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## NOVEMBER 2015

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November often seems to be a solemn month. It begins with All Souls Day: the day when our communities traditionally remember loved ones who have died. Services are held in churches as an opportunity to acknowledge and give thanks for every person dearly missed and loved. This year, our Benefice Service will be at Playford church on Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30pm and you are most welcome to join us for all or part of the service or simply to light a candle. Whether a relative or friend has died recently or many years ago, it is important to acknowledge the grief that we carry with us, and the void that remains from their absence.

We continue the sombre theme with our service of Remembrance at Great Bealings on November 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am. There have been many significant anniversaries this year, which have highlighted the incredible bravery and sacrifice of so many service personnel and civilians, who selflessly gave their lives or physical and mental well being for our freedom. For those of us whose loved ones have suffered in any way as a result of the many wars over the past century, every year is a poignant reminder of our loss. We honour their

memory and we ensure that each new generation understands both the futility and necessity of war.

Whilst we mourn and are sad at the horrors that may have been avoided, we need to consider the part we are able to play in doing 'all that makes for peace and builds up our common lives'. As Christians we are mindful of the two critical commandments: to love God and love our neighbour. That neighbour extends to our brothers and sisters across the globe. We seek peace within our families and amongst friends and work colleagues, and we do all that we can to live peaceably alongside one another in our communities. But we also have a responsibility to promote peace and justice in our nation and in the world.

We question our own and others' prejudices and fears, and we seek to engage positively with those with whom we share the freedom to live and work that has been fought for at so great a cost. So let's pray for peace, work for peace and engender peace in all that we do.

With every blessing,

*Celia*

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## BENEFICE

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### **ANGELA COBBOLD HALL**

Many thanks to all those who have written and contributed their views and concerns about the sale of the hall. I want to emphasise that it is 'business as usual' and all the current activities held in the hall will continue and value your support. Do please continue to share any concerns you may have with me or any member of the PCC.

I thank you for your understanding.

*Celia*

### **ADVENT COURSE**

#### **Little Bealings Church**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> December

**10.00 - 11.30 am**

**Refreshments and Reflections**

**as we prepare for Christmas.**

*All welcome*

## **FORTHCOMING SERVICES**

On Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of November our annual Benefice service for All Souls Day to 'Remember the Loved,' will be held at St Marys Church Playford, 7.30pm.

The Benefice Remembrance Sunday service will be held at 10.00am in St Marys Church, Great Bealings on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November. We shall then gather at the war memorial just before 11.00am for our time of reading names, followed by the two minute silence.

A busy Advent Sunday -29<sup>th</sup> November - will begin with a service at 10.00am in St Marys Church Great Bealings to remember the life of Thomas Seckford, this will be followed by our short annual Posada Service, 12.00pm, at St Marys Church Playford, when nativity figures are sent around the parish before arriving back at church at the carol service later in December.

In the evening of Advent Sunday All Saints Church Little Bealings will be holding a Christingle Service at 6.30pm. This is a symbolic celebratory event of

Jesus the 'Light of the World', and in churches throughout the country is always an extremely popular service for both young and old.

During the month of December to reflect upon the season of Advent a service of Compline will be held on chosen evenings around the Benefice; details will follow in the December magazine.

All are most warmly welcome to all the services.

*Philip Merry*

## **STIR-UP SUNDAY/CHRIST THE KING .....WITH CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS**

Our annual ALL age stir-up Sunday worship morning will this year take place at 10.00am in All Saints Church Little Bealings, on November 22<sup>nd</sup>

All ages really are most welcome, and as with previous years there will be puddings to stir, Christ the King crowns to wear, calendars to construct, refreshments to enjoy, amidst hymns and prayers of thanksgiving.

*Philip Merry*

# ***Youth Alpha***

***Starts Sunday November 1<sup>st</sup> - 4.30-6.00 pm***

***at***

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***thecooksonline@hotmail.co.uk***

## **SURVIVING WINTER APPEAL**

Unbelievable as it might sound, 450\* vulnerable people in Suffolk die in the winter months from causes directly attributable to the cold and poor living conditions. The vast majority of individuals affected are over 65 years old.

In fact, this is just the tip of the iceberg- almost 30,000\*\* households in Suffolk currently live in fuel poverty. Many will suffer in silence during the coldest months, hidden from view, withdrawn from their community and surrounds.

Spearheaded by the Suffolk Community Foundation and in partnership with Age UK Suffolk and the East Anglian Daily Times, the Surviving Winter campaign offers vulnerable older individuals respite from the anxiety of managing fuel costs and the opportunity to stay warm and healthy during the winter. Over £85,000 was raised in the winter of 2014-2015, helping over 300 older households in the county.

Suffolk Community Foundation is now asking you to pledge your Winter Fuel Payment to those in need of extra support during the winter.

The money raised will be used in 2 ways:

- ◆ Support payments to those in need to help heat their homes properly, eat healthily and keep in touch with their community.
- ◆ Grants to local charities who support older, vulnerable people.

This truly is an extraordinarily worthwhile campaign, so please.....IF YOU DON'T NEED IT, PLEASE DONATE IT!

For ways to donate please contact The Suffolk Community Foundation on 01473 602 602. To claim please contact Age UK Suffolk on 01473 359911

### **NEWSLETTER REMINDER .....CHRISTMAS IS COMING!**

May we remind all contributors that the next edition will be combined to cover December & January.

**Deadline for contributions: Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November**

**Distribution date: Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

Contributions for the newsletter should be sent to [beneficemag@gmail.com](mailto:beneficemag@gmail.com)

### **ERRORS AND OMISSIONS**

Whilst every effort is made to maintain the accuracy of names and contact details for those who represent organisations or services within the benefice we are dependent upon secretaries and organisers advising us of any changes.

Please may we ask you to check the details on page 2 and page 26 and send any amendments or additions to [beneficemag@gmail.com](mailto:beneficemag@gmail.com) Thank you.

*Editorial Team*

### **ADVERTISING**

Advertisers are reminded that the December/January issue will be the final edition of the year. We are very grateful to our advertisers for their invaluable and continued support which enables us to deliver this magazine free to every household in our 4 villages.

