

As a result of the south wall movement , the south western memorial window was becoming increasingly damaged and stressed. It has now been removed and the window boarded up. It is to be replaced once the structural<sup>1</sup> of the south wall has been remedied.

At present the PCC are applying for grants towards very necessary work on the two gullies on the north side of the church and an application for a grant also submitted for a notice board by the gate at the front of the church.

It is a struggle to keep the churchyard well maintained. We have paid employment to ensure that the grass is cut in the 'more recent' part of the churchyard, to make it easily accessible to visitors but for the rest of the churchyard we rely entirely on volunteers.

There is now a service on the 2nd Sunday of the month and additionally for church festivals. Beginning in February, Revd. Richardson held a 6 week Lent course in East Harling and also held Services in all the other churches within the benefice during Holy week. Easter Day we had our first Dawn Service which was well attended and was followed by hot drinks and croissants. A rota of services for the benefice is in the church porch and all are welcome to attend the other churches for services.

The Diss Arts Society is at present in the 2nd year of Recording the church which was welcomed. This entails researching the history, making detailed accounts and photographing everything within the church. This will all be recorded in a book and in due course<sup>to</sup> be presented to the church.