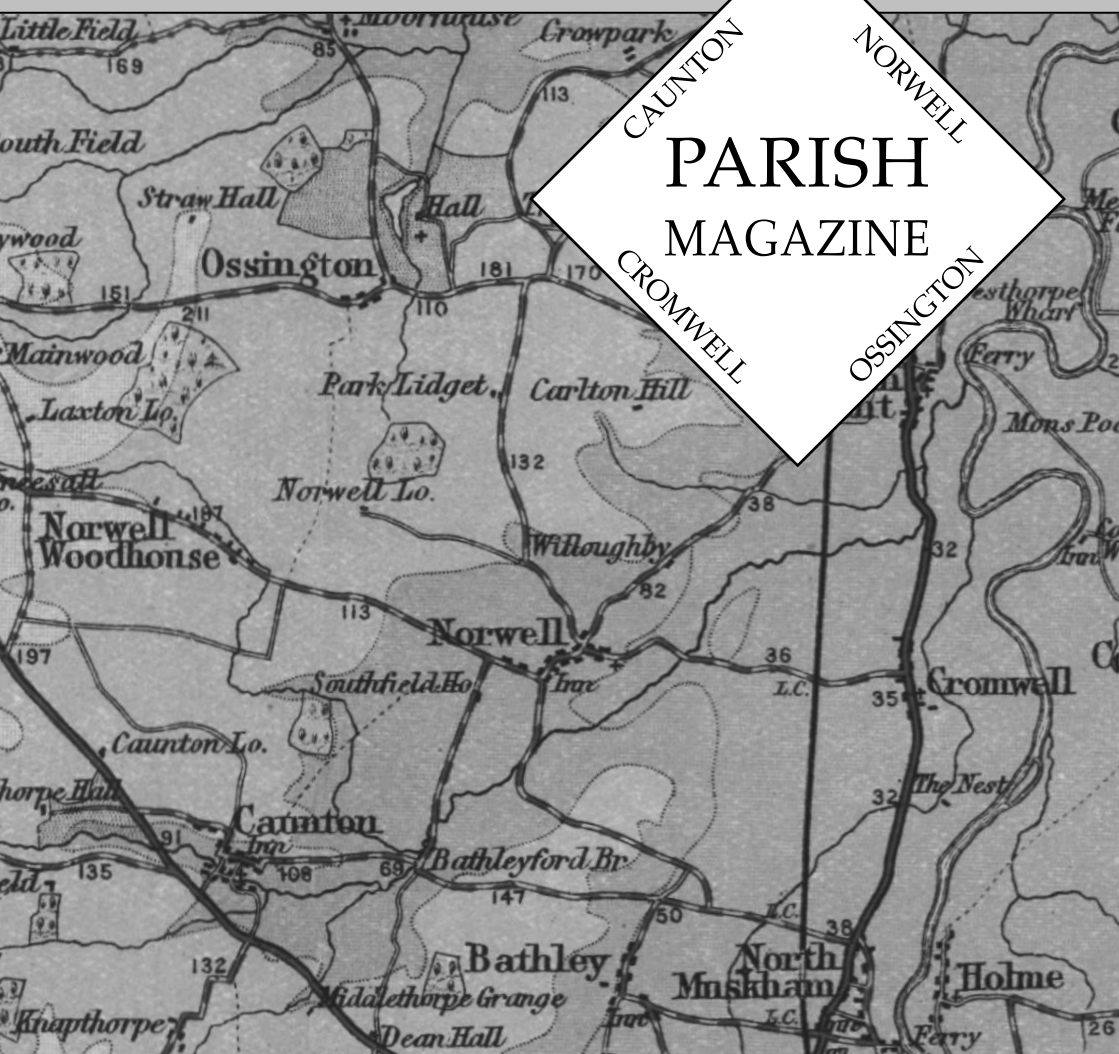


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Services April 2025

	St Andrew's Caunton	St Giles' Cromwell	St Laurence's Norwell	Holy Rood Ossington	All Saints' Sutton	St Mary's Carlton	The Potting Shed church
<i>first Sunday</i>	6 April <i>Lent 5</i>	9.00 a.m. Holy Communion			10.30 a.m. Joint service at Methodist chapel	3.00 p.m. Evensong	4.00 p.m. at Norwell Village Hall
<i>second Sunday</i>	13 April <i>Palm Sunday</i>		10.00 a.m. Palm Sunday Service with Baptism		9.00 a.m. Breakfast church at Methodist Hall	11.00 a.m. Holy Communion	4.00 p.m. at St Nicholas' church, Tuxford
<i>Good Friday</i>	18 April <i>Holy Week / Good Friday</i>		2.00 p.m. Meditation (TBC)		7.00 p.m. Tenebrae Service at Methodist Chapel		10 a.m. - 2 p.m. (drop-in) interactive opportunities for prayer & reflection (all age)
<i>third Sunday</i>	20 April <i>Easter Day</i>	6.00 a.m. Sunrise Service	10.00 a.m. Holy Communion	10.30 a.m. Holy Communion at The Hut	10.30 a.m. Holy Communion at All Saints'	11.00 a.m. Holy Communion	10.00 a.m. at St Nicholas' church, Tuxford
<i>fourth Sunday</i>	27 April <i>Easter 2</i>					3.00 p.m. Evensong	4.00 p.m. at St Nicholas' church, Tuxford
<i>first Sunday</i>	4 May <i>Easter 3</i>	9.00 a.m. Holy Communion			10.30 a.m. Joint service at Methodist chapel	3.00 p.m. Evensong	4.00 p.m. at St Nicholas' church, Tuxford

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Beck & Trent churches update

This year everything happens in April. Even non-churchgoers and non-believers are aware that Easter is a major event in the church calendar. Lows and highs follow each other with great rapidity. Good Friday is a sombre day when we pause to reflect on the Crucifixion. If it is a sombre day for us now, when we know that it was followed by the Resurrection what must it have been like for the early disciples? They had been following Christ with such optimism and enthusiasm. But their ears had been closed to the warnings that Jesus had attempted to give them of the suffering and death that he would be meeting.

