



St. Andrew's Church Kildwick

News and Views from Kildwick, Farnhill and Cross Hills

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Summer 2013

Parish Mission Statement

Called to be the body of Christ, we are here to share God's love with all people, through outreach and service, in our community and in the world, through the power of the Holy Spirit

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Di's page.....

Dear Friends

So! They say we are in for another ten years of wet summers! And it was only about a week or so ago, as that lovely sunny weather was beginning to tail off, that "they" forecast that there would be a gradual upturn in our weather, in the future.

What should we believe? And what would we do in the UK, without the weather to talk about!

As Peter said in his June letter in The Bridge, the church is now in what is called "ordinary time" of Trinity. No festivals to celebrate, only the harvest to be brought in on the farms around us. Time for rest and reflection.

As a teenager in Hampshire and as a churchgoer (as one was in those days!) this time of year was known as the "long green plateau of Trinity" - reflected in the lush green of the Hampshire countryside and the colour of the church vestments – green for ordinary time. By the time it got to the 20-something Sunday after Trinity, we were glad of the Harvest Festival, and even the sea on our doorstep had lost its charm.

As an adult I know that the spirit of determination is abroad, people are determined not to be put off by the weather. Two lovely weddings planned for May and June have taken place at St Andrew's in glorious sunshine. The Fete for church, primary school, and the Institute was planned and well supported, despite heavy rain for a while. A wonderful gallery of art and crafts from the school children kept us busy in church; scones and cream teas in the Parish Room; and as always, the ice cream van. We were not deterred. Nor will those planning Open Air Music Festivals around us be; and The Proms on the Park in Silsden will take place in July, even if supported by drinks in the beer tent and huge umbrellas.

And at St Andrew's there may not be festivals but there are 4 baptisms planned for July and August.

The ancient 13th century church font will once again be in use. The huge octagonal font, standing at the top of its steps, and, as is traditional, just inside the door at the bottom of the nave – where we gather for worship. The architecture is deliberate. Worshippers have to pass the font, Sunday by Sunday, and are reminded of their baptism; of the promises made on their behalf, or by themselves. They were baptised (as these young children will be this year) into a new life, resurrection life, and into membership of the Church - welcomed, loved and nurtured in their faith; and opened up to all that the Holy Spirit of God waited to bring them. Were you, who read this, baptised at St Andrew's? If not, where? What was the font like? Was it near the door? Were there steps up – 3 for the Trinity in which we believe? And were there 8 sides?

Eight is a special number from Old Testament times; it is the number of the Lord, representing perfect intelligence and splendour. The Temple was sanctified in 8 days; circumcision took place on the 8th day, and for us, it is the symbol of resurrection and rebirth because Jesus Christ rose from the dead, eight days after entering Jerusalem.

We have hope because of His resurrection and are inheritors of that hope through our baptisms. Resurrection life is not just to be claimed for the future but is to be lived fully, now.

Dí Hallíday

Thanksgiving for 30 years of the Sudan-Bradford Link Celebration Service Bradford Cathedral 4.00pm Sunday, 8th September with Bishop Ezekiel



Bishop Ezekiel is with us from 6th September— 17th September 2013 There will be several opportunities to meet up, learn more and pray for Sudan during the Bishop's visit.

More Details contact Ven David Lee david.lee@bradford.anglican.org

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Every Parish is invited to send a representative to the service. Let us give thanks for the past and plan for the future





News from Stephan and Margaret Tirwomwe in Uganda

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Dear Robin & Congregation at St Andrew's Kildwick

Christian greetings!

I have been wondering if you are aware of the challenges we have been facing as a family since we retired from active parish church work. I sent an e-mail message to all our friends for whom we had e-mail addresses early this year. However there are some of you of whom we did not have your e-mail address and therefore you may have not known what is happening about us. Even for those whose e-mail I used to have, I am sorry to say that someone was trying to hark into my account and as a result it was blocked because I had forgotten my security word. I lost all the e-mail addresses and I now have a new address as shown above.

Here is brief information about Margaret and our son Samson:

- Samson was diagnosed with cancer of the colon a few days early January 2013. He was operated upon on 14th January 2013. But it was found out, after post operation tests that cancerous cells were still there. He started Chemotherapy with our national hospital Mulago Hospital Cancer Institute. So far, he has finished 4 doses out of 6.
- 2. As though that was not enough, Margaret was hit by a bicycle just before Christmas last year. We took it easy but early January 2013 she developed acute pain in her left leg. On 12th March 2013, we went to Kampala for consultation. After scanning, it was found out that she had a blood clot. As you know this is equally dangerous and expensive to treat.

Here below is the latest news about Margaret and our son Samson:

- Margaret: We went back to Kampala on 1st May to see her doctor for more checkup. She had a swollen leg a thing that surprised the doctor because he expected a clot to be dissolving to the contrary. She was given more injections and more tablets and had to remain in Kampala for two weeks. We saw the doctor again on 16th May and her doctor was happy with the positive progress though slow. We are now in Kamwezi but on 10th July we shall travel back to Kampala for further check-up.
- Samson: He started the fourth dose of his treatment on Saturday 10th May. This time the side effects were not as severe as they were before. The doctor is happy with the healing process. He is now remaining with two doses after which the doctor will recommend where to go for thorough check-up as in Uganda facilities to check cancer thoroughly are not available.