Renewal notices will be sent out during November, with an absolute deadline of 9<sup>th</sup> January for re-committing. Please be aware that space is limited, so 'first come, first served.'

*Norman Porter* [nhp@rillcott.co.uk](mailto:nhp@rillcott.co.uk) 01473 735565

## OTLEY UNDER FIVES

Otley Under Fives pre-school children have been swishy-swashing and splash-splashing round the village on their very own bear hunt. Residents will be pleased to know no bears have been found – yet – but if there are any out there the children will find them I am sure!

The children have been observing the changes to village life as autumn arrives: collecting leaves to use in their artwork-hedgehogs; clearing the vegetable garden; and picking blackberries to make into yummy crumbles. The warm weather has meant lots of activity outside, putting the mud kitchens and new water wall to good use.

A highlight of last month was the visit of the Ferrel Circus Troupe. The Big Top was erected on the Primary School's playing field and Otley Under Fives joined the troupe for an afternoon of spinning plates, juggling and general clowning around with Class One before watching, and taking part in, live performances.

We are hosting a clairvoyance evening with Ryan Gooding on Friday 13 November. Tickets cost £10 and all monies go to Otley Under Fives. If you have any old clothes and rags please send them our way. We regularly submit a 'rag bag', with 100% of the value of the donation supporting the setting.

For more information about Otley Under Fives pre-school, to arrange a visit and free trial session or to talk to a member of the team please call 07789 468853.



## TOWN LECTURE

### Suffolk: Chapter and Verse

*Janet Dann*

Museum Street Methodist Church,  
Ipswich

Thursday 12 November 2015

1.00pm to 1.50pm

The works of Suffolk poets George Crabbe and Edward Fitzgerald are well known, and Charles Dickens' links with the county have been explored, but what about Tennyson's great-grandson, or the eighteenth-century solicitor's wife who wrote gothic novels? What are their Suffolk connections? Sit back and enjoy a performed anthology that takes a gentle tour in the company of writers native to the county, or who have been inspired by its many charms

The kettle will be on the hob at 12.30pm. And there will biscuits. Although admission is free, a retiring collection of £2.00 will be appreciated. This is to defray expenses incurred in hosting the series.

More details can be obtained from

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An added bonus (for anyone that likes them) – on the last Saturday of each month we share the venue with Kesgrave Scouts. And on the first Saturday, there is a more comprehensive country market in the main body of the hall.

Do come along to the Martlesham Country Market. You will be so pleased. Details in the box

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It may be infrequent but I think it's brilliant!

The drivers are friendly and go out of their way to be helpful. And the times are actually quite sensible: from Bealings and Playford you can travel into Ipswich around 8am and back soon after 5pm, which suits many workers and students. And on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays there are additional buses suitable for a morning's shopping. Culpho is on the route from Grundisburgh into Ipswich and has slightly more frequent buses.

What's more, you can travel happily in the knowledge that you're supporting a local service, that you aren't adding to traffic or pollution, and that you don't have to worry about parking when you get to town!

If you haven't used the bus in a while, why not give it a try? For times and routes the Traveline East Anglia website is great, or you can call Traveline on 0871 200 2233. Then just head to your nearest bus stop and stick out your arm! (Warning: some of the buses look like white vans, and you'll probably find yourself waving at several confused-looking builders and couriers before you get the right one. Look out for 'Norse' on the side!)

*Jess Fitch*

## READINGS AND LITURGICAL COLOURS - NOVEMBER

### 1<sup>st</sup> November

*OT Lesson* 8.00/10.00  
*NT Lesson* 10.00  
*Gospel* 8.00/10.00

### ALL SAINTS DAY

Isaiah 25.6-9 Gold/White  
 Revelation 21.1-6 RCL p. 731  
 John 11.32-44

### 8<sup>th</sup> November

*OT Lesson* 8.00  
*Gospel* 8.00  
*NT Lesson* 10.00  
*Gospel* 10.00

### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Jonah 3.1-5,10 Green/Red  
 Mark 1.14-20 RCL p. 739  
 1 Thessalonians 4.13-18  
 Matthew 5.1-12

### 15<sup>th</sup> November

*OT Lesson* 10.00/3.00  
*NT Lesson* 10.00  
*Gospel* 10.00/3.00

### 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

Daniel 12.1-3 Red/Green  
 Hebrews 10.11-25 RCL p.745  
 Mark 13.1-8

### 22<sup>nd</sup> November

*NT Lesson* 8.00  
*Gospel* 8.00  
 10.00

### CHRIST THE KING

Revelation 1.4-8 Red/White  
 John 18.33-37 RCL p.752  
 Selected Verses

### 29<sup>th</sup> November

10.00  
 12.00  
 6.30pm

### ADVENT SUNDAY

Selected Readings Colours may vary  
 Selected Readings/Verses  
 Selected Readings

### 6<sup>th</sup> December

*OT Lesson* 8.00/10.00  
*NT Lesson* 10.00  
*Gospel* 8.00/10.00

### 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Malachi 3.1-4 Purple  
 Philippians 1.3-11 RCL p.759  
 Luke 3.1-6

## FROM THE REGISTERS - SEPTEMBER

### BAPTISMS

5<sup>th</sup> September Joseph James Royle St Marys, Playford  
 5<sup>th</sup> September Maddison Elisabeth Blake St Marys, Playford

### FUNERAL

24<sup>th</sup> September Peggy Moore Ward All Saints, Little Bealings

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## BEALINGS

### PLANT SALE 2016

Our usual rallying cry, timed for a time of year when you are getting the garden ready for winter, and may be splitting plants, finding stray seedlings which could be potted, or rogue plants which might be of use to somebody else. Please don't just throw surplus plants on to the compost heap – it only takes a few seconds and a handful of compost to pot them and then be in a position to offer them for next year's sale. Most will survive the winter, and can be trimmed up before the actual sale.

