

## BENEFICE WEEKLY NEWS AND NOTICES



ELMSETT  
ST PETER

ALDHAM  
ST MARY

KERSEY  
ST MARY

HINTLESHAM  
ST NICHOLAS

CHATTISHAM  
ALL SAINTS & ST MARGARET

### Next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Trinity 7

**Kersey 11am** Holy Communion

**Chattisham 9:30am** Morning Prayer

**Elmsett 9:30am** Morning Prayer

**Aldham 11am** Morning Prayer

#### **Collect**

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

#### **First Reading** Colossians 3:1-11

We are urged to seek those things that are above and leave behind the ways we once followed. There are no longer differences between us in race or station in life. Christ is in us all.

#### **Gospel** Luke 12:13-21

Someone in the crowd asks Jesus to tell his brother to share the family inheritance with him. Jesus uses the question as a way of explaining that being motivated only by the acquisition of money is pointless. In his parable, Jesus tells of a rich man who dies on the very night he is finally satisfied that he has accumulated enough wealth.

#### **Post Communion**

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Benefice of St Peter Elmsett

St Mary Aldham

St Mary Kersey

St Nicholas Hintlesham

All Saints and St Margaret Chattisham

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### In our prayers this week...

**The church throughout the world...** In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we remember this week The Episcopal Church in the Philippines and Archbishop Nestor Poltic

**Our local schools...** For Kersey School the headteachers Jess Damant and Claire Dunnell Paley, the staff, governors, and pupils as they enjoy their summer break.

**Those who are suffering in body mind and spirit.** For our local healthcare centres and those who work at the Children's Hospice in Ipswich.

#### **Trouble spots around the world...**

Remembering the ongoing conflict in Ukraine, Sudan, and those working for a workable peace.

**Local and national government...** For Suffolk County Council and Matthew Hicks the council leader

**Our local Hospitality industry...** our local pubs, hotels and cafes and bars.

#### **Our clergy and accredited ministers...**

This week we pray for the parish of Elmsett the churchwardens and the Local Ministry Team.

## Dates for your diary

**15<sup>th</sup> August** VJ day. Ceremony at Hintlesham war memorial 11:30am

**2<sup>nd</sup> September** 4pm Monthly midweek service + tea at Hintlesham Community Hall

**3<sup>rd</sup> September** Coffee Stop 10-12pm  
Hintlesham Community Hall

**10<sup>th</sup> September** Toddlers Group Hintlesham Community Hall 10am – midday

**13<sup>th</sup> September** Suffolk Historic Churches Cycle Ride

**16<sup>th</sup> September** Rural coffee caravan  
10am – 12 Chattisham Church.  
2pm – 4pm Outside Hintlesham Community Hall

**17<sup>th</sup> September** Discussion Group 3pm in Chattisham Church

**17<sup>th</sup> September** Kersey PCC

**23<sup>rd</sup> September** Craft and Chat 10am – 3pm in Chattisham Church

**23<sup>rd</sup> September** Hintlesham and Chattisham PCC 8:30pm

### Next Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August Trinity 8

**Hintlesham 9:30am** Café Church

**Elmsett 9:30am** Holy Communion

**Kersey 11am** Parish Service

#### Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**First Reading** Hebrews 11:1-3. 8-16

**Gospel** Luke 12:32-40

#### Post Communion

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.

## Regular Events

### Kersey

**Celtic Morning Prayer** – Tuesdays at 9:30am

**There will be no Celtic Morning Prayer in August**

### Hintlesham and Chattisham

**Coffee Stop** 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month  
Drop in between 10am – 12 Community Hall

**There will be no Coffee Stop in August**

**Discussion Group** 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month  
3pm in Chattisham Church

**There will be no Discussion Group in August**

**Craft and Chat** 4<sup>th</sup> Tues of the month  
10am – 3pm in Chattisham Church

**There will be no Craft and Chat in August**

**Rural coffee caravan** 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues of the month  
10am – 12 Chattisham Church  
2pm – 4pm Outside Community Hall

**Toddlers Group Hintlesham Community Hall**

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month 10am - 12

**There will be no Toddler Group in August**

### Elmsett

**Methodist Coffee Morning** Every 1<sup>st</sup>  
Saturday of the month from 10am

**Baby and Toddler Group.** 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the Month 9am – 10:30am during Term time in School. £3.50 per family refreshments and snack included

### Bellringing:

**Kersey** Thursdays 7:45pm

**Elmsett** Wednesdays 7:30pm

**Hintlesham** First Friday of the month  
7:30pm

And Finally..

On this day 1492 Christopher Columbus, set sail on his first voyage with three ships: Santa María, Pinta, and Niña from Palos de la Frontera, Spain, for the "Indies". In S America Christopher Columbus is known as "Cristobel Colón".