We are sure that those who heard of these challenges you have been praying with us. We request you to keep on praying as we believe in a God who heals all diseases (Ps.103:1-2).

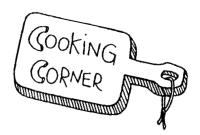
Thank you for being there for us. God bless you! With love from

Stephen and Margaret Tirwomwe

Rhubarb and orange cake

Ingredients

4oz rhubarb thickly sliced eg1".
10oz golden caster sugar...I used Demerara
8oz soft butter.
1 orange, zest & juice
8oz SR flour
4oz ground almonds
1 tsp B P
3 med eggs
Flaked almonds
23cm tin, lined, loose bottom
Gas 4 180c, 160c fan





Method

- 1. Place 2oz of the sugar in a bowl with the sliced rhubarb
- 2. Stir well and leave for 30mins
- 3. Beat tog...remaining sugar, marg, zest &juice
- 4. Add SR, BP, almonds & eggs
- 5. Beat till smooth
- 6. Fold in rhubarb and any juices
- 7. Spoon into tin.....DO NOT LICK SPOON OR BOWL.....save for me
- 8. Sprinkle over flaked almonds
- 9. Bake 1-11/4 hrs
- 10. May need to cover with foil if getting brown Cool in tin 15mins

Dust with icing sugar

Libba Utley



Prayer Page

Page 7 The Prayers of the children and adults from Collective Worship in June. Dear God

- don't be dead
- we hope that you help others and help them so they are not dead Armen
- let us help the disabled in every way we can also we must treat them with same respect as they treat us. Amen
- we hope you are still alive we no that you made us but we still want you to stay alive Amen



- I promise to do my best to be kind and helpful and to love God.
- I hope that poor countries can get more food and drink and that we can support them in their problems
- I wish Africa had more schools and bibles.
- please help other countries in the world.
- help us to get along with each other and help us to make poor people have a worthy life to live. Help people to stop the war. Let people have clean water and food every day. Make people to have a happy life. Ellie
- where there is sadness, let me bring joy, where there is conflict, let me bring peace. Help us to build people up, not tear them down. Amen
- I hope my Dad will get better soon.
- please help other people that are sick that have a tummy ache or even people that have poorly brane. Please help them to stay alive. Amen
- I hope that my Grandma and anyone else who is diagnosed with some sort of illness, such as Alzheimer's, can battle through. Amen
- in the darkest times, may light shine upon us. Where the days are gloomy, let us light ourselves up by praying to you. I also pray for my family and friends, for all the kindness and generosity they have towards me. For my nanny, who broke her arm in Monaco. Please help her to go through the pain well and to revive her from the terrible accident that occurred. Loving Lord Amen

Dear Lord

- help disabled people not to be picked on of treated differently to us. Help them to feel happy and safe. Amen
- help us to cope when times are tough and when courage is hard to pluck op.
 help to show us light in the darkest of times. Amen
- please help me communicate with other people and give people food and water and stop people arguing and fighting with each other. Amen

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- let us help one another to be kind and don't fall out. Bring peace to the world and stop fighting.
- help the people in their worst state to get better and help the poor Africans have food and water. Amen
- help us to understand that the way we wish to be treated we should treat others and that we are loved as individuals.
- help us all to understand that we are all different. Everyone can shine and lets just hope that we can help them fulfil their dreams. This is for all those who are moving on in September and finding their way in the adult world
- let's help one another and be kind.
- may we learn to help each other and reunite countries to bring peace to the world. Amen .
- please let dying people on the other side of the world in Africa survive and beat poverty.
- I hope that animals and people have good food. Amen
- Where there is sadness there will always be a light of hope, for the people that have just finished exams and hope that they have done well, and all the pressure has gone. Amen

I pray....

- I hope my Dad's back gets better
- for our kingdom I hope people have many family and friends
- for people in Africa to have money and houses and food.
- for my Auntie and Uncle in Australia and I really miss them Amen
- to give the poor children in Africa a home
- Help everyone have food.
- My cousin who has recently come out of a hip brase and I hope she makes a full recovery.
- For all who help us on emergencies or when we are in trouble....our families and friends, nurses, doctors, and hospital workers. The ambulance service and fire service. Thank you for all the support you give them.
- For all who have died that they may be wrapped in your arms of love. For all who mourn that they may find comfort in your love and the compassion of those around them.

Thank you God for

- for giving us friends Amen
- For the community of St Andrew's, for Robin and Elizabeth and all members of our church and school, for their hard work and commitment to

you. I hope I may follow their example. Amen

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- For having toys we get and the food we eat
- thank you for looking after us and our lovely school. George
- This world, your creation, rolled into a sphere, packaged in sunshine, gift wrapped in love, given to us, thank you Lord.
- Thank God for our shops so we can by things and we by toys and food. Harvey
- For all the good things you give us...fun and laughter with friends, for the times the sun comes out and we can play out and enjoy sports and races at school, and especially for the kindness and love in our families.
- Thank you God for our water and food. Lucas
- for guiding us through situations Aaron
- for making friends. Harrythank you for my animals Armen Alfie
- for the water and the food. Niamh
- for looking after us. Ruby
- for our houses and the toys. We want clean teeth. Armen Chirag
- for water and food. Otis
- for the drinks and food and houses. Blake
- for all the houses you build for us. Jonathan
- for the houses we have. Thomas
- for the food and drink and good schools
- for the food and drinks and toys and school.
- for our toys. Lucy
- thank you for our food and water and thank you for everything. Alfie
- for the water and food. Hannah
- for our mums and dads and for our world and house and food. Amen. Ben



