

November services and church life

The government has announced another lockdown. During this time churches will be open for private prayer but not services. We will continue to worship on line via zoom. The service will be at 9.30 am. To join the service please contact Bill Clarke on bill78@btinternet.com.

Churches open for private prayer

Please follow the notices inside the church

Brandeston	Tuesday	10 am – 4 pm
Campsea Ashe	Sunday	1.30 pm – 5 pm
	Thursday	10.30 am – 1pm
Easton	Tuesday	10 am – 4 pm
	Saturday	10 am – 4 pm
Hacheston	Wednesday	10 am – 4 pm
Kettleburgh	Daily	8 am – 6 pm
Marlesford	Sunday	11 am – 4pm
	Wednesday	8.30 am – 4 pm
Parham	Wednesday	10 am – 4 pm

Daily Prayer

We will publish a short service of daily prayer on the Hacheston Church website. www.hachestonchurch.onesuffolk.net

Pastoral support

Although we are unable to visit, members of the Ministry Team and others are available at the end of the 'phone to listen or to pray with you.

Canon Graham Hedger	01473 737280
Canon Deirdre Parmenter	01728 748145
Jackie Clark	01728 723623
Carol Cooke	01728 747625

Supporting others

For those who are in self isolation it can be a disturbing time. We continue to work with each Parish Council and other village groups to develop a support system via telephone and e mail, to remove some of the isolation. Also, to

provide practical support such as collecting and delivering groceries. Some villages have adopted 'street wardens / contacts' to facilitate this process.

Remembering others

These are very challenging times for many people, who face the possibility of the loss of jobs and livelihoods. Britain already has a large number of people who need the help and support of foodbanks. If you are able, when on your very occasional visit to a shop please continue to place an item in the foodbank collections. Please continue to remember in prayer all those who are continuing to work for our safety and wellbeing, especially those who are providing essential services.

December, Advent and Christmas

We are making plans for all eventualities. If the lockdown is lifted we will have services in churches, as well as on line. Alternatively we will continue with just on line services.

There will also be some services on YouTube, available via the Mid Loes benefice website, Cretingham page.

<https://www.mid-loes.com/cretingham.php>