That depth of despair was counterbalanced by the amazing events that followed. It was almost beyond belief and it was only with time that the realisation of what had happened could be accepted by the disciples. If we find it hard to believe in a loving God, Easter is the time to really think about its significance.

The churches in the Benefice offer you many different ways to explore the meaning of Easter.

Do look at the table of services and find one that feels right for you. We start Holy Week with Palm Sunday which is a reminder of the joyful entry into Jerusalem, but also of the Passion that followed. The three hours that Jesus was on the Cross are traditionally remembered between noon and 3.00pm so it may feel right to meditate quietly on his suffering and death. An evening service of Tenebrae is very special. It involves the gradual dimming of candles while scripture is read. It is a gradual movement into the darkness of death. Where they can, churches will be having a joyful service on Easter Day. There will be flowers and music.

As you eat your Easter eggs and Easter bunnies, go on Easter egg hunts, and share time together, perhaps pause for a moment and think about why we are doing these things.

We wish you all an Easter that will be full of joy and hope in a world where humanity makes it increasingly difficult to look beyond the immediate chaos.

Help, support and contacts

We want to assure you that even though we have no vicar at the moment the church is here to help, support and advise you.

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	Cromwell	Sarah Clark 01636 821 943
	Ossington	Robin & Jane Drury 07951 439 840
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		Elizabeth Jones 01636 636 365



Also in the Benefice:

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- For baptisms, weddings and funerals contact the churchwarden or the administrator, Lorna Caddy, on 01636 555082 / 07568 929232, or email lorna.c.caddy@gmail.com
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From the church



Happy Easter!

We come now to the most meaningful time of the Christian year. Palm Sunday (13 April) is the start of Holy Week made special with beginning in the open air, receiving our palm crosses and processing to church behind a donkey. We begin by claiming Christ as King and then find ourselves failing him as the week progresses, leading up to Maundy Thursday when we find Jesus washing his disciples' feet and commanding us to follow his example.

Christ's example of humility has been followed by our kings and queens down the centuries. It was a great day when Queen Elizabeth came to Southwell Minster and instead of washing their feet gave deserving pensioners purses of money. There were still sweet-smelling posies and courtiers bearing towels.

The royal Maundy Service was special, but a Maundy service shared with our Methodist friends had an even greater significance for me when the Methodist minister and I washed each other's feet. Way back again in the presence of the Queen in 2003, Anglicans and Methodists signed a covenant to heal the divisions between our churches and become one again. So as churches we got engaged but are still not married! Sharing in that 'feet washing' was a precious acknowledgement of each other's ministry. How our Lord must long for us to be united.

Maundy Thursday is also the day on which Jesus took bread and wine, blessed them and said "This is my body, This is my blood" representing the sacrifice of his body and blood on the Cross, which command we obey week by week in the service of Holy Communion in our churches.

Before his arrest Jesus went away to keep watch and pray with his disciples. They



kept falling asleep. It is a tradition to keep watch and pray through the night of Maundy Thursday.

Good Friday used to be so special. Shops were closed. The main service, then and now, throughout the country has been a three-hour service from 12 noon to 3.00pm, sharing with Jesus his last hours on the Cross. The service consists of meditations, hymns and quiet reflection. Those not able to come for all the time enter and leave during the hymns.

On Easter Eve we take a breath and prepare for Easter Day. When we lived at Southwell our family set out for the dawn Easter service. Our boys were not too keen on cathedral services, but they liked a challenge. Getting up at dawn was one of these. Silently we gathered at the Minster porch, a fire was burning, the door opened, and we were greeted by the Bishop "Christ is risen" to which we replied: "He is indeed". A large candle was lit and with our hand-held candles we processed into the Minster.

Lent is upon us, what are you giving up or taking on? I pray that Easter may be a special time for you. Who knows you may even find an Easter egg on Easter Day!

May God bless you and keep you.

*David Keene
Retired priest, Riverside Benefice*

From the registers

15 February – 14 March 2025

Baptisms

St Laurence's, Norwell 2 March
Rosie Hope Faulkner

Funerals

St Giles', Cromwell 21 February
Stanley Bamber

Verse of the month:

*Mary Magdalene exclaimed,
'I have seen the Lord!'*

John 20 v 18

Mary shared her joy at discovering that Jesus was still alive. This is the joyful news for us this Easter – Christ lives!

The Potting Shed Church:

The Potting Shed Church are looking forward to celebrating Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter in Tuxford! Come and join us on the journey...!

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at St Nicholas' church, Tuxford



Palm Sunday (13th April) 4pm

'He is here!'

An all-age, informal, interactive gathering.
With refreshments (and Hot Cross Buns!)



Maundy Thursday (17th April) 7pm

'He is betrayed.'

A short, reflective service with Holy Communion.



Good Friday (18th April) 10am - 12pm

'He is crucified.'

A drop-in for all ages, with interactive opportunities for prayer and reflection.
Refreshments served also.



Easter Sunday (20th April) 10am

'He is risen!'

Easter Sunday all age celebration...
with baptisms!

