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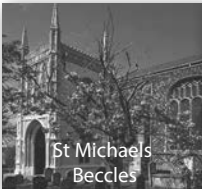
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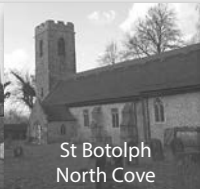
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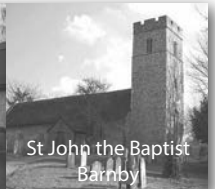
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Karen

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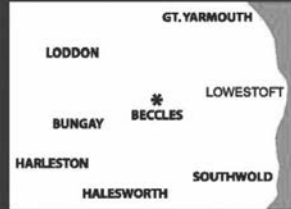
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December 5 th		2 nd Sunday of Advent	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev Mark Bee
Beccles St Lukes	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev Phil Cudmore
North Cove	10.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
Beccles St Michaels	11.00 am	FEAST	Rev Phil Cudmore, Doreen Page & Keith
Beccles St Michaels	3.30 pm	Service of Remembrance with Rosedale Staff Team	
On Zoom	5.00 pm	STILL	Rev Canon Susannah Izzard & Paul Lawrence
December 12 th		3 rd Sunday of Advent	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev Paul Nelson
Beccles St Lukes	9.30 am	Christingle	Rev Canon Rich Henderson, Ellie & Hayley
Beccles St Michaels	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Bishop Gavin Reid
December 19 th		4 th Sunday of Advent	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
Beccles St Lukes	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev Phil Cudmore
Beccles St Michaels	11.00 am	Morning Worship	Faith Darch
Worlingham	3.00 pm	Christingle	Rev Canon Rich Henderson & Doreen Page
Beccles St Lukes	5.00 pm	STILL	Rev Canon Susannah Izzard & Paul Lawrence
Beccles St Michaels	6.00 pm	Carol Service	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
Tuesday 21 st December			
North Cove	7.00 pm	Carol Service	Rev Canon Rich Henderson Rev Phil Cudmore
Wednesday 22 nd December			
Beccles St Lukes	7.00 pm	Carol Service	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
December 24 th		Christmas Eve	
Beccles St Michaels	4.00 pm	Crib Service	Rev Canon Rich Henderson & Ministry Team
Worlingham	6.00 pm	Carols and Crib Service	Rev Canon Rich Henderson & Ministry Team
North Cove	11.30 pm	Midnight Communion	Rev Mark Bee
Beccles St Michaels	11.30 pm	Midnight Communion	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
December 25 th		Christmas Day	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion	Rev Mark Bee
Beccles St Lukes	9.30 am	Christmas Communion	Rev Canon Rich Henderson Doreen Page

Worlingham	10.30 am	Christmas Communion	Rev Phil Cudmore
Beccles St Michaels	11.00 am	Christmas Communion	Rev Canon Rich Henderson
			Faith Darch

December 26 th		1 st Sunday of Christmas	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev Canon Rich Henderson

January 2 nd		Epiphany	
Beccles St Michaels	9.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev Paul Nelson
Beccles St Lukes	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev Ron Tuck
North Cove	10.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev Phil Cudmore
Beccles St Michaels	11.00 am	FEAST	Faith & Barry Darch & Felicity
Zoom	5.00 pm	STILL	Rev Canon Susannah Izzard & Paul Lawrence

MID WEEK AND SPECIAL SERVICES



Every Monday

Beccles St Michaels	8.30 am	Morning Prayer
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Every Tuesday

Beccles St Michaels	8.30 am	Morning Prayer
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Every Tuesday – Except December 28th

Worlingham	10.00 am	Holy Communion
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Every Wednesday

Beccles St Lukes	8.30 am	Morning Prayer
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Every Thursday

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Emily May WHITMORE	31 st December 1993
Robert Allen WRIGHT	20 th December 1995
Lily Maria FARROW	19 th December 1996
Leonard Edgar STREET	1 st December 1998
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At the heart of the Christmas story is the greatest gift given to each of us. For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16 (NLT)

God loves you so much that he sent Jesus on a mission of love with a message of love.