CROSS HILLS & DISTRICT FELLOWSHIP OF CHURCHES

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Praise in the Park, 3.00pm Sunday 21st July Sutton Park

Come and sing some of your favourite hymns led by Sils-

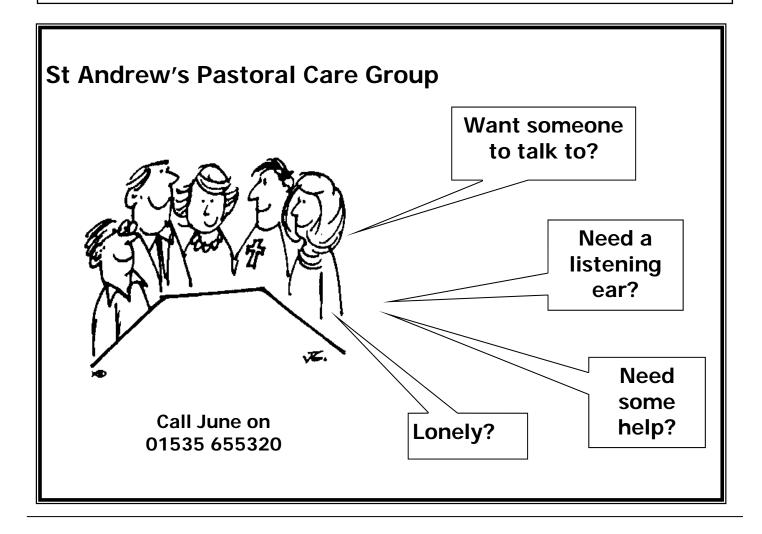
den Town Band. If the weather is inclement, the service will take place in South Craven Baptist Church.

TEA AND SCONES

In the Parish Rooms, next to Kildwick Church every Sunday afternoon from 2.30pm until 4.30pm, until the end of September.

A warm welcome awaits our regular and new customers.

If you are able to help by hosting an afternoon, baking scones or church sitting so that our historic church can be open for visitors please sign the list in church or contact Lesley Hudson on 01535 523291





NEWS FROM THE CROSS HILLS & DISTRICT FELLOWSHIP OF CHURCHES



Annual General Meeting Tuesday 11th June 2013 held at St .Peter's Methodist Church

Present: Glennis Attwood (chair) A.Sollberger(treasurer) Revd.S.Kanu, C.Anderton E.Eastwood,H.Chiton,G,Sheard,J.Greenwood,M.Clough Apologies A.Pearson, k.Corp, R.Sedgwick,L.Lamb,Revd,M,Cowgill,Revd R. Figg

The meeting opened with prayers led by Glennis Attwood

Changes in members of the council:

The election of officers will take place at next meeting.

Mary Clough has re-joined the council for South Craven Baptist church. Graham Sheard stated he would like to be a Council member for St.Peter's Methodist church. The list of members was discussed and amended as necessary, a new list will be sent with the minutes.

Minutes of 2012 were accepted , proposed by Hazel Chilton, seconded by Mary Clough..

Report Booklet:

Finance: Details are in the report. The youth work amount is now used to help finance the nativity pageant. Thanks were expressed to Anne Sollberger for the accounts. Thanks were expressed to Maureen Vink for the Audit.

Harvest Supper: it was agreed to hold again in 2013, there was a suggestion of line dancing instead of a ceilidh, but was not popular with those present, to be discussed at next council meeting. it had been previously suggested that the 2013 price be £7 and the date 4th October.

One world week: To be held at St Andrew's Methodist church, Cowling, 20th October, speakers to be Revd Saidu Kanu and his wife, Adelaide.

Nativity pageant: To be held 8th December 2013 at 4pm. No further arrangements have yet taken place. A meeting will be advertised with in the churches, 2 representatives from each church would be helpful. Offers of some storage space would be helpful for some of the props.

Hunger Lunch: In 2013 it was held at South Craven Baptist Church. The place and date to be discussed at next meeting.

Lent : The weekly meetings have been better attended than the house meetings. The council to plan something similar for 2014. Themes were discussed: meanings of grace, fasting and what it means to different denominations or we could follow the York course. Good Friday processions. Agreed it is worth repeating, this year hot cross buns wrapped in a serviette explaining the meaning of hot cross buns were given out to the local shop keeper. This was very well received and it was agreed to do again in 2014.

