#### **United Benefice of King's Beck**

Banningham, Colby, Felmingham, Skeyton, Sloley, Suffield, Swanton Abbott & Tuttington

This is the first Newsletter from King's Beck since Revd. Keith & Sue's retirement on the 6<sup>th</sup> June. Newsletters will now only be issued on a monthly basis and emailed to those on the Electoral Roll. Please feel free to pass it on to anyone who is not on email, or who might like to read it, and please display it on your local notice board.

The Churchwardens, Ministry Team and those who look after our eight churches have been busy ensuring that we continue to hold a service in one of our churches each Sunday. All our churches will be having services during the Summer, Autumn and early Winter. Those buildings without heating and/or electricity will reconsider once the cold weather hits. We are extremely grateful to our visiting clergy who lead us in our worship on Sunday mornings.

# Vacancy/Interregnum

The Churchwardens have been meeting and working on the Parish Profile which will result in an advert being placed for a new Priest. The Archdeacon has requested we have this prepared by September.

# <u>Services</u>

Sunday 1st August	10.00am	at	Tuttington
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	at	Colby
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	at	Banningham
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	10.00am	at	Swanton Abbott
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	at	Felmingham

### <u>Information</u>

If at any time you wish to ask a question about our services, churches, baptisms, weddings or funerals - in the first instance please contact me:

Heather McEwen telephone 01692 407345 or

heathermcewenchurch@gmail.com.

### Family & Elderly Shoebox Appeal

June at Tuttington is once again co-ordinating this on our behalf. If you would like more information or to contribute to this appeal, please telephone June on 01263 734776.

#### Foodbank

Viv from Skeyton has kindly offered to collect items for the North Norfolk Foodbank on our behalf. Items (in a bag) can be brought to a service on a Sunday or dropped off within some of our villages. There will be collection points in Banningham (to include Colby), Felmingham at Jane Drew's, Tuttington at the church (to include Skeyton) and Swanton Abbott. Or at my house: Corner House, Felmingham. If you wish to know more, please do get in touch. There is a demand for Foodbanks in this country greater than ever before and so any items of food, toiletries, cleaning products, nappies, etc. are appreciated. At this point in time, I know they are looking for Long life milk and fruit juice, tinned ham and meats, tin custard and tinned fruit plus chocolates for children.

The <u>Village News</u> will be coming back soon. It may be in a different format but those who advertise and contribute to the magazine will be contacted.

If you wish to include anyone in our **Sunday morning prayers**, please do get in touch and I will ensure they are mentioned.