

## Every Thursday at 11am Rollesby Team Communion

### 1st March, Second Sunday of Lent

9am Repps Communion  
9am Winterton Morning Prayer  
9am Rollesby Communion with APCM  
9am Ormesby St Michael Prayer and Praise  
9am Runham Communion  
11am Martham Communion with APCM  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Communion  
11am Fleggburgh Morning Worship  
6pm Horsey BCP Evening Prayer with APCM

### 6th March – Friday

10.30am Ormesby St. Michael hosting World Day of Prayer

### 8th March, Third Sunday of Lent

9am Winterton Family Communion with APCM  
9am Rollesby Morning Prayer  
9am Ormesby St Michael Communion with APCM  
9am Thurne Communion  
11am Martham Family Morning Worship  
11am Filby Communion Service  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Morning Prayer  
11am Somerton Communion with APCM  
11am Clippesby Morning Worship  
6pm Repps Evening Prayer with APCM

### 15th March, Mothering Sunday

9am Horsey BCP Communion  
9am Winterton Morning Prayer  
9am Ormesby St. Michael Morning Prayer  
9am Mautby Communion  
9am Repps Morning Worship  
11am Rollesby Morning Worship with breakfast from 10.30am  
11am Somerton Morning Worship  
11am Martham Communion  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Communion  
11am Fleggburgh Mothering Sunday Service

### 22nd March, Fifth Sunday of Lent

8am Ormesby St Margaret BCP Communion  
9am Winterton Communion  
9am Rollesby Morning Prayer  
9am Ormesby St Michael Communion  
11am Martham Family Communion  
11am Somerton Family Service  
11am Filby Communion  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Morning Prayer  
11am Clippesby Morning Worship

### 29th March – Palm Sunday

9am Winterton Communion  
9am Rollesby Communion  
9am Ormesby St Michael Prayer and Praise  
10am Stokesby Communion  
11am Somerton Palm Sunday Praise Café Church with Brunch  
11am Martham Family Communion  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Morning Prayer  
11am Filby Communion  
3pm Clippesby Palm Sunday Service with Procession (meet at Basecamp)  
6pm Horsey BCP Evening Prayer  
6pm Repps Evening Prayer

## MARCH 2026 NEWS SHEET

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### *Minister's Message... 'Signs of spring are all around'*

Signs of spring are all around and in Church, we remain in the season of Lent for the whole of March. Lent lasts for 6 weeks and is a time of preparation for Easter, traditionally a penitential season of fasting and prayer. In school assemblies I have been encouraging the children to choose to undertake an act of kindness to someone each week during Lent as a way of sharing God's love with them.

This year the Archbishop of Canterbury's recommended Lent Book, *Dancing to the Heartbeat of God*, explores many aspects of discipleship. The chapters have been written by around thirty different authors from across the globe and different parts of the Anglican Communion who share testimonies and stories of faith from their own communities. It has been encouraging to think of all those other people in different parts of the world who like us are marking Lent and working out what it means to be a faithful disciple of Jesus where they live. I had no idea that there was a Suffragan Bishop to the Arctic!

Sometimes we make our Christian practices complicated and I have been particularly struck and encouraged by the wisdom of the Most Revd Shane Parker, Primate of All Canada, who writes:

Sometimes it is enough to go to a place that is familiar and safe, be it a forest, a church, a window or even a place in your mind, and to open your heart to God – wordlessly. And God who searches your heart, will hear the prayer of the Spirit within you.

May this Lent be a time when we can find space and safety to open our hearts to God.

Revd Debs

## HOLY WEEK

### Monday 30th March

9.30am Repps Morning Prayer  
5pm Stokesby Evening Prayer  
6pm Ormesby St. Michael Evening Prayer

### Tuesday 31st March

9.30am Horsey Morning Prayer  
5pm Clippesby Evening Prayer  
6pm Ormesby St. Michael Evening Prayer

### Wednesday 1st April

9.30am Somerton Morning Prayer  
6pm Ormesby St. Michael Evening Prayer  
7pm Runham Tenebrae Service

### Thursday 2nd April – Maundy Thursday

11am Winterton Communion  
11am Mautby Communion  
11am Billockby Communion  
7pm Rollesby Communion  
7pm Martham Communion