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Monday 2 pm	5 Beanlands Drive	Informal Bible study and fellowship, all welcome
Tuesday 10.00-11.30am	Chuffs (Not in school holidays)	Fun for pre-school children and their grown-ups!
Tuesday 7.30-8.30 pm	Choir practice in church	
Wednesdays from 10.15 am- 12.30pm	NottheKnot Group in Parish Rooms	Stitching and fellowship group.
7.30 pm	Bellringing	

Regular Events at Kildwick



Mon 8 th Jul Tue 9 th Jul Fri 12 th Jul Sun 14 th Jul Tue 16 th Jul Sun 21 st Jul	2.00pm 6.30pm 2.45pm 2.30-4.30p 7.30pm 3.00pm	Visit by ringers from Staffordshire PCC meeting (Parish Rooms) Kildwick School collective worship in church pm Messy Church CDFC Council meeting (12 Rowan Garth, Sutton) CDFC Praise in the Park (Sutton Park)
Tue 10 th Sep Sun 8th Sept	6.30pm 4.00pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms) Celebration service for the Sudan-Bradford Link (Bradford Ca-
Thu 3 rd Oct Fri 4 th Oct Sun 6 th Oct Sun 20 th Oct	thedral) 7.30pm 2.45pm 10.00am 10.30am	Deanery Synod meeting (Keighley Shared Church) Kildwick School Harvest collective worship in church Harvest Festival Family Communion CDFC Service for One World Week (St Andrew's Church, Cowling)
Fri 27th Sept	7.30pm—9	9.30pm St. Andrew's Church Social
Sun 27 th Oct Tue 29 th Oct	Bible Sund 10.30am	lay CDFC Residential Homes Visiting Teams meeting (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Sun 3 rd Nov	ALL SAINT	S SUNDAY

Sunday Services at Kildwick

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Midweek Eucharist on Wednesdays at 9.30am

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8.15 am 10.00 am	Holy Communion Family Communion with baptism
8.15 am	Holy Communion
10.00 am	Family Communion
8.15am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
8.15 am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
8.15 am 10.00 am	Holy Communion Family Communion with baptisms
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From the registers

Weddings	
Saturday 25th May	James Isaac and Lisa Barrett of
Friday 7 th June	Shaun Barraclough & Chloe Dearden, of Dradishaw Road, Silsden
Funerals	
Friday 28th June	Louis Stanley Drake formerly of Bungalow Road Glusburn
Burial of Cremated R	emains:
Wednesday 12th June	Tony Walton

Church Rotas

Date	Sidesperson	Intercessor	Communion
7 July 2013 The Sixth Sunday After Trinity	Joan and Barry Houghton David Baxter	Marie Stinson	Christine and Sandie
14 July 2013 The Seventh Sunday After Trinity	Marie Stinson Peter McNeill	Stephen Westcott	Christine and John
21 July 2013 The Eighth Sunday After Trinity	Christine Anderton Ann Mosley June Whitaker	Michael Baumber	Sandie and Michael
28July 2013 The Ninth Sunday After Trinity	Libba Utley Michael Baxter Sandie Walton Kath Morris	Lesley Hudson	Sandie and Michael
4 August 2013 The Tenth Sunday After Trinity	Joan and Barry Houghton David Baxter	Shirley Hoskins	Christine and John
11 August 2013 The Eleventh Sunday After Trinity	Marie Stinson Peter McNeill	Peter Bannister	Christine and Tim
18 August 2013 The Twelfth Sunday After Trinity	Christine Anderton Ann Mosley June Whitaker	Sue Hargreaves	Christine and Sandie
25 August 2013 The Thirteenth Sunday After Trinity	Libba Utley Michael Baxter Sandie Walton Kath Morris	Michael Baumber	Sandie and Michael

Brass Cleaning	
July	Christine Westcott
August	Sandie Walton and Lesley Bannister
Church Cleaning: July August	Helen Hulley, Rosie Hargreaves, Sylvia Ackroyd June Whitaker, Mary Peake, Christine Hutchinson

	Readers Rota	Page 15
7 July 2013	<i>Isaiah 66.10-14</i>	<i>Reading not used</i>
The Sixth Sunday	Galatians 6.1-16	<i>Reading not used</i>
After Trinity	Luke 10.1-11,16-20	Katharine Calvert
14 July 2013	Deuteronomy 30.9-14	Kathryn Morris
The Seventh Sun-	Colossians 1.1-14	Lesley Hudson
day After Trinity	Luke 10.25-37	Michael Baumber
21 July 2013	Genesis 18.1-10a	Glyn Evans
The Eighth Sunday	Colossians 1.15-28	Stephen Westcott
After Trinity	Luke 10.38-42	Sylvia Clark
28July 2013	Genesis 18.20-32	Marjorie Gee
The Ninth Sunday	Colossians 2.6-19	John Mitchell
After Trinity	Luke 11.1-13	Marie Stinson

4 August 2013 The Tenth Sunday After Trinity	<i>Ecclesiastes 1.2,12-14; 2.18- 23 Colossians 3.1-11</i> Luke 12.13-21	<i>Reading not used Reading not used</i> Brenda Brock
11 August 2013	Genesis 15.1-6	Glyn Evans
The Eleventh Sunday Af-	Hebrews 11.1-3,8-16	Tim Littler
ter Trinity	Luke 12.32-40	Lesley Bannister
18 August 2013	Jeremiah 23.23-29	Barry Houghton
The Twelfth Sunday After	Hebrews 11.29 - 12.2	Stephen Westcott
Trinity	Luke 12.49-56	Christine Anderton
25 August 2013	Isaiah 58.9b-14	Sylvia Clark
The Thirteenth Sunday	Hebrews 12.18-29	Marjorie Gee
After Trinity	Luke 13.10-17	Marie Stinson

Flowers rot	а	
July7th	Mrs.Walton	August4th Mrs.R.Ward
July14th	Mr.M.Baxter	Aug.11 th Vacant
July21st.	Mrs.Joyce Whitaker	Aug.18 th Mrs.Gee
July28th	Mrs.J.Hudson	Aug.25 th Mrs.D.Ward

Praise in the park: it has been arranged for the 21st July 2013 at 3pm. More advertising is required, especially to the people already in the park.

