KELVEDON & FEERING CHURCHES NEWSLETTER WITH COPFORD & EASTHORPE

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SUNDAY 17TH AUGUST- SUNDAY 24TH AUGUST 2025

Services for Sunday 17th August 2025			
10.00 a.m.	United Benefice Service	St Mary's, Kelvedon	
6.00 p.m.	Holy Communion Service	St Mary's, Easthorpe	
6.00 p.m.	Said Service (Book of Common Prayer) led by Tom Foster	All Saints', Feering	

News from our four Churches... COPFORD CHURCH COFFEE MORNING







Copford's Coffee Morning was well attended, with members of the community, a party of walkers (Oddfellow Walking Group, Colchester), Henry the Dog and two bikers all joining in. We were treated to a delicious choice of cakes and treats (thank you Heather & Jill!) and everyone had an enjoyable time.







JUNIOR CHRISTIAN CLUB GO TO THE BEACH



Tuesday was the perfect day for a trip to the beach and that is exactly what JCC (Junior Christian Club) and Natasha did! All day fun: swimming, digging, building, eating ice creams and playing games (and not a phone in sight. Oh...except to verify the authentication of a shark's tooth we found!) Thank you to the grown ups who helped to supervise. If your child or someone you know is interested in joining JCC do let Natasha or Simon know. (Suitable for children school years 5-8)





DON'T FORGET ST MARY'S CHURCH, EASTHORPE FETE THIS SATURDAY FROM 2PM

Don't forget to join in the fun at St Mary's Church (**Easthorpe**) Summer Fete. Lots to do, eat and drink. See you there!





EVENING PRAYERS AT ALL SAINTS', FEERING -SUNDAY 17TH AUGUST AT 6PM

Tom Foster will be leading a Said Service from the Book of Common Prayer. All Welcome



DRUMMONDS' SUMMER FETE - 23RD AUGUST FROM 1PM



Both staff and residents would love to welcome as many as possible to their Summer Fete as they are really keen for the community to understand what Drummonds does, to meet the residents and see what goes on. There'll be a karaoke, children's stall, books/dvds, knitting, pottery, a raffle and more! We would like to offer a church stall with plants and cakes so if you are able to make a donation that would be brilliant. Or just come along on the day! Funds raised will go towards a local boy called Freddie who has a very rare form of cancer. He joins us at Teddy Bear Club sometimes and we have supported and raised money for him too.



COGGESHALL FLOWER FESTIVAL, ST PETER AD VINCULA 23RD-25TH AUGUST



The 37th Annual Coggeshall Flower Festival will take place over the August bank holiday weekend in St Peter ad Vincula Church, and will be open from 10am - 5pm Saturday and Monday and 11.15am - 5pm Sunday. Entry is free – although donations towards the upkeep of the church will be warmly welcomed.



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TIPTREE FOOD BANK

This week our Food Bank needs: **Biscuits, Long Grain Rice, Baked Beans Toilet Cleaner, & Washing Up Liquid.** All donations are gratefully received. The Food Bank's general list is on the left if you'd like it to hand. You can also click on Foodbank's Facebook page. here: Tiptree Food Bank | Tiptree | Facebook. Thanks once again to Jill & Betty, who collect all your donations and take them to Tiptree.



Information for the Kelvedon & Feering website: kelvedonandfeeringchurches.co.uk. should be sent to **Sarah.**, whilst information for the Copford Website or Easthopre ACNY page should be sent to **Fleur.**

Please let Fleur have any items for this Newsletter by Tuesday p.m.

If you no longer wish to received this newsletter, please let Fleur know

Church Diary at a glance..

	Week of Sunday 17th August & Future Event	S
Saturday 16th August @ 2.00 p.m.	Summer Fete	St Mary's, Easthorpe
Sunday 17th August @ 3.00 p.m.	Baptism of Francis Godfrey	All Saints', Feering
Wednesday 20th August @ 10.00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	St Mary's, Easthorpe
Thursday 21st August @ 8.30 a.m.	Morning Prayer with Simon & Natasha	St Mary's, Kelvedon
Thursday 21st August @ 10 a.m.	Coffee Morning	St Mary's, Easthorpe
Friday 22nd August @ 1.30 p.m.	Wedding of Alison Mason & Andrew Long	St Michael & All Angels, Copford
Saturday 23rd August @ 1 p.m.	Drummonds' Summer Fete	Drummonds Care Home, CO5 9QJ
Sunday 24th August @ 10.00 a.m.	United Benefice Service	All Saints', Feering
Sunday 24th August @ 10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion Service	St Michael & All Angels, Copford
Tuesday 26th August @ 1.30 p.m.	Funeral of David Mallows	Three Counties Crematorium
Sunday 31st August @ 10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion Service for All Four Churches	St Michael & All Angels, Copford