Artworks by Nicholas Markell,
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Diocese of Southwell & Nottingham

April's warmer temperatures are a good time to spot some of Britain's native reptiles, one of which is the apparent misnomer, the slow worm (*Anguis fragilis*). Neither slow, a worm, nor a snake for that matter, the slow worm is actually a legless lizard, the only species of legless lizard in Britain.

To the untrained eye, slow worms resemble snakes, however there are a few features that set them apart from their distant ancestors. Unlike snakes, slow worms, like lizards, have moveable eyelids and can blink. Furthermore, they have external ears, as opposed to snakes which have an internal ear. Their tongue is only slightly notched and the slow worm must open its mouth to flick its tongue. Slow worms do not have a defined neck region and have a uniform diameter throughout the length of their body, which is generally smaller than the nearest smallest snake, the smooth snake. Slow worms are lighter in colour than Britain's snakes, varying between golden brown, grey and copper, sometimes with a hint of blue. They also have a smoother appearance, due to smaller scales.

Slow worms are found in grassy habitats that have lots of plant cover such as fields and woodland edges, but also mature gardens, allotments as well as compost heaps. Being legless is an evolutionary adaptation of such species that prefer to burrow. As ectotherms (cold-blooded) they prefer sheltered environments that have sunny spots for them to bask and warm up. Slow worms feed on a variety of slow-moving invertebrates including earthworms, slugs, snails and spiders, using their backwards-curving teeth to grapple and hold on to wriggly prey items.

These legless lizards are on the menu for a variety of animals including birds, hedgehogs, badgers and adders. As a prey animal, they have a few defences in their



Slow worm. Dave Hunt

armoury: the first is avoidance. Like snakes, slow worms use chemodetection, flicking their tongues in and out of their mouths and passing the scent particles to a specialised sense organ in the roof of the mouth called the Jacobson's organ. If potential predators are detected nearby, slow worms slither away. If caught unawares, slow worms freeze, or if under attack, they defecate, producing a foul-smelling substance to deter would-be attackers. If this doesn't work, as a last resort, slow worms can shed their tails when threatened in a process called autotomy, whereby the tail continues to writhe on the ground, hopefully distracting the predator and giving the slow worm enough time to make a hasty (ironic!) retreat.

This month is slow worm mating season, which is quite a long and convoluted affair, lasting up to ten hours!. As ovoviviparous reptiles, slow worms lay eggs that are incubated before hatching internally, releasing immature babies that feed off the yolk of the egg, before giving birth to up to eight hatchlings in the summer. This method is an advantage to ectotherms that live in colder climates, as the female can regulate the temperature of her offspring.

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BIRD *Watch*

At the risk of straying onto my neighbour's page, a recent sighting is too unusual and newsworthy to miss. A stoat in ermine is a rare enough beast, but one lucky local was able to watch one twice in the same day near Ossington. Ermine is the stoat's winter coat of white with a large black tip to its tail, whereas its summer coat is brown with a white front and belly with the same black tail tip.

Stoats are widespread, but mostly seen when dashing across a road and, though they are attractive, these little creatures have a fierce reputation and are quite fearless hunters. Their ermine coats were used for many centuries to edge the robes and coronets of monarchs, peers and prelates.

Early one morning a Cromwell resident reported the other rare sighting for this month, accompanied by a photograph

which helped to identify a goshawk. This buzzard-sized raptor is a bird of woodland and moorland edges and is adept at hunting at great speed through tree cover. They do predate on game birds and are particularly of concern to upland gamekeepers. They are largely confined to northern England, Scotland and Wales, but there is a small local population in Nottinghamshire.

The regular appearance of small flocks of lapwing is encouraging hope that more will breed locally and, as we have reported, there are Defra incentives to provide suitable and safe nesting areas on farmland. Cattle egret are now well established and reports of sightings are almost routine.

Otherwise, we must sadly echo the reports from most parts of the country that the number of small birds, especially the normal garden visitors, seems to be reducing noticeably. Though it has not been a particularly hard winter, prolonged periods of cold wet weather take a heavy toll on the smaller species.

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RAIN *Watch*

Anti-cyclonic gloom dominated UK weather at the start of February. It was oppressively overcast and chilly, but dry.

Towards the end of the month low-pressure systems did break through but it was still a drier February than the long-term Norwell average: we had 3 cm (1.2 in) of rain compared to an expected 4.4 cm (1.7 in) which is only 68 % of that anticipated.

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Cauntton church news



For some, the season of Lent can feel a bit sombre but, for others, it's a time of reflection as we await the celebration of Easter. And what a difference in the weather to the last time I wrote for the parish magazine!

The sun has been shining and we have just witnessed some beautifully warm days. Though the sun is still shining the temperature has dipped again to a more seasonal level and we are experiencing what are called 'lambling showers'.

Spring bulbs have burst into flower – crocus, daffodils and snowdrops have given us a carpet of colour; blossom is making an appearance; and lawnmowers have been dusted down and given the grass its first cut of the year.

Don't forget Easter Sunday dawn service is at 6.00am on 20 April. Flowers will be arranged in church on Saturday 19 April. If anyone

would like to make a donation towards the lilies in memory of a loved one, or if you want to help decorate the church for Easter, please contact me on 07814 709969.

VE Day Celebrations

To mark this special occasion, we will be doing refreshments in church on Saturday 3 May from 10.30am-2.30pm. Tea/coffee and home-made cakes are on offer.

