

**MID LOES BENEFICE**  
**Ashfield-cum-Thorpe, Charsfield with Debach**  
**Cretingham, Dallingham, Earl Soham,**  
**Hoo, Letheringham and Monewden**

**June 2021**

## *Note From Your Curate*

There can be few of us that don't know where the church is located in our village. In most cases it is in a very prominent place in the centre of the village. If nothing else we use it when giving directions, we've all done it, "turn left just after the church." We do this because the church is immediately recognizable to everyone.

It has surprised me that although we know where the church is, how few people have signed in to the visitor sheets over the past few months, at a time which has probably been one of the most stressful and anxious periods we have ever experienced. The church and churchyard are two of the few public spaces which can be accessed by everybody. They are spaces where we can find peace and tranquility that can be found in few other places.

The church building has been there for many hundreds of years, where else can you sit quietly, for private prayer and reflection, in the same space where many generations have sat quietly before us in times of both sorrow and joy. We can all take strength from the people who were here before us in this chaotic and stressful world of today.

Likewise the churchyard is a haven of peace. Most of our churchyards have a seat to just relax for a few minutes and "chill out," while admiring the wild flowers and creatures of God's creation.

What do you want from your church? If you want your church to still be here when you need it, and for future generations, it needs your support. Not only financial support, but physical support. I will say it again, what do you want from your church? Are we providing what you need? Please contact me or your churchwardens with any new ideas for improvement to anything connected to the church. Perhaps by making our churches more family friendly. The village churches need your input

Peace and Blessings, Kathleen

### **This month's Prayer**

O God, you speak often with a quiet voice  
waiting for us to listen.

Help us to keep alert to your call,  
to keep our eyes and our hearts open  
to what is happening around us,  
for in such events you speak.

Amen



#### **THE PATTERN OF TINY FEET!**

**Mid Loes Benefice wish to congratulate Rev Stephen Brian and his wife, Liz on the birth of their first Grand-child. Nellie Elizabeth was born on 3rd May weighing 8lb 13oz.**

# Holiday Club is back!

## "Top Team 2021"

Are you aged between 5 and 11?  
Do you like to be busy?  
Come and join our Top Team!



Every year children from Earl Soham, Charsfield and our neighbouring parishes, join our fun-filled holiday club, led by local Church members.

**This year we will be at Brandeston Village Hall on 16th, 17th and 18th of August, from 9.30am to 1:15pm each day.**

£3.00 per day for the first child and £2 for each additional sibling in a family per day  
You can come for 1, 2 or 3 days. Bring a packed lunch and a drink.

Put the dates in your diary now!!

To book, call

Mary Baker 01728 685807

Jackie Clark 01728 723623

Jo Reed 01728 685794 (or email me:  
[reedjo@hotmail.com](mailto:reedjo@hotmail.com))

**We are so looking forward to seeing you again!**

### EARL SOHAM NOTES

Rota for the Altar and Roll of Honour Flowers and Brasses-St. Mary's		
<b>JUNE</b>	Mrs Kerridge	Mrs Roberts
<b>JULY</b>	Mrs Patterson	Mrs Denton
Any Problems Ring Lyn—685278 Thank you to all concerned for the Easter Displays.		

### ST MARYS EARL SOHAM FETE

*It seems like a very long time since the last Earl Soham Village Fete but I am pleased to say that the committee have had a meeting and are delighted to announce our plans for this summer.*

*Of course the world has changed but as fete organisers we felt we needed to arrange an event to bring the village together again and to raise much needed funds for St Marys Church. In doing so it will be our priority to keep everyone as safe as possible and for this reason we have decided on 'Tea and Games on the Green' to take place on*

***Saturday 7th August from 2.30pm to 4.30pm.***

*Tea, coffee and cakes will be available, as well as a Pimm's tent and we will also have some of the games and stalls that you expect to see on our usual Fete day.*

*Our aim is to provide the opportunity for the village to be sociable again, to catch up with friends and neighbours and have some fun at the same time. We will have more space to set up tables and chairs and can't wait to see everyone back on the Green, enjoying the afternoon, hopefully, sitting in the sunshine!*

**KEEP THE DATE FREE!**

Mavis Kerridge

For Earl Soham Church Events Committee



## Earl Soham WI

### New Members Welcome!



Become a member of the WI and be part of a fellowship of more than 200,000 women. The National Federation of Women's Institutes provides educational opportunities, the chance to build new skills, take part in a wide variety of activities and campaign on issues that matter to them and their communities.