What we would REALLY welcome is a prior commitment by a significant number of people to bringing along a modest number of plants next year. If we KNEW that 3 dozen people had committed to bringing along just a dozen or twenty plants to sell, then we would know that we would have at least 500 plants on the day, rather than just keeping our fingers tightly crossed that something will turn up – as it (happily, so far) usually does. If you do let organiser Norman Porter know that you are harbouring the intention to bring along some plants, then please email [nhp@rillcott.co.uk](mailto:nhp@rillcott.co.uk) and he will happily send out a reminder nearer the date of the Plant Sale, which next year is on **Saturday April 23rd**. Easter is at the end of March. We particularly welcome new growers, and contributions from people who have moved into our villages. It is a great way of getting involved.

If you haven't yet been to a Bealings Plant Sale then you've missed something special!

*Footnote:* Paddy Bills is having to scale down her involvement drastically, having committed much time and energy in recent years to ensuring the success of the Plant Sale. We owe her an enormous debt of thanks – and desperately need people to take up her various roles, on behalf of the Little Bealings PCC. She has always been particularly active on the publicity side of things, producing and distributing posters and flyers etc. Thank you Paddy, for all that you have done to ensure that the Plant Sale has survived and thrived – particularly during those years when it was held at the Manor House. We shall miss your input enormously.

### **GREAT BEALINGS - (and beyond) - WILDLIFE GROUP**

Although this group is based on Great Bealings we emphasise that it is very much open to everyone in our benefice – and indeed beyond. All who have an interest in the ecology, fauna and flora of this beautiful part of Suffolk are warmly encouraged to join in.

We had one meeting earlier this year, based on a talk given by John Midwinter about the sort of wildlife that people might expect to encounter in these parts. We now have provisionally lined up a talk entitled “*Creating a wood for*

*Wildlife*”. This illustrated talk will be given by Malcolm Key, who has spent the last 20 years doing precisely what the title suggests (near Debenham). We may not have many sites in Bealings that are as large as Malcolm's (22 acres), but Malcolm mentions all sorts of ideas which have encouraged wildlife and which might be deployed in more restricted areas. There are also some very fine images of animals, birds, tree and plants.

Given the progress of our Neighbourhood Plan, and the role that the local environment plays in this plan,

it seems to be important that more and more people take an interest in, and are involved in enjoying, preserving and enhancing the natural environment.

We have currently pencilled in two dates: Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March and Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – both at around 10.30 am in St Mary's Church. Public opinion might well nudge us towards confirmation of one or other of these dates, so please let me know if you would like to come along. (Norman Porter – [nhp@rillcott.co.uk](mailto:nhp@rillcott.co.uk) 01473 735565). *(See below for details of Malcolm's talk to Kyson Probus Club)*

### **KYSON PROBUS CLUB**

Kyson Probus Club met for its usual monthly meeting at 1230 on Mon 12 Oct 15 at the Ufford Park Hotel. After a convivial drink and lunch we heard a fascinating talk by Mr. Malcolm Key, who is leader of the RSPB Woodbridge Local Group and who on retirement from BT in 1996 bought some 22 acres of Suffolk countryside near Debenham in which to create a woodland habitat for birds and other wildlife. He described

how the site had previously been farmland. With no use of chemicals the first few years saw the soil become less artificially enriched which allowed it to revert to a more natural state. During this time more and more trees were planted, meadows sown with wild flower seeds and hedgerows coppiced. With a great deal of hard work and despite the ravages of caterpillars, rabbits and various diseases the site has matured to the point where some of the timber can be sold as part of the site's careful management to offset some of the costs. The woodland and meadows are now a diverse haven for birds, mammals, plants, insects and many naturally living things and will continue to develop and accommodate Nature's unpredictable ways for many years to come. It is a true oasis and our members were deeply impressed by the vision and commitment of Mr. Key. Overall, it was an extremely informative and enjoyable afternoon.

For information about the Kyson Probus Club, please call the secretary Mr. Ian McIvor on 01473 738866.

### **COMMUNITY LUNCHESES AT THE ANGELA COBBOLD HALL**

The next community lunch will be on Tuesday 3rd. November 12.30-1.30pm at the Angela Cobbold Hall. We shall be serving:

*"Bangers & Mash"  
(veggie option available)  
with onion gravy and vegetables,*

*baked apples and custard - ice cream*

*tea - coffee*

Christmas Community Lunch will be on Tuesday 8th. December (NB not 1<sup>st</sup> December) 12.30-1.30pm. We hope to serve Turkey with all the trimmings, followed by Christmas pudding etc.

For enquiries & bookings for either lunch, please call 01473 620213

## BEALINGS WI

Colourful bed covers brought by Mrs Jackie Maxwell to illustrate her talk on Canadian Red Cross Quilts made a cheerful display at Bealings W.I.'s October meeting.

These urgently needed comforts were made for war torn Britain in World War 2 and many bore labels "Gift of the Canadian Red Cross". They were given to families bombed out of their homes, evacuees and land girls and brought warmth and cheer to many.

Made in many designs and materials the tops were mostly machine sewn backed with plain cotton and wool lined. Many were beautifully hand quilted. Signature quilts give a record of community efforts.

Regular winter warmers to look forward to include Coffee Get – together mornings, rambles with pub lunches, reading group discussions and knit and stitch sessions to provide items for local neonatal units.

*Jennifer Cook*

## BYAT wants to "RAISE THE ROOF"

On Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>, BYAT's next production will take place at the Bealings Village Hall Theatre. This time it will be a Revue called "Raise the Roof" – a mix of excerpts from the musicals "Annie" – "Matilda" – "Sweet Charity" and Sondheim's "Follies", as well as a number of comedy scenes from Monty Python, Alan Bennett and also a famous small play by Alan Ayckbourn called "Gosforth's Fete", when a local village fete suffers the fate of mixed weather, human chaos and technical disruption ( sounds familiar ? ).

But why, you may ask, have we called it "Raise the Roof"? As part of BYAT's contribution to our 'supporting our community' policy, we are making this

production a fund raising event whereby we shall donate the total net profit of the production to the Little Bealings " All Saints Roof Appeal Fund " where serious money is needed to repair the roof in order to continue the life of this beautiful church.

