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Sunday 7th July 2024 Sunday Service with Communion

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Mon 8 th July	House Group eve - Andrew			
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Thur 11 th July	House Group - Dot & Brian (at Sylvia's)			
Fri 12 th July	Craft Tea 2-4pm			
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Sun 14 th July	Sunday Service 10.30am			

From our service
with Andrew Croft - 30th June
excerpts from Romans 13:1-7
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authorities, for there is no authority except that
which God has established.

Then do what is right and you will be commended. For the one in authority is God's servant for your good.

This is also why you pay taxes, for the authorities are God's servants, who give their full time to governing. Give to everyone what you owe them:

If you owe taxes, pay taxes; if revenue, then revenue; if respect, then respect;

if honour, then honour.





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Our World and our Nation

- For those affected by war, natural disasters or climate change
- For those most affected by the cost-of-living crisis
- For those facing persecution for their faith

From the BU Prayer Diary

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Our Community

• CTF and local Christian organisations: CAP, BOOST, Parish Nursing, Hope Trust, Town Pastors, The Compass, Ukraine 2 Felixstowe, the Hub, Manna and the Parish Pantry.

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- For us as we seek a new minister. For the sale of the Manse to go smoothly.
- For those leading worship and preaching on Sundays.
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Craft Tea – Friday 12th July 2-4pm

Church Meeting - next meeting **Tues 16**th **July** at 7.30pm

Tea & Cake – Friday 26th July 2.30 -4pm

Prayer Meeting – next meeting 3rd
August on Zoom –time to be confirmed

Leadership Team - Tuesday 5th August

Ladies Awayday -19th **October** with leader Liz Livey from Christchurch

Next Ladies Tea to be arranged

Upcoming Services

July 14th – Steve L with video sermon July 21st – Andrew Marfleet July 28th – Cherie Parnell (Burlington)

BIRTHDAYS

3rd July – Louise Yelverton 24th July – Margaret Lines Thomas Yelverton

HOUSE GROUPS

We have house groups as follows and you're very welcome to join one.

Old Felixstowe – 1st & 3rd Weds mornings - contact Steve

Friday afternoon – contact Margaret, Sandra or Ingrid. Trimley – 2^{nd} & 4^{th} Mon eve - contact

Andrew

Walton – Tues eve – contact Carol Thurs am – 9.30-contact Brian or Dot

MANSE SALE

After agreeing the sale price at the Special Church Meeting, the contracts have been signed! We hope to complete on 12th July and we know that the buyer is keen to get in and start renovations. Thanks to everyone who helped get the house ready for sale, especially the Manse team, Lenny and Ruth, who is released from her grass cutting duties! We will let you know when the sale is completed and we will be talking about the next steps very soon.



If you have any views about the purchase of a new manse, please let a leader know.

Love Latitude 2024

On the weekend of 25-28 July 2024, the Fields of Henham Park become the site of the annual Latitude Festival.



This is a colourful festival of music, comedy, theatre, art, dance, creativity and fun The Town Pastor family will assemble once again, represented by volunteers from several Town Pastor schemes, working under the banner of "Festival Pastors." Intercessions over the last 13 years of serving at Latitude have made a difference.

Please would you consider standing with us in prayer, either for an hour or over the whole festival this year? If you would like some more information or would like to be added to the list of people praying for the ministry of the Festival Pastor team, please contact the Coordinator, Claire at felixstowetownpastorscoordinator@outlook.com_THANK YOU

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