

Please join us on **Sunday 13th June at 6.30pm** as we continue with our Evening Prayer Service in St Botolph's Church (this service will also be Live Streamed via YouTube), all are welcome.

Please join us in **Church or on-line this Sunday 13th June at 9.45am** as we continue to welcome the congregation back into Church to worship.

We'll continue to Live-Stream our Morning Service from Church (via YouTube) for those of you who would prefer to join us from the comfort of your own home.

Click here to access [StBots - YouTube](#)

Remember that social distancing will be in force in church and that face masks are to be worn during the service and this will be mandatory if you intend to come to any of the services in church.

Be aware that not everybody is comfortable with being hugged since restriction have been relaxed so can you adopt a NO HUGGING policy please whilst in Church.

Please join us this Sunday 13th June at 11.00am for a joint outdoor Family Service at St Edmund's Church, Warkton open to all from St Botolph's Church and St Edmund's Church. Remember to bring a seat and a blanket if it's cold and your best signing voice.

YES WE WILL BE ABLE TO SING

Please use the Village Hall Car park in Warkton village if you are coming this Sunday or you could even walk if it's a nice sunny day.

Toilet, Tea Bar and Servery in Church

You will be delighted to learn that the construction of a toilet, tea bar and servery in the space previously occupied by the organ and the vestry has now been completed. Look out for the official opening shortly.



St Botolph's Church Family News Second Sunday after Trinity 13th June 2021



Collect - Second Sunday after Trinity

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Dates For Your Diary

Confirmation Service 21-11-21

at St Botolph's. Church Details to follow in due cause.

If you are considering Confirmation please speak to Andy or Mark over the next couple of months.



Baptism Service 12-09-21

At St Botolph's. Church Details to follow shortly
If you are considering baptism please register your interest with Heather in Church Office.



THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Don't forget that our new **Thought For the Day** videos are available on the St Bots YouTube channel every Tuesday and Thursday from 7.00pm.

Do have a look click here [StBots - YouTube](#)



Look back and be grateful, look ahead and be hopeful, look around and be helpful.

Summary of the Minutes of the Vestry Meeting and the Annual Parochial Church Meeting of St Botolph's Church held in Church on Monday 24th May, 2021

40 parishioners attended the meetings which were chaired by Revd Mark Lucas

At the Vestry meeting the minutes from the meeting on 8th April 2019 were approved.

There had been two nominations for the two positions for election of Churchwarden, and the following people were duly declared elected to serve as Churchwardens for the next year: Peter Jackson Adrian Keach

It was reported that at the end of 2020 there were 224 people on the Electoral Roll. A new roll was required to be drawn up and at the date of the meeting there were 229 people on the Electoral Roll.

Adrian Keach said the Churchwardens had felt that Revd Lucas, Revd Clark and Helen Tilney had gone more than the extra mile with their work during the pandemic, so they had asked the Bishop of Peterborough to grant Revd Lucas and Revd Clark a fortnight's extra holiday, and their request was granted. They advised Helen Tilney that she would also be granted an extra fortnight's leave. These periods will be taken during July and August. There will be one Sunday service at 9.45am at St Botolph's, and one 11am service at St Edwards and cover had been arranged for the services where needed.

At the Annual Parochial Church Meeting the minutes from the meeting on 8th April 2019 were approved.

There were 6 places for Representatives of St Botolph's due for election on to the Deanery Synod and 6 nominations had been received, so the following were duly declared elected to serve on the Deanery Synod for the next three years:

Rob Cowan Kate Curnock
Peter Jackson Adrian Keach
Julie Lucas Helen Tilney

It was noted that the names of 2 members of the PCC had been omitted from the Annual Report (p11) in error, those of Sheila McElhone and Richard Sewell whose terms come to an end in 2022. There were 4 nominations for 10 vacancies for election onto the PCC and the following were duly declared elected to serve on the PCC for the next three years:

Martin Adamson Kate Curnock
Helen Tilney David Wright

Revd Lucas commented that anyone who missed the deadline for applications may approach the Churchwardens as it may be possible to co-opt them onto the PCC.

Alan Deans was appointed as Independent Examiner for the next year.

Annual Reports*: Treasurer D Wright gave a presentation regarding the finances of the Church and it is planned to put the detailed charts on the Church website.

Revd Andy Clark highlighted work with the youth, explaining that 1eighty grew over Zoom, and even more came to meetings in the marquee. Claire Harris, Lindsay Burch and Georgia Candlin have joined the 1eighty and Rosie Dooley the Link leadership teams. Revd Lucas commented that the youth ministry was the biggest in England outside London and the Bishop thought Revd Clark was the best youth minister.

Helen Tilney highlighted work with children and families and gave thanks for the support she had received. A dozen children attend weekly Zoom meetings and they are blessed in that children are coming but it is for families to instil the love of Jesus in their children. Nicola Farrier and Pippa Evans are involved. The challenge is for groups to start up again, and there may not be four groups until next year.

AOB Revd Lucas wished to thank Revd Robert Bashford for his continued Daily Thoughts. P Jackson mentioned the online survey was being used in planning for the future. C Bilski asked for considerations to be given to the work with the older people. No date was set for the next APCM.

*The full Annual Report is available online through the St Botolph's website and a paper copy can be obtained from the Church Office for a donation of £2.

What's happening next week?

• Sunday 13th June

9.45am Family Service in Church
(also Live-Streamed)
9:45am Promised Land in Church House
11.00am Outdoor Service at Warkton
6.30pm Evening Service in Church
(also Live-Streamed)

• Monday 14th June

8.00am Morning Prayer (on YouTube)
9:30am Refresh (in Church House)
1.00pm Staff meeting

• Tuesday 15th June

8.00am Morning Prayer (on YouTube)

• Wednesday 16th June

8.00am Morning Prayer (on YouTube)
9.30am Ladies Bible Study (via Zoom)
8.00pm Link (in Church House)

• Thursday 18th June

8.00am Morning Prayer (on YouTube)
10.00am Staff meeting
7.30pm 1eighty (in Church House)

• Friday 19th June

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(Opening Hours Mon - Thursday 10:00am - 2:00pm.)