Every little helps, so make a note in your diaries, come and enjoy a great evening of entertainment, help liquidate the licensed bar stock, so that we can achieve a good profit to give to the " Roof Appeal Fund ".

If you cannot come then why not make a donation by cheque payable to the "All Saints P.C.C. Fabric Fund". All Donations to be sent to: Fran Hopkins, Broom Bank, Sandy Lane. Little Bealings.

As I have mentioned, "Every sum really does help"

**Box Office is now open:**

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**Curtain up:**

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> - 7.30 p.m.

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> – 7.00.p.m.

**Tickets:**

Adults £6.00 - Under 13's - £3.00

Looking forward to seeing you

*Roger & Margaret Roseboom*  
01473 735153

## **FROM PAELLA WITH LOVE....**

**Bealings New Year's Eve Party**

**Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> December**

**7.30 for 8.00pm**

**007 James Bond - themed**

Please dress accordingly; the only limit is your imagination!

Join us for a music-filled party, Bar, Dancing, Cocktails and Paella meal

A glass of fizz at midnight  
children's films and Bond - themed fun

Tickets £14.00 per head, £7.00 5 -12yrs old, Family ticket £35.00 - 2 adults & 2 children

Tickets limited, so please book yours soon.

*Jenny*

*jennycoates433@hotmail.com*

## **BEALINGS VILLAGE HALL**

### **QUIZ NIGHT**

**Quiz Master Extraordinaire  
- Chris Mason**

**Saturday 21st November  
7.00 pm for 7.30 pm start**

Teams of 6 - £8 per ticket

Bar Food Raffle

Tickets available from  
Malcolm Watson 610169  
Jenny Coates (Shaw) 621857  
Margaret Wilson 625227

Please contact Margaret Wilson if you have a prize to donate for the raffle

*All profits go to the maintenance of the village hall and playing-field*

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## **GREAT BEALINGS**

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### **ST MARY'S**

The church is back in use. Thankful cheers combined with sighs of relief. The North wall and window are now secure. Most of the internal redecoration is complete, and, thanks to willing helpers, everything has been cleaned up and is in pristine order. The smell of polish was in the air. Our Harvest Festival on October 4<sup>th</sup> was indeed, and perhaps fittingly, the first service of the post-redecoration era. £40000 has been spent, and the disbursement of those funds keenly monitored by our Treasurer, Adrian Melrose, and Charles Barrington, who has also been astutely monitoring the building processes to ensure that everything is done that should be done. The flag will proudly proclaim the completion of what has been a very long period of uncertainty.

### **LOOKING BACK**

#### **HARVEST FESTIVAL WEEK-END**

The Autumn Working Party and the actual Harvest Festival Service dovetailed neatly this year. Some 20 helpers turned up on the Saturday morning, armed with an array of implements, and completely cleaned up the churchyard, as well as hacking down a dead hawthorn tree, and digging a drainage trench at the base of the south wall. The efforts of those working outside were very much complemented by a dedicated team working inside, dusting and polishing, as well as bringing in the Harvest Festival flower arrangements.

Gary Farmer, one of the workers, also deployed his photographic skills to capture the event on camera. One of his pictures subsequently appeared in the EADT, pictorial evidence of the morning's endeavours, with the workers gathered in non-inflammable proximity to a roaring bonfire.

Our sincere thanks to all who turned up to help towards a very productive morning, rounded off, as ever, by a ploughman's lunch. We could coin a new word – ploughwomen – not least because some of the participants assured me that they enjoyed pork pies as much as the men.



On the following day some 40 people attended our Harvest Festival Service. The flowers looked wonderful. All our favourite harvest hymns were sung. After the service refreshments were enjoyed and animated conversations shared by the many who remained behind. Thanks to Denise and Margaret for helping out with serving the refreshments.

It was good to be back on home territory and for our services to be back in full swing.

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
**SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER**

**–REMEMBRANCE SERVICE**

This year's Benefice Remembrance Service is being held in St Mary's church, and all who honour and respect this poignant occasion are invited to join us.

**SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER:** The Order of Service for this special occasion is now almost complete, and invitations to join us are being sent out to people who have been associated with our recent building works and redecoration. The main focus of the occasion will, of course, be **Thomas Seckford**, and a narrative will aim to help the congregation empathise with the mind-set of those living at the time of Thomas

in the all-too-often turbulent 16<sup>th</sup> century. We will also be celebrating the completion of the building works, hopefully alongside some of the people who have been involved in them. We shall be paying full tribute to all our benefactors during this service.

*Churchwarden*

**FRIENDS OF**  
**GREAT BEALINGS CHURCH**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup> – SECKFORD HALL DINNER.**

Commemoration of the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the birth of Thomas Seckford.

Preparations for this event are now well advanced and we have good support for the occasion. Numbers need to be finalized by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November, so if you have been putting off confirming that you can join us, please do so by this date. Contact Norman Porter 01473 735565 [nhp@rillcott.co.uk](mailto:nhp@rillcott.co.uk)

A reminder that timings are:

6.45 Reception

7.15 Illustrated talk on the Seckfords by Mark Mitchels

8.00 Dinner - to be followed by a raffle  
Dress is smart casual – sort of jacket and tie(ish)

A special souvenir programme will be available on the night.

**SPECIAL SECKFORD SERVICE - SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER**

A final reminder that celebration of the completion of the current phase of church works will now be part of the Seckford Service on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> November. We will be paying tribute to ALL our benefactors on this occasion, including, of course, The Friends of the Church. There will be sparkling refreshments at the conclusion of the service.

**MAD HATTERS' TEA PARTY - SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER - 2.00 pm – 5.00pm**

You are invited to a party! Please come and join in the fun, by making a hat,



playing games, buying home made goodies or simply having afternoon tea. Hat-making and games will start at 2 o'clock, with tea being served from 3pm. If you are able to help in any way, either during the afternoon, or in advance by providing craft materials, cakes or other home made items to sell, Laura Keer and Sue Prentice would be delighted to hear from you. Contact: 738312 or [sueprentice@btinternet.com](mailto:sueprentice@btinternet.com)

Place: Angela Cobbold Hall

### **VILLAGE CAROL SINGING**

It is likely that there will once again be Carol Singing around the village, in aid of a local Charity, sometime in the run-up to Christmas – date to be confirmed, but possibly Friday December 18th.

