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Parish Prayers

1 Dec Gwyn Crescent, Searle Close, Townshend Green North & East.
Christmas Tree Festival charities and organisations

8 Dec Trinity Road, Saxon Way, Meadow Walk.
Voluntary organisations

15 Dec Smiths Lane.
Missionaries.

22 Dec Queens Road, Gladstone Road, Newman's Court.
Residential homes. Carers – professional and voluntary

29 Dec Field Lane, Fisher Road, Lawrence Close, Digby Drive, Harp Close.
All who find Christmas difficult.

From the Parish Registers

Funerals
21.10.24 Glenda Sturman
01.11.24 Doris Smith
08.11.24 Jill Needs

Baptisms
20.10.24 Freddie Crowe
17.11.24 Mollie Felton



Cover pic:
by The Revd Tracy Jessop.

"I'm afraid we don't have a Christmas sale here. You could try down below and see if they have a fire sale"



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Rector's Reflection



In the western Christianity calendar, Christmas starts on 25 Dec, the day **Jesus** is born. The season peaks on 6 Jan, when the three Kings or Wise Men, follow a star to visit the baby **Jesus**. The official end of the entire season is the celebration of Candlemas on 2 Feb.

I listen every year as people debate when they ought to take their decorations down, worrying about superstitions of keeping them up too long, or getting fed up that they have been up too long. Many people use Twelfth Night, 6 Jan, as their end of Christmas.

In the parish church, our nativity scene will be displayed until 2 Feb. This day marks the time when **Jesus** was taken to the Temple in Jerusalem to be presented to God, making the Christmas season a full 40 days.

Jesus is the reason for the Christmas season. It is good to remember that as we get bombarded and swamped by the commercialisation and consumerism of Christmas. Many places will have images of Santa Claus and very few will have an image of **Jesus**.

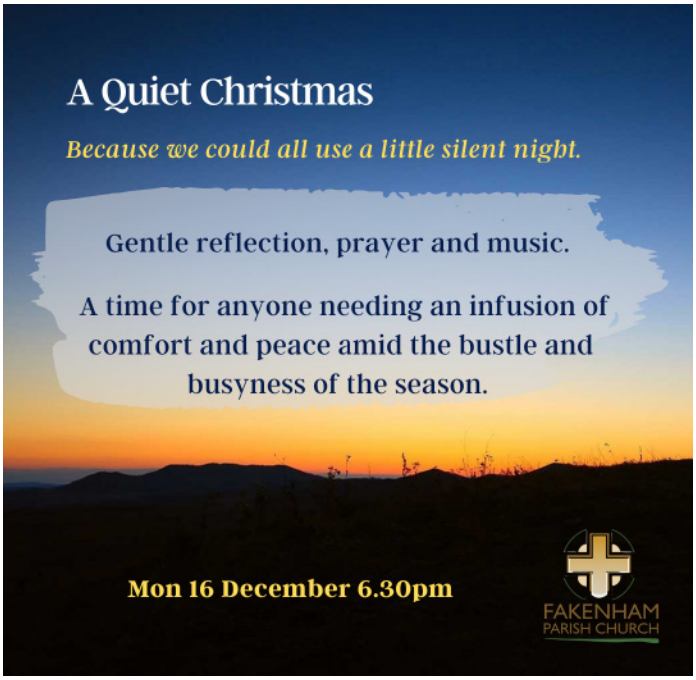
As with many things in our culture, Santa Claus has his beginnings in a Christian past. The concept of Santa is rooted in the real Nicholas, Bishop of Myra (in modern day Turkey), dating to the fourth century. Nicholas inherited a large amount of money and used much of his fortune to help the poor, giving freely to meet the needs of people around him, fulfilling the teaching of Christ to love and support your neighbours.

After his death, the church recognised Nicholas as a saint, hence the usage of St. Nick as a substitute name for Santa sometimes. It's good to remember both Christian tradition and cultural folklore sit side by side to embody the spirit of generosity during the Christmas season.

Your parish church will offer you opportunities to help remember and celebrate Christmas. The fantastic Tree Festival, traditional carols, Christingle and Crib services, with a glorious service of Midnight Mass to welcome Christmas Day (details on this page below). If you need some time out, if all the fuss and twinkling lights are a bit much, we have a simple Quiet Christmas service on Mon 16 Dec at 6.30pm that might help.

