

**THIS WEEK:**

**Sunday**

2.00pm-4.00pm – Open Church

**Monday**

10.00am- noon – Little Stars

**Tuesday**

2.00pm-4.00pm – Open Church

**Thursday**

10.30pm – Holy Communion (North Lounge)

**Friday**

6.30pm - Junior Choir Practice

7.00pm - Senior Choir Practice

7.30pm- 9.30pm – Youth Group

**Saturday**

10.00am – 4pm- Away Day at Scratby Village Hall

**Keep the Date!** An evening with Graham Kendrick, Christian singer, song writer at St. Andrew's Church on Thursday May 17<sup>th</sup> 2018. Tickets now available from Janet Bowden, the Church Office or on line.

**Away day for 'Where do we go from here?'** is next **Saturday** on Saturday February 10<sup>th</sup> 10am-4pm. It will be held at Scratby Village Hall and all are invited. Please bring a packed lunch and don't miss this exciting opportunity to see where we are heading. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church.

**Coach trip on 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018** – Trip details and sign up sheet on table at the back of church, seats still available. **Snowdrops at Walsingham Abbey Grounds calling at Bawdeswell Garden Centre.** Please see Carole Morris.

**Future date for your diary** – Line dancing event in aid of Tearfund on Sat 24<sup>th</sup> March. More details to follow.

**Panto and Fish and Chip Supper** is 24<sup>th</sup> Feb. Please see Shirley or Wendy to buy your ticket. £5.50

**Please sign up** at the back of church if you are going to attend the 'Songs For Sunday' workshop on March 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Coffee after the 11am service.** We are very short of volunteers to provide coffee after the 11am service, so please feel free to make your own if there isn't anybody in the kitchen or let us know if you are happy to go on the rota. Thank you.

**Future date for your diary** – Summer Fete, 14<sup>th</sup> July. More details to follow.

The Parish Church of

**St. Andrew's,  
Gorleston-on-Sea**



Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2018

2nd before Lent

**COLLECT**

Almighty God,  
you have created the heavens and the earth  
and made us in your own image:  
teach us to discern your hand in all your works  
and your likeness in all your children;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all  
things,  
now and for ever.

**SERVICES TODAY**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.15am Holy Communion  
Hymns 742, 546, 365, 227.  
252, 677 during communion

Readings Colossians 1: 15-20 (p. 1182)  
John 1: 1-14 (p.1063)

11.00am Engage

Refreshments in the Chapter House  
after both the 9.15am and 11am services.

Prayer Ministry is available as required  
during and after services

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**Psalm 104 : 26 - end**

26 O Lord, how manifold are your works!  
In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full  
of your creatures.  
27 There is the sea, spread far and wide, and there  
move creatures beyond number, both small and  
great.  
28 There go the ships, and there is that  
Leviathan which you have made to play in the deep.  
29 All of these look to you to give them their food  
in due season.  
30 When you give it them, they gather it; you open  
your hand and they are filled with good.  
31 When you hide your face they are  
troubled; when you take away their breath, they die  
and return again to the dust.  
32 When you send forth your spirit, they are  
created,  
and you renew the face of the earth.  
33 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may  
the Lord rejoice in his works;  
34 He looks on the earth and it trembles; he touches  
the mountains and they smoke.  
35 I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will make  
music to my God while I have my being.  
36 So shall my song please him while I rejoice in the  
Lord.  
37 Let sinners be consumed out of the earth and the  
wicked be no more.

**Bless the Lord, O my soul.  
Alleluia.**

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**NEXT WEEK**

**8.00am Holy Communion  
9.15am Morning Prayer  
11.00am Morning Praise**



**Let us fix our eyes on Jesus,  
the author and perfecter of our faith ...**  
*(Hebrews 12:2a)*

**IN THE NEWS**

**Pray** for the relationships between world leaders.

**NATIONAL**

**Pray** for all who are homeless especially during this particularly cold spell.

**INTERNATIONAL**

**Pray** for Kabul after the recent terror attacks.

**Pray** for those living in war zones.

**Pray** for refugees around the world.

**THE DIOCESE OF NORWICH**

**Pray** for Matthew Price and his family as they begin their ministry at St. Mary Magdalene Church.

**ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH**

**Pray** for all who come through our doors at Open Church

**Pray** for all who attend baptisms, weddings and funerals.

**Pray** for the 'Away Day' as we seek God's purpose for our church.

**THE LOCAL COMMUNITY**

**Keep** the friends and family of Sophie Smith in your prayers.

**Pray** for the family on Addison Road whose home was destroyed by fire.

**Pray** for the emergency services.

**THOSE FOR WHOM WE HAVE A CARE**

**Pray** for anyone we know that is bereaved.

**Pray** for anyone we know that is sick in mind or body.

***'To know Jesus better  
and to make him better known'***

**Prayer requests.**

Please use the Prayer Board at the back of church or contact Derek Bryant on 01493 728407 or [derekvbryant@gmail.com](mailto:derekvbryant@gmail.com)