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Rev'd Ann serves on a 0.6 basis, and her normal working days are Saturday to Wednesday morning inclusive.

Outside of those times please leave an answerphone message or email which she will attend to as soon as possible, or in an emergency please contact one of the Benefice Elders or Churchwardens.

Orebeck Benefice

News (OBN) will be emailed monthly to all who request it, and printed copies will be available at each church.

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Orebeck Benefice News

November 2024



From Rev'd Ann:

We are not alone. I don't mean this in the 'there are aliens out there somewhere' way, but that

as humans we belong to humanity—to society, community and family. As Christians we also believe that we belong to the body of Christ here on earth – the church.

This season in the church is called **Kingdom Season** and it is a season of remembering and of belonging. It begins on 1st November with the celebration of All Saints, reminding us of the body of men and women who lived and died for their faith, and those more familiar saints who have helped, supported and nourished us along the way. It is a reminder that God's grace is available to us through others in both ordinary circumstances as well as extraordinary crises. In other words, in all seasons of human life.

Then we have the more intimate Commemoration of the Faithful Departed – All Souls—where we remember with thanks those we have known personally who have shaped our lives.

Then on Remembrance Sunday we continue to explore the theme of memory as we confront issues of war and peace, loss and sacrifice.



Of course, when we see the state of the world today we might wonder how any of this is relevant. But I think that remembering, both individually and collectively, is important.

Memories can be life-giving and sustaining but they can also be painful and life-sapping. If we allow them to overwhelm us or to completely cloud our judgement of the present, then a self-perpetuating cycle of pain, hatred and division ensues, as we are seeing only too tragically today in many parts of the world.

Finally, we end the season, with the Feast of Christ the King. The church year, which begins again the following Sunday, Advent Sunday, begins and ends with hope. Hope of the coming of the Messiah, of light in the darkness and, for the church, the hope of Christ's universal sovereignty. (continued on p 2)

Benefice Calendar: November 2024

1	Fri	
2	Sat	
3	Sun	Celebrating All Saints ← Benefice Celtic Service for All Saints : 11 am at All Saints Hacheston. Benefice Holy Communion: 6 pm at Brandeston
4	Mon	4pm Prayers at Brandeston
5	Tue	
6	Wed	5pm Compline at Marlesford
7	Thu	
8	Fri	7.30 pm Kettleburgh Quiz Night
9	Sat	12.00 noon: Art & Craft Fair, Marlesford
10	Sun	Remembrance Sunday ← Remembrance Sunday services: 10.45 at Kettleburgh with Brandeston; 10.45 at Easton; 10.45 at Campsea Ashe; 10.45 at Marlesford; 10.45 at Parham with Hacheston; 6.00 pm Holy Communion at Marlesford
11	Mon	Remembrance Day / 4pm Prayers Brandeston
12	Tue	
13	Wed	5pm Compline at Marlesford
14	Thu	
15	Fri	
16	Sat	
17	Sun	2nd before Advent ← Sunday 17th November 11 am at Kettleburgh Benefice Holy Communion: 6 pm Evening Prayer at Parham
18	Mon	4pm Prayers at Brandeston
19	Tue	
20	Wed	5pm Compline at Marlesford

Remembrance Day services Monday 11th November

Kingdom Season reminds us of the need to remember, both individually and together, that we belong to that great continuum of human life that has gone before us and will continue after we have gone.

Let us remember with love and gratitude, but also with hope. As we continue into the future may the past always illuminate the way forward for us and shine light into the darkness. Finally, may that same light bring us all into the company of all the saints that have trodden the path before us. Go well, Ann.

**At the War Memorial
Campsea Ashe 10.45
Easton 10.55**

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21	Thu	
22	Fri	
23	Sat	
24	Sun	Christ the King ← Sunday 24th November Brandeston: 9.30 Holy Communion Easton: 11 am Holy Communion Parham: 11 am Holy Communion Campsea Ashe: 6 pm Holy Communion Kettleburgh: 6.30 pm Evening Prayer.
25	Mon	4pm Prayers at Brandeston
26	Tue	
27	Wed	5pm Compline at Marlesford ↑
28	Thu	Wed 7.00 pm Christian Book Circle at the Station House, Campsea Ashe
29	Fri	
30	Sat	Big Breakfast—Hacheston VH
1 Dec	Sun	Benefice Service: 11 am at Marlesford Benefice Big Breakfast at Hacheston Village Hall 9 am to 11am Saturday 30th November 2024



KETTLEBURGH QUIZ NIGHT

in the Village Hall

7.30pm

Friday 8 Nov

Tables of 4

£6 per person

Raffle, Reverse Bingo
Bring your own drinks and snacks

Pre-booking at:
01728 723623 jwc51@btinternet.com
Doors open at 7pm IAO St Andrew's Church

**Arts & Crafts
fair at
Marlesford Community
Centre
Saturday 9th November
from 12 till 4 pm
with refreshments**



**to book a table for £10 & more
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**Raising funds for
St Andrews Church
Marlesford**