Whatever you do in the run-up to Christmas time, pause and remember **Jesus**, the reason for the season. With every blessing to you and yours.

The Revd Tracy Jessop.





Churches around Fakenham welcome *you* in December

Parish Church Upper Market Place, Fakenham NR21 9DY

Sun 1	8am Holy Communion (BCP) A Said Service on Advent Sunday
	10am Festival Service – A celebration amid the Trees of all the charities
	4.30pm Carols among the Trees
Sun 8	10am Parish Communion
Sun 15	10am Parish Communion
	6.30pm Carols by candlelight
Mon 16	6.30pm A Quiet Christmas
Weds 18	4.00pm Christingle
Sun 22	10am Parish Communion
Tues 24	4.00pm Nativity and Crib Service
	11.00pm Midnight Mass
Weds 25	9.30am Family Communion for Christmas
Sun 29	10am Holy Communion: A shorter, said service

Other Services

Every Thursday 9.30am Market Day Holy Communion (a short, said service)

Every Monday *(except Bank Holidays)* 9.45am Stepping Stones for pre-school children with a grown-up.

Salvation Army Oak Street, Fakenham.

Every Sunday morning at 10.15 am

Methodist Church Chapel Lane, Sculthorpe. NR21 9QB

Morning service of worship 11am each Sunday

Fakenham Baptist Community Church

Sunday 1st Dec - Join with the Salvation Army at their headquarters for their Sunday service 10.15am

Sunday 15th December - Christingle Service at Fakenham Community Centre 10:30 - 12:00

Sunday 22nd December - Carol Service at the Fakenham Community Centre 10:30 - 12:00

Christmas Day - Service at the Fakenham Community Centre 10:00 - 11:30

Sunday 29th December - service at the Fakenham Community Centre - 10:30 - 12:00

St Anthony RC Church Wells Road, Fakenham.

Tuesday & Thursday	10am Morning Prayer
Friday	10 - 10:30am Exposition and private prayer then coffee and fellowship
Saturday	6pm Parish Mass
Sunday	10:45am Parish Mass

Orthodox Church of the Holy Transfiguration, Scarborough Road, Gt Walsingham

Every Sunday morning 10.00am Hours 10.30am Liturgy.

Holy Trinity, Hempton *Contact: The Revd Dr Harri Williams SSC, harri1985@gmail.com*

Sunday Mass at 9.30am. Wednesday Mass at 9.30am.

We continue to pray for peace for all the people of Gaza, Israel and throughout the middle east at this time.
We continue to pray for peace for the people of Ukraine.
"God of peace and justice, we pray for the laying down of weapons in every place of war. We pray for all those who fear tomorrow, that you would hold and protect them".

Let's meet . . . Ebenezer Scrooge



It's challenging, when meeting with a character such as Ebenezer Scrooge. How is he going to be, will he be willing to talk about his transformation from ill-tempered old miser into his philanthropic self? I nip into Sew Sweet to get a bag of Dutch courage. I start by asking him, how I should address him. He prefers Mr Scrooge and tells me he knows he was an unpopular man, who was terrified by the appearance of various ghosts, when he hadn't sought their company. He tells me that he was first visited by the ghost of his deceased partner in business, Jacob Marley. Mr Scrooge is ashamed to say he never really got to know him. Both were more interested in making money. However, he tells me, poor old Marley, complete with weighty chain, was destined to roam the earth, remembering all the things he had got wrong. Hence, out of loyalty, he visited Mr Scrooge to forewarn him of his potential fate.

So how was it when he came into your quarters?

More than alarming. I felt at first as if I, too, would have a chain to carry around with me. But I didn't know why.

So, what happened next?

A very weary Marley said I would be visited by three ghosts, and I awaited the first with trepidation.

How did the first ghost treat you?

He told me he was the ghost of Christmas Past. He took me back to scenes from my childhood, depicting generosity.

What childhood scenes do you remember most?

The kindness shown by my sister, again asking to have me brought home, for Christmas festivities, when I was due to remain alone at school.