*The Friends*

### **LET THERE BE LIGHT**

1 light only in October, thanks to Charles Barrington to celebrate the re-opening of our church after completion of its refurbishment.

Apart from that " Nil " points, somewhat like Ipswich Town FC. ?

Please try a bit harder and tel: 01473 735153.

### **PARISH COUNCIL**

The following notes were omitted in error from the October Newsletter. The latest positions on some items have been added to the original notes

Summarised Notes Of The Parish Council Meeting Held On 1<sup>st</sup> September

#### **MATTERS ARISING**

◆War Memorial – Charles Barrington has been in touch with the contractors and will pursue them for a quotation for the repair of the plinth.

◆East Anglia Three Wind Farm – Following the comments sent regarding the consultation document, the Clerk has asked for an acknowledgement and anticipated date of response.

*A reply has now been received and will be discussed at the meeting on 29<sup>th</sup>*

*October.*

◆Registration of Community Asset – the consultation period ended on 15<sup>th</sup> September.

*We have since been told by SCDC that our application has been rejected due to the fact that the land in question has never been subject to public use. The Parish Council is considering an appeal*

#### **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN**

The draft NP had been circulated to all Councillors and following discussion it was RESOLVED that The Plan should be taken to the next stage, as set out below, followed by subsequent formal submission to SCDC. The tasks that now need completing are as follows:

◆Finalise drafting

◆Consult with owners of Non-Designated Heritage Assets and prepare a list of FAQs for them

◆*Now completed*

◆Organise public meeting for first week in October *The meeting took place on 15<sup>th</sup> October having been advertised via the benefice email system and also through an insert in the last Benefice Newsletter*

◆Arrange pre-submission meeting with SCDC *This took place on 16<sup>th</sup> October and will be actioned in terms of the amendments recommended by them*

The current draft plan is accessible on the website, but anyone who does not have internet access can request a printed copy. It was further RESOLVED that if anything material emerges from the next steps, there will be a need to convene a special PC meeting for a further decision. The Chairman expressed his appreciation to all the members of the NPWG for their significant contribution. Councillors also thanked the Chairman for the enormous amount of work he has personally undertaken to get the Plan to this stage.

#### **REPORT BY DISTRICT COUNCILLOR COLIN HEDGLEY**

Cllr Hedgley reported that:

◆ SCC has ceased making any financial contribution to District Councils for the use of the brown recycling bins. SCDC have yet to make a decision as to whether to retain them, since if they do so they will have to absorb the full cost.

◆ There is a deadline of 14<sup>th</sup> September for SCC and SCDC to finalise a plan for devolution of some powers and duties to District/Town/Parish Councils.

◆ SCDC are going to re-examine the possibility of creating any sites for travellers.

◆ The renovated Felixstowe Seafront Gardens were officially opened last week.

#### **POLICE REPORT**

The police report for July showed there had been one crime in Great Bealings – for assault.

#### **IPSWICH GARDEN SUBURB**

##### **– TRAFFIC IMPACT**

Colin Hedgley reported that a letter had been sent on behalf of the four parish councils to the Cabinet Member for Highways and Transport at SCC, and copied to Dr Dan Poulter MP, who has expressed concern about this matter, and replies have been received from both.

#### **PLANNING**

**DC/15/2322/FUL – Creation of new private access drive to serve plot 1 and associated change of use to residential curtilage – Land near Woodbarn Cottages, off Seckford Hall Rd, Great Bealings** - It was **RESOLVED** to object to this proposal on several grounds.

**DC/15/3274/FUL – Siting of two mobile homes adjacent to Fynn Bridge Barn for a limited period whilst barn conversion work carried out – Fynn Bridge Barn, The Street, Little Bealings** - Councillors were advised that the previous application had been withdrawn and this was for a slightly different location on the site. It was **RESOLVED** that the PC has no objection to this application, subject however to the same conditions as were previously agreed.

#### **HIGHWAYS**

Following the letter which had been sent to SCC, a response has been received from the Area Engineer outlining future plans for the areas highlighted.

#### **RIVER LARK EMBANKMENT**

Following concern expressed by a number of residents over changes being made by a householder to the embankment of the River Lark, the Clerk had sent a letter on 24<sup>th</sup> August from the PC to the Environment Agency (EA). The owners of the property were present at the meeting and they advised Councillors that the EA have inspected the works and will report back to them in two weeks. They also reassured the Council that they are quite prepared to rectify any work which is found to have been carried out incorrectly. The Chairman thanked them for attending the meeting and asked them to contact Colin Hedgley once they have received the report from the EA.

#### **EMERGENCY PLANNING**

Colin Hedgley has made enquiries to SCDC and there is a web site for this plus they have an Emergency Planning Officer who would help. Councillors agreed that Gt Bealings should have an Emergency Plan and Anthony Shepherd volunteered to take on this project.

#### **FINANCE**

Seven cheques were authorized, including Data Protection Fee, Election Fee and Clerk's salary and office expenses. The Clerk informed Councillors that Adrian Melrose has volunteered to perform the internal audit of the annual accounts. This news was welcomed. The Bank Reconciliation was noted and approved.

#### **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

**Broadband Roll-Out** – Charles Barrington outlined to Councillors the 'Better Broadband for Suffolk' scheme by which it is possible for local businesses to apply for vouchers which can be submitted to BT to co-fund better broadband installation. It would be

necessary for there to be a co-ordinator to open discussions with the scheme organisers.

