

Notes from around the Parishes, August 2022

For Harpley & the Massinghams



From the Registers:



*Sunday 17th July
At St Lawrence's, Harpley*

Baptism of:
Logan Lucas Emmerson and
Faye Amelia Violet Emmerson



*Monday 18th July
At St Lawrence's, Harpley*

The Right Rev'd Dr Jane Steen, Bishop of Lynn,
confirmed a group of 5 candidates:
Lucy Price and her sons Oliver & Charlie,
with brothers Herbie and Mossy Gray



We welcome all of them into the family of the Church

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**A Wednesday Walk:
St Lawrence's Day is 10th August**

Come and join us for a sociable walk around **Harpley**
The walk will last about an hour on roads and tracks
Start 3pm at the Tel box, Old PO Court,

- ~ Parking in the village or in Church Lane near the Church
- ~ We will finish at Flint Cottage, Back Street for tea in David Mallows' garden.
- ~ Those not walking are welcome to relax and tour this lovely garden from 3pm.

More info: Rosemary (Harpley) 01485 521866

For more information see our website:

www.ggmbenefice.co.uk

Acting Team Rector: Judith Pollard, The Rectory, Grimston 01485 601251

To arrange Baptisms, Marriages, or Funerals please contact the Rev'd Judith
(as her day off is Monday, please avoid calling then except in an emergency).



FLOWER FESTIVAL



"All things bright and beautiful"

JULY 30TH AND 31ST

10:30 – 5 PM

St Lawrence Church HARPLEY

Exquisite floral creations

Raffle

100 square

Creature count

Preloved stall

Lunch, tea, coffee and cake!



Group Service at St Lawrence's:

Sunday July 31st

9:30am



Parking available all week-end in the field next-door to the Church; please leave parking places at the gate (and on the drive) clear for those who are disabled or can't walk far. Thank you

SERVICES FOR THE GROUP in July & August

Sunday 31st July - 7th Sunday after Trinity - 5th Sunday of July

0930 Group Holy Communion St Lawrence's, Harpley

Festival Service - Celebrating 'All things Bright and Beautiful' with flowers

4pm Afternoon Tea Service

St Nicholas', Gayton

Wednesday 3rd August

9am Holy Communion in Harpley

Sunday 7th August - 8th Sunday after Trinity

0830 Holy Communion

All Saints', Roydon

0930 Lay-led Family Service

St Lawrence's, Harpley

0930 Holy Communion

St Andrew's, Little Mass

1030 Holy Communion

St Botolph's, Grimston

6pm Evensong

St Andrew's, Congham

Sunday 14th August - 9th Sunday after Trinity,

0830 Holy Communion

St Andrew's, Congham

0930 Lay led M Prayer

St Andrew's, Lt Mass

1030 Holy Communion

St Mary's, Gt Massingham

1030 Holy Communion

St Nicholas', Gayton

Wednesday 17th Aug

9am Holy Communion in Grimston

Sunday 21st August - 10th Sunday after Trinity

0930 Sung Eucharist

St Lawrence's, Harpley

0930 Family Holy Communion

St Mary's, Gt Massingham

1030 Morning Praise

St Botolph's, Grimston

Sunday 28th August- 11th Sunday after Trinity

0830 Holy Communion

St Mary's, East Walton

0930 Holy Communion

St Andrew's, Lt Massingham

0930 Lay led Family Service

St Mary's, Gt Massingham

1030 Holy Communion

St Nicholas', Gayton

3pm Celtic Service

St Mary's, Gayton Thorpe

Sunday 4th Sept - 12th Sunday after Trinity

0830 Holy Communion

All Saints', Roydon

0930 Lay-led Family Service

St Lawrence's, Harpley

0930 Holy Communion

St Andrew's, Little Mass

1030 Holy Communion

St Botolph's, Grimston

6pm Evensong

St Andrew's, Congham

Wednesday 7th Sept 9am

Holy Communion in Harpley

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Coffee & Cake at Congham £3:50
Saturday, 6th August 10:30am
Looking forward to seeing you



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Christmas is coming!!

It has been suggested that a large Christmas Tree could be made from crocheted squares and used as part of the decorations in St Lawrence's Church this December. The Vicar, Rev'd Judith and the Parochial Church Council will be meeting on Aug 3rd and this will be the first chance they have had to discuss the plans.



Meet at 7pm, St Lawrence's on Tuesday 9th August

Save the date and come along if you can help in any way:

- Lots of help available to teach beginners how to crochet;
- donations of double knit wool left over from other projects welcome;
- Someone needed with skills (possibly carpentry) to help construct a framework for the tree

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Benefice Day Out to Bury St Edmunds ~ Thurs 8th Sept

- £15 coach fare plus tour of Cathedral

BYO lunch or £7 light lunch bookable from Cathedral Refectory.

Leave Pott Row at 9am,** Afternoon free ** Leave Bury 4pm

Contact Rosemarie Bowers for Info/bookings 01485 600485

Books needed – Can you help??? Bircham Mill is running a book stall this summer, with proceeds going to St Lawrence's Church, Harpley. Please bring donations to Church or leave them with Gina at 22 Back Street, Harpley.

This has already raised over £200 – Many thanks

Please send items for inclusion in the September issue of the 'Parish Notes' to the editor by 20th Aug.

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These 'Notes' are also available on the web-site www.ggmbenefice.co.uk