We are also hoping to do a display of WW2 memorabilia, so we are asking villagers if they have any items that they would like to add to the display, to let us know. The items will be well looked after and the church will be locked unless we are there. If you'd be willing to loan us your items, then please contact me (07814 70999) or Pat (07929 136788). It would be helpful if you could write who the items belong to, what they are, and a short history if appropriate.

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Cauntton Church Rota

Cleaning

Sat 29 March – Charlotte & Bo
Sat 5 & 12 April – Joy & Dave
Sat 19 & 26 April – Pat & Irene
Sat 3 May – Cathy & Wendy

Flowers

No flowers in Lent
Sat 19 & 26 April – Easter Flowers
Sat 3 May – Pat

May Brown 100th birthday celebration

May Brown was thrilled to receive so many congratulations and best wishes as she celebrated her 100th birthday. It was lovely to see her sitting room full of flowers and other gifts and she said that it would take her a week to open all her cards. The one thing that topped her day was the ringing of the church bells. All in all, it was a day to remember and it was the very least we could do to mark such an occasion.



Dean Hole – a village community space

Bingo is on Friday 4 April at 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start.

Live & Local

Saturday 10 May – American Wilderness Odyssey

Embark on an unforgettable musical expedition through the heart of the American wilderness with three intrepid explorers as your guides.

Tickets are £13 which includes supper but please remember to bring your own drinks and glasses. There will also be a raffle.

Contact Pat on 07929 136778 or 636523, or Irene on 07814 709969 or 639123.

The Pocket Choral Society

What a gem of an evening with these four superb members singing many of their own songs as well as some well-known ones. There was a priest, a pub landlord, a farmer

and a shop assistant and they had us in stitches with their insight into relevant topics and I, for one, will never be able to look at a raffle in the same way again.

At the end of the performance they presented Pat with a token of their thanks, which was much appreciated and it is now hanging down the corridor in school.



Caunton Parish Council – Notes from the meeting held on Wednesday 12 March

We are hoping to offer free Defibrillator training very soon. Look out for further details.

We were informed that Newark and Sherwood District Council have purchased land at Debdale Hill and planted trees towards their net-zero targets.

Via and the County Council are being pushed to look into the drainage along Newark Road as the gulleys still don't drain quickly.

One of our main concerns with the Great North Road Solar Park proposals is water

flow from the proposed upstream sites. We have asked for a hydrologic survey of the flows into The Beck and other tributaries running through the village. Representatives of Elements Green are hoping to attend our Annual Meeting on Wednesday 14 May at 6.30pm: we hope they will be able to demonstrate how water is managed and how it will flow in various situations. Other questions can be asked on the night. We are also concerned about larger mammal movement changes that could affect the spread of Bovine TB and push animals into areas to which they don't

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Caunton community news (continued)

usually go.

It is encouraging to see flood defences being installed onto some houses affected by Storm Babet, making use of grant aid available.

We have a new Clerk starting work in May. May I take this opportunity to thank the outgoing Clerk for her hard work over the past few years.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday 9 April at 7.30pm in the Village Room at Dean Hole School. Members of the public are welcome to attend.

Any representation to the Parish Council should be made to the Clerk at parishcouncilcaunton@gmail.com

Steve Routledge, Chairman

Caunton Garden Society

The Society is now in Spring mood. We hold our annual Spring Show at Caunton School on Saturday 29 March and our final evening meeting of the Winter programme on 15 April.

If you read this before 31 March you are cordially invited to join us at the School at 2pm to enjoy the display of Spring flowers. The prizes are presented at 3pm, entry is free and refreshments are available.

Our meeting on 15 April at the School should be interesting as we have a new speaker with David Newman from Aubourn Hall gardens. The meeting starts at 7.30 and there is a £4 entrance fee. Again refreshments are provided. It would be

great if we could have a good audience and you will be most welcome if you could join us.

We are of course now working on our Summer Programme and we already have an exciting event arranged. Neither our Society nor the Caunton History Society have arranged a coach outing for a couple of years but there will be one this year involving the interests of both Societies. On Wednesday 2 July there will be an outing to Sandringham, the royal residence. There are a few seats available and if you are interested please email cauntongardensociety@gmail.com. The cost is £55 per person.

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Caunton Local History Society

Our next meeting is on Tuesday 8 April at 7.30pm in Dean Hole School. Everyone is welcome. Visitors are especially welcome; attending your first talk is free and the cost for returning as a non-member is £5 (to include refreshments afterwards). Full membership for 2025 is £20.

8 April: "What did you do in the war mum?"

Speaker: Mo Cooper

Mo is a popular speaker from Nottingham Women's History Group. She is a community historian and heritage manager specialising in research into the hidden history of Nottingham. Her talk will focus on how the women of Nottingham supported the war effort of the Second World War.

Ghostly walk around Historical Newark

On Friday 6 June the society will be hosting a ghostly walk around historical Newark. Cost £8. This will be a great opportunity to meet members of the society, and to learn about the history and buildings of Newark, all with a ghostly twist. The evening will end with a visit to a local inn! Transport is available. Society members and visitors are all welcome. Contact Lynn (details below) to reserve your place.



9 September: Candlewax, Chickens and Cheese Please

Speaker: Elaine Perkins

People have always wanted to know their future and have used many ways to predict it. In recent times people have settled on the more well-known methods, such as runes and tarot cards, but many different methods have fallen out of favour and have been almost forgotten. Elaine will demonstrate some of the more unusual types of divination, ancient and modern, with a variety of different items. Elaine's talks are informative, amusing, theatrical and are presented in the costume of a Medieval Cunning Woman. There will be a range of found and made objects to help us see life through the eyes of ordinary medieval men and women.