So, what about your next visitor?

He was the ghost of Christmas Present. He had a huge light with which he dispensed good cheer.

Did he take you on another journey?

Yes, to the home of Bob Cratchit, my clerk. I would rebuff any entreaties to join them on Christmas Day, so I never had any idea of what good spirits or high spirits were like.

Did you know that Bob Cratchit had a disabled son called Tiny Tim?

Yes, but I knew very little about him; though of course I never enquired.

Did that visit affect you?

Very much so. I felt that it would have taken so little to improve their lives and Tiny Tim's chances of survival. And, they knew how to enjoy themselves in spite of their poverty. Additionally, on being able to see my nephew's celebrations, I heard him saying he pitied me for not even being able to enjoy the wealth I created.

And the next ghost?

He was the last one and was the ghost of Christmas to Come. He said not a word, showing me silently, how fast I needed to act.

What did you do after he'd gone?

I decided to buy a large turkey for the Cratchits, and have it sent anonymously and I gave Bob a pay rise. Then I went to the house of my nephew and I accepted their kind invitation to dine with them.

What was your greatest challenge?

Myself. The old self before I had my eyes opened. I had to change my life to accommodate kindness and generosity.

Your greatest pleasure?

Helping to turn around the life of Tiny Tim, so he grew to be an adult.

Your greatest regret?

Being taken to the home, by the ghost of Christmas Past, of my former fiancé, Belle. She had called off our engagement when she saw how I valued money over love. She had a husband and children, and I could have been a kind husband and good father to any children we might have had.

What do you do when you feel troubled by the past?

I tend to read quite a lot.

Who do you like reading?

I feel rather drawn to Charles Dickens. I find vestiges of myself in some of his novels. In fact, I'm thinking of writing a book about him. He was most concerned about the poor and the inequalities in society.

So, is writing your greatest talent?

I'm not sure. Rather like Pip and his Expectations, one must wait to find out.

How would you like to be remembered?

As someone who has changed and perhaps learnt some humility.

And what of the future?

I've understood, from many of the works of Mr Dickens, that I should avoid law proceedings, avoid unscrupulous people, and not end up as an embittered person, unable to keep the past as the past.

I had quite forgotten my bag of sweets and offer it to Mr Scrooge. He peers into the bag.

'Ah' he says 'humbugs' with a twinkle in both eyes.

Kay Hathway

Christ Church, Fulmodeston

At this time of year, we simply can't miss the preparations all around us for the celebration of Christmas: much of the madness is fun but some of us may end up feeling just too pressured by the whole thing: we need to find calm during this annual time of busyness. So don't forget our Advent Craft Fair on Saturday 7th, in the church and the Old School Hall, where you can browse the glorious range of artefacts created by our gifted local crafters, check the Home Baking stall, where among other treats you'll be able to snap up some of James's Sausage Rolls – the stuff of legend – and enjoy the friendly calm and bright atmosphere, very far from the Madding. The period of Advent helps us remember and appreciate the message of hope for humanity that underlies Christmas. 'Watch' and 'Be ready' are handy memos from Saints Mark and Matthew for us all as we anticipate the brightness that is on its way.



A VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL FROM US AT CHRIST CHURCH FULMODESTON

December Services and Events

Sunday 1st Advent	4.00pm Evening Prayer First Sunday of
Saturday 7th	10.00am – 1.00pm Advent Craft Fair in the Old School Hall and in the Church.
Sunday 8th	11.00am Holy Communion
Sunday 15th	10.00am Parish Communion at Fakenham
Sunday 22nd	4pm Carols around the Crib for everyone
Weds 25th	11.00am Christmas Day Holy Communion
Sunday 29th	10.00am Parish Communion at Fakenham

Carolyn Thomas-Coxhead

Town Council news

Banking hub at the Community Centre. Last month Barclays Bank celebrated its first birthday of providing face to face services at the Community Centre. Dan Andrews, the 'face' of Barclays, had 3,400 appointments, which is quite an achievement, and 55% of them were with people who don't have access to a computer. He also spoke about the Fraud and Scam awareness sessions that he runs which are open to all, not just Barclays customers. He has a good supply of booklets etc about the risk of being scammed, and the many ways these fraudsters use. To attend one of the Fraud Awareness sessions, email: Dan.andrews1@Barclays.com or call into the Community Centre when you are in town. Opening times are - 9.30 - 1pm, 2-5pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday (closed Wednesday)

Noise activated speed cameras. We receive complaints quite regularly about noisy motorbikes and cars in the centre of town, particularly in Oak Street and through the Marketplace. We will be asking the Police if it is possible to include Fakenham in any trials to reduce this nuisance to residents.

