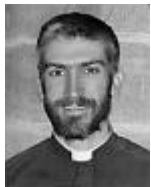


The Vicar's Letter...



Dear friends,

For many people the summer provides a welcome oasis of time and space for a little relaxation and refreshment. Holidays, or 'Holy Days', are sacred times, special times, when we can pause a while to reflect and think about some of the deeper questions about life, the world and the universe.

Holy days, sacred times, are moments when we can be led to contemplate the questions about God and the presence of God in our lives. During July we carried out a review of our worship by inviting people to comment on the strengths and weaknesses of worship at St Andrew's. (We will offer some feedback in next month's magazine.) One of the questions asked was "What does worship mean to you?" Encouragingly, almost all the 50 or so people who had replied by the end of July made reference to God in answering this question.

For many people spending time with God in the company of other people is very important. Worship is a time of giving and receiving: giving of ourselves in praise and thanksgiving and receiving from God the assurance of his presence with us and his blessings to us. For many coming together in worship serves as a powerful reminder of the truths of the gospel, the good news, of all that God has done for us in Jesus Christ. It is as we sing hymns, hear readings from the bible, the Word of God, and share together the bread and wine of Holy Communion that we encounter and are encountered by the living God.

Common to many people's answers was the theme of wanting to give thanks to God. Even when life isn't easy – and all of us have periods when this is so – we believe and trust that God is with us. Even in the midst of our sufferings we are invited to believe and trust that God is faithful and never stops loving and caring for us. When we think the glass is half empty God invites us to pause a moment and see that, in fact, the glass is at least half full.

Giving time to God, spending time with God is important if we are to grow closer to God. Doing this in the company of like minded people is good, but it is not, of course, the only way. I know, for myself, that it is true that one can often feel as close to God (if not closer!?) when alone up in the hills or in the garden. God is most certainly with us everywhere. The important thing is to discover where our 'special' places are – those spots where we can feel most 'at one' with the Creator, the source of life, the ground of our being.

Where are your 'special' places? Have you ever thought of them as 'sacred' places, 'holy' places? For this is what they are. God can touch you – he will touch you – wherever you turn your mind to him and open your heart to him.

For most people growing closer to God, growing deeper into God, happens most significantly through both shared times of prayer and worship in a church building and individual, private times. There is so much about faith which must be seen as both/and rather than either/or.

In worship we meet with God and God meets with us. God is thankful when his people meet together and his people can be thankful too. As one person rightly said: 'Worship is everything'.

God bless you – here, there and everywhere.

Robin

Watch that bird!

If you like bird-watching, why not consider going on a Christian bird-watch this autumn?

The Rev Adrian Hughes, vicar of Belford and Lucker, and Mark Winter, a Baptist who runs Birdwatch Northumbria, have joined forces to pioneer a weekend of bird-watching and

Christian worship in November. They promise a full programme of guided bird watching walks; presentations on birds and their God-given significance; and times of devotion and worship celebrating God's creativity.

'Ornithology' is the word coined for it by the Rev Dr John Stott, an evangelical statesman and avid bird watcher, whose has written a book on the subject, 'The Birds Our Teachers'. The weekend is scheduled for 5 - 7 November.

Details from: www.birdwatchnorthumbria.co.uk

Saturday 23rd October

Fairtrade Event

Christmas cards & gifts

From Traidcraft, Tearcraft and The Leprosy Mission

St Peter's, Crosshills

10am – 4pm

refreshments with fairtrade baking available all day

details from Gill on 632405



If the lady who bought two tapestry kits at the St. Andrew's Summer fair reads this will she please phone 01535 634410 as some of the wools were left out of the packets. I will post them on to her.

Joyce Boden

Thankyou

Thank you for all the prayers and kindness to me when I was in hospital. Thank you also for the cards and flowers and to those who visited. It was all very much appreciated and comforting.

Julie Kemdrew

News from Tasha

Thanks to everyone for their support financially and keen interest and prayers for my trip to Senegal, West Africa. I hope to keep the church up to date with my adventures and prayer requests, so keep an eye open for this in the newsletters.

When you read this I may have already gone and be baking (literally) in the heat of Africans Summer! I depart on 31st Aug 2004 and arrive back 16th July 2005 (320 days!).

