

SEPTEMBER 2024

A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU AT BOTH ST BOTOLPH'S CHURCH, NEWBOLD AND ST.

JOHN'S CHURCH LONG LAWFORD

CONTACTS

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CHURCH WARDEN Mr Robert Banks and Mrs Barbara Sear

SERVICES IN OCTOBER

St Botolph's, each Sunday at 10-45am

St John's each Sunday at 9-00am

BAPTISMS

1st SEPTEMBER in St Botolph's JJ Udall and Isabella Pollard

WEDDINGS

14th September Daniel Thomas Westley and Laura Claire Elizabeth Williams

FUNERALS

9th July Horace (Onny) Clewlow(91) buried in St Botolph's Churchyard following a service in Church 17th July Arthur William Webster (95) cremated at Rainsbrook Crematorium following a service in St Botolph's

26th July Frederick Hack (87) buried in St John's Churchyard following a service in Church 30th July Robert Charles Kingston (74) buried in Croop Hill Cemetery following a service in St Botolph's

- 1st August David John Livingston (72) cremated at Rainsbrook Crematorium
- 13th September Brenda Mary Harding (91) buried in Croop Hill Cemetery following a service in St Botolph's
- 18th September Andrew (Andy) Wright buried in St Botolph's churchyard following a service in Church

F.O.S.BO.T.S

(Friends of St Botolph's)

AUGUST WINNERS

1ST Prize L. WEBB ticket no 187 £40

2nd Prize L HALL ticket no 9 £20

DATES FOR YOU DIARY.....

SUNDAY 3rd NOVEMBER at 6-30pm in St Botolph's ...The Annual Service of Hope and Remembrance, where we remember and give thanks to God for those of our loved ones who have died. If anyone would like the name of a loved one remembered in the prayers, please let the Vicar know by Friday 1st November.

SATURDAY 9th NOVEMBER The Church will be open from 2 till 5 for everyone to see the wonderful poppy installation on this remembrance weekend. Also incorporating a **BOOK** and **JIGSAW** sale in aid of Church funds. Any donations will be gratefully received.

SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER Remembrance Service at the war Memorial and in Church at 10-45am **SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER** Act of Remembrance at the War memorial in the old churchyard at St Johns Long Lawford, 10-15am followed by a service in the Memorial Hall at 11-00am **MONDAY 11th NOVEMBER** A short service at the war Memorial in St Botolph's at 10-45am



CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL SATURDAY 30th NOVEMBER SUNDAY 1st DECEMBER SATURDAY 7th DECEMBER SUNDAY 8th DECEMBER

Slightly different festival this year is planned as due to rising costs and time constraints there will **no** trees to decorate, but we are asking people to make anything Christmassy. From a 3ft !! Santa to a paper star, the church will be filled with all the creations, lights, music and all the stalls as usual. Details can be found at the back of the Church, or by emailing . stbotolphs.christmasfestival.com

Volunteers Needed!

Maintaining our church buildings, St Botolph's in Newbold and St John's in Long Lawford and their churchyards is a big job. We can keep the costs down if we have volunteers willing to do some basic jobs. Please contact us if you could help, when needed, with any of the following:-

- Painting
- Plastering
- PAT testing of electrical appliances
- Using your tower scaffolding to change high light bulbs
- Window cleaning from a ladder
- Clearing drains

We'd like to hear from you NOW, so that we can call for your help as the need arises! Please let the Vicar, Barbara Sear, Rob Banks, or Mike Beevers know what you can do.