



FRIENDS OF HOLY TRINITY BLYTHBURGH

26 March 2026

Dear Friends,

I recently discovered while reading old Friends' Newsletters, that the daffodils round the church that make such an extravagant display every year were planted by members of the Friends for the millennium! Every year the legacy of their planting gives us a glorious display for Easter.

Bishop's visit

This year the spring finds us even more excited than usual because the Tower Project is finished! The work, to which the Friends were able to make a grant of £10,000, has succeeded our expectations in its design and quality. We can now offer 'in house' toilet facilities and serve teas and coffees directly from the servery. The bellringers have new accommodation on the first floor and the bells fully restored. On the afternoon of **Palm Sunday 29th March**, our new Bishop, Joanne, will visit Blythburgh to open the tower space and conduct a short ceremony of blessing. This will be followed by afternoon tea. A quarter peal of the bells will be rung from 1.30pm to welcome people as they arrive. Everyone is welcome to come along and help us celebrate!

Holy Week and Easter

Here are the services in Holy Trinity this year:

Good Friday 3 April

6pm Service of readings, music and reflections led by the Blythburgh Singers and Revd Malcolm Doney.

Easter Eve Saturday 4 April

5pm Building the Easter Garden (for children and parents). As well as building the garden, we hear the story of Easter and then go on an egg hunt in the churchyard.

All welcome - do please pass on the invitation to any children or grandchildren that you know.

Easter Day Sunday 5 April

11.15am Eucharist (Common Worship), led by Revd Margaret King.

6.00pm Choral evensong, led by Revd Malcolm Doney & the Blythburgh Singers.



The services for all our Sole Bay Team churches appear on the website each month, so do check <https://www.solebayteamministry.co.uk/services>

For Sue Powell, Chair of the Friends of Holy Trinity