The three weeks training in London went very well, I had great fun and met some people who are going out at the same time as me. We had lectures in all sorts of subject from the Holiness of God the killing Scorpions and Snakes!

Here is the poem that I read in church 15th Aug 2004.

The Will of God

The will of God will never take you,
Where the grace of God cannot keep you,
Where the arms of God cannot support you,
Where the riches of God cannot supply your needs,
Where the power of God cannot endow you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the Spirit of God work through you,
Where the wisdom of God cannot teach you,
Where the army of God cannot protect you,
Where the hands of God cannot mould you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the love of God cannot enfold you,
Where the mercies of God cannot sustain you,
Where the peace of God cannot calm your fears,
Where the authority of God cannot overrule for you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the comfort of God cannot dry your tears,
Where the word of God cannot feed you,
Where the miracles of God cannot be done for you,
Where the omnipresence of God cannot find you.

Anon

Area Forums

Craven District Council are again holding a series of area forums in October 2004. The one affecting Airedale and South Craven will be held at Cononley Village Institute on Tuesday October 5th. at 7p.m. Speakers from agencies such as the Police and North Yorkshire County Council Highways will attend to answer questions on matters of local concern.

'Prayer Walks' for the Parish

On Tuesday 6th July a small group walked to Farnhill Pinnacle to pray for the parish. It was an important event as we quietly looked over the environs of the parish and asked God's blessing on all who live, work and pass through this wonderful part of God's world.

It is intended that establish a pattern of regular 'Prayer Walks' on the 1st Tuesday of each month taking different routes through the parish. You are invited therefore to meet at the Parish Rooms at 7.30pm on Tuesday 7th September.

Vicar's Stall at the Autumn Fair

There is still time to let Robin have something from your summer travels for him to sell on his stall at the church Autumn Fair to be held in November; the guide price is £5 maximum. Thank you in anticipation!

Harvest Festival Celebration

Join us for our Harvest Festival services
on **Sunday 3rd October** as follows:

8.15am	Holy Communion (Order 2)
10.00am	All Age/Family Service - to be followed by auction of produce
6.00pm	Holy Communion (Celtic liturgy & music)

Proceeds from the services & auction will be given
to support the work of Tear Fund.

Why not also join us for a joint Harvest Supper
with St James' Church, Silsden at Silsden
on **Saturday 9th October.**
Look out for details of how to book.

EMMAUS: THE WAY OF FAITH

The Emmaus Nurture Course is a 15-week course that explores: What Christians believe; How Christians grow; Living the Christian life.

Why attend this course?

For most people the journey of faith is a gradual discovery, a life-time's exploration. The process of growing in faith affects our whole lives. There is no one point at which we can say 'we have arrived'. The potential to gain deeper understanding and knowledge and grow in love is always there. The course aims to support the individual on their journey by providing friends and fellow travellers. There will be opportunities to ask questions, learn and reflect.

Who is the course for?

The course is suitable for:
enquirers who are aware of their spiritual needs and want to find out what it means to be a Christian;
those who have recently joined Church but feel they have much to learn;
those who have attended Church for a long time but want a 'refresher';
those who feel there must be more to the Christian faith than turning up for an hour on Sunday mornings;
those wishing to be Confirmed.

The course is suitable for people at different stages on the Christian journey:
It will be possible to form 2 groups, one meeting on Tuesday afternoons (commencing 5th October) and one on Wednesday evenings (commencing 6th October).
For more information please pick up a leaflet from the church or parish rooms or contact Robin Figg at the Vicarage (tel. 633307).



Manorlands Hospice Oxenhope

Sue Ryder Care

Manorlands is a Sue Rider hospice and is funded mainly by legacies, fund raising by a dedicated team and sponsorship by various local companies. Therefore it is good that the church is also supporting the running of the hospice as our local parish benefits from the services it provides.

Palliative care is a specialised part of treatment and patients can be assessed there for pain control when referred by hospital or their GP.

As many people are aware, care of terminally ill people is a large part of the work carried out, particularly of cancer patients. However, there are many other wonderful treatments and care programmes.

Day therapy is available for selected patients with severe health problems. Multiple sclerosis and motor neuron disease patients benefit in this way, while their carers have a rest day. Sharon, the head of day care, organises a variety of social and craft days. Recently there has been a visit to Harrogate Flower show, barge trips on the canal, with our local SCAD boat and further outings planned. A professional

artist comes to the hospice on a regular basis, as does a lady who teaches various crafts. A hairdresser and manicurist is available every two weeks. There is also meditation, massage and aromatherapy available.

