

The BROADSIDER

May & June 2017



Covering the Broadside Benefice parishes of
Ranworth with Panxworth, South Walsham, Upton & Fishley, and Woodbastwick

Dear Friends,

'Hev yew got a loight, boy? Or gal?'

On May 25th, we'll have one! At Norwich Cathedral our group of parishes will be given a special candle that we will carry back and take from one village to another over the following nine days. We're hoping to carry the light on foot as far as possible – would you like to carry it for us?

What's the point of this? The candle is a symbol of prayer and will bear the words 'Thy will be done.' It reminds us that in the days between Ascension Day (May 25th) and Pentecost or Whitsunday

(June 4th) we will join with Christians in a global wave of prayer. Using the Lord's Prayer as a springboard, we will pray for the world in all its need for change, peace and wholeness. We can also pray for people we know who we feel would benefit from having faith in God in their lives. This sounds a bit like mission – it is, but without embarrassment. I can assure you there will be no preaching on village greens or bashing people over the head with large, heavy Bibles. It is a way for us to quietly care for others and let God get on with his work.

So, what's happening? The **Candle** will travel from South Walsham to Ranworth, then on to Woodbastwick and Upton, before ending its journey at Fishley. Can you help at any stage? The journey could be on foot, on a bike, horseback or by car if it's too far to walk. Our walkers may also be grateful for a lift home! We also have a large stock of cards with the Lord's Prayer, which could be given to anyone who's interested on the way. The Candle will rest in each church, but can also come to your home/business/pub/event if you would like to host it.

Could you be part of a chain of prayer lasting 12 hours? The **9 'til 9** event is happening in St. Lawrence's, South Walsham on Saturday May 27th.

There's always going to be food involved somewhere! The **Deanery Prayer Breakfast** at Holy Trinity, Rackheath on June 3rd at 8.45am will be attended by leaders of our Deanery churches, and all members are welcome to attend.

Please contact me or Helen on 01603 270769 / NickGarr39@aol.com FB. Nick Garrard / Helen Garrard for more info about any of these activities.

Finally, the most important thing that can happen during this time is that you **pray in your own time, in your own way**. There are no hard and fast rules about how to pray or when to pray or even who should pray. Prayer can happen when we're hanging out the washing or queuing at the checkout or commuting to work. Sometimes when we're being still and praying we feel like we're doing nothing – if we're busy we can feel that we're achieving something. However, the opposite is more likely to be true.

Wishing you a prayerful patch in your life, Nick Garrard



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Pastoral Care of Parishioners

If anyone requires visiting or wishes to make arrangements for a baptism, marriage or funeral, please inform Rev. Nick Garrard, Rev. Helen Garrard or one of your churchwardens listed above.

A big thank you...

...to Veronica and her helpers for the Pancake Party in support of WaterAid at Upton Village Hall.

...to Helen and Team who provided Monday Munch during Lent and the Passover Meal. The Munches raised £406.54 plus some Gift Aid for the Diocesan Lent Appeal in aid of Hospice Ethiopia. This is the most we've ever raised in Lent!

...to everyone who shared our Benefice journey through Holy Week to Easter. It was a well-supported and very meaningful time for all who took part.

...to all who attended the Annual General Meeting and stood for election to PCCs and Deanery Synod.

The Broads Outdoor Festival comes to Ranworth!

The 22-day Outdoor Festival organised by the Broads Authority has become a major highlight of the Broadland year. Beginning with the Southern Tour de Broads on April 30th, over 100 events will culminate in a Broads Outdoor Festival Service at St.Helen's Ranworth on May 21st at 11am. This will be a thanksgiving in words, music and prayer for the vibrant life of these waterways, the people who care and make their livelihoods on them, and all who find spiritual refreshment on the Broads. The service will be led by the Rector of Ranworth and Archdeacon of Norwich, followed by refreshments in the Church Visitors' Centre. Anyone who wishes to give thanks for all that we cherish in this area is warmly invited. For more information please contact

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Songs of Praise on Ranworth Staithe

On June 26th we're going to gather on Ranworth Staithe for this year's OPEN AIR SONGS OF PRAISE, beginning at 10am. It would be great to see you there. Come along and bring something to sit on if you wish.

Christian Aid Week

This year's Appeal from May 14th-20th marks the 60th anniversary of Christian Aid Week. It began in 1945 in response to the needs of cold and starving people in Europe at the end of the Second World War. It is very sad to think that six decades later Christian Aid is still needed to provide food, shelter and education in war-ravaged countries. Please support this important cause.

Your copy of the Broadsider should contain a Christian Aid gift envelope. If not, please contact Nick, who will be happy to provide one. If you wish to make a donation, please would you bring your envelope to the following locations:

Fairhaven School: School Office.

Fishley: St. Mary's Church
(Friday and Sunday).

Ranworth: your envelope will be collected from your home.

South Walsham: The Rectory.

Upton: Upton Community Shop.

Woodbastwick

SS.Fabian & Sebastian's Church.

If you are unable to do so and would like your envelope to be collected, please contact Nick and Helen (01603 270769). You may prefer to donate online at:

www.christianaid.org.uk/donations

Thank you.

THE WOODBASTWICK FESTIVAL

June 9th - 10th - 11th 2017

to include

A Celebration of
Flowers In The Church

Art Exhibition In the Village Hall

Cream Teas on the Green

Ample Car Parking Available
Toilet Facilities

Tickets £5 to include everything

Art Exhibitors Welcome - Entry Form
available from fts.artist@talktalk.net
01508 493638

Prayer and Praise

Prayer and Praise continues every Thursday evening from 7.30pm in St Lawrence's Church, South Walsham. This weekly service is a time of quiet reflection, guitar-led worship and Bible study/sharing to which everyone is invited. Any questions, or for further details, please contact Helen Garrard or Elaine 07788 505923. (May 18th meeting will be held in St Mary's Church.)

FROM THE REGISTERS

BAPTISM

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖

February 5th

Penelope Jennifer Ann Whites

FUNERALS

❖ at SS Fabian and Sebastian, Woodbastwick ❖

January 11th

Cecil Frederick "Fred" Cossey

❖ at Great Yarmouth Crematorium ❖

January 13th

Pauline Phyllis Bickerton

❖ at St Faith's Crematorium ❖

and a Thanksgiving Service at

St Mary's, South Walsham

January 16th

Pamela Myhill

❖ at SS Fabian and Sebastian, Woodbastwick ❖

February 21st

Joyce Maud "Betty" Cossey

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
and South Walsham Parish Cemetery

February 28th

Joan May Brown

❖ at St Margaret's, Upton ❖

and Upton Parish Cemetery

March 30th

Heather Joy (Sally) Barbour

The 2017 Quiz & Chip Nights

. . . were well supported and resulted in £800 going to the Salvation Army's Toys and Tins Appeal, £800 to the South Walsham Village Hall renovation fund and the raffle and 50p game proceeds totalling £870 being sent to the Big C. A huge 'thank you' goes to Ian Forster, Ann and Mark Hadden, Beryl Debbage and Pete Beverley for all their help and support over the four nights.

QUIZ & CHIPS

Friday 5th May 2017 - 7 for 7.30pm start

In South Walsham Village Hall

Tickets £10 per person

All proceeds to

Off the Record Counselling Service

Registered Charity 1088504

to help provide high quality but low-cost counselling for vulnerable people

- Choice of cod, plaice or vegetarian option and chips served in the interval
- Please bring your own wine, beer, glasses cutlery and condiments etc
- A general knowledge quiz of ten rounds
- Make up a team of eight with your friends for a very enjoyable evening
- No embarrassing individual questions, each table competes as a team

For further details or to book in your team

contact Sue Hitchcock on 01603 270212

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Upton Organ Discovery Project

Natalie Butler has recently been appointed as the Independent Researcher for the Upton Organ Discovery Project.



She is a freelance Historical Researcher and Heritage Consultant with over ten years experience of working in this sector. She studied at the University of East Anglia and completed a BA in History and History of Art, and a MA in Landscape History. Before becoming freelance she worked for the Norfolk Museums and Archaeology Service and the National Trust. She now enjoys working on a range of exciting projects throughout East Anglia from interpretation and design to research and building histories.

As part of the Upton Organ Discovery Project she will be conducting research into the role of music, sacred and secular, in the development of community and church life in parish of Upton between 1875-1925. This will include research into the history and use of the 1865 Holdich organ in St. Margaret's Church, Upton. She will be getting local groups, schools and the community involved in aspects of the research. If you have any information, old photos, stories or memories that you think may help her with the research please get in touch.

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CONCERTS 2017 AT ST LAWRENCE'S

Saturday 3rd June — 7.30pm

THE MIGHTY PHANTOM

aka Caspar James and his

TROPICAL TROUBADOURS

aka Will Fergusson, Vilem Hais
and José Ferrara Mulèn

Tickets available from St George's Music Shop

Telephone 01603 626414

or by emailing suehitchcock6@gmail.com

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FAIRHAVEN C OF E VA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

Spring finally seems to have arrived as we come to the end of the Spring Term.

Our school garden has benefited from the pond being refurbished by Fairhaven Water Gardens to whom we are most grateful. Parents have helped with re-turfing around the pond and the children have made scarecrows to keep the birds away from the newly seeded parts.

In school the children have been working hard in lessons and in other activities.

At half term some of our pupils took up the 'Junior Apprentice Challenge' organised by The Friends. Children were given £2 to invest in some kind of business venture through which they could make money. During half term a number of them set themselves up in the car washing trade, others bagged and delivered horse manure, while some made greeting cards, pencil pots, designed competitions, baked and sold cakes and raffled sweets and chocolate. The list of their entrepreneurial ideas is too long to record all of them. On two afternoons in March the children had an opportunity to sell their wares to parents and friends. Many of them have made an impressive amount of money and we look forward to finding out the total raised.

The second half of the term began with the Cluster Rugby Festival in which both of our teams came first. Our younger pupils took part in the Cluster Multi-skills competition at Acle Sports Centre and enjoyed their afternoon. We sent a class of violin players to the Norfolk Music festival and they were delighted to receive a Highly Commended Certificate for their performance. Four pupils

represented the school at the Cluster 'Great Egg Race' Competition. They had a most enjoyable day and worked really well as a team. Children from Key Stage 2 took part in Sportshall Athletics as part of The Norfolk Games. We were delighted to win for the second year running. Finally we hosted the Cluster Key Stage 1 football festival which was a thoroughly enjoyable event.

Children also enjoyed a Film Night when they stayed after school to watch "Trolls".

We held a Family Learning Day in School when children were joined by a parent, grandparent or other family member to work on an 'engineering task'. This year the task was to build an aeroplane. At the end of each session the models were flown in the playground to test which could fly the furthest. The whole day was very successful with nearly half of our school families taking part, either in the morning or the afternoon. As ever, we are grateful to Mr Grayson for helping to organise and run this event.

Beech Class visited the BBS Voices studio in Norwich to complete the editing of the film they made earlier in the term. The whole school watched the completed film before it went to be shown at Cinema City to children from across the Acle Cluster.

The term finished with an Easter Egg Hunt in the school grounds organised by The Friends.

We are looking for an extra Midday Supervisor to join our hardworking team. If you enjoy working with children and would like to join our happy team please contact the school office for more details 01603 270224.

**EVENT
ORGANISERS
PLEASE NOTE**

The next issue of Broadsider covers **JULY & AUGUST**

Deadline: Friday, June 9th

Please send your copy to **David Benham**

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BENEFICE PRAYERS

MAY

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come;
thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory for ever and ever.

— Amen

JUNE

Broadland Prayer

O Lord you moved on the waters of creation
Establishing calm over chaos.

May these waters of Broadland
refresh the spirits

Of those who sail on them.

May this landscape call to mind your son's
ministry in Galilee.

And may we show forth your love
to those who seek

Your peace and presence here.

— Amen.

SUNDAY BY SUNDAY PRAYERS

May 7th

Pray for sidespersons, welcomers and all who help keep the church and grounds clean and in good repair. For our fabric and churchyard Committees, Friends of St. Margaret's, patrons and benefactors.

May 14th

Pray for Village Halls and their committees, and for the groups who use them.

May 21st

Give thanks for the Broads and all who care for them. Pray for those who are homeless or living in poverty and for any who sleep rough in this area. For The Bridge and The Well projects in Gorleston and the Great Yarmouth Food Bank.

May 28th

Pray for St. Lawrence's Centre, its Committee, supporters and Friends. For the promotion of the arts, spirituality and community events.

June 4th

Pray for our Churchwardens, David Benham and John Ley (Ranworth),

Gill Hood and Steve Ganson (South Walsham), James Chaplin and Tony Moore (Upton), Alby Cator and Kit Cator (Woodbastwick), Chloe Ecclestone and Ivan Barnard (Fishley) and their Deputy Wardens.

June 11th

Pray for our local health centres, doctors' surgeries and dental practices; for all who provide health and social care in our area.

June 18th

Pray for Peace in the World. For inspiration and encouragement as we seek to meet our financial challenges.

June 25th

Pray for the work of the Church Mission Society. For Norwich Cathedral, its Dean and Chapter, staff and volunteers.

July 2nd

Pray for Steven Betts, Archdeacon of Norfolk, Keith Gerrard, Blofield Deanery Lay Chair and our Deanery Synod representatives.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday, May 7th *Fourth Sunday of Easter*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Morning Prayer
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Family Service and Baptism
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Fishley _____	3.00pm	___ Evensong

Sunday, May 14th *Fifth Sunday of Easter*

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK BEGINS

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Family Service
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Family Service

Sunday, May 21st *Sixth Sunday of Easter*

Fishley _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
Ranworth _____	11.00am	___ Broads Outdoor Festival Service
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Morning Prayer
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Morning Prayer

Sunday, May 28th *Seventh Sunday of Easter*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Morning Prayer
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Family Service
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion

Sunday, June 4th *Pentecost (Whitsunday)*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Fishley _____	3.00pm	___ Evensong

Sunday, June 11th *Trinity Sunday*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Family Service
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	6.30pm	___ Flower Festival Evensong

Sunday, June 18th *Trinity 1*

Ranworth _____	8.00am	___ Holy Communion
Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Family Service
Fishley _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Morning Prayer

Sunday, June 25th *Trinity 2*

Ranworth Staithe _____	10.00am	___ Summer Songs of Praise
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Sunday, July 2nd *Trinity 3*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	___ Morning Prayer
Upton _____	9.30am	___ Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	___ Morning Prayer
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	___ Holy Communion
Fishley _____	3.00pm	___ Evensong

Prayer & Praise every Thursday evening from 7.30pm in St Lawrence's Church, South Walsham.

A weekly service of quiet reflection, guitar-led worship and Bible study

(May 18th meeting will be held in St Mary's Church.)

MEETINGS & VILLAGE ACTIVITIES

May

2 nd Tuesday	2.30pm	Womens' Fellowship – Upton Village Hall
3 rd Wednesday	10am-Noon	Chloe's Coffee Morning in aid of Breast Cancer and St Mary's, Fishley – 16 Priory Close, Acle
	7.30pm	South Walsham W.I. – South Walsham Village Hall
5 th Friday	7 for 7.30pm	Quiz & Chips in aid of Off the Record Counselling Service – South Walsham Village Hall
8 th Monday	6.00pm	Hospice Ethiopia Update a talk by Sue and Jamie Mumford – Priscilla Bacon Lodge, Unthank Road, Norwich NR2 2PJ
	6.30pm	Faith, Hope and Justice in a Broken World? a talk by Bishop Rowan Williams – Norwich Cathedral
10 th Wednesday	1.30pm	Visitors' Centre Management Team – Ranworth Visitors' Centre
16 th Tuesday	7 for 7.30pm	Archdeacon's Central Visitation – Norwich Cathedral
	7.30pm	Ranworth Ladies Group – The Coffee Shop, The Staithe, Ranworth "Washday Memories" with Angela Bishop. For further information contact Sue Hitchcock. Tel 01603 270212
18 th Thursday	2.15pm	Yarmouth Foodbank Support Group – St. Lawrence's, S. Walsham
22 nd Monday	7.45pm	Ministry Team – The Rectory, South Walsham
25 th Thursday	7.00pm	Holy Communion & "Thy Kingdom Come" launch – Norwich Cathedral
		"Thy Kingdom Come Candle" comes to South Walsham
27 th Saturday	9am-9pm	9 'til 9 Prayer Event – St. Lawrence's, South Walsham
28 th Sunday		"Thy Kingdom Come Candle" comes to Ranworth
	from 2.00pm	Open Garden at the Old House, Ranworth
30 th Tuesday		"Thy Kingdom Come Candle" comes to Woodbastwick

June

1 st Thursday		"Thy Kingdom Come Candle" comes to Upton
3 rd Saturday		"Thy Kingdom Come Candle" comes to Fishley
	8.45am	Deanery Prayer Breakfast – Holy Trinity, Rackheath
	7.30pm	Concert: The Mighty Phantom and his Tropical Troubadors – St Lawrence's, South Walsham
5 th Monday	12.30-4.30pm	Monday Munch – St. Lawrence's, South Walsham
6 th Tuesday	2.30pm	Womens' Fellowship – Upton Village Hall
7 th Wednesday	7.30pm	South Walsham W.I. – South Walsham Village Hall
9 th -11 th Friday-Sunday		Woodbastwick Flower Festival – SS Fabian & Sebastian Church
12 th Monday	7.45pm	St Lawrence's Committee – St. Lawrence's, South Walsham
13 th Tuesday	4.30pm	Woodbastwick PCC – Copperhole, Woodbastwick
18 th Sunday	7.00pm	Charity Concert: Scunslata – St. Lawrence's, South Walsham
20 th Tuesday	7.30pm	Ranworth Ladies Group – The Coffee Shop, The Staithe, Ranworth "Forty Years of 'ell in Norfolk" with Pat Maitland.
21 st Wednesday	7.45pm	South Walsham & Upton & Fishley PCC – St Margaret's, Upton
25 th Sunday	10.00am	Summer Songs of Praise – Ranworth Staithe
26 th Monday	7.30pm	Ranworth PCC – Ranworth Visitors' Centre

July

1 st Saturday	6.30pm	Picnic and Concert: All in a Garden Green by Hexachordia – St. Margaret's, Upton
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OPEN GARDEN AT THE OLD HOUSE GARDEN, RANWORTH

Sunday, May 28th 2-5 pm



Traditional market stalls and music from SEYO and Rackheath Primary Orchestra and Choir.

These beautiful gardens and the arboretum overlook Ranworth Broad — book the date — come and explore.
in aid of East Coast Hospice, Gorleston — By the kind permission of The Hon. Mrs Jacquetta Cator