Earl Soham WI has over 40 members and we would be pleased to welcome more. Our meetings are held at 7.00pm on the fourth Thursday of the month. We are currently enjoying our speakers and entertainment online however we can't wait to get back to meeting in person and we are keeping fingers crossed that will be in July at our annual 'Garden Meeting' before returning to our regular venue, Earl Soham Village Hall. We are also keeping in touch with one another via online coffee mornings, a monthly newsletter, which includes quizzes, fun and facts and all manner of contributions from our members. Why not join in and forge some new friendships?

#### Next Meeting

**7.00pm Thursday 24th June 2021 (via zoom)**

#### Sophie-Louise Dann

Multi Olivier Award nominee Sophie-Louise Dann's extensive career has encompassed the worlds of musical theatre, opera, TV and film. She has starred in many West End productions such as Les Miserable and Calendar Girls.

WI Secretary: Mrs Daphne Dale 01728 621292



**EARL SOHAM 100 Club**, as from May 1st 2021, I have stepped down as Chair after 14 years. Chris Pratt has kindly offered to take over from me. Thank you for supporting me & I hope you will continue to support Chris in this venture to give much needed funds to the Village Hall & Church.

Thank you. Richard Tinkler.



### THE LOST CHAPEL OF CRETINGHAM

The History of Framlingham and Loes Hundred in Suffolk, written by Robert Hawes in 1712, refers to "Little Cretingham near Otley" which formerly had a chapel attached to it. It is interesting to speculate on where that chapel might have been.

Domesday Book is a fascinating source of information, but quite hard to de-code. It has been used as evidence that Cretingham originally had two churches. It shows six major landholders having holdings in Cretingham. The entry for the estate of Earl Hugh refers to a church with 18 acres; that of Humphrey the Chamberlain a church with 8 acres. It is tempting to see these churches as the current St Peter's and the former chapel.

All however is not as it seems. The lands of Earl Hugh were part of the Honour of Chester. We know that the former Manor of Kettle bars was part of the Honour of Chester. We also know that Moat Farm, on the way to Earl Soham, was the site of that manor if there was a church there it is long gone. To make matters more confused, it seems that Domesday does not necessarily accurately record the number of churches. What it is recording is the land and income of the churches. There could have been only one church which had land within two different estates. I think it is likely however that St Peters (whose precious dedication was to St Andrew) fell within the holdings of Humphrey.

What then of the chapel? Clues can be found in medieval documents. In the twelfth century there was a series of deeds of grant given by William de Gretingham. One relates to “the churches of St Andrew and All Saints in Gretingham”. It is difficult to work out the import of these documents, but they seem to show a separation of the two churches, one of which (the current St Peter’s) went to the monastery of SS Peter Paul in Ipswich. We can be pretty sure that William owned Great and Little Cretingham, so it is a reasonable assumption that All Saints was in Little Cretingham, and subsequently became the chapel.

There are other clues as to the whereabouts of the chapel.

An old deed of 1292, called a Feoffment, documents the grant of a piece of land by Alice, the daughter of Walter Hamelot of “Gretingham ad capelam” – that is Cretingham” at the chapel”. Interestingly, the land in question was near “a way extending from Gretingham towards Monewden”. This presumably was what was later known as Chapel Lane.

A document of 1914 refers to “a way leading from a green called Monewden Green towards the lands called St Margaret’s Cretingham”. Yew Tree Farm Cretingham was the site of the Manor of St Margaret’s, so this might be a reference to associated lands. The “way”, is presumably Chapel lane, or Travellers Lane.

Finally we have the will of Margery Kempe of Ipswich ,made in 1480. She makes a bequest to the “Chapel of St Margaret’s in Cretingham”.

It seems clear therefore that there was once a chapel dedicated to St Margaret, somewhere around Chapel Lane. The tithe map and schedules of 1841 show that some of the fields around there were free of tithes. This can sometimes be evidence of ecclesiastical occupation. My guess is that the chapel was near the entrance to Shrubbery Farm, where the old track known as Overwaye, running from Otley up to Kittles Corner, crosses Chapel Lane. This is also called Chapel Hill. It is possible that this chapel was the previous church of All Saints, which presumably served the area of Little Cretingham

