



VILLAGE PRIEST
THE REVD. DIANE WEBB
THE VICARAGE
SELLING, FAVERSHAM
ME13 9RD
01 227 750 144

ST LEONARD, BADLESMERE

Incumbents during the past 450 years

No names of early incumbents have been traced - yet

*It is believed that the church was originally the chapel of the castle,
which once stood on the site of Badlesmere Court.*

It is thought to have been demolished in the reign of Queen Elizabeth

1560 Peter Playet or Playce & in 1573
(Vicar of Throwley 1558 - 1573)
1577 James Tylman
1578-80 Richard Yate
1630 Robert Yate

Rectors of Badlesmere with Leaveland (parishes combined in 1773)

1662 William Bagnall
1713 Thomas Nicholls
1726 James Bernard
1752-5 Curate Francis Frederick Giraud
1763 William Gurney
1784 Henry Thomson
1805 Richard Halke
1814 Matthias Hutton

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1818 *Edward Cage*
1836 *George Jones Hilton*
1884 *George Bryant*
1898 *Arthur Chichester*
1903 *Dewi Douglas Courteney Morgan-Kirby*
1932 *H M Viret*
1935 *Urban Lindsay Johnstone*
1940 *N L Lycett* *Priest in Charge*
1943 *R A Kent* *Priest in Charge*

*Rectors of Badlesmere with Leaveland
& Vicars of Sheldwich*

1944 *John C E Harold*
1954 *Eric A Marsh*

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& Vicars of Sheldwich, Selling & Throwley*

1985 *Jonathan V H Russell*
1995 *Curate in charge* *Susan Ramsaran*
1997 *John Mason*

Village Priests

*Our Village Priests are self-supporting volunteers - unpaid
as all our Church Wardens have been, ever since the office was created
centuries ago.*

1998-2008 *Arthur Skinner*
2009- *Diane Webb*

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