### Friday 3rd April – Good Friday

9.30am Repps Good Friday Devotions  
9.30am Horsey/Somerton/Winterton Stations of the Cross  
10.30am Martham Churches Together service at Martham Baptist Church  
10am-11.30am Filby Church Good Friday Fun  
2pm Ormesby St Margaret Hour at the Cross  
2pm Thurne Hour at the Cross

### Saturday 4th April – Easter Eve

8pm Rollesby Easter Eve Communion

### Sunday 5th April – Easter Day

Dawn time Service at Winterton car park  
8.30am Clippesby Sunrise Service  
9am Winterton Communion  
9am Ormesby St. Michael Communion  
9am Mautby Communion  
9am Repps Communion  
10.30am Fleggburgh Communion  
11am Martham Communion  
11am Somerton Communion  
11am Ormesby St Margaret Communion  
11am Filby Communion  
6pm Horsey BCP Evening Prayer



## CLIPPESBY

**Tuesday 3rd March**, Coffee, cake and chat on 11.00 at Clippesby Church

**Saturday 4th April** Fete at Basecamp from 2pm to 4pm - in aid of Clippesby Church. More details to follow.

## ORMESBY ST MICHAEL

Ormesby St Michael Church Village Crafters Meeting - 2-4 pm, Friday 6th & 20th March.

Coffee Morning is on Saturday 21st March, 10am-12pm.

**ORMESBY ST MARGARET CHURCH "Tea and Natter"** every Wednesday 10.30-12noon. Free refreshments. Free transport for Ormesby St. Margaret, Scratby & California parishioners, call Simon at Check Cabs on 01493 295045.

**ORMESBY ST MARGARET CHURCH QUIZ** – Friday 15th May at Bracecamp Hall, Yarmouth Road, 7.30pm – doors open at 7.15pm. £5 pp, teams of 6. Contact Andy on 07896 749117 or anwo2@outlook.com

## FLEGGBURGH EVENTS

Our annual **EASTER EGG HUNT** will take place on **Easter Saturday 4th April**, from 10.00am - midday at Fleggburgh church. Refreshments, Cake stall, Raffle, games and crafts. Please come along and support this fundraising event as all proceeds will go towards the upkeep of our village church.



## ROLLESBY EVENTS in aid of St George's Church

**NEW TO YOU SALE** in Rollesby Village Hall, **Saturday 7th March at 2.00pm** (drop off goods between 10.00-11.30). Refreshments available.

**EASTER CRAFT & GIFT FAIR, Saturday 21st March 10.00-2.00pm.** Raffle, tombola, handmade gifts. Refreshments will be available

## STOKESBY EVENTS – Easter Fayre Saturday 21st March

10.00-2.00pm in **Stokesby Village Hall** in aid of St Andrew's Church Restoration Fund. All the usual stalls including Crafts, cakes, savouries and preserves handmade gifts, raffle. Refreshments and bacon butties!

**"CRAFT, COFFEE AND CHAT"** every Wednesday at 2.00pm in Stokesby Village Hall.



## MAUTBY EVENT

**Coffee Morning on Saturday 7th March 10.00-12.00pm.** Cakes, prize draw, bric-a-brac, tombola, cards and refreshments



## FILBY EVENTS

Thursday March 19th The team Holy Communion will be at All Saints Church, Filby at 11.00 am followed by a Lent Lunch at 12 noon. Trish's home-made soup with a selection of breads/crackers will be served followed by followed Tea /Coffee and Cake. A suggested donation of £5 each please towards the Bishops of Norwich's Lent Appeal. Booking essential with Trish 01493 368132

## FILBY & DISTRICT WI

Thursday 19th March 2.00pm in Filby Village Hall **"FRIENDS OF HORSEY SEALS"**  
Speaker: Cora Mullinger

The Concert with Stone Angels on Saturday 28th March has had to be postponed.

Good Friday Family fun at Filby Church between 10am-11.30am.

The next **Coffee morning** is on the **15th April**, 10.00 – 12pm Bacon Butties are back all the usual attractions. All Welcome.

## WINTERTON CHURCH MOTHERING SUNDAY FLOWER

**SALE.** Baskets and pots of flowers (£4-£16) on Saturday 14th March, 8am-12pm in Church Rooms, Beach Road. Potting up help needed on Friday 13th at 10am in church.