*Phil Holmes has kindly agreed to follow up and recommend what steps can be taken*

#### **DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS**

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October at 7.00pm

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2015 at 7.00p.m. – NB. Change of date from 10<sup>th</sup> November

The public are welcome to attend any Parish Council meeting and may speak for a maximum of 3 minutes on any item on the Agenda at the beginning of that item. Full draft minutes and approved minutes of the Parish Council are available on the Council's website

*Dee Knights – Clerk 01473 624240*

*Email:greatbealingspc@hotmail.co.uk*

*Website: www.greatbealings.co.uk*

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## **LITTLE BEALINGS**

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### **MINI ART SALE**

In mid October we held a Mini Art Sale in the church. We had been donated a variety of paintings and prints along with some interesting books and with some local craft we invited anyone to come and browse, buy and enjoy a cup of coffee and scone. Peter Carr was in house all day with a demonstration of his spinning and he provided hand knits of hats and scarves to buy, made from his spun wool. Very popular for the winter months ahead! A display of walking sticks was provided by Eric. Many thanks to both Peter and Eric and to those who helped with setting and clearing up on the day. Unsold books are being donated to the Oxfam book shop and the paintings have gone into store for the time being. A total of £287 was taken which will go to the Raise the Church Roof Fund.

### **FORTHCOMING SERVICES**

#### **REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

##### **8<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

The Benefice Thanksgiving Service of Remembrance will take place at Great Bealings church this year at 10.00am and the Act of Remembrance with the reading of the

names of the fallen and the laying of wreaths will be at Great Bealings War Memorial at 11.00am. The names of the fallen from Little Bealings will be read and a wreath on behalf of our villagers will be laid. This wreath will then be taken to Little Bealings War Memorial in our churchyard. Everyone is very welcome to come to both or one of the services at Great Bealings on Remembrance Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>.

#### **CAROL SERVICE**

##### **TUESDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> DECEMBER**

Our carols this year will be on Tuesday December 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6.00pm just three days before Christmas day so they really will be right there to make a great start to the festivities. To bring us all good cheer we will be handing out the mulled wine and mince pies after the last carol.

#### **CHRISTMAS DAY**

##### **FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**

All Saints hosts the very special Christmas Day service this year, which is a Family Communion service at 10.00am and we hope you will all want to come,

Time to get all these dates in your diary, so you don't miss out!

*Paddy Bills:  
Churchwarden*



# All Saints Church

— Little Bealings —

Visit our new website for all the news, photos, events and information  
[www.littlebealingschurch.org](http://www.littlebealingschurch.org)

To make a donation to the 'Raising the Roof' Appeal  
or for the upkeep of the church please go to  
[www.justgiving.com/littlebealings](http://www.justgiving.com/littlebealings)

Or

Simply text your donation to  
**RTRA10**

## LITTLE BEALINGS COOKERY BOOK

In 1996 a village cookery book was published to celebrate the 700th Anniversary of the founding of All Saints Church.

We are planning to update and augment the original book with extra contributions. All profits will be added to funds for repair of the Church roof.

Thank-you to those who have already contributed.

Recipes old and new, family favourites, children's recipes and handy hints will be gratefully received!!

If anyone can sponsor or contribute to printing cost etc. or help in any other way, please contact 01473 620214  
[diana.carr01@btinternet.com](mailto:diana.carr01@btinternet.com)

## LET THERE BE LIGHT

Mrs. Peggy Ward was fondly remembered by her family after her funeral on 25th. September by lighting All Saints on 26th.

Marilyn Rodriguez, now living in America, asked for lights to shine in loving memory of Harold V. Cable, her father, on his birthday, 4th. October.

On 15th. October Joan Moon asked for the lights to shine as she remembered a dear friend Gwen in Western Australia.

To light the lights please contact the "Lampighter" Peter Carr 01473 620213. A donation of £5 will light up All Saints for 2 hours on an evening of your choice.

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## PLAYFORD

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### ST MARY'S HARVEST TEA

It was good to see so many people attend the Harvest Tea and a great time was had by all. My thanks to all those that helped out no matter how minor you thought your input. From cake and sandwich makers to all those that cleared up afterwards. To tea pourers and child entertainers and the raffle

helpers and raffle givers. The list is endless. If you helped in any way, thank you.

But mostly thank you to Astrid who did all the co-ordinating, organising, cajoling and leading. Without you, Astrid, it would not have happened. No need to have worried Astrid, it went alright on the night!

### **THUNDERBOX CHAPTER 32.**

What a fantastic two weeks! The stench trench has been built. A large hole has been drilled through the concrete floor (for those that visit the Middle East often) and the main structure is now installed. The carpenter has gone away to design and manufacture a disabled door. No, I mean a door for disabled access. All the materials have been ordered and are trickling their way through the logistics supply line. The water main has been run.

I have reluctantly agreed, after much soul searching, to a heater being installed. As I remarked to the builder, I do not want people getting too comfy in there. I do not want to see queues outside five minutes before start of services. Be warned, if people start to linger too long – I shall remove the heater. It's up to all of us to be responsible loo users.

But it is very exciting to think that by the end of this month the long wait could be over.

(I must get an outdoor hobby).

### **BINKY AND CO.**

The Baptism celebrations were a riot. The vicar, Daisy, had decreed that after the service there would be no tea and biscuits because everyone had been invited to the shindig at the village hall. Mrs Stickleback was in her element. Like a galleon in full sail she cruised around the assembly of the great and the good offering her speciality mackerel sandwiches ("only the best my dear, John West's"). As ever Mrs Bechuana had made the most divine, or so she said, Victoria sponge, a lot of which found its way into gentlemen's jacket pockets "for later". There were a few dogs that were very grateful on their owners return.

Professor Speedwell did put the mockers on the whole afternoon by pointing out that the initials of the child's

name spelt THIS. (Please see previous mag for a complete understanding). That, he said, was most unfortunate because the poor child would be totally confused when people said "What's this?" or "Who did this?" Regretfully as the poor child's life unfolded it became increasingly clear that the professor was right. Schooldays were hell.

But this was Binky's day. He had a son. An heir to the Stickleback fortune. This in the main consisted of £90 of premium bonds and a 25% share in a Southwold beach hut. Not to be sniffed at now, but then, well, what can I say?

Binky's speech was a tad too long by about an hour. But it did give the guests a chance to refresh their glasses on numerous occasions and to be fair there was nothing much wrong with Binky's home-made apple and beetroot wine. Well not after two glasses. Strangely, the next day, the national GDP went down by .01% as anyone who attended 'Binky's Bash' did not go to work.