Care Home services: these are continuing. Volunteers are always welcome.

Grief & Loss, The small group is continuing to keep a contact. The ministers to give details of funerals held and contact details to the churches coordinator to enable a contact to be made. This can be by giving flowers and sending the united churches card.

Christian Aid week: All the money is not in yet for 2013. The coordinator and the treasurer are resigning this year. No one has come forward to be the treasurer, but Julie Lonsdale from Steeton has agreed to be the coordinator. She will arrange envelopes etc. but each church treasurer will have to send the money into Christian Aid.

Women's day of prayer: it should be held at St Thomas; Sutton in 2014. The planning group will discuss if the service would be better attended if held in the afternoon instead of the evening.

Future of CDFC: The reduction in minister's means the ministers are not be able to attend several of the council meetings, but keep in touch, good communication is important. **AOB**: Revd.Saidu Kanu explained his plans to start a youth meeting, perhaps in September. It would be for all denominations and for all young people over the age of 11.He is willing to be the leader, but helpers and other leaders from the other denomination would be required. There are different activities proposed. He is very willing to explain the plans further and requests that each CDFC representative takes the ideas back to their church for discussion. The day, time and venue have not been arranged yet.

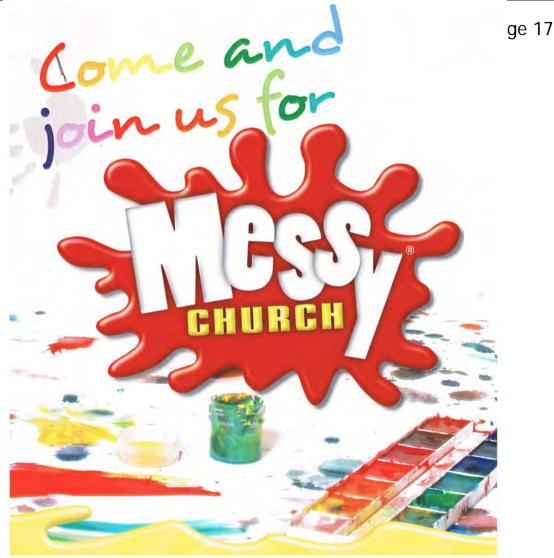
The meeting closed with a prayer and the saying of The Grace

Next council meeting is on Tuesday 16th July at 12 Rowan Garth, Sutton at 7.30pm Next AGM June 10th 2014 7.30pm at St Peter's Methodist church, Crosshills

Glusburn & Crosshills WI

INSPIRING WOMEN In a change to the published programme, Glusburn and Crosshills WI were entertained this month by Clodagh Tweedale and her unique take on the Antiques business. "I've got one of those!" was a fascinating glimpse into what makes a once common household object into a sought-after collector's item. The older members certainly had the edge when it came to identifying many of these "mystery" objects, which included the "penny lick" and the even rarer "ha'penny lick!"

Next month we will be meeting the "Nidderdale Llamas" and enjoying a strawberry supper. If you'd like details of this or any of our other events, please contact Glusburn & Crosshills WI on 01535 634207.



Sunday 14th July 2.30-4.30 pm Your family is invited to

Messy Church (no snow this time!)

Messy Church has become very popular around the country and is a way of being church that families others can enjoy together. It's al very relaxed for all-ages lots of fun, music, making things together to explore the Bible, then celebrating Jesus in a short time of story, action songs, puppets, prayer and sharing food together.

It's noisy, happy and very messy! We hope your family is able to join us for the afternoon, there is no need to book but it is helpful if you let us know you are Coming. Pauline 07931511652 paulinewright2009@live.Co.uk or [.esley 01535 523291 lhhudson@talktalk.net

The Village Pump A meeting Place for over 50's Every Wednesday 2.00-3.30 pm Farnhill Methodist Church (in the foyer)	Farnhill Methodist Church holds a Coffee Morning from 10—11.30 am on the second Saturday of each month. There is a cake stall, greetings cards, bric-a-brac
	and paintings on sale. It is a regular date for many villagers and for visitors from around the area. All are welcome.



Kildwick CE Primary School Striving for Excellence and Promoting Christian Values



Thoughts from the school leavers

I joined Kildwick after Christmas in Year 5 and have enjoyed all my time here. My funniest moment would probably be when we went to Castle Head and I fell over nearly all the time. Mrs Smurthwaite had stomach ache from laughing so much. I have enjoyed all my laughs with my best friends Hannah Audin, Millie Maguire and Lexy Goodwin. I will really miss all the teachers and all my friends. Abigail Luccock

I will miss this school after all it's done for me. It has helped my confidence grow, and has helped me experience things that I have never done before such as cycling on the road, abseiling, gorge walking and much more. Also thank you to Mrs Fawcett for helping me through my last year at school. Ben Riddiough

My time Kildwick has been amazing with lots of fun trips and lessons packed into each day. My favourite trip was Castle Head because I had lots of adventures with all my friends. My favourite teacher was Mrs Fawcett as she made any subject fun and exciting. My best friend Ellie has helped me through lots and I hope we can all stay close friends. Thank you for the fabulous years at Kildwick. Bethany Ross-Bryar

I have had an amazing time throughout my years at Kildwick School. One of my favourite activities was in Year One, when I completed my DT project on weaving; I made a blue and yellow bird! I also remember the end of year trips, especially Harewood House and Castle Head. I have especially loved being taught by Mrs Fawcett. THANKYOU KILDWICK SCHOOL! Benny Hick.

I have enjoyed my time at Kildwick School. I remember when we visited Castle Head and went on the 'mad dog walk'. On the farm, the dog scared the life out of me; it was hilarious! I'll miss this school and the teachers that have taught me over the seven years. Duncan McInnes

One of my favourite memories from Kildwick was my first trip to Castle Head, because of how kind and supportive everyone was and how much fun the activities were. Another memory is when Bethany (my best mate) fell over (obviously she didn't hurt herself). It was really funny! Ellie Hayden - Birch

I will always miss Mr R and going to Castle head with him. The funniest moment was when he fell into the beck at gorge walking. I will miss Kildwick School. Emily Howarth

I joined Kildwick in October of Year 6 and have made some very good friends. Ι thoroughly enjoyed the science lessons, particularly the ones when we used burners. Castle Head was brilliant, and I really enjoyed canoeing. I will miss Kildwick. George Eastwood

I have many fond memories of Kildwick School, but if I had to pick just one it would be when my best friends, Millie Maguire and Abigail Luccock joined Kildwick. I'll never forget our first days at this wonderful school, and all the fun times we've had each year. Hannah Audin Page 21

I have enjoyed my outstanding 7 years at Kildwick and it has brought me joy and happiness. I remember coming here not even knowing the alphabet, but from that, I'm now ready for secondary school. This school has taught me lots and has given me brilliant memories like friends, teachers, school trips, sports days and many other events. But the thing that will always be in my heart is friendship. I will never forget my classmates and teachers. James Walker

One of my favourite memories at Kildwick was when we visited Castle Head and I played murder in the dark with my friends, and the teachers joined in. It was really funny. **Jamie Milner**

I have excellent memories from Kildwick School. I ate from a chocolate fountain Class3, I ran in the torch relay in Class 4 and I made a carousel in Class 5. Finally, I would like to say thank you to all my teachers: Mr Travers, Mrs Braime, Mrs Smurthwaite, Mrs Fawcett, Mr Robertshaw and last but not least Mrs Cooksey. THANK YOU! Joseph Pickard

I have really enjoyed my time at Kildwick and will never forget it. My fond memories of my friends and I will never leave me, nor will memories of teachers. I really enjoyed Castle Head and the "Teddy bears picnic" from lower down the school. I am very sad to leave and hope the school stays strong. **Luca Campana**

I have had an amazing seven years at Kildwick. All the staff have always been brilliant and have been so kind and helpful. Overall, my fondest memories include: Visiting the Star Centre, Imperial War Museum, Manchester Science Museum and Yorkshire Sculpture Park. Events at Kildwick that I remember include: Roald Dahl Day, Fairtrade 2013 Coffee Morning and Victorian Day. Thanks Kildwick School, everything I have wished for here has been made possible. Luke Dyson

I'll miss a lot about Kildwick, but my true highlight has been Castle Head. I'm going to miss my teachers, Mrs Fawcett and Grace, without them I wouldn't have passed the 11+. Thank you everyone at Kildwick School. **Max Boumphrey**

I have loved Kildwick School so much, since the day that I visited and met Mr Robertshaw in Year 1. The best memories have been with my best friends Hannah Audin, Lexy Goodwin, Abi Luccock and Ellie Hayden-Birch. The best year has been Year 6, being the 'big dogs' of the school but I have loved every other year including being taught by all the great teachers. Thank you everyone at Kildwick School. **Millie Maguire**

I'm going to miss representing the school for sport events and all the teachers who have taken us places and taught us. One of my favourite memories was when I tipped a welly full of water over Mrs Fawcett's head at Castle Head in year five! I'm going to miss everyone at Kildwick, the teachers and the pupils. **Owen Bridge**

I am so glad that I came to Kildwick, as I've had an amazing time. I remember the Bikeability award as it was so much fun and I will never forget the Year 5 and 6 trips to Castle Head where I thoroughly enjoyed the team building activities. I want to thank my awesome teacher Mrs Fawcett for educating me for this spectacular year. **William Proctor**

FARNHILL PARISH COUNCIL SUMMARY OF DRAFT MINUTES

The meeting of Farnhill Parish Council was held on the 4th June 2013 in Kildwick/Farnhill Institute. The meeting was chaired by Counc G Harling. Three members of the council were present, + NYCC Rep Counc. P Mulligan. CDC Rep Counc P Fairbank, 1 member of the public and two applicants for the vacancy.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 7th May were approved by the Council and signed as a correct record by the Chairman after one addition.

A member of the public complained about the collection of waste and stated that collections of green, brown and blue bins at Bucklar Hill had all been missed on several occasions. Dist Counc P Fairbank said she would investigate the matter further.

He also informed the Council that he had been in touch with NYCC regarding the junction of Starkey Lane & Newby Road after having several minor bumps through traffic coming down Starkey Lane and not stopping. He asked them in January to refresh the white give way lines and possibly put up a sign informing of the junction. Clerk to follow up the request.

He also asked if the Council could speak with the Canal & Rivers Trust about the condition of the wall opposite the junction of Newby Road.