Gerry Field

## ***CHARSFIELD WITH DEBACH NOTES***

### ***Church Rotas***

Date	Readers	Sides person
June 6 <sup>th</sup> 10am Benefice Holy Communion at Dallinghoo	Benefice Holy Communion at Dallinghoo All Welcome	
June 20 <sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Evening Prayer	Linda Antony	Antony
June 27 <sup>th</sup> 10am Holy Communion	Pauline Sheila	Sheila

**Readers, please remember to bring your own Bible.**

### ***Cleaning Rota***

June 12th	June 26th
Ros & Lucy	Angela & Joyce

### ***Flower Rota***

May 29th & June 5th	12th & 19th	26th & 3rd July
Gill Winkworth	Lucy Fox	Pauline Llewellyn

## **CHARSFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL**

The spring term at Charsfield was different to what we initially expected; staff had been busy preparing for a full return to school in January, but we then found ourselves faced with several weeks of home learning for a number of our pupils. We were delighted to be able to welcome back all of our pupils to school on Monday 8th March. Despite the challenges that we faced, our pupils all had daily online live lessons with their teachers, exciting and interesting lessons to engage with, and have been able to move forward and progress with their learning in all areas of the curriculum.

Since we are all now back at school pupils have settled back into the daily routine of school life, and the first exciting event we celebrated was World Book Day. On Wednesday 10th March pupils and staff dressed up as book characters; ranging from Puss in Boots to Harry Potter; and took part in different book related activities in their bubble groups. The day was rounded off with a session of Share a Biscuit, Share a Story where the children find a comfy place to sit, and enjoy a biscuit whilst listening to a story.

At the end of March, the school took part in the Suffolk Libraries Scarecrow Trail, which ran during the Easter holidays, and we chose to use our love of Julia Donaldson books and the morals that these books teach us. You can find pictures of our scarecrows on our website in the Latest News section.

On Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May, the pupils dressed in something green supporting the Ipswich Deaf Children's Society (IDCS) "Green Day" event to coincide with Deaf Awareness Week. Some wore an item of clothing or simply something green like a hairband. The pupils had an assembly looking at the invaluable work that this society does and about the importance of sign language for those that are hard of hearing. All donations went directly to the IDCS and the work that they do.

As part of our commitment to our pupils' mental health and wellbeing, we hold weekly Forest School lessons for all of our pupils. Forest schools takes place in our wonderful school grounds and gives pupils the opportunity to learn about different aspects of nature and to take risks in a safe environment.



We continue to link with the Activities Leader at Handford House, a nursing home in Ipswich that has 54 residents with both dementia and physical disabilities. This is used as part of the focus for the pupils PSHE and mental health and wellbeing lessons, they understand the type of difficulties that the residents struggle with and have kept in touch with them since the summer last year. This term, the pupils been looking at how making mistakes isn't something to worry about and how we can learn that if something goes wrong, you can make it into something new or have another go. The pupils have created a "Beautiful Oops" handmade folder, making lovely pictures from mistakes such as coffee cup rings, ink spills and a bit of torn paper. The "Beautiful Oops" folder has gone to the home for residents to thumb through or use as a source of an activity. The pupils were also very aware that some of the female residents, might not receive a Mother's day card and made some extra beautiful flowery cards to be given out, even to those who perhaps aren't Mums or who might have lost a child.

As this term moves towards the May Half Term holiday, we all keep our fingers crossed that the national situation moves on and we can resume normal school life. In the meantime, if you would be interested to find out more about our rural primary school, please do call us on 01473 737347 or look at our website [www.charsfieldprimaryschool.org.uk](http://www.charsfieldprimaryschool.org.uk)

## **Charsfield Baptist Chapel**

### **'Coffee Pot'**

We are looking forward to re-starting our regular Tuesday coffee morning in July. More details will follow.

### **Sunday Worship**

It was wonderful to have a number of folk from the village gather with us to celebrate Easter Sunday. It was a joyful occasion despite corona virus restrictions.

We are currently holding a service every Sunday morning at 11am. If anyone would like to join us, please let John know in advance on 07928 113436, and we will be glad to accommodate you.





**DR DAN POULTER MP**  
Member of Parliament for Central Suffolk and North Ipswich

We are rightly proud of the contribution that Suffolk is making to deliver clean and green energy as we have become a magnet for renewable energy production. Suffolk offers one of driest climates in England with longer hours of daily sunshine and miles of coastline, so it is seen as the perfect location for solar energy and of course, offshore wind. Most of us will recognise and celebrate the benefits that renewable energy can bring, including much needed jobs for local people, as well as helping us to achieve our net zero carbon emission targets. However, these large scale energy projects cannot continue to be brought about in a piecemeal fashion without proper consideration for the potential consequences to some of our local communities.