It wasn't until the festivities were starting to run down that anyone noticed that the vicar was not present. Had they not been so keen for a 'drop of beetroot' after the baptism they would have noticed that Daisy remained in a crumpled heap at the base of the font holding on gamely to a scallop shell and an old brass ewer.

As she came round she was aware of someone bending over her and holding her in very strong arms. "Hello" came this rich baritone voice. "My name is Aiden, how are you feeling?" She looked up into two dark brown, watery eyes and a smile of deep but genuine concern.

Daisy fainted.

*Colin Hedgley  
Churchwarden*

## W.I.

Our 92<sup>nd</sup> birthday meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> October was a great success and our speaker Wendy Shotton brought along a suitcase full of her wonderful pieces of antique lace, to show us examples of how lace was used in bygone days. We finished with a birthday cake made by Liz Royle which was delicious.

Our next monthly meeting on 3<sup>rd</sup> November is our AGM. As usual anyone interested is welcome to come along to hear what our little WI has achieved and enjoyed over the past year.

**Please note** that if you intend to join us at our 1<sup>st</sup>.December meeting this will now be held at lunchtime instead of the usual evening slot as we are holding a craft session from 12 noon onwards. This involves making a fruit Xmas tree and folding napkins, time permitting. The meeting will cost £5 per head including a light lunch and tea/coffee. We will be inviting guests to join us and if you are or are not a member we would be pleased to see you but need

to know numbers. If you would like to come along then please ring Liz Royle (622443) or Sue Bruce (738265)

*Sue Bruce  
Secretary*

## CHURCH LIGHTS

16<sup>th</sup> October - sponsored for Wendy Wilson by her family. Wishing Mum/Wendy a very Happy 'Special' Birthday with love from Ashley, Lisa, Justin and Brian

21<sup>st</sup> October - sponsored by Tricia Laws in memory of her late Mother, Violet Price, on this her birthday. A wonderful Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother.

Requests to sponsor lights to: Veronica Bunbury, Church Corner Cottage. Tel: 01473 623366.

Last minute requests are not normally a problem but to avoid disappointment please ensure that Veronica is at home and be aware that short notice requests via email or telephone answer machine will not necessarily be picked up in time

## TAKE PRIDE IN YOUR VILLAGE - WE NEED YOU



*Playford Parish Council is organising a*  
**'Litter Pick'**

**Saturday November 7th**  
**10.00 am - 12.30 pm**

Please help us to keep the village verges free of litter by giving up a small amount of time to care for your community. Equipment will be provided.

Refreshments will be available

**Please join us – 10.00 am onwards at the Parish Hall**

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## CULPHO

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### **ST. BOTOLPH'S**

#### **P.C.C. MEETING**

**HELD 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2015**

The following matters were decided:-

◆Maintenance of the Churchyard to take place before the winter sets in with attention being given to the grassed areas and hedges surrounding the Church.

◆A new Information Board – additional to the existing Parish Notice board – has been approved to display details of the Priest in Charge, the Assistant Curate and times of Church Services commencing 2016.

#### **CHANGES TO CHURCH SERVICES**

P.C.C. members approved changes to services with effect from January, 2016.

◆Holy Communion will be held at 9.30 a.m. on the Third Wednesday of each month with Evensong celebrated at 3 p.m. on the Third Sunday.

◆Specific particulars will appear in the December issue of the Benefice Magazine and if you are able to join us you will be assured of a warm welcome.

#### **CHURCH FLOWERS**

Throughout the year Church members, residents and friends kindly provide flowers for display in the Church. If you would like to be included in the roster for 2016 a call to Shirley Grey on telephone 01473 735594, who co-ordinates the flower list, is all that is needed. Your commitment would be for one occasion during the year to coincide with services. If you are able to help your support would be very much appreciated.

*Margaret Gornall*  
*Secretary*

## **NEW TO THE VILLAGE?**

**Great Bealings:** For a Welcome Leaflet please contact  
Norman Porter on 735565 or [nhp@rillcott.co.uk](mailto:nhp@rillcott.co.uk)

**Little Bealings:** Please see the parish website for information:  
[www.littlebealings.onesuffolk.net](http://www.littlebealings.onesuffolk.net)

**Playford:** A Welcome Leaflet can be obtained from Mrs Veronica Bunbury  
at Church Corner Cottage, Church Lane, Playford. For more  
Information please see the parish website: [www.playford.org.uk](http://www.playford.org.uk)

## **GOOD NEIGHBOUR SCHEME** - Services for those with Mobility Problems

This local Scheme is now up and running. If you need help with things like:

- lifts especially to doctors' surgeries and hospital appointments
- getting prescriptions
- minor domestic repairs, such as checking smoke alarms and changing light bulbs
- short term help with pets

phone 01473 857796 and leave a message – someone will call you back.

For those who need regular transport, the Coastal Accessible Transport Service is a charity which provides lifts. Tel 01728 830516 for details.

## **BEALINGS AND PLAYFORD NEWSGROUP**

An e-newsgroup operates for residents of Great and Little Bealings, Playford and Culpho. If you would like to receive emails about local events and items of interest from the Parish Councils and other groups, please send your email address to: [bealingsplayfordnews@googlemail.com](mailto:bealingsplayfordnews@googlemail.com)

Please say which village you live in so that you can receive the most appropriate information. Your email address will not be shared with others. The newsgroup can also be used to send information that residents would like distributed. BUT-please note that the newsgroup does not distribute any information involving commercial ventures or for the sale of goods and services, other than for charitable fund raising relevant to the parishes.

## **LOCAL CRIME INFORMATION**

The Police Direct scheme sends phone messages/texts/emails with the latest information on local crime, warnings about bogus callers, crime reduction advice and updates from the Safer Neighbourhood Team. Sign up at <http://www.suffolk.police.uk/Services/Police+Direct/Welcome+to+police+direct.htm> or phone 01473 613500.

