

Dereham, Scarning,  
East Bilney, Hoe,



Swanton Morley, Beetley with  
Shipdham and Bradenham

# This Week in our Churches

Week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2025

<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup></b>  5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	8.00am	Holy Communion	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
	9.30am	All Age Worship	Dereham	Mr T Cross
	9.30am	Parish Communion	Beetley	The Revd P Cubitt
	9.30am	Choral Matins	Bradenham	The Revd L Purnell
	11.15am	Morning Prayer	Scarning	Mr T Cross
	11.15am	Morning Praise	Shipdham	The Revd L Purnell
	11.15am	Parish Communion	Swanton Morley	The Revd P Cubitt
	6.00pm	Compline, see on Facebook		
<b>Mon 21<sup>st</sup></b>	9.30am	Outdoor working party	Dereham	
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice	Dereham	
	7.30pm	Bible study	Shipdham Rectory	
<b>Tue 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	2.30pm	Meeting of parishes	Swanton Morley	The Ven C Dobson/ The Revd P Cubitt
	2.30pm	Funeral of Peggy Maund	Bradenham	The Revd L Purnell
<b>Wed 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	9.30-11.00am	Pop up Pantry	Shipdham	
	10.00am	Holy Communion	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
	11.30am	Holy Communion	Shipdham	The Revd L Purnell
	6.30pm	The Admission of Churchwardens	Swaffham	
	7.00pm	Bell ringing practice	Scarning	
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice	Shipdham	
<b>Thur 24<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Coffee, cake and company	Swanton Morley	
	2.30pm	Holy Communion	Lincoln House	The Revd P Cubitt
<b>Fri 25<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Swanton Morley PCC in All Saints' Church		
	7.00-10.30pm	Worship Night with Joshua Leventhal, Dereham		
	7.30pm	Bell ringing	Swanton Morley	
<b>Sat 26<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Pre-loved clothes	Scarning Village Hall	
	11.00am	Baptism	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b>  6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday After Trinity	8.00am	Holy Communion	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
	9.30am	Parish Communion	Dereham	The Revd L Purnell
	9.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Bradenham	The Revd D Fotherby
	9.30am	Morning Prayer	East Bilney	Mrs L Crick
	9.30am	Parish Communion (BCP)	Hoe	The Revd P Cubitt
	11.15am	Parish Communion (BCP)	Scarning	The Revd P Cubitt
	11.15am	Parish Communion	Shipdham	The Revd D Fotherby
				The Revd L Purnell
	11.15am	Morning Prayer	Swanton Morley	Mrs L Crick
	2.00pm	Baptism	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
	3.00pm	Baptism	Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
	6.00pm	Compline, see on Facebook.		

## **News for the Pews**

**Swanton Morley, Hoe, and Beetley with East Bilney meeting with the Ven Catherine Dobson at 2.30pm on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July in All Saints' Church, Swanton Morley.** This is for Churchwardens, PCC members and the congregations of these churches to discuss ways forward after the departure of the Revd Rachael Dines.

**Worship Night Friday 25<sup>th</sup> July in St Nicholas' Church. 7.00pm-10.30pm** with special guest Joshua Leventhal (Vancouver, BC). These are nights set apart for extended praise, prayer, and wholehearted adoration, a space to encounter the presence of God and respond to him. Paul.

**Pre loved Clothing Sale - Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July, 10am - 2pm** at Scarning Village Hall. Quality clothes for ladies, men, teens and children. Come and look for bargains by Jack Jones, Hobbs, Jacques Vert, Mini Boden, John Rocha, Monsoon, Zara and many other well known labels. Light refreshments available, proceeds to Scarning Church.

### **Cream Teas in a delightful Cottage Garden.**

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2 - 5pm at Broadway Farm, The Broadway, Scarning NR19 2LQ

Tickets are £10 per person, children £5 and are available in advance from Tricia 01362 687082 [pforeman4@sky.com](mailto:pforeman4@sky.com) or Sue 01362

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Savoury options will also be available. By kind invitation of Corinne and Michael Steward with proceeds to Scarning Church.

**Commemorating the 80th Anniversary of VJ Day, Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August.** Supper in Scarning Village Hall at 6.30pm, and Concert in Church at 7.30pm.

We are delighted that Kyle is making a return visit to Scarning to entertain us with songs from the era. She is superb!

Tickets are £15 for the supper and concert or £10 for the concert only and are available from Tricia 01362 687082 [pforeman4@sky.com](mailto:pforeman4@sky.com)

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Thanks to Breckland Council for supporting the event. Please bring your own drinks and glasses. Proceeds to Scarning Church.

Lookout for full details of events and services in Dereham and Shipdham to mark VJ Day in next week's pew sheet.

Some of you will remember coming to Church House last August for some **Defibrillator Training** by the Air Ambulance. This training covers a year, and the AA have suggested a return visit to update our knowledge! The course was very interesting and enjoyable, so if you are interested either as a follow up or a first time, let Clare in the office know.

The annual **Bike, Walk and Drive Day** is on the horizon again – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September, and there's an opportunity to win large financial prizes for our churches. So if you fancy an outing, plan your route and perhaps make a day of it. Posters will be around the parishes for more details.

**Food Bank Parcels** – Urgent needs are for laundry detergent, long life fruit juice, size 3, 5 and 6 nappies, tinned custard and toilet rolls. meat and tinned tomatoes. Lesser demand but still appreciated is tinned meat and sponge puddings. They have plenty of pasta, sanitary wear and breakfast cereal, so these items are not needed. Please do consider adding one of these items to your shop this week - thank you! Please remember that they can only use items with a reasonably long 'best before' date.

**Eco Tip** During hot weather please consider helping out the wildlife in your garden. There are several simple things you can do. Provide enough water both in a shallow dish and a bird bath and keep your pond topped up; keep bird feeders topped up and scatter some bird food on the ground; provide enough cover from the sun (logs, rockeries, tall grass) and above all don't be too tidy in the garden – wilder areas provide shelter for a multitude of wildlife!

The Memorial Service for Gerry Palmer will take place on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> August, at All Saints' Church, Swanton Morley, 2.30pm. A private cremation will take place earlier in the day.

**Recently departed:** Gerry Palmer, John Elsdon, Peggy Maund and Karen Cantwell.

**For our prayers:** Jenny Taylor, Sylvia Blacker, Jean Fairweather, Keith Otty, Cheryl Lister, Doug Speed, Ong Song, Pat & Brian Ogden, Peter Hunt, Val Stebbings, Ann Betts, Irene & John Farrall, Baby Forrest, June Burleigh, Barbara Beckett, Melva Brunning, Maureen & Peter Hart, and Robin & Joan Loveday, also Tommy Barnes and Pam Walker.

Remember to email anything for the pew sheet to [derehamanddistrictteam@gmail.com](mailto:derehamanddistrictteam@gmail.com) by 11.00am on a Tuesday. Thank you.

## **Prayers and Collects**

### **Collect**

Almighty God,  
send down upon your Church  
the riches of your Spirit,  
and kindle in all who minister the gospel  
your countless gifts of grace;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Introductory sentence for the Peace**

We are the body of Christ.  
In the one Spirit we were all baptized  
into one body.  
Let us then pursue all that makes for  
peace  
and builds up our common life.

### **Post Communion Prayer**

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you,  
that the course of this world may be so  
peaceably ordered  
by your governance,  
that your Church may joyfully serve you  
in all godly quietness;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Our Clergy**

Team Rector

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The Revd Michael will continue to  
work full time, but will be in the  
Benefice on Sundays.

The Rev'd Doreen Fotherby

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This week's readings – two from

Genesis 18.1-10a

Colossians 1.15-28

Luke 10.38-42

*Psalms 15*

Next week's readings from

*Psalms 138*

Genesis 18.20-32

Colossians 2.6-15(16-19)

Luke 11.1-13

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