3,7-8a;
Mark 9.30-37;

Evening Service:

Exodus 19.10-25; Matthew 8.23-34;

Notices

FOODBANK ITEMS NEEDED

We are very low on the following items: tinned rice, sugar, instant mash and long-life fruit juice. Thank you for your continuing support of Food Bank.

DISS SUNG EUCHARIST SERVICE

The Sung Eucharist service at St Mary's, Diss, will return to its normal start time of 10.30am from Sunday 30th September.

QUILT SHOW

Diss Quilting Group are holding a Quilt Show in St Andrews Church, South Lopham on Saturday 22nd and Sunday 23rd September 10.00-5.00pm, Raffle, Tower Open, Cake Stall and Refreshments.

SAMARITANS PURSE - CHRISTMAS BOXES, DISS

On Sunday 23rd September after the 10.45 service there will be Christmas boxes available for anyone to take to fill with gifts for children overseas.

We have sent over 50 boxes each year and the pleasure this gives to the children is unimaginable. There will be leaflets available to give advice on the sort of toys, toiletries games etc. suitable. Any further information from Jane Denny.

CONCERT AT BRESSINGHAM CHURCH

South Norfolk Youth Symphonic Band + will be giving a concert in Bressingham Church on Saturday 29th September 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm for church and Friends of the Church funds. Tickets £10 (£5 under 16's) and will include a finger buffet. Drinks will be available. Tickets from Bressingham Village Shop, Alison and Leslie on 01379 687 580 or the churchwardens. Transport can be arranged if you require some and we have plenty of parking just off the A1066.

SERVICE FOR NEW VICAR

The Licensing and Installation of our new vicar, Revd John Cruse, will take place on Thursday 27th September 2018 at 7pm in St Mary's Church, Diss. Do hope you can come.

WELCOME RECEPTION AT BRESSINGHAM STEAM MUSEUM

Following the service you are all invited to attend a Welcome Reception for the Rev'd John Cruse and his wife Janice at Bressingham Steam Museum. It is a wonderful setting and a great opportunity to visit the Museum (**free of charge!**) whilst providing John and Janice with the warmest of welcomes to the Team. To give us an idea of numbers, would those in Diss please add your name to the list at the back of St Mary's Church and indicate if you are able to offer a lift, or are in need of a lift to and from the Steam Museum. For those in the country parishes please let your Churchwardens know if you will come. Janet Bryant is organising a celebration buffet and if you wish to contribute towards that please speak to Janet directly, or to a Churchwarden.

HARVEST LUNCH – ST MARY'S

On Sunday 30th September we will be welcoming John Cruse and his wife Janice to his first service followed by Harvest Lunch in St Marys Hall at 12.30pm for all the parishes of the Team Ministry

There are limited places if you wish to join us, please obtain your ticket which costs £5 from Jan in the office. Catering Team

Roydon Donut Church

Saturday 29th September when we will be looking at the Worldwide Harvest, 3.30 to 5 p.m.

Please remember in your Prayers this week

The Church:

Bishops: Graham (Norwich), Alan (Thetford) and Jonathan (Lynn)
The Methodist Church: Chair of the District, Julian Pursehouse.
The Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan (comprising five dioceses in Northern Sudan): Archbishop Ezekiel Kumir Kondo.
The 'Edward Bear Club' at St.Mary's
Roydon Toddler Church
Those who co-ordinate the Welcome Areas in our churches.

The World:

Peace in the world

Our neighbours:

Farms in our communities.
All those who live and work there.
That they may continue to produce food and livestock, and to provide for those whose livelihood depends on them.

All who are ill or in special need:

We pray for all who work to help the suffering. You, Lord, fed the hungry, healed the sick and restored sight to the blind. Be with them, uphold and guide them whatever their needs. Amen.

Those who have died:

Marie Bailey, funeral at West Suffolk Crematorium on 19th September at 11.30am and all our loved ones.

The Saints:

Hildegard, Abbess of Bingen, Visionary, 1179 (17th)
John Coleridge Patteson, First Bishop of Melanesia, and his Companions, Martyrs, 1871 (20th)
Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist (21st)

The Shorter Collect for The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Lord of creation,
whose glory is around and within us:
open our eyes to your wonders,
that we may serve you with reverence
and know your peace at our lives' end,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen