

What's New?

Perhaps what isn't changing would be more reassuring! Well, we continue to try and find a way to repair the louvres in the spire, an essential task which must be completed before next winter! It would be nice if we could plan the repair during the enforced closure, unless the government changes its mind on construction work. The small businesses of the county are under much strain, and having work to do with minimal contact (forty foot above ground) could be a lifeline.

Once we have worked out the finances and how to manage the repairs, the task will take several weeks, but we trust the work will result in a secure spire for another 300 years or so – and the church that has served us for 800 years will continue for our generations to come.



The new Linking Lives UK project for Boston (and for Lincolnshire) being facilitated by Wyberton and Frampton parishes is proceeding slowly due to the restrictions of the pandemic. Nevertheless, the work to identify volunteers (befrienders) and the isolated in our communities continues.

The Collecting Plate

In response to the (not very) many requests for advice on how to continue adding to the church funds in these difficult times, I show below our bank details. We can claim a Gift Aid tax refund on your donations placed in the collection plate, and we can also claim on those transferred through the bank. Details from the treasurer. Meanwhile, you are welcome to transfer your weekly donations to this account.

Name: **Frampton PCC**. Sort Code **51-81-08**; account number **04612396**

Did you know? That if you pay tax above the [basic rate](#), you can claim the difference between the rate you pay and basic rate on your donation?

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..... and suddenly we are in the 21st Century!

Who would have thought, even 3 weeks ago, that the buildings the people of Frampton have been using for more than 800 years would suddenly be closed to us, because of a virus that has travelled around the world in less than 30 days. And because of the closure (temporary we trust) we suddenly find our prayers being shared in homes throughout the village, and beyond, as the act of worship is shared, not through the medium of our ancestors, but through the media of our children and grandchildren!

If you are not yet aware of all that is being 'streamed' from your Parish Church (the people, not the building) then take a look at the Easter card that accompanies this newsletter. Easter is the most important festival in the Christian calendar, and there are many opportunities for those with smart phones and computers to join and share the experience. But we know that not all of you in the community can access the internet. Our thoughts and prayers are with you especially. All of our services are at 10am, and if you make that your own special time for reflection each day, you will know that you are joining with many others across the village, and the power of prayer becomes magnified and magnificent.

In the non-sectarian world that surrounds us, Easter has become equally important to the business of providing daily employment. Many may suffer as income dries up, or they experience life changing events in their own families or social circle. And yet many more will continue to work on the essential tasks that we rely on, in acts of selfless service to the community. We have radio, television, the telephone, as well as the internet, and those who are told to stay at home have many windows to the world to use, and be aware of the Love that surrounds us all.