Christmas is a yearly reminder that God loves you. The Bible says God is love. It doesn't say God has love; it says God is love. Love is his nature – God is love.

When the baby Jesus grows into a man, he will stretch his arms out as wide as the cross, saying, "I love you this much!"

May you know God's love for you this Christmas.

There is a warm welcome awaiting you at across the whole parish this Christmas.

Do join us and find out more about God's love through Jesus Christ.

Canon Rich Henderson *Rector*



A Christmas prayer

Let the love that shaped earth and heaven

Dwell within us this Christmas.

Let the love that created humanity

Dwell within us this Christmas.

Let the love that overcomes suffering and hatred

Dwell within us this Christmas.

Let the love that causes us to rejoice with loved ones

Dwell within us this Christmas.

Let the love that forgives and renews

Dwell within us this Christmas.

Let the love that brings the blessing of peace

Dwell within us this Christmas.

May we share that peace with all people near and far.

Amen.

Christingles across the parish

We are holding two Christingle services across the parish for all-ages.

Sunday 12th December
9.30am at St Luke's Beccles

Sunday 19th December 3pm
at All Saints Worlingham

We will be reflecting on
the light of Christ
and supporting
the work of the
Children's Society



Sabbatical /Study Leave

The Rector will be on Sabbatical /Study Leave from 28th December until 26th March. If you have an urgent pastoral need during this time, please contact other ministry

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CHRISTMAS SERVICES



SUNDAY 12TH DECEMBER

9.30am - ST LUKES BECCLES - Christingle

SUNDAY 19TH DECEMBER

3.00pm - WORLINGHAM - Christingle

6.00pm - ST MICHAELS BECCLES - Carol Service

TUESDAY 21ST DECEMBER

7.00pm - NORTH COVE – Carol Service

WEDNESDAY 22ND DECEMBER

7.00pm - ST LUKES BECCLES – Carol Service

FRIDAY 24TH DECEMBER – CHRISTMAS EVE

4.00pm - ST MICHAEL'S BECCLES – Crib Service

6.00pm - WORLINGHAM – Carols & Crib Service

11.30pm - ST MICHAEL'S BECCLES – Midnight Communion

11.30pm - NORTH COVE – Midnight Communion

SATURDAY 25TH DECEMBER – CHRISTMAS DAY

9.00am - ST MICHAEL'S BECCLES - Holy Communion

9.30am - ST LUKES BECCLES - Christmas Communion

10.30am - WORLINGHAM – Christmas Communion

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have been able to swim once again, and Reverend Rich and the Open the Book Team from the diocese have been able to deliver assemblies for our children once again.

That is not to say that we have been unaffected by the ongoing pandemic - at the time of writing we have had to re-bubble a class, and have had to follow the guidance from Suffolk Public Health which has seen a reintroduction of staff wearing face masks in central areas and a restriction of the visitors we are able to have in school. We are currently a little uncertain how this will affect our Christmas productions, but we are planning to still have them even if the audiences will be just the staff and children in the school.

This year we have launched our reviewed curriculum and new 'school vision' which has identified the key values of 'Community', 'Responsibility', 'Endeavour', 'Confidence', 'Curiosity' and 'Grace' we hold as a school and an unerring ambition for all children to have 'Massive Minds, Huge Hearts, Guided by God'. Please do visit our school website if you would like to find out more.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year. I hope you all enjoy the time with friends and families - all the more special this year after our restricted festivities last year.

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Please keep dogs on a lead at all times in the churchyard and clear up after them.

Canon Rich Henderson Rector

New memorial seat installed in Worlingham
by the parish council



NORTH COVE & BARNBY NEWS



North Cove Nature Reserve

Cutting and clearing the wildflower meadow is always a major job at North Cove nature reserve. It is important that hay is cleared as leaving it would effectively fertilise the soil, which is not good for the wild flowers we wish to encourage.

Thus towards the end of August and throughout September, the volunteers were kept busy haymaking with much of the work done with traditional scythes - so much more user-friendly than using noisy

mowers. Two of our guys attended a scything course so that they could impart the info gained to other members of the team. Several areas in the meadow were left uncut to increase diversity of the plantlife.

