



POLICE INCIDENT REPORT

Wednesday 13th January 2010.

Church Vandalism

There have been three separate incidents of church vandalism recently. At Ickleton Church on 4th January car windows were broken in the car park and Christmas flower arrangements thrown around. The Church had also suffered vandalism to its church doors in mid November, when swastikas were painted onto the church doors.

The second incident was at Strehall Church where swastikas and obscene words were spray painted onto walls and floor in white spray paint. Pages were also torn from the Church bible.

On Tuesday 12th January at some point between 9am and 4pm, St. Mary's Church in Newport was vandalised with various items being damaged and notices being ripped and strewn around the church. There was no graffiti on this occasion.

We'd like to ask for your help in keeping a close eye on your local church and if possible ask your friends and neighbours to do the same. If you see anything suspicious going on at, or around your local church, please dial 999 immediately.

If you saw any suspicious or unusual activity around any of these locations or have any information which you think might be of help, please call Essex Police on 0300 333 4444.

Many thanks,

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