

Mickfield

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What's on in February

- **Thursday 2nd**
St Andrew's Church, CandleMas, sung compline
8:00pm.
- **Friday 3rd**
Mobile library, opposite St Andrew's, 2:00 to 2:15pm.
- **Sunday 5th**
St Andrew's Church, Eucharist (Orthodox) 9:00am,
Evensong 6:00pm.
- **Sunday 12th**
St Andrew's Church, Mattins 9:00am, Evensong
6:00pm
- **Friday 17th**
Mobile library, opposite St Andrew's, 2:00 to 2:15pm.
- **Sunday 19th**
St Andrew's Church, Eucharist (BCP) 9:00am, Evensong
6:00pm
- **Wednesday 22nd**
St Andrew's Church, **Ash Wednesday**, Mattins 9:00am,
Evensong and ashing 8:00pm (sung).
- **Sunday 26th**
St Andrew's Church, Mattins 9:00am, Evensong
6:00pm.
St Andrew's Church, 'Learn more about the Liturgy',
three week course, 4:30pm.

News from St Andrew's

St Andrew's welcomes you to share in worship with our regular Sunday services during the year.

LENT

Ash Wednesday, 22nd February, marks the beginning of Lent with the Ashing service at 8pm. On **Fridays** during Lent, a Litany will be added to morning prayers at 9am. A three week course on the **Liturgy** is being held at the Church from 4:30pm concluding with Evensong on Sunday the 26th February, 11th and 26th March.

Mark Wright

Anglia Church Trust, Tel: 711640

New Bus Service

An on-demand bus service is now available to Stowmarket. The County Council service runs from 7am to 7pm Monday to Saturday. Just phone 01449 616000 (mornings only) up to a week before you wish to travel to book your journey.

www.suffolkonboard.com

News from the Parish Council

The Straw Burning Incinerator application for Mendlesham Airfield has still not been submitted as of now. We will keep you updated.

With June being the Queens' Diamond Jubilee, we have received one or two proposals of events to hold to commemorate same. It is thought that perhaps we could co-ordinate an event in the afternoon of Monday, 4th June. We have requested the Evangelical Chapel, Silver Leaf Fund and St Andrews, if they would wish to join forces to make it a memorable event. More on this in the next Messenger.

The disused 'Bike Park' is still under discussion and we are researching the possibility of it becoming a Community Orchard. We understand there are some organisations that would assist with labour and trees etc.

Davina Lynk

Chair, Mickfield Parish Council

Next Meetings

Monday 5th March, 7:30pm Mickfield Village Centre.
16 April, 28 May, 2 July, 24 Sept, 5 Nov, 17 Dec.
All welcome!

News from Silverleaf

The Silverleaf group wish you all the best for February. Look out for more events in the coming months.

Sally Blackmore

Silverleaf Committee, Tel: 01449 711564

Congratulations

Well done for two seventeen year olds in the Village for outstanding achievements in their sport.

Myles Orton of Kettles Farm for his success in tennis, now placed among the top 150 Juniors in the World and representing both Suffolk and Great Britain.

Josh Webster, St Andrews Mead, who has been selected for the Motor Sports Association Team UK Academy, following in the footsteps of racers such as Lewis Hamilton.

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