The resident social workers are dedicated, wonderful people and give support to Families, during and after bereavement. Bereaved children are also cared for and supported in every way and regular parties are held for them. Some of the hospice nurses are out in the community caring for housebound people and giving help and advice after treatment or surgery.

In addition to all this, if a need arises for a volunteer to befriend someone who is alone or needs support, the social care team will organise it all.

The nurses are a very special team as are all the staff.

Manorlands covers a wide area from Skip-ton to Bradford, hence there will always be a great need for financial support to maintain the specialised care the hospice Provides.

Eleanor Eastwood

Stuck for a gift for that Special Occasion?

Are you celebrating the birth of a baby or perhaps a special Birthday or Anniversary?

Why not commission a unique hand-embroidered card that you can later frame as a memento of the event? They have been very popular as personal gifts and are especially suitable too for wedding, baptism or confirmation cards.

Cost, dependent on size and complexity, £7 to £10.

Minimum time needed, 7 days.

Larger commissions for anniversary samplers considered.

If you have an enquiry, or an order, please telephone Gill on 632405.

10% of all proceeds to St. Andrew's church funds.

*Margaret Jowett is selling recipe books, all beautifully illustrated with Arthur Craven prints, for Manorlands. They cost a minimum of £3.50
See her after church on Sundays*



We need help!

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If you've never rung before and would like to try why not call in to the tower on a Wednesday evening at 8pm.

Full instruction given, age, gender or size no barrier!
 Call Peter on 01535 655441 for further details

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 KEIGHLEY (CHRISTINE ANDERTON 01535
 633596)
 OR PRESIDENT KATIE MILLER

FARNHILL PARISH COUNCIL

The monthly meeting of Farnhill Parish Council was held on the 1st July 2004 in Kildwick & Farnhill Institute. No members of the public were present. The meeting was chaired by Councilor G. McKinney.

North Yorkshire County Council have now completed the survey of the Street Lighting and the Parish Council are awaiting the results. During the survey it was found that the lighting pole on the footpath near Redrains Bridge was loose and in urgent need of attention. On inspection by the Parish Councils electrician it was found that the pole is actually broken so will have to be removed. North Yorkshire County Council are to push npower to replace the light on Cononley Bridge.

Craven District Council have agreed to come and walk the village to look at the condition of the roads and footpaths and North Yorkshire County Council have agreed to take a look to assess where the best place would be to put speed monitors. Hopefully they will both come in the next week or so.

A reply has been received from the Highways Agency concerning the A629 Cononley Crossroads Improvement Scheme. A review of the feedback from the consultations and the proposed scheme costs and impacts has recently been completed, and following discussions with N. Y.C.C. relating to the detrunking of the A629, it has been agreed that the way forward is to look for a series of smaller safety improvements that can be quickly identified and perhaps implemented prior to detrunking. The Parish Council are to write to Highways to see if they would be prepared to plant some trees between Cononley Land End & Kildwick Roundabout to act as a sound barrier and also to ask for a low noise road surface.

The Parish Council have been making enquiries about having a recycling point in

the village and it was thought the car park off Main Street would be the most suitable place. C.D.C. Counc P Fairbank has spoken to C.D.C. who have been to look at the site and thought it would be suitable, but would need structural work which would involve the putting in of kerbs and posts. They have recommended a bottle bank and a paper bank and they would be prepared to pay for the work required if we decide to go ahead. They suggest we think carefully before going ahead as the sites can cause problems with broken bottles etc when the bins are full- The Parish Council suggested it might be a good idea to have a temporary installation for a trial period to see how it worked.

The Little Red Bus has problems entering the village, with the size and weight of the vehicle the only access is via the top of Main Street or Starkey Lane. The scheme is to be reviewed later this year.

The Parish Council would like to thank the Play Area Committee for organizing the Evening of Song & Dance to raise money for equipment for the Play Area and all the hard work and effort that went into it. Unfortunately the event was not as well attended as was expected. The notice board has now been put up in the Play Area.

Enquiries are being made to C. D.C. & N.Y.C.C. as to whether it would be possible for the Parish Council to fink into one of their websites.