We look forward to seeing you on the second Tuesday of each month, at 7.30pm, Dean Hole School.

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Caunton: Dean Hole Church of England Primary School

As we head towards Easter, the period of Lent is incredibly important in our school, providing us with an opportunity to deepen our understanding of the significance of this time, and providing opportunities for everyone to reflect.

Community is at the heart of what we do, and we have two upcoming events which we would like to share with you. On Friday 28 March we are celebrating Mothering Sunday with our wonderful PTA holding a 'Coffee and Cake' event between 3.00-5.00pm. On Thursday 3 April we will be holding our Easter Service at St Andrew's Church at 2.00pm. We would love to welcome everyone to join us for this special service.

As we reflect on what it means to be a Mother we also remember all the people who love us.

Thank you God for the love of
our mothers:
thank you God for their care and
concern;
thank you God for the joys they
have shared with us;
thank you God for the pains they have
borne for us;
thank you God for all that they give us;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen



We are always delighted to show people around our wonderful school and we have opportunities each Wednesday for a drop-in and visit. If you or anyone you know would like to visit us, please contact the school office on 01636 636219.

*Alan Brown
Principal*

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Cromwell community news



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Cromwell Village Hall

On behalf of all the wonderful people who selflessly support our village hall we would like to thank you for all your hard work, time and devotion.

The committee would still warmly welcome someone to step forward as a new Chairperson. As we indicated before, the role is not at all arduous and is even quite enjoyable! If you would like any further information please contact Claire on 07796 133656. Thank you.

Notice of upcoming AGM Tuesday 22 April at 7.00pm

All villagers are warmly invited to the AGM
for the Village Hall.

Refreshments will be available!

Any requests for items for discussion: please
contact Claire Davies on 07706 133656



Cromwell Village WhatsApp group

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WhatsApp group should contact Jo Myers

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Initial enquiries about baptisms, weddings and funerals to the Benefice Administrator, Lorna Caddy on 01636 555082, mobile 07568 929232 or email lorna.c.caddy@gmail.com.

Looking Back

Our 'Fourth Sunday' get-together service in February investigated the premise that '**Less is More**' – exploring this question as a preparation for Lent. A lively service was led once again by the Rev. David Milner who used the theme of the Road to Emmaus as a demonstration of us all undergoing a journey through the period of Lent. The congregation joined in enthusiastically in the second part of the service as the voice of the devil tempting Jesus in the wilderness.

Charades for Shrove Tuesday! Our annual '**Pancakes in The Plough**' took place on 4 March with Linda and Mel once again hosting this event and providing delicious savoury and sweet pancakes. Once everyone was suitably fed and watered we were entertained by a hilarious version of 'Lent Charades' which had been inspired by the 'Jones' Christmas day antics! Thanks, as ever, to Elizabeth Jones for her tireless work bringing fun to the meaning of Lent. Elizabeth calculates that she has now done this event for more than 20 years and never repeated the entertainment.

A reminder

At the time of going to press we are yet to celebrate Mothering Sunday but the churchyard is showing that spring is here with an impressive carpet of primroses.

This is the time of year when we ask that graves are tidied and Christmas wreaths and old flowers removed from the churchyard in preparation for Easter.

Coming up in April – Countdown to Easter
Norwell C of E School Easter Service – 2 Apr 2025, 9.30am. A reminder that our local school children will be celebrating the Easter story in their own way. Why not join parents and pupils for this special service?

Palm Sunday – 13 April. A serious but also fun approach to this traditional celebration. Keep a look out for the 'donkey'! We will be gathering at the top green in the village and then processing down to the church for the start of our service. This service will be followed by a baptism for Ayla and we look forward to welcoming her and her family to the church.

Good Friday Meditation – You are invited to join us at the church between 2.00-3.00pm on Friday 18 April. This will be a quiet time to reflect on the Cross and the last words of Jesus. Please feel free to stay for as long as you wish.

Easter Sunday Holy Communion – 20 April at 10.00am. This is probably the most important day in our church calendar. Join us in a service of Holy Communion and thanksgiving for the Resurrection.



Donations for Easter Lilies. The church is always decorated for Easter. If you would like to make a donation towards Easter lilies in memory of a loved one please contact Barbara Bateson on 01636 636840 or give it to Elizabeth Jones whose contact details are above. Thank you in advance for anyone who is able to do so.

LULLABY OF HARLEM – THE BIRTH OF THE BLUES

Concert in St Laurence's church 25 April at 7.30pm

This is a world premiere by the popular duo **ARKangel**. A feast of haunting music provided by violin, guitar, vocals, and the spoken word transporting us to a Gambian slave hub and onto the brutal Caribbean. We then move to the isolated, infested plantations of Louisiana to a vibrant and

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Tickets £10.00. To book emjones.norwell@btinternet.com or ring 636 365 (pay on the door).

Refreshments will be served in the interval. Soft Drinks and alcohol will be for sale.

Looking Ahead

For those people who like to get involved with the Open Gardens event at the end of June we will be decorating the church in a 'Kaleidoscope of Colours'. We ask that people bring along decorations using flowers from their own gardens to help us do this. These can be of any size, design or colour. Why not celebrate your own garden?

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Norwell and Norwell Woodhouse Parish Council

Dear parishioners,

Following our February meeting I am pleased to report that resurfacing works have now been completed on a stretch of the road through Norwell Woodhouse. We are currently liaising with Highways to investigate why the final stretch (the junction of Norwell Road/Kersall Road) hasn't been resurfaced, despite signage and notification advising it would be.

The Council is currently tendering the grass-cutting contract for the Parish, in line with decisions taken following our annual budget. All tenders are expected to be received before the March meeting of the Council.

There has been a productive meeting between the Parish Council, Nottingham Community Housing Association, and County Council flood officers regarding additional protections for properties on Moorlands Close. Resilience measures for the properties have been discussed and agreed, and we now await installation of these items. We hope this will bring additional protection and peace of mind to residents.

I am pleased to confirm that Norwell and Norwell Woodhouse are successfully up and running as one of the beneficiaries of the Newark & Sherwood Community Lottery. 50p of each ticket value is returned to Norwell and Norwell Woodhouse and

will be put towards providing additional services, and funding groups within the village. See the poster detailing the scheme.

As a Council we are committed to providing services and events that are accessible by all residents. We are currently investigating opportunities for our younger residents, particularly those between the ages of 11-18. We are therefore seeking the opinions and thoughts of our younger parishioners, as to what they'd like to see within the Parish. Please encourage them to get in touch with us via Facebook, email, or drop us a message as their parent/guardian.

We are pleased to confirm we will be holding a surgery for the Parish Council on Saturday 5 April, 11.00- 1.00pm, in St Laurence's Church.

Finally we are looking forward to working with the Heritage Group to bring to life a commemorative event in May to mark the 80th anniversary of VE Day. Further details will be announced in due course.

As ever the Parish Council is here for parishioners and we welcome any comments or feedback that residents may have.

You can reach us via email at norwellandwoodhousepc@gmail.com

*Cllr Ashleigh Robertshaw
Chair of Norwell and Norwell Woodhouse
Parish Council*

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Norwell Diary – March, April & May

Fri 28 March	8.30pm	Pub Quiz in aid of Diabetes at The Pough. See Mel for details
Sat 29 March	10.00am	Mothering Sunday Service at St Laurence
Tues 1 April	7.30-9.00pm	Village Voices
Wed 2 April	9.30am	Norwell C of E School Easter service at the Church
Fri 4 April	pm	Norwell C of E. School closes for holidays
Sat 12 April	3.00-5.00pm	Launch of the 10th and final Norwell Heritage Booklet at Norwell Village Hall. Pop in for tea.
Sat 12 April	8.30pm	Pub Quiz at the Plough, Norwell
Sun 13 April	10.00am	Palm Sunday Service at St Laurence
Tues 15 April	7.30-9.00pm	Village Voices
Fri 18 April	2.00-3.00pm	Good Friday meditation – St Laurence Church
Sat 19 April	10.00am - Noon	Community Allotment / Parish Gardens Tidy up. All welcome
Sun 20 April	10.00am	Easter Sunday Service at St Laurence's
Tues 22 April	am	Norwell C. of E. School reopens
Fri 25 April	7.30pm	ARKangel Concert – Lullaby of Harlem at St Laurence. 01636 636365 to reserve place (£10 admission)
Mon 28 April	1.30pm	Mobile Library – Old Chapel, Main Street
Tues 29 Apr	7.30-9.00pm	Village Voices
Wed 30 April	7.30pm	Annual Church Meeting and PCC Meeting – St. Laurence Church
Wed 30 Apr	8.00pm	Book Club – for details 01636 636337
Thurs 1 May	7.00-10.00pm	County Elections
Sun 11 May	9.00-11.00am	Service and Holy Communion for VE Day

Norwell community news (continued)

Village Hall News

Live and Local

Thank you to those of you who supported our recent event, and the committee and volunteers who worked so hard to organise it all.

Future Fundraising

The on-going fundraising is needed to maintain our lovely village hall and to improve it wherever possible but also to pay for regular bills such as electricity, oil, insurance and cleaning etc.

If you have any suggestions for fundraising events please get in touch at: www.norwellvillagehall.co.uk

If planning a wedding or large-scale party please contact us as we have put together special packages for such events. We have two preparation rooms (and one could function as a bar), a large main hall and a meeting room where you could serve food. We also offer a large range of crockery, cutlery and serving/ casserole dishes.

Quiz Time

Our next fundraising event is a quiz co-hosted with Norwell Allotment group on Saturday 14 June. Put the date in your diary and look out for our posters in due course.

Jigsaw exchange

Our next Jigsaw Exchange is on Monday 14 April between 10.15 and 11.15am at Norwell Village Hall. If you like doing jigsaws come along and join our club. £5 membership and £4 per jigsaw (£2 refundable on return of jigsaw). Donations of jigsaws including children's would be appreciated.

Norwell Village Hall Annual General Meeting

Our next AGM is at the hall on Tuesday 8 April at 7.00pm. Everyone is welcome.

We always welcome new members to our committee. We are a group of volunteers committed to maintaining Norwell Village Hall. Please come to our AGM and hear more, or contact us via norwellvillagehall@gmail.com.



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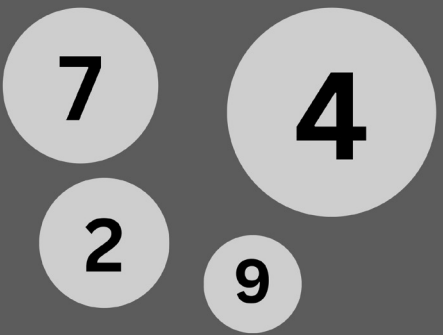
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Norwell Charity Bridge Festival

Thanks to everyone who made the Bridge event on 17 th March such a success. Tea and wonderful scones and cakes were donated by members of the group and Brenda, Georgina and John who managed the kitchen with joy and enthusiasm.

We raised £410 on the day for Beaumont House, which once the Hall has been paid for, leaves £350 to add to our current kitty and forward to the hospice before Easter.

Thanks again to David Cobley for acting as Tournament Director, scorer and indeed player.

*Regards
Caroline & Simon Wyatt*

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CROP DROP

Be part of Newark and Sherwood's exciting Crop Drop Scheme that aims to build stronger connections in our community and enable families to access healthy, affordable produce.

NSDC are coordinating the distribution of fruit and vegetables from local allotments and growers. Volunteer drivers from either the allotment or within the community will then transport the donated produce to charity projects, food clubs and educational settings.

We are proactively trying to work to link allotments and food projects within the area to help strengthen communities, alleviate food waste and increase consumption of healthier, more affordable fresh produce. And we would love you to be part of this scheme.



HOW IT WORKS

On an agreed day allotment holders leave their donations in an arranged collection box on-site, protected from the weather and potential hungry animals.

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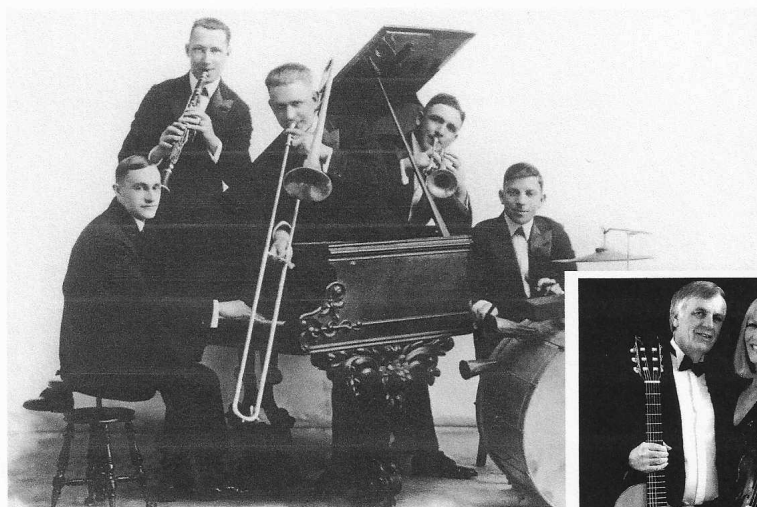


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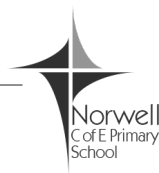
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In the interval Refreshments provided, Punch, wine and soft drinks for sale

Profits for St Laurence's

Norwell CofE Primary School



Our Spring Term has been so busy with events like World Book Day and British Science Week! The children across the two schools – Norwell and St Matthew's – came together for an exciting visit from 'Sublime Science' who amazed the children with experiments linked to climate chaos and forces! The children's feedback has, once again, been so positive: 'It was very cool' and 'I loved watching the chemical reactions'. The wacky rockets activity and slime making were very popular!

Key Stage 1 children also had a marvellous day at Magna Science Adventure Centre exploring the wonders of science and technology through hands-on experiences! This was a lovely way to end Science Week.

Our Year 5s have also completed the NICAS climbing award at the Mill Adventure Centre and each child was a great example of how perseverance and resilience enable you to achieve your best! I am always in awe of how high they can climb! Our Year 3 and 4 children have also completed their Forest School sessions which they tell me they have enjoyed immensely whilst developing skills such as teamwork and problem solving!

We finished the term off with our Easter Service at church where we remember how important Jesus is in our lives and

the importance of Easter in our Christian calendar.

Next term we have two residential visits to look forward to: our Year 5 and Year 6 residential to Walesby Forest, which will be the first time the children have stayed there; and Year 3 and 4 are going to Hathersage to explore the Peak District. This will again give pupils from the Federation a wonderful opportunity to make new friendships and reconnect with their peers to share all the new and exciting challenges they will face!

School reopens after the Easter Holidays on **Tuesday 22 April** when we are looking forward to seeing you all again.

Please note our next INSET day is Friday 23 May and half term is 26–30 May.

*Best wishes
Kathryn King
Head Teacher*



Book Club

Our reading choice for April is *My Brilliant Friend* by Elena Ferrante. The story begins in the 1950s in a poor neighbourhood in Naples. Lila and Elena meet as ten-year-olds and maintain a close and complex friendship for nearly sixty years. This novel, the first in a series of four, takes their relationship to their mid-teens, when their paths in life begin to diverge. The books have been international bestsellers. We shall meet to discuss this one on Wednesday 30 April.

Further information about the Book Club from Helen 636337.

Sewage Farming in Victorian and Edwardian Britain

This unusual subject turned out to be very interesting indeed. Richard Jones spoke with enthusiasm about the efforts of those over 150 years ago who were equally passionate about solving a problem that we still face today. Using sewage to fertilise fields was remarkably successful. Carefully planned farms close to sewage works produced a range of crops which rivalled those fertilised in a more conventional way. The expertise was handed on in families and the successful farmers moved around the country. They clearly enjoyed their work, but it was hard labour and when more sophisticated methods of chemical treatment of sewage were introduced these highly organised sewage farms were gradually phased out.

The Spirit of Wartime Sherwood: the archaeology of World War II in Sherwood Forest.

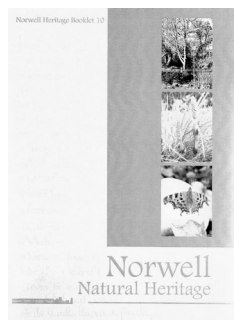
This talk by Andy Gaunt on Thursday 20 March will be reported on in May.

