

More Regular Events

Aslacton Church Aslacton Cuppa and Chat Sat 6th Apr 10.30am - 12noon

On the First Saturday of the month.

St Mary's Church, Long Stratton **Messy Church** Sun 7th Apr 04.00pm - 05.30pm

On the First Sunday of the month.

Wacton Church Wacton Coffee Morning Sat 13th Apr 10.30am

On the Second Saturday of the month.

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LOOKING FORWARD

24th March 2024

Palm Sunday

Newsletter for the Long Stratton and Pilgrim Team Ministry

Aslacton, Bunwell, Carleton Rode, Great Moulton

Stratton St. Mary, Stratton St. Michael, Tibenham and Wacton

Working Together Growing Faith

Welcome, it's good to have you with us! We hope you enjoy the service and will know God's blessing. If you are a visitor and would like any information, or someone to visit you, please have a word with one of the sides people, a churchwarden or one of the ministers.

Collect for the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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. **Amen**

Services for 24th March 2024: Palm Sunday

Red

09.00am Holy Communion Stratton St. Michael

10.00am Holy Communion Bunwell

11.00am Morning Prayer Aslacton

11.00am All Age Holy Communion Stratton St. Mary

*Readings: Liturgy of the Palms: Mark 11.1-11 Psalm 118.1-2, 19-24**

Services for 28th March 2024: Maundy Thursday

Red:

07.00pm Holy Communion Great Moulton

07.00pm Holy Communion Stratton St Mary

Readings: Exodus 12.1-4 [5-10] 11-14 1 Corinthians 11.23-26 John 13.1-17, 31b-35

Services for 29th March 2024: Good Friday

10.00am Joint service with Baptist Church Bunwell

10.30am Reflective service Stratton St. Mary

Readings: Isaiah 52.13 - 53.12 Hebrews 10.16-25 John 18.1 - 19.42

Services for 31st March 2024: Easter Day

Gold or White

09.30am Holy Communion Carleton Rode

10.30am Holy Communion Bunwell

11.00am Holy Communion Stratton St. Mary

Readings: Acts 10.34-43 1 Corinthians 15.1-11 John 20.1-18

Prayer Pointers for 24th March 2024
Palm Sunday

Please Pray for:

- World peace.
- Peace and stability in the Middle East region and Ukraine
- For the potential of a ceasefire in Gaza
- For all those who are held hostage in Gaza and their families
- For all the services during Holy Week and Easter * For those recovering from ill health especially, Ros Forfar, Maureen Jessup, Brenda Pratt
- For the Royal family especially King Charles and Princes Kate
- For God to bring the right candidate for The Long Stratton and Tharston Benefice
- For the plans and decisions made at Bunwell PCC last week and for the St Mary's PCC this week
- For all our schools who are coming to church this week
- For a lasting solution towards industrial actions affecting train transport and hospitals * For those whose loved ones have recently passed away or who those whose memories come at this time especially for the family and friends of Joyce Woodward
- For opportunities to witness the love of God through Jesus
- For all those who travel

Thank God for:

- For John and Ruel returning safely from Tanzania
- For all who support our churches

Daily Prayer takes place on:

Wednesday	9.30am	on ZOOM
	9.30am	Bunwell Church
Friday	12noon	Carleton Rode Church

House Groups Meet Weekly During Term Time

Tuesday	10.30am	97 St. Michael's Road
Wednesday	11.00am	7 St. Mary's Road

For more information, please speak to Louise Wright (01508) 536940 about Tuesday House group or Elisabeth Spry (01508) 530478 about Wednesday House group.

Wednesday Morning Prayers by ZOOM

Catch up and pray together via Zoom at 9.30am. To join on a Wednesday, follow the link below.

Meeting ID: 828 1796 1080
Passcode: 971126

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82817961080?pwd=YkRvN2FRU1RUc1FRVjRVQThxb0dtdz0>

Special Events

Wacton All Saints Thursday Daily Prayers 09.00am

Please note that this Daily Prayer Meeting has been cancelled.

Three Venues Easter Day Services Sun 31st Mar

Easter Sunday falls on the fifth Sunday of the month, instead of a united service, there are three Holy Communion Services:

9.30am Carleton Rode

10.30am Bunwell

11.00am Stratton St Mary's

St Mary's Church, Long Stratton Long Stratton Lent Appeal

Sun 25th Feb to Sun 31st Mar

Thanks for all who have contributed to the current total of £432.

This is the last Sunday for Bring and Buy, though it will remain open until Maundy Thursday.

If you have a collecting box or want to make a donation please bring it to church this week.

The young mums at Kimbilio need our £600+ to start their course this summer.

St. Michael's Church Aslacton Historic Photographic Book Display Mon 1st Apr 01.00pm - 05.00pm

A display of photographic books showing people of and places around Aslacton in years gone by.

it also includes some early copies of the Aslacton/Gt Moulton village Newsletter (AML)

Everyone very welcome and there will be a cup of tea.

All Saints Church, Carleton Rode Traditional Afternoon Tea Sat 13th Apr 02.30pm - 03.30pm

Sandwiches, scones, bakes, sweet treats tea/coffee. £10

Reservations email.friends@church@gmail.com or message us on Facebook.

Regular Events

Stratton St Mary Church Let's Chat Tue 26th Mar 10.00am

Every Tuesday.