There will be no Parish Council meeting in August due to holidays, so the next meeting will be held on the 2nd September 2004 in Kildwick/Farnhill Institute at 7.30pm. Members of the village are welcome to attend.

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To find out more or to book your place, please contact the
North Yorkshire Stop Smoking Service on **01904 663310**

Calling All Parents and Grandparents

The Farnhill Play Area Committee has been fund raising for some time now by way of a 2004 Calendar and a Cabaret Show. Members of the committee have also been busy applying for various grants. We need to continue in our efforts and we have a little way to go.

The play area now proudly boasts a notice board in which all the local events relating to children's activities can be displayed.

The committee are hoping to put on a Fashion Show in early November and details of this will be advertised in due course. We are also hoping to produce a second calendar for 2005.

We are now in need of new members to help us and to bring fresh fund raising ideas and we are calling on all parents and grandparents and anyone interested in helping us to turn this small play area around and give it a new lease of life.

You may wish offer your help by way of one sponsored event, e.g., a bike ride or swim or social fund raising event.

You may be interested in joining the committee to help with the ongoing arrangements.

Whatever you can offer by way of your time or donations will be gratefully received and the local and visiting children will be so pleased to get their new play area!

So if you have a little time on your hands then come and join us. You will be made welcome.

This is a real community project!!

Give me, Gill Smith a call on 07986230473

Out and About in September

*Syren of sullen moods and fading hues
Yet haply not incapable of joy
Sweet autumn I thee hail
With welcome all unfeigned.
John Clare*

This summer has seen our perennials growing to outsize proportions. I have fennel and lovage over ten feet and marguerites and campanulas up to my shoulder. Bedding plants have come on late but it has been a war against slugs and snails to get them to survive at all. This is due, I believe, to climate changes and global warming.

It will soon be time to compost the annuals and think about planting bulbs for spring along with Polyanthus, Wall flowers and Bella daisies.

We still need to continue with routine garden jobs such as covering our ponds with netting, leaving access for frogs. Giving the lawn a dressing and taking cuttings of penstemons, ostospernum and pelargoniums.

Look out for 'food for free' in the hedgerows and countryside - Blackberries. Elderberries, Rowan berries, Rose Hips and Mushrooms.

Recipe for Rose Hip Marmalade

Simmer 2lbs. Rose Hips with 3 pints of water until tender, squashing occasionally, Drain in jelly bag overnight. Simmer 2 lb cooking Apples, add Rose Hip juice and 1lb sugar, stir until sugar is dissolved. Add 2 tblsp. lemon juice, boil rapidly until setting point is reached. Pour into warm jars.

It will soon be time to plant hyacinth bulbs for our Autumn fair. If anyone has any spare bulb bowls I would be grateful for them. Joyce Boden



Cross Hill Naturalists' Society (Founded 1904)

Come and visit our

Centenary Exhibition

to be held on Saturday 25th September 2004

at St. Peter's Church School room, Cross Hills, from 1000 to 1640hrs

The exhibition will be opened by

Dr. Tim Thom, Ecologist with Yorkshire Dales National Park

Centenary booklets will be on sale price £6.

Admission free, refreshments available all day



At the last book club meeting one or two of us read passages from books that had inspired us. I like to listen to people reading out loud, something not as fashionable as it once was and I enjoy hearing how different words are emphasised and phrases interpreted, making listening so interesting. Sometimes only by reading aloud can we truly interpret what the writer intended to convey. By reading aloud from the chapter of Wuthering Heights, when Isabella Linton meets Heathcliff for the first time and doesn't like what she sees and demeans him, we are able to appreciate how cruel Emily Bronte has been in cutting the lisping, spoiled, petulant Isabella down to size by giving her such words as 'fortune teller,' 'pheasant' and 'frightful thing' to say.

Hand written letters are interesting too if not as popular now as in days past before electronic mail where it is easy to type a message, press a few buttons and within minutes a reply can be received. However there is something rather exciting about receiving a letter by post – bills and junk mail being the exception!

I correspond with a distant relative in Berkshire. We have never met but we write to one another about four times a year, catching up on news and trying to bring the world to rights. I feel that over the years we have got to know one another quite well and when I see the familiar handwriting on the envelope lying on the mat I put the kettle on and get ready to sit down with a cup of tea and enjoy reading the letter.



I had told my friend that I was going to Parceval Hall - her son is one of the world's leading authorities on snowdrops and by coincidence he had spent time there whilst researching for a book he was writing. Naturally she had wanted to know how I enjoyed the weekend and I had sent her the 'Bridge' with all the comments there that people had made about it.

In her last letter she said she thanked us all for sharing our thoughts and from what we had written she could imagine the beauty of the surroundings and peace of the place, quite different from where she lives at the side of a very busy road and near the M4.

However she told me that she had her own back garden and every night thinks of what she had seen during the days and chooses her favourite thing and thanks God for all of them.

In the New Testament there are many letters by Paul, nice chatty letters and they could have been written to any one of us. The letters seem to make Paul very human and little different to letters we could all receive any day. In Romans he sends personal greetings to his dear friend Stachya and to Priscilla and Aquita saying that they had risked their lives for him and to the people of Corinth he states that someone from Chloe's household had informed him that they were quarrelling amongst themselves! Just as my friend told me that she thanks God everynight for the good things in her life Paul, writing to everyone at Philippi, says he thanks God everytime he remembers them and he also told them something which is just as relevant to us today as it was to the Philippians all those years ago, that they all shared in God's grace and he ends his letter as he ended most of his letters with the words.

"Grace be with you all".

Glusburn and Cross Hills WI - July Meeting

At our meeting on 6th July Mr Frank Robinson showed us slides of his own beautiful photographs of towns in Yorkshire which had been successful in the "Yorkshire in Bloom", "Britain in Bloom" and even "Europe in Bloom" competitions. Having been a judge in many of these competitions Mr Robinson's commentary was lively and very informative.

Our August meeting takes the form of our Summer Outing, a visit to Stoneyhurst College followed by supper at the Clitheroe Post Office Hotel.

At our forthcoming meeting on Tuesday 7th September Mrs Sue Martin will hold a Card-making Workshop.

HERITAGE OPEN DAYS FRIDAY 10TH TO MONDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER

St Andrew's Church will be opening its doors to show off its architectural treasures to local people and visitors between 10–13 September. The openings form part of Heritage Open Days 2004, a national event co-ordinated by the Civic Trust and part of a European wide initiative, European Heritage Days. The programme is funded and supported by English Heritage.

Heritage Open Days will take place all over England. Around 800,000 visitors will enjoy the weekend, making the most of the opportunity to explore an outstanding selection of private homes, castles, follies, industrial sites, churches, contemporary design classics and architectural eccentricities.

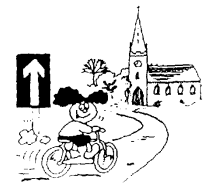
St Andrew's Church will be open during the following times:

- Friday 10th 10.00am – 5.00pm (except 1.30-2.30pm due to a wedding);
- Saturday 11th 10.00am – 5.00pm (except 12.30-1.30pm due to a wedding);
- Sunday 12th 12noon – 5.00pm (services at 8.15am, 10.00am);
- Monday 13th 10.00 – 5.00pm.

On Saturday all day the church Banner Group will be holding stitching taster sessions and embroidery workshops for beginners and experts. Also on Saturday afternoon an artist from Yorkshire Rural Arts will be holding a mosaic workshop. Refreshments will be served on Saturday and Sunday (and possibly Friday and Monday).

For more details and to book a place on a workshop ring 01535 633307.

YORKSHIRE HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST ANNUAL SPONSORED BIKE RIDE/WALK SATURDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER



This event is the major fundraising event for the Trust that was established in 1988 and makes grants towards the repair of churches of Christian denominations in Yorkshire.

Help your local church by joining the sponsored ride. The aim is to visit as many churches and chapels as you can on the day. Half the money you raise goes to the Trust and the other half goes to a church of your choice.

You can take part by cycling or walking. We hope to have a group of cyclists taking part this year. Please contact Robin Figg (633307) if interested or for more details.

St Andrew's Church, Kildwick

Will be open from 10am to 5pm
Fri 10th to Mon 13th September

as part of the
Heritage Open Days scheme

Exhibition of needlework
and

Saturday - Stitching 'taster' day

Come and try your hand at something different!

