

Team News

27 January 2019

No. 312

The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

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



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Services today: The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

The Liturgical Colour is White

8:00 AM	Diss	Eucharist	<i>The Vicar</i>
9:30 AM	S Lopham	Morning Prayer	<i>Home Team / Angie Gardner</i>
9:30 AM	Fersfield	Eucharist	<i>The Rector / The Revd Samuel Thorp</i>
10:30 AM	Diss	Sung Eucharist	<i>The Vicar / The Revd Maggie Swayze</i>
11:00 AM	Roydon	Eucharist	<i>The Rector / The Revd Samuel Thorp</i>
11:00 AM	N Lopham	Family Service	<i>Home Team</i>
6:00 PM	Diss	Choral Evensong	<i>The Vicar / Dr Sue Drake</i>

Readings for The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

Principal Service:

Nehemiah 8.1-3,5-6,8-10; Psalm 19*; I Corinthians 12.12-31a; Luke 4.14-21;

Evening Service:

Numbers 9.15-23; I Corinthians 7.17-24;

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Please note the following days off each week: Rector - Saturday; Vicar - Tuesday; Curate – Friday

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Church Diary

Every weekday at St Mary's, Diss Morning Prayer at 8.30am and Evening Prayer at 5.00pm (Not Friday evening)

Mon 28 th	2:45 PM	Funeral of Eileen Kitchen at Earlham Crematorium
	7:30 PM	Diss Bell Ringing Practice
Tue 29 th	9:30 AM	Edward Bear Club
	5:30 PM	Silent Prayer in St Mary's Hall, Diss
Wed 30 th	10:30 AM	Eucharist (Diss)
	11:30 AM	Funeral of Linda Orford at Cemetery Chapel, Diss
Thu 31 st	10:30 AM	Events Meeting at St Mary's Church Hall
	7:15 PM	Choir Practice (St Mary's)
Fri 1 st	9:30 AM	Friday Coffee and Cake in St Mary's hall, Diss
	10:00 AM	FoodBank until noon
	12:00 PM	Funeral of Abigail Ingham at Bury Crematorium

Services for Candlemas

The Liturgical Colour will be Green

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

Readings for Candlemas

Principal Service:

Malachi 3.1-5; Psalm 24.[1-6]7-10; Hebrews 2.14-18; Luke 2.22-40;

Evening Service:

Haggai 2.1-9; John 2.18-22;

Notices

ROYDON

After very kindly stepping up to be our Treasurer three years ago, Keith Rackham is screwing the top back on his pen! So Roydon PCC is seeking a new Treasurer to take over in the Spring.

It is not very onerous but does carry a degree of responsibility. The management of the accounts may be done either manually with cheques and record books or online with computerised accounts and BACS payments.

If anyone would be able to offer help either as Treasurer or as Bookkeeper please speak to either Andrew Daniels (643575) email: andrew.o.daniels@icloud.com or Sarah Briscoe (643599) email: churchwardensarah@gmail.com

CHURCH BOOKSTALL NEWS DISS

Out of sight, out of mind, tucked away in the northwest corner – NO. Make sure you share in the NCRC January book sale – excellent bargains.

BRESSINGHAM CHURCH

We are having a Coffee Morning for church funds on Saturday 9th February from 10.00 am at the home of Diana Burroughes. The address is Burrowood, Wilney Green, Bressingham IP22 2AJ. Should you require transport please telephone Diana on 01379 688291. We are look forward to seeing you then!

Please remember in your Prayers this week

The Church:

Pray for Bishop Alan and Bishop Jonathan. Pray too for Bishop Graham and Julie, preparing for their move to Cornwall.

The Religious Society of Friends: Area Representative, David Saunders.

Diocese of Lui - (South Sudan): Archbishop Stephen Mbalah.

Diocese of St Mark the Evangelist (Southern Africa): Bishop Martin Breytenbach.

All who visit our churches throughout the year.

All who welcome visitors.

The World:

Peace in the world

Our neighbours:

People moving into our town and villages.

That new families will be attracted to our communities and made to feel welcome.

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:

Eileen Kitchen, funeral 28th January at Earlham Crematorium at 2.45pm, Linda Orford, funeral at Cemetery Chapel on 30th January at 11.30 am, Abigail Ingham on 1st February at 12 noon at Bury Crematorium and all our loved ones.

The Saints:

Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Philosopher, Teacher of the Faith, 1274 (28th)

Charles, King and Martyr, 1649 (30th)

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas) (2nd)

Anskar, Archbishop of Hamburg, Missionary in Denmark and Sweden, 865 (3rd)

The Shorter Collect for The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

God of heaven,
you send the gospel to the ends of the earth
and your messengers to every nation:
send your Holy Spirit to transform us
by the good news of everlasting life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen