# Welcome to St John's Church-Elmswell

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## 10.30am Tearfund All-Age Service

If you are visiting or have recently moved to Elmswell and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. We especially welcome this morning Julia Rees from Tearfund. Everyone is invited to stay for tea and coffee in the church room after the service.



If you have or know of a pastoral need, please contact one of the Clergy or Christine Martin

**Collect** (special prayer for today)

#### The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

God, the giver of life,

whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church:

by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will,

that we may share with the whole creation

the joys of eternal life:

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever

Amen.

#### **BIBLE READINGS**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Leviticus 25: 10-17 (p128) 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Luke 4: 14-21 (p1031) **Hymns Source** 

164 Here is love vast as the ocean 539 We are marching in the light of God Song Do you believe in the Father God? 566 What a friend we have in Jesus 246 I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

## **Notice Board**

The collection this morning will be for the work of Tearfund.

There will be prayer for healing and anointing at the 10.30am Holy Communion on Sunday the 28 October Advance notice that British Summer Time ends on 28 October and all clocks and watches should be put back one hour!

#### The week ahead

**This evening** 7.00pm CYFA Group meet at the Rectory.

Monday 15 October 10.00am to 11.15am Coffee Break at the Rectory.

7.30pm to 9.00pm "Home for Good Suffolk". Fostering and Adoption information evening.

**Thursday 18 October** 9.45am to 11.15am Mums the Word at the Rectory.

**Saturday 20 October** 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer Meeting in the church room.

## Diary Dates

**Tuesday 23 October** 7.00pm Choir practice in the church room.

Friday 26 October 10.30am to 12.30am Messy Church (includes a light lunch).

Saturday 27 October 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer Meeting in the church room.

## Looking Further Ahead

**Saturday 3 November** 3.00pm Time to Remember Service. A Reflective Service to remember those loved ones we have lost.

**Tuesday 6 November to Sunday 11 November** Poppy Festival of Remembrance in church. Pick up a card from the back of the church showing opening times

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Next Sunday... 9.30am Breakfast Service (breakfast from 9.00am) 11.00am Holy Communion (Common Worship)