Cross st, blackwork, pulled & drawn threadwork, hardanger,
canvaswork, freestyle...

and Artist's workshop

Refreshments

Tea & coffee etc. served all day (except Sun am)

Enquiries: telephone Gill on 01535 632405

or the vicarage on 633307

In conjunction with

SPINNING JENNY

and

The White Lion

Coffee Mornings

Due to lack of support coffee mornings at Kildwick & Farnhill
Institute on the first Monday of each month have been
suspended.



Art Exhibition

As a fund raising event Kildwick & Farnhill Institute are presenting an
exhibition of local art on Saturday and Sunday 16th and 17th. October.
Further details and entry forms are available from
Brian on 636900 or Paul on 632129.

Church Rotas for September

Date	Sidesperson	Intercessor	Communion
Sunday 5th Sep- tember	Beth Taylor Joan Houghton Barry Houghton Sandi Walton +KICKs	Michael Baumber	John Exley
Sunday 12th Sep- tember	Gill Jowett Cyril Doult Christine Anderton Ann Mosley (after	Peter Bannister	Tim Littler Julie Kendrew
Sunday 19th Sep- tember	Alison/Gary McKinney June Whitaker Pam Brown Elaine Jamieson	Isobel Stirk	Gary Mckinney
Sunday 26th Sep- tember	Eleanor Eastwood Dorothy Ward Christine Hutchinson Joyce Boden	Lesley Hudson	Michael Baumber Janet Swain
Sunday 3rd Octo- ber	Beth Taylor Joan Houghton Barry Houghton Sandi Walton +KICKs	Robin Figg	John Exley

Church Cleaning:

13th Lesley Hudson and Jayne Taylor
27th Helen Hulley, Rosie Hargreaves,
Sylvia Ackroyd.

Brass Cleaning:

September
Mr and Mrs Ward

Flowers

6th Mrs Stirk
13th Mrs Houghton
20th Mrs Ward (Junction)
27th Mrs Hutchinson/Mrs Tillotson



Tea and Coffee Rota (after 10am service)

1st Sunday June Whitaker, Betty
Hawkins
2nd Sunday Beth Taylor, Marjorie Gee
3rd Sunday Ann Mosley, Christine
Anderton
4th Sunday Joyce Bonham
5th Sunday Maureen Vink, Kath
Morris,

Church Rotas for September

Sunday 5 th 6pm The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity	1 st Reading Deuteronomy 30 15-20 2 nd Reading Philemon 1-21 Gospel Luke 14 25-33	Mike Murphy. Michael Baumber Pam Brown
Sunday 12 th 10am The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity.	1 st Reading Exodus 32 7-14 2 nd Reading 1 Timothy 1 12-17 Gospel Luke 15 1-10	Janet Swain Lesley Bannister Gill Jowett
Sunday 19 th 10am The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity.	1 st Reading Amos 8 4-7 2 nd Reading 1 Timothy 2 1-7 Gospel Luke 16 1-13	Barry Houghton Christine Anderton Sandi Walton
Sunday 26 th 10am The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity	1 st Reading Amos 61a 4-7 2 nd Reading 1 Timothy 6 6- Gospel Luke 16 19-31	Jennifer Roberts John Hudson Brian Charter

From the Registers

Baptisms

Sunday 4 July Charlotte Marie Jeffrey, daughter of Simon & Tracey of The Mallards, Silsden.
Natasha Lillie Frances Lambert, daughter of Mick and Gill of Station Grove, Cross Hills.

Weddings

Saturday 17 July Simon Jackson & Joanna Pickles of Fakenham Magan, Suffolk.
Saturday 24 July Mark Hamblett & Stephanie Marshall of Millfields, Silsden.
Graham Dudley & Kaley Colhoun of Moor Drive, Oakworth.
Saturday 7 August Mark Whitley & Julie Phillip of Winston Avenue, Cross Hills.
Friday 20 August Andrew Evans & Dawn Theyers of Main Street, Cross Hills.



The Bible Society

The local committee of the Bible Society are holding a coffee morning on Tuesday 14th September at the home of Miss Kathleen Auty at Woodlands, Boundary Avenue, Sutton-in-Craven, 10am-12noon. All are very welcome.



Recipes for September 2004

Make the most of Autumn fruits

Roasted Autumn fruits

4 plums
2 apples
2 pears
50g (2ozs) butter

50g (2ozs) sugar
grated rind of 1 orange
juice of 2 oranges

- Heat oven to Elect 190c gas 5. Halve the plums, peel, core and slice the apples and pears. Grate the orange rind finely and squeeze out the juice.
- Melt the butter in a shallow ovenproof dish, place the fruit in the dish and coat with butter then sprinkle with a mix of orange rind and sugar. Pour in the juice.
- Roast for 25 – 35 mins until fruit is tender and tinged brown. Cool a little before serving.

Good with Mascarpone cheese.

Blackberry and Apple Sponge

Filling
1 handful of blackberries
450g (1lb) cooking apples
50g (2ozs) sugar

Sponge
100g (4ozs) soft marg.
100g (4ozs) sugar
2 eggs
100g (4ozs) self-raising flour
1 level teasp. baking powder

- Heat oven to Elect 180c Gas 4. grease a 1.4 ltr (2 ½ Pt) ovenproof dish and peel, core and slice the apples. Mix the apples and blackberries together, layer them in the dish with the sugar and press them down.
- Place the soft marg. in a mixing bowl, stir with a wooden spoon then add remaining sponge ingredients and mix to a soft dropping consistency.
- Cover the fruit with the sponge mixture as evenly as possible. Bake for about 40 mins until springy to touch and the fruit is bubbling. Good with custard or ice cream.

Plum Sauce

6 plums
25g (1oz) sugar
10fl ozs. (½pt) water

Good with roast or grilled pork and poultry
(And ice cream!)

- Quarter the plums then place in a sauce pan with sugar and water and simmer for about 10 mins until really soft.
- Press through a sieve with a wooden spoon. If the sauce is a little thin, return to the pan and cook a few more mins. Add more sugar if necessary.

Meditations you may like to use in the month of September.

Jesus said "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, mind and soul. And your neighbours as yourself."



Who are my neighbours?

My neighbours can be just next door to me, or in my school, place of work, or simply family members.

But also

My neighbours can live in Israel or Palestine and I may never meet them.

We catch a glimpse of them on television divided by a huge high wall.

We see neighbours blown apart by a suicide bomber or an Israeli missile.

Lord, help me to obey your law and keep my neighbours in my thoughts and prayers.

Faith, Hope and Love, but the greatest of these is love.

We pray that love will prevail:

Love that feeds the hungry.

defends the weak,

returns right for wrong,

heals the sick,

stays with the dying,

comforts the sorrowful,

calms the fearful,

overcomes fear,

brings understanding,

reaches out to all,

gives everything.

Because you Lord have given all your love for us and you never fail us, may our love bear all things, believe all things, hope all things, end we all things.

Amen.

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AN INTRODUCTION TO LOCAL CHURCH HISTORY

In this series of articles, Michael Baumber will be exploring some of the more interesting aspects of our local history—church and community

PART 11

RE-ORDERING THE WEST END 1867-73

In structure Kildwick is a medieval church but its internal ordering is almost entirely a product of the late Victorian high-church revival. The west end as we see it today is the result of a drastic re-ordering of the church between 1867 and 1873. The scheme was devised by the Revd. J.T.C. Fawcett but he died in 1869 and it was completed by his successor the Revd. Henry Salwey.



The first step was the insertion of the present clock into the tower in 1867. Between 1824 and 1868 there was a gallery, which occupied the space covered by the two most western arches of the nave. The gallery was taken down. At the time the bell chamber was open to the church. This was not thought to be quite seemly and the present oak screen was placed across the bottom of the tower arch. At the same time a new stained glass window was placed in the tower by the well-known firm of Clayton and Bell financed by Matthew Wilson of Eshton Hall who was also the owner of Kildwick Hall. Another on the south side was put in by G.H.Spencer esq. of Lothersdale. Two other stained glass windows followed in 1873 dedicated to Fawcett and to Miss Marsden, the daughter of a former vicar, Revd. T. Marsden.

On the north side a black memorial table, was let into the wall in memory of Robert Heaton esq., of Sutton. The font was given a new octagonal base in place of the earlier round one. When the gallery

was erected there was no room for the original font cover, which was removed and destroyed. A new one 14 feet high was made by Messrs. Ruddle and Thompson of Peterborough as near as possible to the design of the pre 1823 cover and paid for by Mrs. Tennant, the wife of the occupant of Kildwick Hall.

