

Welcome to St John's Church-Elmswell.00am

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9.30am Family Church with Music Group
11.00am Morning Prayer with Holy Communion
(Book of Common Prayer)



If you are visiting or have recently moved to Elmswell and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. Tea and coffee will be served in the church room after the Family Church service, until 10.45am.

If you have or know of a pastoral need, please contact one of the Clergy or Christine Martin

11.00am Service

Collect (*special prayer for today*)

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which thou dost promise, make us to love that which thou dost command; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

BIBLE READINGS

1st Reading: Isaiah 55: 1 to 7 (p742)

2nd Reading: Luke 19: 1 to 10 (p1053)

HYMNS

MP 404 Let all the world in every corner sing

MP 564 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

MP 494 O for a closer walk with God

MP 159 Forth in Thy name, O Lord, I go

Notice Board

There will be a Deanery Confirmation service - 5.00pm on 13 October at Rattlesden. If anyone is interested in Confirmation please speak to Ernest.

Next Saturday 8 September, between 9.00am and 5.00pm we **urgently require Stewards** to sit in church to sign in Riders and Striders for the Suffolk Historic Churches Trust annual event. There is a rota list at the back of the church, if you can help please add your name as appropriate. Further information is available from Jean Folkard (01359-242099)

The week ahead

Tuesday 4 September 7.00pm Choir practice in the church room.

Friday 7 September 7.30pm The next Tearfund prayer meeting is in Bacton. Please phone Janet, 01449 - 782054 for further details.

Saturday 8 September 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer meeting in the tower room.

9.00am to 5.00pm Suffolk Churches "**Ride and Stride**". (see above)

7.00pm to 9.30pm **Quiz Night**. Teams of 6 persons and a donation of £10 per person is suggested. A light meal will be provided. To book a team or an individual place please speak to John Evans or the Rector.

Diary Dates

Friday 14 September 11.30am Ladies' Lunch at the Wesley Hall, School Road. If you would like to attend please add your name to the list at the back of the church.

Saturday 15 September 9.00am Help is required for a Church Tidy-up.

Looking Further Ahead

Monday 17 September 7.30pm Meeting of the Parochial Church Council in the church room. If you have reports or items for the agenda, please let the PCC Secretary have these on or by Sunday 8 September.

Saturday 29 September 8.30am Men's Breakfast in the church room. If you would like to attend please add your name to the list at the back of the church.

☺ Please take this notice sheet home with you as a reminder of future events ☺

Next Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

10.30am Parish Praise

Sunday 2nd September 2018