Why we'll remember the 1st of November! Finally, confirmation that funding for the swimming pool arrived. It is a terrific boost to the town, and comes with confirmation that the Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) will be built alongside it at Trap Lane. For those who have campaigned for many years, this will be very good news indeed!

Late-Night Shopping. Watch out for more details of Late-Night Shopping evenings being promoted by jeweller, Claire Howard, and other shopkeepers in town. They are planning to hold events whilst the ever-popular Christmas Tree Festival is running. There is also the Christmas Lights Switch-on to look forward to on 30 November.

Happy Christmas everyone!

Angela Glynn, Chairman, Fakenham Town Council

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

28th November – 5th December

The BIG event of the year!

On behalf of the Parish Church and all the charities, we would like to thank:

- The Turner family at Fakenham Garden Centre for the generous donation of all the trees.
- Fakenham Rotary Club for sponsorship of the Festival brochures.
- Hayes+Storr solicitors for sponsorship of the posters and fliers.
- Everyone who has donated prizes, cakes, stall items . . .
- All who are helping in church at any time during the Festival.

We're still open to offers of help!

- Everyone who comes, brings family and friends, drops money into the charities' buckets, supports refreshments, tombola or Grand Draw, or just enjoys the spectacle!

As always, we hope this year will be the best Christmas Tree Festival ever! But we can only achieve that with your support.

We look forward to welcoming you. Thank you.

Festival team: Anne, Lily, Alison, Elaine, Roger.

The First Christmas Card

No snow, no robins in that first scene,
just cows lowing in the dark;
the warmth of the stable
induces another sound.

A newborn baby crying; silent wings
in attendance comfort a new mother.
Yet the sight of her newborn son
transforms all disquiet, and cradling

him gently but firmly, she talks to him
as she offers the food of love.
These are the moments she will remember;
nothing will ever be the same.

Kay Hathway





The story of a hymn: *O come, O come Emmanuel*

There are seasons throughout the church year, and Advent is one of these. It's the preparation for the coming of Jesus, before hymns and carols celebrate his birth, and also looks to his second coming. The hymn has Latin origins, and is said to date back to the 8th or 9th centuries. It was discovered by Oxford scholar, John Mason Neale, (1818-1866) who, amongst other things, such as running an orphanage, was a lover of medieval hymns. He found it in the appendix to an 18th century manuscript. Neale, who was a translator of early Latin and Greek hymns, put it in his collection *Mediaeval Hymns and Sequences*. Another hymnologist J.R.Watson, provided an additional context. It would have been sung in monasteries as an antiphon, a chant, set to concentrate the mind, in this case, on awaiting the birth of the Saviour.

The tune, *Veni Emmanuel*, was linked with the hymn when Rev. Thomas Helmore, (1811-1890), published it in *Hymnal Noted*, a collection of ancient and mediaeval hymn sequences. It remains as the most popular tune and the hymn is an advent favourite.

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;
From depths of hell Thy people save,
And give them victory o'er the grave.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Dayspring, from on high,
And cheer us by Thy drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

Sources: Discipleship Hymnologies, Wikipedia and Christopher Idle

Kay Hathway



Quiz at The Gallow

Fri 24th Jan 2025

Teams of up to six, £4 per person
Crisps and nibbles available from the Bar or bring your own food.

In aid of the Fakenham Carers' Group

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Ryburgh Christmas Market

Sat 7 Dec 9.30 – 12 noon

St. Andrew's Church, Great Ryburgh NR21 0EB
Gifts, books and plants
St. Andrew's Pantry open.

Free entry.