With increasing numbers of planning applications for solar parks in our area, the time has come for our councils to plan more strategically for larger local energy projects. Rather than viewing each planning application for solar energy individually, we need a more joined up approach. Our local councils must work together to develop a strategic plan for the future development of solar power in Suffolk. Whilst we should support appropriately sited solar parks (preferably on brownfield sites), there is also an imperative for our council planners to balance green energy production against the need to protect the countryside which makes Suffolk such an attractive place to live and work.

Undoubtedly Suffolk will continue to grow as an energy hub, so it is essential that future energy development is sited in the right locations, so as not to blight our communities or damage our natural environment.

Since becoming the MP for Central Suffolk and North Ipswich, I have worked hard to support local communities fight against inappropriate planning developments. In the energy sector, I helped to see off the mid-Suffolk straw burning power station plans and I worked successfully alongside Tim Yeo (the former MP for South Suffolk) to ensure that new power lines were installed underground (rather than overhead) throughout the beautiful Fynn Valley.

Recently, we have seen proposals coming forward for a number of new solar parks near Bramford and concerning plans to install new overhead power pylons between Bramford and Twinstead, which would be a blight to our beautiful Suffolk landscape.

My view is that new power lines should, wherever possible, always be underground, and ideally, put offshore in the sea bed. So I am currently working with other MPs to make the case to the National Grid and I shall continue to do all that I can to protect the Suffolk countryside from the threat of additional overhead electricity pylons.

However, solar parks are a local planning matter and as we emerge from the COVID-19 pandemic, there is both an opportunity and a need for our local councils to work together to deliver a strategic local energy plan for Suffolk. If we get it right, there is a tremendous opportunity to grow more green jobs, support our local economy, protect the countryside and to move swiftly towards a zero-carbon society.

## ***MONEWDEN NOTES***

DATE	FLOWERS & BRASSES	CLEANING	SIDESPERSON	
June 6th	W Heath			
June 13th	S Kingston	M Skeet L Grier	L Grier	
June 20th	D Grier			
June 27th	M Gibson	F Watts C Saxby	W Heath	

## **Rogation Service**

The Benefice Rogation Service on 9<sup>th</sup> May was held outside in the churchyard at Monewden this year. After worrying about the weather forecasts for Sunday and fearing we may have to relocate inside, the rain stayed away and the weather was near perfect. Also perfect was the setting, looking across the valley towards Monewden Hall, with the hedgerows still in bloom, and the wild flowers in the churchyard.

Rev'd Wendy Gourlay led the Communion Service, with Rev'd Kathleen Martin preaching on this occasion. The large congregation were in good voice, and delighted to be able to sing at a service for the first time for more than a year, as we were outside. Definitely a service to make a note of and to be remembered for future reference. A great success.

## **100 Club winners**

100 club winners for April were as follows:

£25, Deborah Martin

£15, David Grier

£10, Pat Grier

If you didn't win in April, better luck next time!

**ANNUAL FETE:** At a recent meeting of the PCCC it was decided that it was not practical to hold the Annual Fete, therefore it is cancelled for this year.

## ***ASHFIELD NOTES***

### **ST MARY'S CHURCH.**

After the May magazine went to print we held our Annual Church Meetings. Robert Grimsey was again elected to hold the office of Churchwarden for 2021. Thanks were expressed to all of those who support the church practically, cleaning, mowing, arranging flowers etc. We would also like to thank those who support us financially during the year. without your continued help we would not be able to keep going. THANK YOU EVERYONE! RG

### **ASHFIELD-cum-THORPE PARISH COUNCIL.**

The Annual General Meeting of Ashfield-cum-Thorpe Parish Council took place on the 5th of May via zoom immediately following the Annual Parish Meeting.

After a number of years in the Chair Myles Hansen expressed a wish to step down from the role and Robert Grimsey now holds the office of Chairman. with Myles serving as Vice-Chair. On behalf of the whole parish Myles was thanked for all of his efforts during his term of office in particular recently with the pandemic.

The Parish Council meets typically four times a year; dates of the scheduled meetings are displayed on the noticeboard outside the village hall and on the parish website. Occasionally extra meetings are held where it is necessary to discuss planning applications or other urgent business notice of these will be sent out via the parish email network.