Report Anti-Social Behaviour to SCC call 08456 034715

## **NEED TO REPORT A PROBLEM?**

**Road repairs and Maintenance** – potholes, overhanging vegetation, signs, flooding, verge cutting etc – contact the County Council on their customer service number: 0845 606 6067 or email: [customerservice@csduk.com](mailto:customerservice@csduk.com)

In an emergency contact the police.

**Public Rights of Way Footpath problems** can be reported to the County Council East Area office at the same customer service number or via a 'public rights of way report a problem' form available at:

<https://www.csduk.com/CSD/Transportandstreets/Public+Rights+of+Way>

**Fly Tipping and Litter:** Contact Suffolk Coastal Services on 01394 444000 or email [scsLtd@suffolkcoastal.gov.uk](mailto:scsLtd@suffolkcoastal.gov.uk).



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## ACTIVITIES/SERVICES

### BEALINGS

**VH: Village Hall**

**ACH: Angela Cobbold Hall**

AGE UK	Village Representative	Jenny Shaw 07962087205
ANGELA COBBOLD HALL BOOKING		Vicki Carr 620213
BADMINTON	VH Thu 7.30	Martin Yates 07710187722
BALLROOM DANCING	VH First 3 Tue 7.30	Teresa Rudd 07929310480
BENEFICE CHOIR	Fri 7.30	Gill Peck 625077
CARPET BOWLS	VH Tue 1.30/Wed 7.00	Nigel Abbott 611005
DANCE CLASS	VH Tue 9.30 am Fri 9.30 am	Debbie Watkins-Jones 403513
FRESH FISH	Thu am Little Bealings top road: noon Playford: p.m. Great Bealings	Catherine 07971970836
GUIDES	ACH Tue 6.30 - 8.30	Jo Slim 01394 448846
JOHN BELSTEAD SPORTS COURT		<a href="http://bealings.ibooka.com/">http://bealings.ibooka.com/</a>
	VH	Or via Volunteer Administrator 07925 181390
KEEP FIT	VH Thu 10.00	Joyce Bradley 726392
LIBRARY	Thu (every 4 weeks) 2.15 – 2.30 mobile library at Boot St, Great Bealings 2.35-3.00 at Admiral's Head, Little Bealings	07809594685
PILATES	ACH Wed & Fri am	Dawn Maile 07876506327
REMOTE CONTROL TOYS	ACH Bookable	Vicki Carr 620213
SNOOKER	VH Any day <4 hours	Margaret Wilson 07769195132
TABLETENNIS	ACH Bookable	Vicki Carr 620213
VILLAGE HALL BOOKING		Margaret Wilson 07769195132
WI	VH Thu (3rd in month)	2.30 Oct - Mar 7.30 Apr - Sep Jennifer Cook 623985
WOLSEY MINIATURES	VH Tue (4th in month) 7.30	Tricia Pitcher 624580

### PLAYFORD

**PH: Parish Hall**

AGE UK	Village Representative	Astrid Llewellyn 610635
ART CLUB	PH Thu 10	Mary Spillett 01394 385295
FRESH FISH	Thu am Little Bealings top road: noon Playford: p.m. Great Bealings	Catherine 07971970836
FOOT CLINIC	PH Fri (every 8 weeks)	Astrid Llewellyn 610635
LIBRARY	Thu (every 4 weeks) 1.50 – 2.05 mobile library at phone box	07809594685
MILK	Tue, Thu, Sat Mon, Wed Fri	Dairy Crest 747272 Co-op Dairies
NEWSPAPERS		Grange News 01394 384082
PARISH HALL BOOKING	Book on line: <a href="mailto:bookings.playfordvillagehall@gmail.com">bookings.playfordvillagehall@gmail.com</a> or contact via voicemail 01473 487215	
PILATES	PH Wed 7.30 - 8.15	Julie Gorevan on 07702 883245
TODDLERS	PH Fri 9.30 toddler group	
WHIST DRIVE	PH Tues (4th in month ) 2.00 pm	Astrid Llewellyn 610635
WI	PH Tue (1st in month) 7.30 pm	Sue Bruce 738265
YOGA	PH Tue 9.30	Astrid Llewellyn 610635

## DECEMBER-JANUARY NEWSLETTER

Contributions for the December-January Newsletter should be submitted by:

**5.00 pm Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November**

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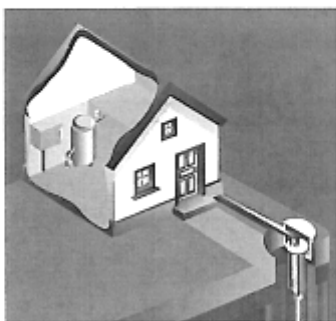
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<b>SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup></b>		<b>ALL SAINTS DAY</b>	
	8.00	Holy Communion – said	<b>Playford</b>
	10.00	Holy Communion	<b>Little Bealings</b>
<b>MONDAY 2<sup>nd</sup></b>		<b>ALL SOULS DAY</b>	
	7.30 pm	Remembering the Loved	<b>Playford</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY 4<sup>th</sup></b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion – said	<b>Culpho</b>
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<b>SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY</b>	
	8.00	Holy Communion -said	<b>Little Bealings</b>
	10.00	Remembrance	<b>Great Bealings</b>
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<b>SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT</b>	
	10.00	Holy Communion -said	<b>Playford</b>
	3.00 pm	Evensong	<b>Culpho</b>
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<b>SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup></b>		<b>CHRIST THE KING</b>	
	8.00	Holy Communion -said	<b>Playford</b>
	10.00	Stir-up Sunday Workshop	<b>Little Bealings</b>
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<b>SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>ADVENT SUNDAY</b>	
	10.00	Seckford Thanksgiving	<b>Great Bealings</b>
	12.00 pm	Baptism	<b>Great Bealings</b>
	12.00 pm	Posada	<b>Playford</b>
	6.30 pm	Christingle	<b>Little Bealings</b>
December			
<b>WEDNESDAY 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	9.30am	Holy Communion – said	<b>Culpho</b>
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<b>SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	
	8.00	Holy Communion - said	<b>Great Bealings</b>
	10.00	Holy Communion	<b>Little Bealings</b>