Details from: 01328 829413

Blakeney Chinese Brush Painting Group

WINTER EXHIBITION 2024

At The Gallery
Norfolk Wildlife Trust
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Visitor Centre - 01263 740008
www.norfolkwildlifetrust.org.uk
Wednesday 4th December
To Tuesday 17th December
Free Entry to Visitor Centre
Open daily (10am to 4pm)

Parking charges may apply for non-members

Fakenham Choral Society Christmas Concert

Fakenham Parish Church

Sat 14 Dec 5.30pm

Joy to the World by Karl Jenkins

Magnificat by John Rutter

Festive carols

Free entry – retiring collection

The Fakenham Society

The Gallow, Fakenham Racecourse
Thursday 12th December 2024
7.30pm

The Barry Tone Experience

Our Christmas meeting with the King of Rock 'n' Roll

Entry free for FS members
Guests pay £5 on the door.
For more info:
www.fakenhamsociety.org.uk

Old Fakenhamian – the retail calendar

Writing this a couple of days before Hallowe'en and already the shops are full of Christmas merchandise and our roads are festooned with boards advertising Christmas Fayres, not to mention huge wooden turkeys in fields to remind us to put in our order for the star of a meal that is two months away! No sooner are the summer holidays over than the supermarket aisles fill up with Hallowe'en paraphernalia. This was originally the eve of the Christian feast of All Hallows' Day and the period known as All Hallowtide, which is dedicated to remembering the dead. Now it is a festival of ghouls, witches and pumpkins. The latter are grown here but the other related merchandise is imported from China. Supermarket bosses must get on their knees and thank God for all the dates which mark Christian events that they can turn to their commercial advantage. Two months of pushing Christmas merchandise follow, including Advent calendars, which, some young friends of mine were astonished to discover, used not to include chocolates and who were also rather uncertain as to why they were called Advent calendars in the first place. After Christmas is the big New Year push, quickly followed by a saint to celebrate – St. Valentine, mostly known as the patron saint of lovers although also of people with epilepsy and beekeepers. It is the former that makes the world go round and fills the supermarket coffers. Red roses, balloons, chocolates and cards in their inevitable red envelopes pour into the country to meet the demand. Gosh, what next? Oh goodie, Mothering Sunday which is the 4th Sunday in Lent and therefore falls in March, is another Christian celebration, now known as Mothers' Day, with more cards and more flowers, and the March box is ticked. Hardly have they time to draw breath than, praise the Lord, Easter arrives in April with cards in yellow envelopes – think baby chicks - chocolate eggs, more flowers and lots of roast lamb. After eight months of serious event pushing, the supermarkets return to selling us a load more stuff we don't really need and shipped here at great environmental cost from across the world. How they must yearn for a saint of barbeques and patio furniture!

Gilly Foortse

Fakenham and District Community Archive

With the much-welcomed recent arrival of some new shops in the town our Christmas shopping may well be a little easier this year. A good example of this, now in the Archive and donated by Pam Andrew, shows the opening of Pat Bowne's new Extraordinary Hat shop in Norwich Street. Helping to celebrate this is an extravagant group of 'Steampunks', a clothing company exhibiting costumes depicting 'retro-futuristic' costumes from the 19th century.

We all wish Pat much success in the future, as well as hoping all of our readers enjoy their own celebrations of Christmas this year.

If you would like to see any more local photos from the Archive's huge collection as well as browsing through many scrapbooks and enjoying our big displays, you're very welcome to come along to one of our meetings in church, from 2.00 to 4.00 on the last Tuesday of every month. You may also like to have a look at them on our website, www.fakenhamcommunityarchive.weebly.com

Howard Young



Town Talk *by Wayfarer*

The devastating floods with the loss of over 200 lives in Valencia has been shocking news. Hundreds of people in our town will have strong memories of this region which was the venue for regular exchange visits arranged by the former Fakenham High school languages department. As a relatively fluent speaker of Spanish following my travels through Central and South America, I took part in many of the exchanges as a staff member. Then head of languages, Anne Prentis, was the principal organiser and did a great job in setting everything in motion, including the return visits of Spanish students to England. Our visits coincided with a festival in Valencia called Las Fallas when the city really let its hair down. There was music in the streets, wonderful outdoor artistic creations in various suburbs and an atmosphere of joy and celebration. I loved it and so did the students. The culmination was also very Spanish. A late night of fireworks and – amazingly – the burning of all the art around the city with the fire brigade - known as 'Bomberos' - very much on alert. My memories of all this remain powerful and I was dismayed to see the state of Valencia following the recent rain storms and the sad consequences for so many residents and families. Hopefully things will be returned to some sort of normality in the coming months. The exchange programme may no longer exist but for those of us who were lucky enough to be involved those years past - including our two sons - the memories and the impact will live on. We will never forget Valencia.

Wayfarer

December Walks with Fakenham Ramblers

Saturday walks start at 10.30am. Wednesday walks begin at 10am. Bring a packed lunch on Saturday walks which are generally over 6 miles. Otherwise, sturdy boots and waterproofs are all that's required. Please arrive ten minutes or so before the walk start time.

Please contact the walk leader for up-to-date walk information.

Date & Time	Venue	Grid Reference	Postcode	Distance	Walk Leader(s)
Wednesday 4th Dec 10am	**Aldborough** Park/meet around the Village Green, Playground end	OS 252/184342	**NR11 7NX**	6.3 miles	**Jane & Dave** 07790 642185
Saturday 14th Dec 10.30am	**Sheringham & Beeston** Park/meet on Sheringham Esplanade, near the Boating Lake	OS 252/155435	**NR26 8LQ**	9 miles	**Ann** 07798 664815
Wednesday 18th Dec 10am	**Morston & Cockthorpe** Park/meet at Morston Quay NT Car Park Free for NT Members	OS 251/ 006442	**NR25 7DJ**	6 miles	**Vic & Jenny** 01263 713613

Domestic abuse – If you need help . . .

If you, or any of your family or friends, are experiencing this, here are some phone numbers which may be of help. If you are in immediate danger, always call 999.

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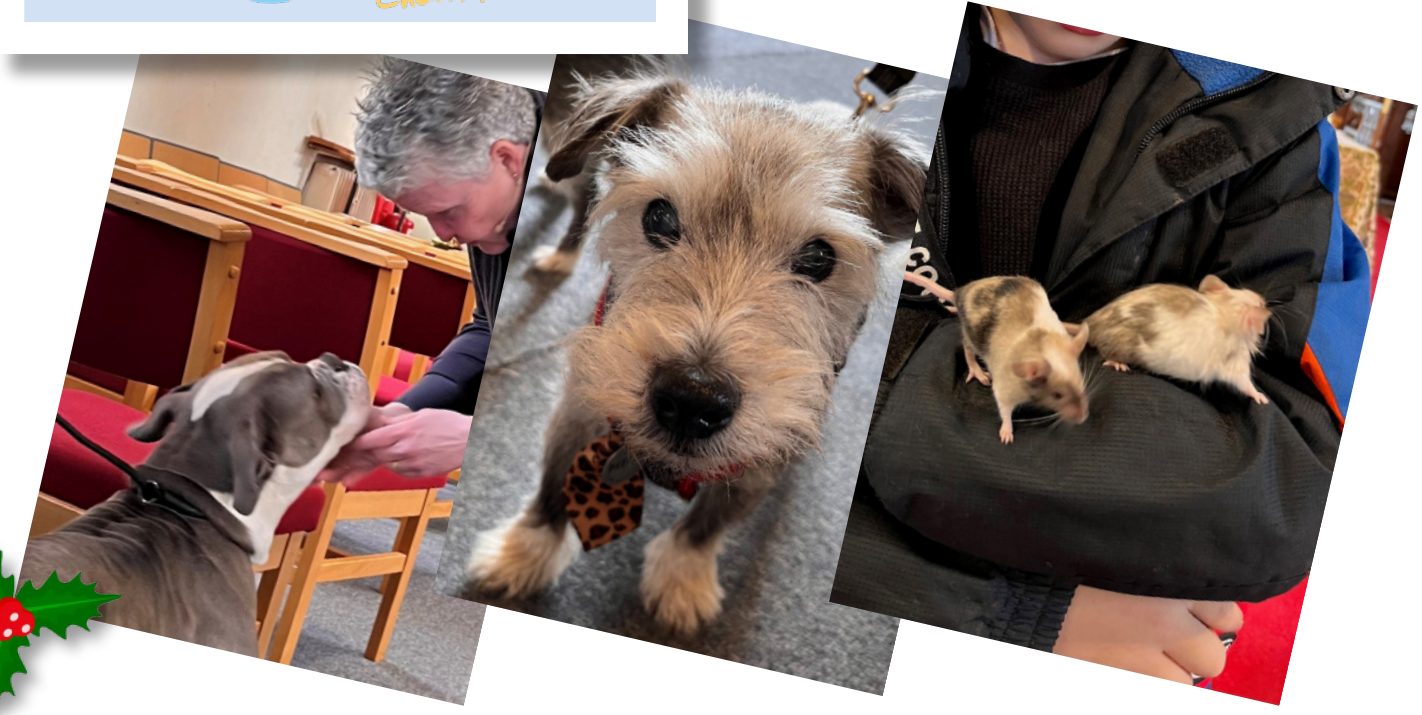
… see how our schools connect with the wider local community?