Should you have an issue of concern please do not hesitate to contact any of the Councillors; Simon Garrett, Robert Grimsey, Myles Hansen, Ruth Hart or Paul Whayman. Alternatively you can email the Parish Clerk Sarah Clare whose contact details are shown at the back of the monthly Parish Magazine.

We are pleased to report that Matthew Hicks was returned as our County Councillor at the elections held on 6th May.

Ashfield Parish Council.

## ***SERVICES FOR JUNE 2021***

Church	June 6th Trinity 1 <i>Green</i>	June 13th Trinity 2 <i>Green</i>	June 20th Trinity 3 <i>Green</i>	June 27th Trinity 4 <i>Green</i>
Ashfield-cum-Thorpe	↓	6.30pm Evening Prayer	6.30pm Evening Prayer	
Chars field w. Debach	↓		6.30pm Evening Prayer	10am Holy Communion
Cretingham	↓	10am Morning Prayer	10am Holy Communion	11am Patronal Festival
Dallinghoo	↓	6.30pm Holy Communion	10am Family Service	
Earl Soham	10am Benefice Holy Communion	10am Family Service	10am Holy Communion	10am Morning Prayer
Hoo	↑	8.30 Holy Communion		8.30am Morning Prayer
Monewden	↑	10am Holy Communion		10am Family Service
Letheringham	↑	Wed 9 June 6.30pm Evening Prayer		

## READINGS FOR JUNE 2021

Date	Holy Communion	Morning Prayer, Evening Prayer	Psalms
6th June	2 Corinthians Ch 4: 13 - Ch 5:1 Mark Ch 3: 20 - end		
13th June	2 Corinthians Ch 5: 6 - 10, 14-17 Mark Ch 4: 26 - 34	Ezekiel Ch 17: 22 - end Mark Ch 4: 26 - 34	Psalms 92 vs 1 - 8
20th June	2 Corinthians Ch 6: 1 - 13 Mark Ch 4: 35 - 41	Job Ch 38: 1 - 11 Mark Ch 4: 35 - 41	Psalms 107 vs 23 - 32
27th June	2 Corinthians Ch 8: 7 - end Mark Ch 5: 21 - end	Lamentations Ch 3: 23 - 33 Mark Ch 5: 21 - end	Psalms 130
4th July	2 Corinthians Ch 12: 2 - 10 Mark Ch 6: 1 - 13		

The Benefice Holy Communion  
On Sunday 4th July  
10am  
Is at St. Mary's, Letheringham  
All Welcome

## CRETINGHAM NOTES

### Flower and Cleaning Rota

	Altar Flowers	Cleaning
June	Mrs Kemp	Churchwardens Covid 19
July	Mrs Walker	Churchwardens Covid 19

**PATRONAL FESTIVAL** being held in St. Peters Church on **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June.**

The service starts at the later time of 11am and will be a feast of popular hymns – a real celebration.



Hopefully the weather will be kind and we are inviting everyone to bring their own picnic, chairs and drinks to find a sunny or sheltered spot in our beautiful churchyard to enjoy a leisurely lunch with friends afterwards.

We look forward to seeing everyone.



**SAVE THE DATE !!**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August on Oak Corner.**

**3 – 6pm**

A joint village event between Cretingham Village Committee and St. Peters Church. Tickets can be booked for a BBQ at The Cretingham Bell 6 pm onwards.



A coming together to celebrate our village & friendships - more information to follow - see July magazine insert.

**Annual Church Meeting News.** At our recent ACM Heather Runacres and Alister Gourlay were re-elected as Churchwardens. Pauline Cobley was elected to the Church Council for a further year and the annual report and accounts were adopted unanimously.



**Magazines.** **THANK YOU** to everyone who has responded to our request for contributions towards the costs of printing and distributing the Benefice Magazine. To date some 33 households have returned their envelopes and we are two-thirds of the way to meeting the costs. I would be pleased to receive any further donations - please just pop them through the door at Tubric Cottage. Alister Gourlay (Treasurer)

**Services this month in St. Peters, Cretingham.**

13<sup>th</sup> June – 10 am Morning Prayer

20<sup>th</sup> June – 10 am Holy Communion

27<sup>th</sup> June – 11 am Patronal Festival

**Thought for the month of June from - 'The Friendship Book'**

*In the garden of the heart grow seeds of love and trust;  
Where honesty proliferates, where all is kind and just.  
A garden warm and comforting, welcoming and splendid,  
Where those who gladly step inside are nurtured and defended.*

*A garden that will fortify: compassionate and sweet,  
A place of strength and tenderness- a sure and safe retreat.  
In the garden of the heart - enwrapped in love and grace –  
Is where those who are dear to us will always hold a place.  
(Emma Canning)*

**PRAYER FOR HEALING**

A small group meets every month and if you would like prayer for yourself or someone close who is ill or in any kind of need please get in touch with any of the following:

Kathleen Martin - 01473 737 285

Pauline Copley - 01473 737 317

Margaret Salter - 01473 737 182

Mary Vellacott - 01728 685423

Your call will be treated in the strictest confidence .

