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# INGHAM PARISH MAGAZINE

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Angela  
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## Happy Easter

**Children's Easter Crafts Workshop on Friday 7th April**

**Quiz'N'Chips on Saturday 22nd April**

See inside for more information

**April 2023**

## Editorial

Dear Reader,

It is lovely to see all the daffodils bobbing about, and the baby rabbits romping around in the field across the road. Spring brings warmth and renewal to our gardens. Do you have seeds starting for your vegetable patch or seeds for the flowers of the summer?

In last month's magazine there was a page about the way we vote and how it is changing. The new system requires photographic identification. NNDC gave a list of what are considered acceptable forms. The closing date to get the correct identification if you do not already have it is Tuesday 25th April. If you use postal votes you do not need to provide photographic identification. To apply for a postal vote the deadline is Tuesday 18th April.

We hope you have a Happy Easter.

*Angela, Andreas, Darren, and Lesley*

The magazine is available for download from the Ingham Village website: [www.inghamvillage.co.uk](http://www.inghamvillage.co.uk).

If you have any questions, comments, or ideas for improvement, please send them to us. You can email us too: [magazine@inghamvillage.co.uk](mailto:magazine@inghamvillage.co.uk)



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On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April at 4.35pm  
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## **INGHAM VILLAGE HALL - Registered Charity No 303988**

**Our first fundraiser of 2023**, a jumble sale on 18th February, was a great success raising £540 for Hall funds. This has already been spent as we had to have a new cooker!

Our grateful thanks to all who contributed by donating goods to sell, particularly to the cake, gifts and bric-brac stalls, and by attending. A very special thank you to all our helpers, with only 3 committee members on duty we could not have managed without them.

**The Village Hall AGM** on 15th March was attended by committee members and four parishioners (thanks for their support) Lesley Rogers stood down from the committee and we thank her publicly for many years of service to the Village Hall. We were delighted that one of our regular helpers, Carol White, has joined us. So the committee for 2023/24 is: Chair Vera Moore 580516, Vice Chair Anne Powles 580814, Secretary Jan Grace 584139, Treasurer Faith Hubbard 583338, Booking Secretary Darren Rogers 580202, with Irene English and Carol White. There are still vacancies on the committee and the more we have the less the load on the other members!

There will be a **Quiz'N'Chips on Saturday 22nd April**, starting at 7.30pm. Tickets are £10 each and on sale until Wednesday 19th from Faith (583338) for teams of up to four people.

Tea and coffee will be served but you may bring your own preferred liquid refreshment. Numbers are limited so please book early to avoid disappointment.

## **INGHAM VILLAGE HALL**

**Regular hirers for April** (Contact numbers in brackets)

***Agni Yoga*** - every Tuesday, Chair yoga at 6.00pm, Yoga at 6.45pm  
(Pre-booking, Pam 07971 398284)

***Bridge Club*** - every Wednesday from 1pm to 5pm (Paul Fuller 581472)

***Cliff Knight Art Class*** - every Wednesday 10am to 12 noon (Pre-booking, 01692 580212)

***Ingham Art Club*** - Tuesday 4th and 18th from 2pm to 4pm (Anne 580814)

***Ingham Craft Club*** - Tuesday 11th and 25th from 2pm to 4pm (Faith 583338)

***Zumba with Tina*** - every Monday at 6.30pm (Tina 07341 360389)

**Broadland Group Norfolk Wildlife Trust** - Friday 14th - Topic to be confirmed. (David Mole 650826)

**Church Fete Meeting** - Wednesday 19th from 7pm to 9pm.

**All Hall Booking** enquiries to Darren Rogers 01692 580202

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## **LESSINGHAM Village Hall**

**Easter Saturday April 8th 10.00am-12 noon**

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All proceeds in aid of church funds.

## INGHAM CHURCH GOOD FRIDAY WORKSHOPS

Children

Do come along to Ingham Church on  
**Good Friday morning, 7<sup>th</sup> April from**  
**10am - 12noon**  
and join in the fun.



We will be **Treasure Hunting for Easter Eggs**,  
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## News from Holy Trinity Church

Dear Friends

As the seasons turn, I'm really hoping that April will get Spring properly sprung, as I write in March the wind is howling and snow is falling!

In the Church calendar too things are happening in April. We start with Palm Sunday, then journey to the foot of the cross through Holy Week, before the wonderful feast of Easter bursts out of the darkness of the tomb. As Spring unfurls around us, it feels very welcome after the winter gloom. Thank goodness because I have really felt the need for it to counterpoint the gloomy and scary news which seems to abound at the moment. Our world is sorely in need of a resurrection moment, to lift us out of the clutches of greed, war, disease, poverty. We might identify with the way the Disciples felt when it seemed that all was lost, their Messiah had failed, they were never to be freed from the clutches of their Roman oppressors. All their hopes had died with Jesus, never to be seen again once that stone was rolled across the entrance to the tomb.

Of course, we know that wasn't the end of the story. At Easter we encounter new life, new hope, new beginnings. That doesn't take away the pain, the hurt, the anxiety that Jesus and his friends went through, but it does lift our eyes to a bigger picture. It brings us to an understanding that God's love has no limits, no end, and that God's love will triumph over all things. God is with us, through all of life, the good and the bad, the scary times and the celebrations. So as we move from the reflective season of Lent to the action of Easter, let's consider how we might bring new life to ourselves and the world around us through our own actions, big and small.

Helen Lynch

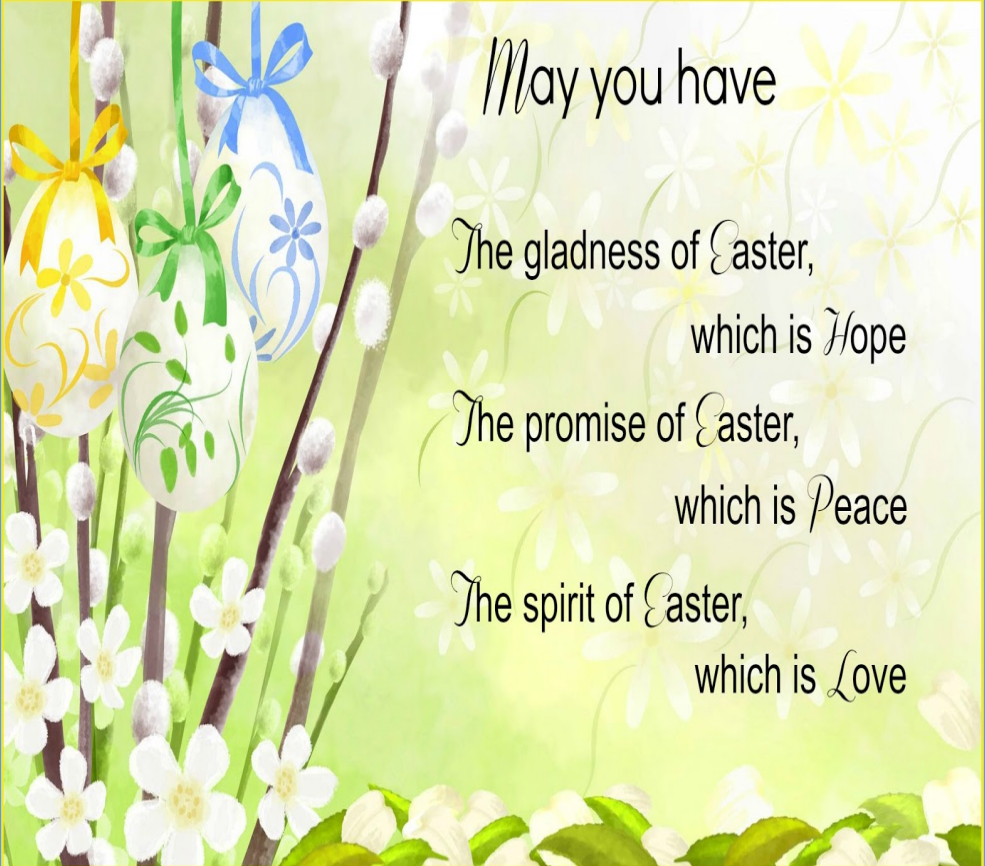
*Rector of the Benefices of Smallburgh & Stalham*

*Phone/WhatsApp 07902447821*

*My rest day is Friday*

## Services at Holy Trinity Church

Palm Sunday	2nd	Holy Communion	9.15am
Easter Sunday	9th	Morning Prayer	9.15am
Sunday	16th	Holy Communion	9.15am
Sunday	23rd	Morning Prayer	9.15am
Sunday	30th	No service at Holy Trinity Joint service at Smallburgh	

An Easter-themed illustration featuring three decorated eggs (yellow, green, and blue) hanging from a branch with white blossoms. The background is a soft green with white and yellow floral patterns.

*May you have*

The gladness of Easter,  
which is *Hope*

The promise of Easter,  
which is *Peace*

The spirit of Easter,  
which is *Love*

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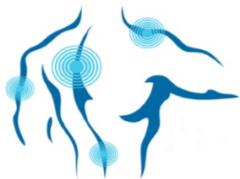
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**Sunday 9th April**

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Collect your answer sheet and CRACK on following the trail, answering fun questions along the way. Complete and return your trail sheet to collect your Easter Egg.



**Easter EGG Quiz!**

Sunday 9th April

Join us on Sea Palling Beach  
for our anual Easter egg quiz  
10:00 - 12:00 noon  
£3 per person

Easter egg on completion of  
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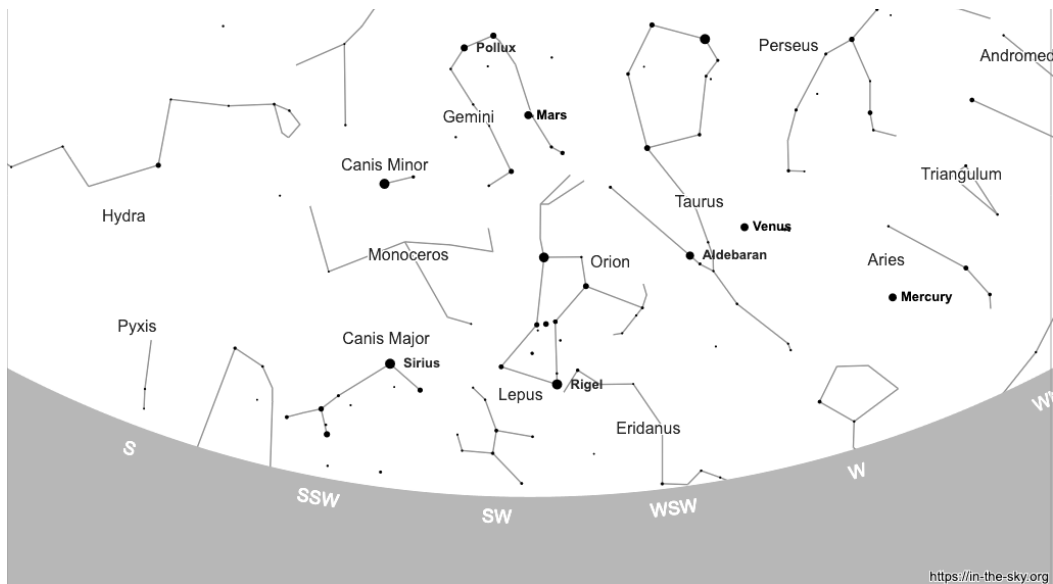


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# The Night Sky in April



The south-westerly evening sky in mid April offers a lot for the casual observer. First of all there's a row of planets: Mars and Venus have been visible for a while now, but this month you should definitely have a go and find Mercury, still high above the horizon after sunset. Left of the hunter Orion are his two dogs, Canis Minor (the small dog) and Canis Major (the large dog). The white blue twinkling star in Canis Major is Sirius, the Dog Star. It's easy to find, the three stars in Orion's belt point straight towards it. Sirius is the brightest night star and the 5th brightest object in the sky, after Sun, Moon, Venus, and Jupiter. Gemini with the twins Castor and Pollux is still high in the sky and next to the bright Venus you could have a closer look at the Pleiades with a pair of binoculars. They are also called the Seven Sisters and look a bit like a mini version of the plough. Enough for this month, I have to get back to prepare my talk for tomorrow evening. Hope to have seen you there.

Full Moon: 6<sup>th</sup>, Third Quarter: 13<sup>th</sup>, New Moon: 20<sup>th</sup>, First Quarter: 27<sup>th</sup>



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