We then moved onto the far meadow with considerable help from the landowner, Ben, and his Man Friday Sean along with his small tractor, which made life easier. We now have many good piles of hay which we'll put on the paths to make a more pleasurable walk for the visitors.

The work is all carried out by volunteers from what was Beccles Bird Society but in order to reflect the diversity of our natural history interest, has now been renamed Beccles Wildlife Group. Several new volunteers have come along to help on the reserve and since joined the group.

Nest box surveys were carried out throughout the spring and early summer with some ringing of the chicks completed thanks to help from Adham from the British Trust for Ornithology.

It was perhaps surprising that the new woodcrete boxes were, percentage-wise, much more successful than the traditional wooden boxes, some of which were quite damp and, I guess, not so popular. Because of this and to save much time and effort in maintaining the wooden boxes, we would like to change all the blue and great tit boxes over to woodcrete boxes.

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North Cove & Barnby WI



The members of North Cove & Barnby WI would like to wish everybody

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Our WI meets on the second Tuesday of each month at Fortrey Heap Hall and new members are always welcome.

If you would like to know more about joining our WI please contact Sue on Telephone number 01502 710067

<http://northcovebarnbywi.weebly.com>

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BECCLES NEWS

October 1st - 31st 2021

Rainfall	79.6mm	(122mm Oct 2020)
Wettest day	14.2mm	(5 th Oct)
Highest Temperature	17.9 C	(9 th Oct)
Lowest Temperature	4.6 C	(13 th Oct)
Mean Temperature	12.3 C	
Predominant Wind Direction	S	
Highest Wind speed	29 MPH	(31 st Oct)

November 1st - 12th 2021

Rainfall	9.4 mm	
Wettest day	4.6mm	(3 rd Nov)
Highest Temperature	15.4 C	(9 th Nov)
Lowest Temperature	1.4 C	(3 rd Nov)
Mean Temperature	9.3 C	
Predominant Wind Direction	WSW	
Highest Wind speed	22MPH	(7 th Nov)



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OTHER NEWS

* **FREE PARKING FROM 4PM ON SELECTED DATES IN THE FOLLOWING TOWNS:** *

Woodbridge
Beccles
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26 November
27 November
4 December *

Bungay
Felixstowe
Framlingham
Lowestoft

19 November
27 November
3 December
4 December

Free parking will also be available from **noon to 6pm** on
Saturday 18 December 2021 across the district.

*We hope you enjoy the festivities and we thank you
for supporting your local towns.*

merry
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**MESSAGE
CASCADERS**

KEEPING WELL THIS WINTER

How to keep yourself, friends and family safe



Have Covid-19 and Flu Vaccinations

Having your Covid-19 vaccinations is the best way to reduce the risk of being seriously ill and hospitalised. Get your first, second or booster jabs! The flu vaccination is the best protection to avoid catching and spreading flu. If you are eligible, please have the flu vaccination as soon as possible.



Wear a Mask

Covid-19 and flu viruses are airborne. Protect yourself and help prevent passing on Covid-19 or flu to other people by wearing a mask in any busy or indoor public spaces. Remember you can still catch and pass on Covid-19 when you have NO symptoms and have been vaccinated.



Regular Testing

As many people have Covid-19 without any symptoms, take regular Lateral Flow Tests to check that you are ok and not accidentally passing on Covid-19 to other people.



Isolate and test when symptoms appear

The rule of thumb - if you are unwell stay home until you get better. It can be difficult to tell the difference between cold, flu and Covid-19 symptoms, so please take a Covid-19 PCR test to check. If this test result is positive, please follow the isolation guidance.



Ventilation

When indoors and mixing with people from different households, open windows and / or doors to keep the room well ventilated. This allows fresh air to circulate to reduce the number of any virus droplets that you could breathe in.



Hands and Space

The simple steps of keeping your distance from people not from your household and washing your hands regularly will help to reduce your chance of breathing in or touching any Covid-19 or flu virus droplets.

Following these steps will help keep everyone safer!





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