**DALLINGHOO NOTES**

Dallinghoo services for June

		Sidesperson
<u>6<sup>th</sup> June 10am</u>	Benefice Service	C Sullivan
<u>13<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm</u>	Holy Communion	C Sullivan
<u>20<sup>th</sup> June 10am</u>	Family Service	D Gill & T Love

**Come and see for yourselves**

After months of upheaval and changes, we are delighted that the church is now fully open for services. The wonderful builders have left and the church is back in full operation. Please do come along to see the repairs for yourselves. The church will be open from 1.30pm on 13<sup>th</sup> June (the day of the Open Gardens event) and the regular monthly service schedule has resumed. As a reminder, there is usually an evening service at 6.30pm on the second Sunday of the month and a Family Service at 10am on the third Sunday of the month. All are welcome.

**Get involved**

Thanks to all of those who already lend a hand with the church's operation in so many different ways. We all look forward to the full day to day opening of the church as COVID restrictions relax, but we are in need of more volunteers to help. Right now, we would like to refresh the church opening rota and the cleaning and flower rota. The time commitment for both of these could be a few hours in a year, but this does require more people to lend a hand. We know that having a welcoming church open to visits each day of the week is something that many in the village value. Can you help this to happen? Please email [charlottesullivan87@yahoo.com](mailto:charlottesullivan87@yahoo.com) or contact Chris Pennington (01473 737 836) or Linda Barry.

The Dallinghoo Church Repair Fund Plant & Cake Sale on Sunday 25th April made £1,067.62. We are most grateful to all those who made us cakes, brought plants and other items and supported the event. We still need to raise another £4,000 to complete Phase III of the repairs!

*Jeremy*

# Dallinghoo Open Gardens Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> June

In aid of: The Dallinghoo Historic Church Appeal

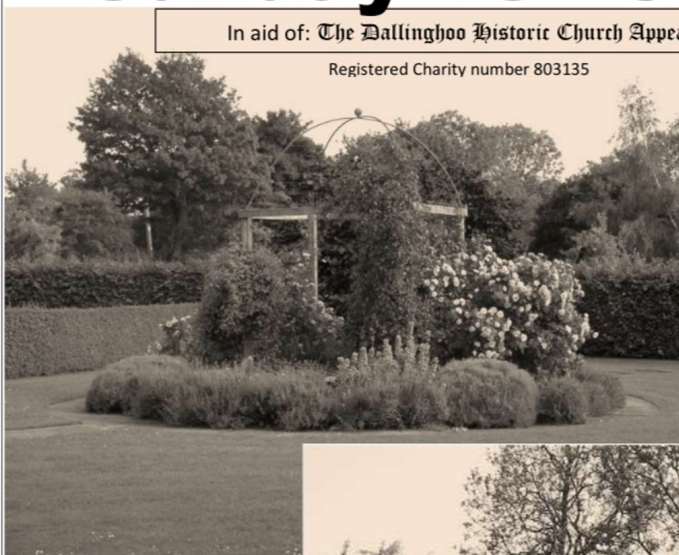
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### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE EDITOR!

Some of you may have heard our news already but for everyone else I write this to let you know that we have made the decision to start a new life in Cornwall and will be moving on Saturday 12 June - we are very excited but we will miss everyone. Whilst I am happy to continue as Editor in the short term I feel the position should be held by someone living in the Benefice, if you would like to know more about it or would like to take over from me please get in touch with myself or Rev Kathleen Martin. Please keep in touch with us and I am sure we will be visiting as often as we can. Thank you for all your support over the past 8 years.

## OUR READERS ARE PLEASED TO HAVE LOCAL BUSINESSES TO CONTACT WHEN THEY NEED PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.

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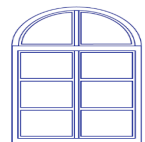
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