

Team News

7 October 2018

No. 297

The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

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



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Services today: The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

The Liturgical Colour is Green

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| 8:00 AM | Diss | Eucharist | The Vicar |
| 9:30 AM | N Lopham | Eucharist | The Vicar |
| 10:30 AM | Diss | Sung Eucharist | The Revd Maggie Swayze / Revd Gerald Epps |
| 11:00 AM | Roydon | Morning Prayer | The Vicar |
| 11:00 AM | N Lopham | Harvest Family Service | Home Team |
| 6:00 PM | Diss | Choral Evensong | The Revd Samuel Thorp / Dr Sue Drake |

Readings for The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

Principal Service:

Genesis 2.18-24; Psalm 8; Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12; Mark 10.2-16;

Evening Service:

Joshua 3.7-17; Matthew 10.1-22;

Contacts:

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Church Diary

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

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| Mon 8 th | 1:30 PM | Diss Infants' School visit St Mary's, Diss |
| | 2:00 PM | Discover 3 in St Mary's hall, Diss |
| | 3:00 PM | St Andrew's School Harvest Festival in North Lopham Church |
| | 7:30 PM | Diss Bell Ringing Practice |
| Tue 9 th | 9:30 AM | Edward Bear Club |
| | 5:30 PM | Silent Prayer in St Mary's Hall, Diss |
| | 7:30 PM | Discover 3 |
| | 7:30 PM | The Osiligi Maasai Warriors at Lophams' Village Hall |
| Wed 10 th | 10:30 AM | Eucharist (Diss) |
| | 2:00 PM | Discover 3 |
| Thu 11 th | 9:00 AM | Sofia's Fund raising coffee morning in St Mary's Hall, Diss |
| | 11:00 AM | Funeral of Margaret Chapman at Waveney Crematorium |
| | 2:00 PM | Discover 3 |
| | 7:15 PM | Choir Practice (St Mary's) |
| Fri 12 th | 9:30 AM | Friday Coffee and Cake in St Mary's hall, Diss |
| | 10:00 AM | FoodBank until noon |
| Sun 14 | 12:00 PM | Baptism of Esme Barnard at Roydon Church |

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Principal Service:

Amos 5.6-7,10-15; Psalm 90.12-17; Hebrews 4.12-16; Mark 10.17-31;

Evening Service:

Joshua 5.13 – 6.20; Matthew 11.20-30;

Notices

LOPHAMS' CHURCHES HARVEST SUPPER

is on Friday 5th October, in the Village Hall at 7.30pm prompt.

Tickets for a hot meal followed by apple pie and ice cream are £8 each, from Marion Crisp (01379 687953) or Jennie Vere (0179 687679) Soft drinks will be supplied, but please bring your own alcohol, if desired, plus glasses.

THE OSILIGI MAASAI WARRIORS

will present their unique programme in the Lophams' Village Hall on 9th October at 7.30pm. The troupe are all Christian, with a firm Christian foundation. There are some tickets still available, they are £8 adult and £6 school age, from Jennie Vere on 01379 687679 or jennyvere@btinternet.com.

SAMARITANS PURSE - CHRISTMAS BOXES

Collect your box at St Mary's Diss or Southlands, North Lopham. The boxes are needed by 12th November in order to be sent to children in need in Eastern Europe.

THURSDAY 27TH AND SUNDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

The Catering team would like to thank all those who prepared delicious food for both occasions, not forgetting those behind the scenes who helped with setting out tables and chairs, and doing the clearing up afterwards and all who contributed greatly to the success of these events.

NORTH LOPHAM (COMPLETED) KNITTED BIBLE FESTIVAL

will run from Wednesday 24th to Monday 29th October. Do put the dates in your diary now!

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.

SONG AND MUSIC AT BRESSINGHAM

Saturday 10th November at 7pm will be an evening of Song and Music at Bressingham Church. Tickets for sale at £5 (which includes refreshments) available from Nancy 01379 687562 or Hilary Hadingham 01379 688475.

SYNOD MEETING

At the next Synod meeting to be held on Wednesday 10th October at Dickleburgh Church Rooms commencing at 7.30pm there will be a talk given by Jonathan Richardson and his team about Children Youth and Families. Any members of our PCC and also the congregation with particular involvement with families and youngsters are warmly invited to come to this meeting.

RETIREMENT GIFT FOR BISHOP OF NORWICH

If anyone wishes to contribute to the retirement gift for Bishop Graham please could they send it to: Norwich Diocesan Board of Finance Ltd, Diocesan House, 109 Dereham Road, Easton, Norwich NR9 5ES marked confidential or direct payments can be made to:

Bank Account Name: Norwich Diocesan Board of Finance Ltd General Account
Sort Code: 206261 Account: 30674508
Use the reference: 'Retirement Bishop'
Payments need to be made before 25th November 2019. Thank you.

Please remember in your Prayers this week

The Church:

Bishops: Graham (Norwich), Alan (Thetford) and Jonathan (Lynn)
Pray that our Mission Strategy 2021 may be an effective tool as we seek renewal and fresh inspiration for proclaiming the good news across this diocese.

The Episcopal Church and its Presiding Bishop, Michael Curry.

Our Prayer and Healing Groups

Our Silent Prayer Group

The World:

Peace in the world

Our neighbours:

Our children: St. Andrew's Lopham CEVA Primary School: children, parents, governors, the Headteacher - Maxine McGarr, the teachers, administrative and support staff.

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:

Margaret Chapman, funeral on 11th October at Waveney Crematorium and all our loved ones.

The Saints:

Wilfrid of Ripon, Bishop, Missionary, 709 (12th)

Edith Cavell, Nurse, 1915 (12th)

Edward the Confessor, King of England, 1066 (13th)

The Shorter Collect for The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

Faithful Lord,
whose steadfast love never ceases
and whose mercies never come to an end:
grant us the grace to trust you
and to receive the gifts of your love,
new every morning,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen