

### Today's Collect

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	6 <sup>th</sup>	– Job 19:23-27a; 2 Thess 2:1-5, 13-end; Luke 20:27-38.
<b>Monday</b>	7 <sup>th</sup>	– Daniel 4:19-end; Revelation 5.
<b>Tuesday</b>	8 <sup>th</sup>	-- Daniel 5:1-12; Revelation 6.
<b>Wednesday</b>	9 <sup>th</sup>	-- Daniel 5:13-end; Revelation 7:1-4,9-end.
<b>Thursday</b>	10 <sup>th</sup>	– Daniel 6; Revelation 8.
<b>Friday</b>	11 <sup>th</sup>	– Daniel 7:1-14; Revelation 9:1-12 Remembrance Day.
<b>Saturday</b>	12 <sup>th</sup>	– Daniel 7:15-end; Revelation 9:13-end.

### CHURCH SERVICES

<b>November 6<sup>th</sup></b>	9am	St Ethelbert Falkenham. Morning Prayer
	<b>9am</b>	St Mary Newbourne. Holy Communion
	10am	All Saints Waldringfield. Morning Prayer
	<b>10-30am</b>	St Martin Nacton. Holy Communion
	<b>3pm</b>	St Mary & St Martin Kirton. Festal Evensong

<b>November 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Remembrance Day</b>	
	9am	St Ethelbert Falkenham.
	10am	St Mary Buklesham.
	10am	All Saints Hemley.
	10-15am	St Mary & St Martin Kirton.
	10-30am	St Mary Newbourne.
	10-50am	St Peter Levington.

### A Prayer for Ukraine

*from Archbishop Justin Welby and Archbishop Stephen Cottrell*

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. **Amen**

### November Events

<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November</b>	St Mary Bucklesham Coffee and Library 10-12 noon
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Remembrance Sunday
<b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Bucklesham Bible Study 2pm

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November St Mary and St Martin Kirton

BCP Evensong, **3pm** followed by a shared meal, giving thanks for congregations past and present and all who enable worship. Celebrating Lay Ministry in the Orwell and Deben Rural Benefice.

### A message from Bishop Martin and Bishop Mike

We are facing very challenging times, and are very conscious that many in our communities are experiencing increasing hardship through the burden of rising cost of living and particularly fuel costs. Once again we ask God for the wisdom, compassion and generosity that sustained our mission and ministry during the pandemic.

*Loving God, you are always with us, and give us all we need to be your church in Suffolk. In these challenging times, as we respond in loving action to those in great need, help us, we pray, to give as we have received:*

*abundantly, generously, and joyfully, that our worship and our service may bear witness to your Kingdom of unfailing love.*

*In the name of your Son who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

### Psalm 40:1-11

I waited patiently for the LORD; he turned to me and heard my cry.

2 He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand.

3 He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God. Many will see and fear the LORD and put their trust in him.

4 Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, who does not look to the proud, to those who turn aside to false gods.

5 Many, LORD my God, are the wonders you have done, the things you planned for us. None can compare with you; were I to speak and tell of your deeds, they would be too many to declare.

6 Sacrifice and offering you did not desire— but my ears you have opened — burnt offerings and sin offerings you did not require.

7 Then I said, "Here I am, I have come— it is written about me in the scroll.

8 I desire to do your will, my God; your law is within my heart."

9 I proclaim your saving acts in the great assembly; I do not seal my lips, LORD, as you know.

10 I do not hide your righteousness in my heart; I speak of your faithfulness and your saving help. I do not conceal your love and your faithfulness from the great assembly.

11 Do not withhold your mercy from me, LORD; may your love and faithfulness always protect me.