LAUNCH OF NORWELL NATURAL HERITAGE

You are all invited to drop in for tea in **Norwell Village Hall on Saturday 12 April between 3.00 and 5.00pm**. We will be launching the booklet *Norwell Natural Heritage*. It is the final booklet in the series so there will also be displays celebrating all that the NPHG has achieved in the 20 years since it was founded. It is also an opportunity

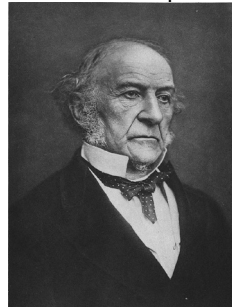
to thank those who have helped to unearth the heritage of Norwell.

Everyone who lives in Norwell and Norwell Woodhouse will get a free copy of the booklet delivered to them. Additional copies can be purchased at £4.00 each.



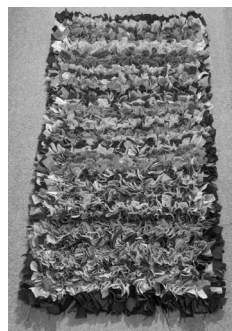
COMING UP IN MAY

At our meeting on Thursday 15 May at 7.30pm in Norwell Village Hall, Richard Gaunt will talk to us about **Gladstone: 'The Grand Old Man' in Nottinghamshire**. This talk explores the life-long and important connections between four-time Liberal prime minister, William Ewart Gladstone (1809-1898) and Nottinghamshire. Come and hear about the unexpected stories that connect one of Britain's most significant prime ministers with our local heritage.



REMEMBERING WW2 AND RATIONING

We are continuing to pursue our interest in memories of World War II and rationing. Thank you for the gas mask! Does anyone have an old handmade rag rug? Fabric was rationed and difficult to obtain so every scrap of material was used in some way. Patchwork and rag rugs used up pieces that were left over after clothes had been made from hand-me-downs. Nothing was wasted. If you have memories to share please contact Elizabeth on 636 365 and continue to look out for any memorabilia that you might have hoarded or, if you are too young, has been hoarded by your parents (or grandparents!).



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From the Church

Some tentative good news regarding the church fabric: work is to start shortly on the replacement of the rotten floor beneath some of the pews. Once the floor is structurally sound, this will enable scaffolding to be put in place to allow refurbishment to begin. However this is all some way off yet.

In the meantime, our April service falls at Easter so we look forward to welcoming everyone to the Hut at 10.30am on Easter Sunday, 20 April.

Ossington Luncheon Club

Because of the way Easter falls this year, the Luncheon Club will take place a little earlier than usual. If you would like to book for a delicious homemade lunch on Monday 14 April, please let Mary Brown know in advance (01636 821029 / marybrown3@hotmail.co.uk).

Ossington Coffee Morning

Come along to the Coffee Morning after Easter on Saturday 22 April for coffee, cake...and plants! There will be a Bring and Buy plant stall so any seedlings or surplus plants will be most welcome. See you between 11.00 and 1.00pm.

Ossington's Commemoration of V.E. Day

This year marks the 80th anniversary of Victory in Europe Day on 8 May 1945, when the Allies formally accepted Germany's unconditional surrender of its armed forces.

To commemorate this momentous event, an afternoon dedicated to the history of RAF Ossington and its airfield is planned for Saturday 10 May. Held in conjunction



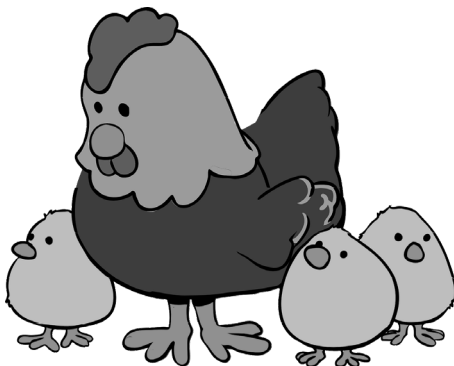
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with the Walks of Life Museum at Tuxford, there will be a presentation in the Hut by Milan Petrovic, an enthusiastic and very knowledgeable local expert on the airfields of Nottinghamshire. He has a particular interest in Ossington so his talk should be enlightening. It will be followed by afternoon tea, with a 1940s slant!

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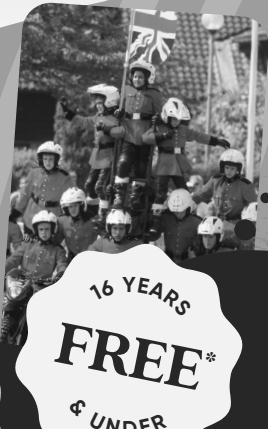
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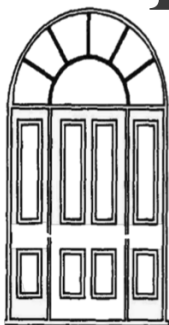


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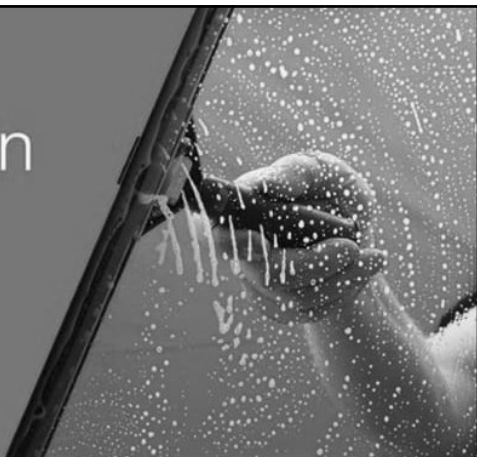
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