CDC Dist Counc P Fairbank reported that so far 2000 people have contributed to the garden waste scheme. If it goes ahead it will go to Select Committee in 9 months when it will be analyzed to see if it is covering the costs. Compost bins are available from CDC at a low cost of £9.00. She also informed the Council that people in NYCC's area can no longer use the tip at Keighley. Counc Fairbank is still on the Licensing & Tax Liaison Committee and the Select Committee and is an outside body for the Older Peoples Champions.

NYCC Dist Counc P Mulligan informed the Parish Council that all seven Councillors for the Craven Area had been re-elected at the recent elections. He is still on the Audit Committee but is no longer Chairman of the Committee. He is also on the Pension Fund Committee & Chairman of the Care & Independence Committee. He reported that civil Parking Enforcement was taken over by NYCC from the Police on the 30th May. This will result in greater enforcements if there is evidence of problems and there will be different levels of penalty some of which will be halved if paid within 14days.

The Parish Council had two applicants who wished to fill the vacancies and be co-opted onto the Council. The Council considered the letters of application and a vote took place and it was agreed to co-opt both applicants. Mike Scarffe & Richard Bramley were informed that they had both been co-opted as Councillors and were welcomed onto the Council by the Chairman.

The Parish Council considered an application for funding from Kildwick & Farnhill Scouts Group and resolved that the Parish Council contribute £50.00 next month.

The Parish Council were very concerned about unauthorized work which has been carried out at the Arbour by putting in a further 8 steps after being told by the Council that the 2 steps which had been already started could be finished and then all work must cease till more information provided to the Council. An embankment of rubble has also been put alongside the steps which is thought to contain asbestos. Louis Richardson came out from the Environment Agency to assess the area and advised the Parish Council to cordon off the area while it was fully investigated. After further investigation she informed the Council that as the area in question was less than 5 cubic metres they had passed the case to CDC Environmental Officer to pursue. CDC stated that because the materials had been used in carrying out work it was not regarded as fly tipping and because the land is owned by the Parish Council they have the responsibility of removing it. The Parish Council would then have to take legal advice on recovering costs. The Parish Council resolved to get the material analyzed and if it was found to contain asbestos to get quotes from approved asbestos contractors.

In considering a plan for future development of the Arbour the Parish Council resolved that Arbour Top should be kept as it is now, to be cut and maintained on a regular basis and that Lower Arbour needed further consideration. With regard to maintenance of the triangle at Arbour Top an agreement was made with the Parish Council years ago that Richard Bramley took care of the maintenance. He will provide the documentation at the September meeting. It was also agreed that Counc R Bramley cut the grass and cut back the brambles on the path from Arbour Top to the Play Area. It was resolved that once the planning application for trees at the Arbour is complete Clerk to go ahead and arrange for the tree work to be carried out as previously agreed, but to hold back on the bramble cutting for the time being till the area is clarified.

NYCCI e-mailed to say LP 25 has been disconnected. The lantern is not worth saving as in his opinion, it is corroded and of the old type (i.e. SOX). The approximate cost to install a free standing column is £1200, but it all depends where we wish to place it. He is prepared to meet on site if we wish. The price includes connection by YEDL. As for determining the best location, he will need to go on site with a YEDL plan and he will plot various locations on a map, and then send his suggestions. He says the decorative column LP 28 should be painted soon as their contractors have appointed another painter to do the job. The Clerk has had an e-mail to say that Light No 9 at Hanover Street is out and this has been reported to NYCC.

A lady from Main Street has asked if we can do anything about the footpath at the top of Main Street and also the path at Parsons Walk. Clerk to ask NYCC about repairing the footpath (previously reported to be in bad condition by the Council last year) and write to the lady and inform her that she will have to contact Kildwick Parish Meeting with regard to the path at Parson's Walk. An e-mail has been received regarding the verges asking if the cutting can be delayed until wild flowers have set their seed so that flora and fauna benefit to the full from the growth of vegetation. Clerk to write to NYCC to ask them to consider this.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING TUESDAY 2ND JULY 2013 IN KILDWICK/FARNHILL INSTITUTE AT 7.30PM All members of the village are welcome to attend

Word search

Psalm 104 is a magnificent song of praise to God for the wonders of Creation. The Psalmist notes that God "set the earth on its foundations", and marked out the seas: "you set a boundary they cannot cross". The springs that pour into ravines, the wild donkeys that drink there, the birds of the air that nest by the waters and sing in the branches, the grass that grows for the cattle, the wine that gladdens the heart of man, the bread that sustains his heart – all these come from our loving Heavenly Father. Everything is in this Psalm, from lions hunting to leviathan, frolicking in the sea.

Creation Earth Foundations Boundary Sea

- Springs Ravines Branches Stork Nests
- Mountains Gladdens Wine Oil Bread
- Sustain Lions Leviathan Living Food Sun
- Good Satisfied Renew Glory rejoice



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SUMMER PROGRAMME 2013

Microscope Meetings Will take place on the second Thursday of each month from April to June 1845-2100

hours

At Sutton-in-Craven Community Centre BD20 7HA. Microscopes are available & children are welcome if accompanied by a responsible adult.

