

Constable Country Benefice



St Mary's, East Bergholt



St Michael's, Brantham



St Mary's, Bentley



St Mary's, Tattingstone

Sunday 17 August Trinity 9

10am Morning Worship with
Communion at East Bergholt
(Rev Chris)

COLLECT

Gracious Father,
revive your Church in our day,
and make her holy, strong and faithful,
for your glory's sake
in Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

Full List of Readings (Lectionary Year C)

Hebrews 11.29—12.2
Luke 12.49–56

*(Readings will usually be the first reading and the Gospel.
The psalm and second reading will be used if advised by
the service leader)*

PRAYER FOR THE BENEFICE

Lord God our Father,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children
of eternal life and in baptism
have made us one with him:
deliver us from the death of sin
and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Amen

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Holy Father, who gathered us here
around the table of your Son
to share this meal
with the whole household of God:
in that new world where you reveal the
fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race and language
to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus
Christ our Lord
Amen

“Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you and surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

Matthew 28:19-20

<div data-bbox="134 253 309 392" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Morning Prayers are held 9am Thursdays at Brantham Rectory</p> <p>n.b on 22nd and 28th August at 22 Richardsons Road, East Bergholt.</p> <p>*****</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Do you receive our weekly emails? If you don't, but would like to, please let Michelle know</p> <p>Do you need a lift to our services, or can provide lifts for others, please contact Michelle.</p> <p>Our main services in East Bergholt and Brantham are live streamed on YouTube. Please see a warden if this causes concern.</p>	<u>Monday 18</u>			<u>Tuesday 19</u>			<u>Wednesday 20</u>		
	Daily Readings Ezekiel 37.1–14 Mark 1.1–13			Daily Readings Ezekiel 37. 15–end Mark 1.14–20			Daily Readings Ezekiel 39.21–end Mark 1.21–28		
	<u>Monday 25</u>			<u>Tuesday 26</u>			<u>Wednesday 27</u>		
							7pm Lottery Building/Project Committee meeting at East Bergholt		
	Daily Readings Proverbs 1.1–19 Mark 2.23—3.6			Daily Readings Proverbs 1.20–end Mark 3.7–19a			Daily Readings Proverbs 2 Mark 3.19b –end		

Bring the Family to one of our all-age family friendly services with stories, songs, activities and cake, lasting 40-45 minutes. Our next family services are on 14th September at East Bergholt and 28th September at Brantham.

<p><u>Thursday 21</u></p> <p>-</p> <p>9am Morning Prayer at 22 Richardsons Road, East Bergholt (Rob and Myra's home)</p>	<p><u>Friday 22</u></p>	<p><u>Saturday 23</u> <i>Rev Chris's day off</i></p> <p>9am - 9.30am Benefice prayer for mission at Brantham</p>	<p>Sunday 24 August <u>Trinity10</u></p> <p>10am Morning Worship with Communion at East Bergholt (Rev Roy)</p>
<p>Daily Readings Ezekiel 43.1-12 Mark 1.29-end</p>	<p>Daily Readings Ezekiel 44.4-16 Mark 2.1-12</p>	<p>Daily Readings Ezekiel 47.1-12 Mark 2.13-22</p>	<p>Isaiah 58.9b -end Psalm 103.1-8 Hebrews 12.18-end Luke 13.10-17</p>
<p><u>Thursday 28</u></p> <p>-</p> <p>9am Morning Prayer at 22 Richardsons Road, East Bergholt (Rob and Myra's home)</p>	<p><u>Friday 29</u></p>	<p><u>Saturday 30</u> <i>Rev Chris's day off</i></p> <p>9am - 9.30am Benefice prayer for mission at Brantham</p>	<p>Sunday 31 August <u>Trinity11</u></p> <p>10am Morning Worship with Communion at Bentley with Baptism (Rev Don)</p>
<p>Daily Readings Proverbs 3.1-26 Mark 4.1-20</p>	<p>Daily Readings Proverbs 3.27-4.19 Mark 4.21-34</p>	<p>Daily Readings Proverbs 6.1-19 Mark 4.35-end</p>	<p>Ecclesiasticus 10.12-18 Psalm 112 Hebrews 13.1-8, 15-16 Luke 14.1, 7-14</p>

Pray for the church family:

Monday: Linda Daynes; Jeanette; Sandra Jermyn; Marian Scott; Marji Holdsworth; Steve Newman; Carole Wheatley
Tuesday: Hilary Taylor; Margaret and Helen Wheatley; Christine Page; Daphne Glen; Carol Whitby; Marion Noble
Wednesday: Jonathan Fermor; Jo and William Marston; Mandy Churchill; Wendie Felgate
Thursday: Vicky Scott; Peter Green and the Youth Group
Friday: Mary West; Annie Winckler; Eva Rainey; Valerie Ayton

Pray for those who have recently lost a loved one:

The families and friends of Renate Arnold; Tricia Fitzpatrick; Adam Withers; Derek Stott; Adrian Mills and all who grieve and for Wendy Withers and family at this time of their sad loss

Please also pray for:

- that we would each have the grace to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.
- all the people and families moving in the new homes, that we the church will be a blessing to them, and many will find their spiritual home with us
- the Youth Group, young people and leaders, for fun, friendship and faith
- refreshment and safekeeping for all those on holiday at the moment.
- That we would be a people of faith and vision – seeing the things of God and His Kingdom growing.

Website: www.ConstableCountryChurches.co.uk **YouTube:** Constable Country Churches

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Parish Safeguarding Officers

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Churchwardens

East Bergholt	Fiona Trott	01206 298205	Brantham	Jane Pavitt	01473 328512
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	Jane Day	01473 310518		Lyn Tomlinson	01473 328251

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Director of Music/Organist Martin Huggett 01206 395927 (East Bergholt)

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