

West Ilsley News

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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH WEST ILSLEY

Easter will be rather different this year as sadly, all churches have now been closed and all services and events have been cancelled for the foreseeable future. However, the church continues to be alive and active. Our worship of God and our care for each other continue but cannot be done in our church.

Pastoral

If you would like prayer (or other support) for you or someone else, please get in touch. We are happy to be contacted by phone or email using the details of contacts shown below.

Prayers

To view prayers please go online at www.eastdownland.org.uk or follow our church and benefice Facebook pages.

In addition, our Rector, the Revd John Toogood, is posting two daily services online, a Morning Prayer and Evening Compline which you can access on Youtube at:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIB1x7L3UGjdp aEteDAJ9g>

There are also documents from the Church of England to help you with your own worship. These can be downloaded and printed off at:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>

During the Covid-19 outbreak the Oxford Diocese has suggested we pause at 11am every day and say Psalm 23.

If anyone needs help or would just like to chat, do contact the wardens or clergy who will do their best to help.

Contacts:

Churchwardens: Ian – 01635 281625; Alexandra – 01635 281306

Rector: Revd John Toogood – 01635 247566 or 07748 822336 - edownlandrector@gmail.com

Associate Priest: Revd Douglas Dales – 01635 247404

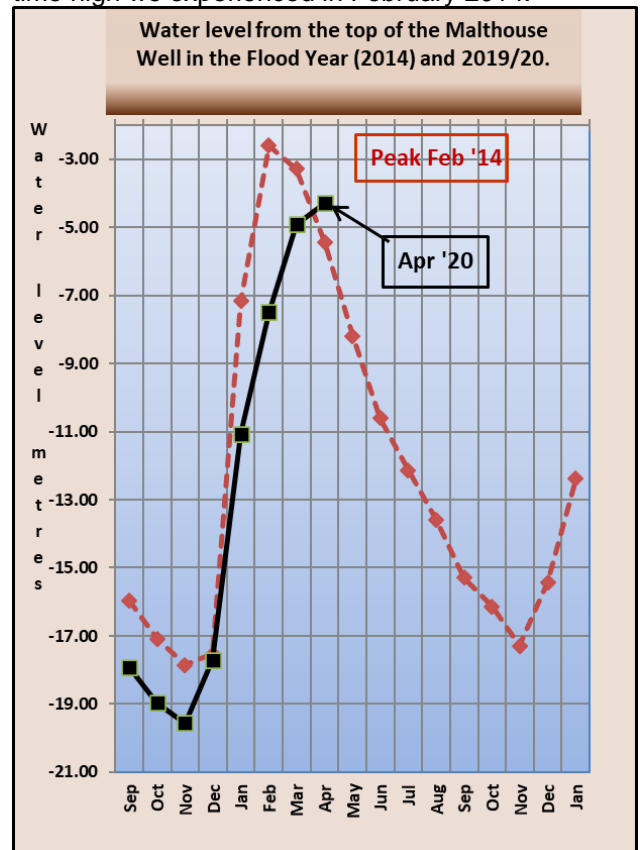
East Downland Benefice Office: will be closed for the foreseeable future.

Kay and Ian Fewtrell-Smith

MALTHOUSE WELL

Thankfully the rain has eased this month and it seems that the groundwater level has finally peaked in recent days when the Malthouse well reached 4.13 metres (approx. 13.6 feet) below ground level. Since then it has dropped to around 4.25 metres (approx. 14.0 feet). Hopefully it will continue its decline as summer comes.

For those interested in statistics, this year's peak was about 1.65 metres (approx. 5.4 feet) less than the all-time high we experienced in February 2014.



PARISH COUNCIL

Read the latest Parish Council Minutes and hear how village matters are being addressed. Visit our village website at www.westilsley.org - all the latest minutes from our meetings are available under the "Parish Council" tab.

2020 Parish council meetings:
11 May 13 July 14 Sept 9 Nov

DEFIBRILLATOR CODE: C159

WHO TO CONTACT

VILLAGE HALL

Ros Duckworth—Bookings—281471
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Rates: £10.00/hr Villagers £12/hr Non Villagers

PRESCRIPTIONS

Prescriptions are delivered from Compton on Tuesdays mornings at 8.30. Please collect yours from 2 Morland Close on Tuesday or Thursday evening between 6.00 and 7.30. Repeat forms can be posted through the letter box anytime before Monday evening for the following week's delivery. Thank you for your co-operation in keeping to the times listed.
Tony Elliott

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TENNIS COURT

Membership: Please email
tennis.bookings@westilsley.org
Play without joining - book and pay via
westilsleytennis.jezzam.com or the link on
westilsley.org

Court closed until further notice

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Contact for bookings - Ros Duckworth

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