Before 1870 the vestry was at the north west corner of the church and was moved to its present location, originally the site of the Spencer vault which the family gave up to facilitate the reorganisation. The repositioning of the vestry allowed the tomb of Sir Robert de Stiverton, which occupied the north side of the chancel, to be moved to the northwest corner of the church. The space created was used for a new organ, which was finally installed in 1872.

The present oak pews were also put in at this time, the contractors being Messrs. Brown and Butterfield and the whole of the roof and woodwork well oiled by Messrs. Bottomley of Crosshills. A new warming apparatus was supplied by Mr. Laycock of Keighley and gas lighting from elegant wrought iron standards was provided for the first time in 1873. The old doors were replaced by new ones of oak, the steps carried to the outside and then in 1872 the present porch was added, the gift of a Miss Smith of Cole House in memory of her brother Mr. Binns Smith.

October

Sun 3rd Oct 10am & 6pm Harvest Festival Services
 Sat 9th Oct 7.30pm Harvest Supper (joint with St James, Silsden) (at Silsden)
 Sun 10th Oct 6.00pm CDFC Service including musical telling of the Mary Jones Story
 Tue 12th Oct 7.30pm Outreach Advisory Group Meeting (Croft Mount, Bradley)
 Tue 19th Oct 2.00pm Worship Advisory Group Meeting (Vicarage)
 Thu 21st Oct 7.30pm Deanery Synod Meeting
 Sat 23rd Oct 10am-4pm St Peter's Cross Hills Fairtrade event

Services at Kildwick

Morning Prayer is said Tuesday-Friday at 7.30am
 Evening Prayer is said Tuesday-Friday at 4.45pm
 Mid week Eucharist on Wednesday at 9.15am.

Sunday 5th September	8.15 Said Communion 10am Family Service with baptisms 6pm Sung Communion
Sunday 12th September	8.15 Said Communion 10am Parish Communion 6pm CDFC Service
Sunday 19th September	8.15 Said Communion 10am Parish Communion 6pm Choral Evensong
Sunday 26th September	8.15 Said Communion 10am Parish Communion 6pm Said Evening Prayer (Jazz Vespers at Kirby Lonsdale)
Sunday 3rd October	8.15 Said Communion 10am Harvest Festival family service 6pm Sung celtic-style Communion service

Tea and Scones

We will be serving Tea and Scones in the Parish Rooms Kildwick every Sunday afternoon commencing May 2nd until the end of September from 2.30pm-4.30pm.

We extend a warm welcome to all our regular and new customers.

Last Sunday 26th September



Regular Events at Kildwick

Sunday 10am	KICKs in Parish Rooms (Starts in church)	School aged children's group.
1st and 3rd Sunday 7pm-9pm	Craven Rock At Kildwick	Ecumenical Youth group for 11+
2nd and 4th Sundays (not 5th) 7pm-8pm	Y@K in Parish Rooms (Not in school holidays)	Church youth group for 11+
Monday 1.30pm	Bible Study at Low Green, XHills	Informal Bible study and fellowship
Monday 7.45pm	Bible History Course	Parish Rooms
Tuesday 10am	Chuffs (Not in school holidays)	Short service for preschool children
1st and 3rd Tuesdays 10am	Banner Group in Parish Rooms (upstairs)	Stitching and fellowship group.
Wednesday 6-30-7.30pm	Bubble and Laser Jets in Parish Rooms (Not in school holidays)	Primary school children's group
	8pm Bellringing	
Thursday 2pm	Open House in Parish Rooms	Refreshments and items for sale
7.30-8.30pm	Choir practice in church	
7.30pm	Harvesters in parish Rooms (upstairs)	Informal Bible study and fellowship group



Please note the deadline for copy for the October Bridge is 17th September

September

Thurs. 2nd 10am Church Recording
 Fri 10th -to Mon 13th Heritage Open Days
 Sat 11th Annual Historic Churches Trust Bike Ride
 Tues 14th 7.30pm PCC meeting
 Wed 15th Sep 7.30pm CDFC Council Meeting
 Sun 19th Sep 10.00am Captain Wheatley, Church Army, preaching
 Mon 27th Sep 7.00pm PCC Gathering with Canon Barbara Wilkinson, Rural Dean