The last meeting of the microscope group will be the June meeting. Sadly, the Society will be closing on the 31st. August 2013

Wednesday Ilkley Moor – approx 4 miles. 3 rd July Laneshaw Delves, Twelve Apostles. Meet	
10.30, Victoria Road, Cross Hills, <i>with cars, packed lunch &</i> walking boots.	John Webb
 Wednesday Burton Leonard – approx 3 miles. 17th July Botanical walk on Magnesian limestone. M 10.00 Victoria Road, Cross Hills, with cars, packed lunch & walking boots 	. Jean Kendrew eet
Thursday 22nd August 'Winding up with Afternoon Tea' An opportunity for members to reminisce about the Society over afternoon tea. Plea bring any suitable memorabilia. St Peter's Schoolroom, 14.30. To book please contact Jean by	Jean Kendrew se
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Suitable footwear and waterproofs are recommended on ra own requirement People joining Field Meetings are respect thereby avoiding disturbing plants, wildlife, and farm stock gers should be prepared to offer the driv Any juveniles under 16 years joining a Field Meeting must adult. Non Members joining Field Meetings do so Visitors, welcome £2.00 per me <i>Cross Hills Naturalists' Society cannot accept responsibility</i>	ctfully asked not to bring dogs , k. Where cars are used, passen- ver 7p per mile. be accompanied by a responsible at their own risk. eeting.

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Birds in Our gardens - June



At last the weather has improved! It's been a hard time for our garden birds, but now breeding is in full swing. It's too early to tell what the outcome will be, so whilst we wait I thought I'd pass on some interesting news about House Martins. They are not exactly garden birds for most of us, but if you look up you will often see them hunting for insects, and maybe a few of you will have nests on the end of your houses or outbuildings.

The House Martin is well known to many of us: from April to September it feeds on flies in our skies and lives and breeds under our eaves. But in recent years the number breeding here has fallen by two-thirds, leading to the species being 'Amber Listed' as a bird of conservation concern.

Whilst we know a lot about the life of House Martins in the UK, come September they head off for the winter and disappear from our radar. We don't know where in Africa they winter, nor precisely how they get there. If we are to understand what is driving their decline, we must find out more about their travels.

Thousands of House Martins are ringed in Britain each year, and although there have been some recoveries in Europe and North Africa, their migration strategies and routes north of the Sahara are poorly understood, and their African wintering grounds are completely unknown as relatively few of the millions wintering there are ever seen. This has led to speculation that they might spend long periods feeding at high altitude, possibly above the rainforest, where they remain unnoticed.

This summer, BTO researchers aim to use the latest technology to discover the routes that House Martins take to Africa and to truly find out where they spend the winter months. They plan to do this by fitting a shirt button-sized device known as a geolocator. Weighing less than a gram, it contains a clock, a calendar and a light sensor, plus enough memory to store a year's data.

By comparing daylight length from the light sensor with the time and date recorded, scientists at the BTO can determine where the device was at any given time. This information should reveal the wintering areas, the location of stopover and refuelling sites, plus migration routes and their timing.

To find out more and follow the research, visit <u>www.bto.org</u>.

Mike Gray gbwmike@btinternet.com

11th July Benedict (c.480 – c.550) - author of the famous **Saints and Such** Rule

Benedict was an abbot and author of the famous Rule that bears his name. Because of his Rule, Benedict is also the Patriarch of Western Monasticism, and Patron Saint of Europe.

Surprisingly little is known about his life: born at Nursia, Benedict studied at Rome, which he then left before completing his studies to become a hermit at Subiaco. After a time disciples joined him, whom he organised into twelve deaneries of ten. After an attempt on his life, Benedict moved on to Monte Cassino, near Naples, where he wrote the final version of his Rule.

Benedict's Rule is justly famous and respected: not only did it incorporate much traditional monastic teaching from revered monks like Basil, but Benedict went on to modify this in a way characterised by prudence and moderation within a framework of authority, obedience, stability and community life.

Benedict's great achievement was to produce a monastic way of life which was complete, orderly, and workable. The monks' primary occupation was liturgical prayer, which was complemented by sacred reading and manual work of various kinds.

Bendict's own personality shines through this Rule: wise, discreet, flexible, learned in the law of God, but also a spiritual father to his community. Benedict's Rule came to be recognised as the fundamental monastic code of western Europe in the early Middle Ages. Because of his Rule, monasteries became centres of learning, agriculture, hospitality, and medicine. Thus Benedict came to influence the lives of millions of people.

31st Aug Raymond Nonnatus – redeeming slaves from a living death

Raymond Nonnatus (1204 – 40) is a good patron saint for anyone who does not take life for granted. The account of his own life begins with the story of how his mother died just before his birth, and of how Raymond was somehow extracted from her dead body just in time to save him. ('Nonatus' means 'not born').

Raymond grew up in Portello, Catalonia and became a monk, joining the Mercedarian Order. Perhaps because of his gratitude for his own life having been spared, Raymond developed a passionate desire to see other people set free to live the lives God had given them. Whatever the reason, Raymond made the difficult and dangerous journey out to Algeria in order to redeem many slaves from what was a living death. So passionate was he to free them, that he even offered himself as a ransom for others' liberation.

While in Algeria, Raymond preached Christianity to the Muslims, and was put into prison, before eventually being sent back to Spain. The Pope sent for him, but Raymond was so weakened by his suffering in Algeria that he died on the way to Rome. But by then Raymond was content. Just as his life had been given back to him, so he had used it to give life back to others.

