

Prayer intentions this week

O God, the protector of all who trust in
you,
without whom nothing is strong,
nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your
mercy;
that with you as our ruler and guide
we may so pass through things temporal
that we lose not our hold on things
eternal;
grant this, heavenly Father,
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
or
Gracious Father,
by the obedience of Jesus
you brought salvation to our wayward
world:
draw us into harmony with your will,
that we may find all things restored in
him,
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Those in need

Sarah Davis	Kelly Sanderson
Stephen Milner	Eric Dunstan
Roy Wallis	Ann Kuczak
Beverley Reaney	Lindsay Richards
Francis Berryman	Casey Poponne
Rebecca Ormian	Stella Rimmington

Newly married – James and Anna Ascot

Those who have died recently

Daphne Clarke	Camilla Mackeson
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In Our Year's Mind

Margaret Clark	Christina Ivey
Jane Southard	Wendy Valentine
Graham Sands	Raymond Palmer
Phyllis Baxter	Barry Howard
Kennie Bingham	

***Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord;
and let light perpetual shine upon them***

Nar Valley Benefice

**This Sunday 13th July 2025 is the
fourth Sunday after Trinity (green)**

9am at Pentney

CW said Holy Communion

The scriptures are:

Colossians 1.1-14 & Luke 10.25-37

10.30am at Castle Acre

CW sung Eucharist

The scriptures are:

Deuteronomy 30.9-14

Colossians 1.1-14 & Luke 10.25-37

6pm at South Acre

BCP Evensong

The scriptures are:

Genesis 32.9-30 & Mark 7.1-23

Psalms 77.1-12

Wednesday 16th July

Is in Ordinary time (green)

9am at Narborough

CW said midweek Eucharist

We recall St Osmund, bishop of
Salisbury

The scriptures are:

Exodus 3.1-6, 9-12

Matthew 11.25-27

**Next Sunday 20th July is the
fourth Sunday after Trinity (green)**

9am at West Acre

BCP said Holy Communion

The scriptures are:

Colossians 1.15-28

Luke 10.38-end

10.30am at Narborough

CW sung Eucharist

The scriptures are:

Genesis 18.1-10a & Colossians 1.15-28

Luke 10.38-end

Archdeacon Catherine will preside and
preach. There will be an opportunity to
meet her over refreshments before she
meets with the churchwardens at noon.

Welcome to all

We are always welcome in God's house and greet one another with joy. Just before worship, we quieten ourselves to be met by God in prayer, word, and sacrament.

Children

We love it when babies or children of any age come to church. We do not expect them to impersonate adults. Please feel relaxed if they wander about. In both Castle Acre and Narborough there are dedicated children's spaces in the worship area and quiet rooms at the back of church. Please feel free to use them if they are a help to you.

Use hearing aids?

There are hearing loop systems in Castle Acre, Narborough & Pentney Churches

Safeguarding

We are committed to safeguarding children, young people and adults from harm. We follow the House of Bishops' guidance and policies. Each church has its own Parish Safeguarding Officer (PSO). Their contact details are :

Castle Acre

Dr Ilga Chakrabarti (01760 755368)

Pentney

Andrew Smith (01760 755102)

Narborough & Narford

Joan Upton (01760 337053)

West Acre

Henry Birkbeck (01760 755254)

South Acre

James Stephenson (01760 337901)

Newton

Tony Bell (01760 755506)

Contact our Diocesan safeguarding team
safeguarding@dioceseofnorwich.org or
01603 882345

Sue Brice, diocesan safeguarding advisor
sue.brice@dioceseofnorwich.org or
07958377079

If you have immediate concerns about the safety of someone, please contact the police and your local authority's children or adult social care services.

Contact details

Mother Angela is very happy to be contacted on her landline **01760 338552** or by email
narvalleyrector@hotmail.com
Her usual rest day is Friday.

Father Richard balances a full-time job with being a priest. He is happy to be contacted by email
richardgranthowells4@gmail.com or on his mobile **07802432594**

Churchwardens for each church may be rung at home. They are all volunteers.

Castle Acre:

David Bowman 01603 483658

Anne Loch 01760 755403

Narborough:

James Stephenson 01760 337901

Newton:

Tony Bell 01760 755506

Stephen Laing 01760 755455

Pentney

Sue Neep 01760 338037

Andrew Smith 01760 755102

South Acre:

Davina Barber 01760 755618

West Acre:

Henry Birkbeck 01760 755254

Future Events

Summer flower arranging and lunch at Little Abbey Farm, Pentney. Cost £20.
10am-2pm on July 19th.

Concert in Castle Acre Church
part of the King's Lynn festival **July 20th**

Patronal Festivals –we celebrate St Mary Magdalene at Pentney church **6pm on July 22nd** and St James at Castle Acre church **10am on July 25th.**

Deanery Synod will next meet on Wednesday **30th July** at The Fountain of Life Ashill 7.00 for 7.30pm

Pet blessing – this will be in Pentney church at 2.30pm on **9th August**. All pets on leads or in carriers are welcome to come with their human companions.