We are recruiting governors to join the Governing Board for Fakenham Infant & Fakenham Junior School. This role is open to all - you do not necessarily need an education background.

The Governing Board play a critical role in helping the school reflect and question its practices in a supportive way, as critical friends. We encourage the school leaders to continue to strive for the very best for all the pupils at the schools, and bring about fresh ideas and new perspectives. We all feel it is a great opportunity to be able to support the school and community in which we live.

If you are interested in finding out more, please contact Claire Howard, Chair of Governors via email choward@fakenhaminfant.org.uk or Karen Ellington, Clerk to Governors on 01328 862188 or by email kellington@fakenhamjunior.org.uk

Some very cute members of the congregation at October's Pet Service



Bowls Challenge in tribute to Rob Burrow - Sat 28 Dec

The Gallow Indoor Bowls Club is going to bowl 7777 woods in an 8-hour period on Saturday the 28 Dec 24. We are hoping to raise £7777 for Motor Neuron Disease (MND) in tribute to Rob Burrow, the rugby player who recently died from this disease, and in support of his good friend, Kevin Sinler, who made his own huge effort to raise funds for this excellent cause.

Why not turn up at the Gallow and enjoy some refreshment while watching this feat of bowling taking place?

For more information, the attached QR code will take you directly to our JustGiving page or go to www.justgiving.com/page/mark-stratton-172474555529 where you will find our story.

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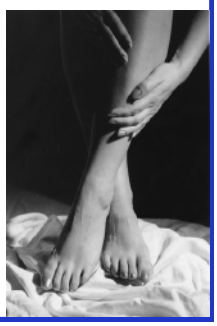
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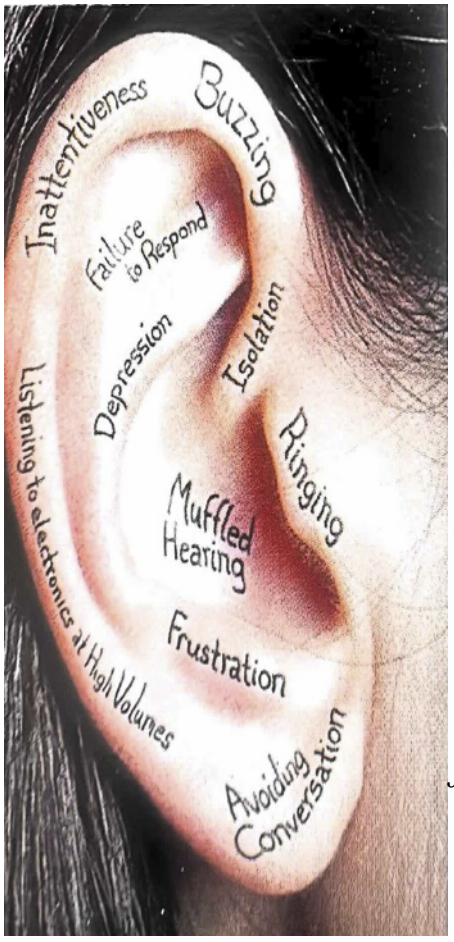
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