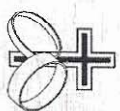


FROM THE REGISTERS:

18th June: David and Caroline Hargreaves (Aldbrough)

19th June: Paul and Sarah Fell (Mappleton)

19th June: Aiden Fell (Mappleton)



BAPTISM

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Revd Anne White
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Mrs C. Longstaff (527190)

Mrs K. Moore (527552)

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Mr B Rhodes (533954)

Mrs R. Skinner (534580)

St Alban's Witherwick:

Capt. D. Smith (527419)

Mrs Anne Wood (527947)

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Mrs Antoinette Butlin 527438

**** New benefice website ****
<https://aldbroughbenefice.wordpress.com>

See your Parish church on the websites;

A Church near you: www.acny.org.uk

Also Diocesan website: www.dioceseofyork.org.uk

Why not try the Aldbrough & Witherwick
village websites;

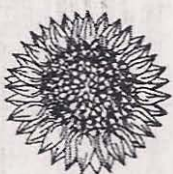
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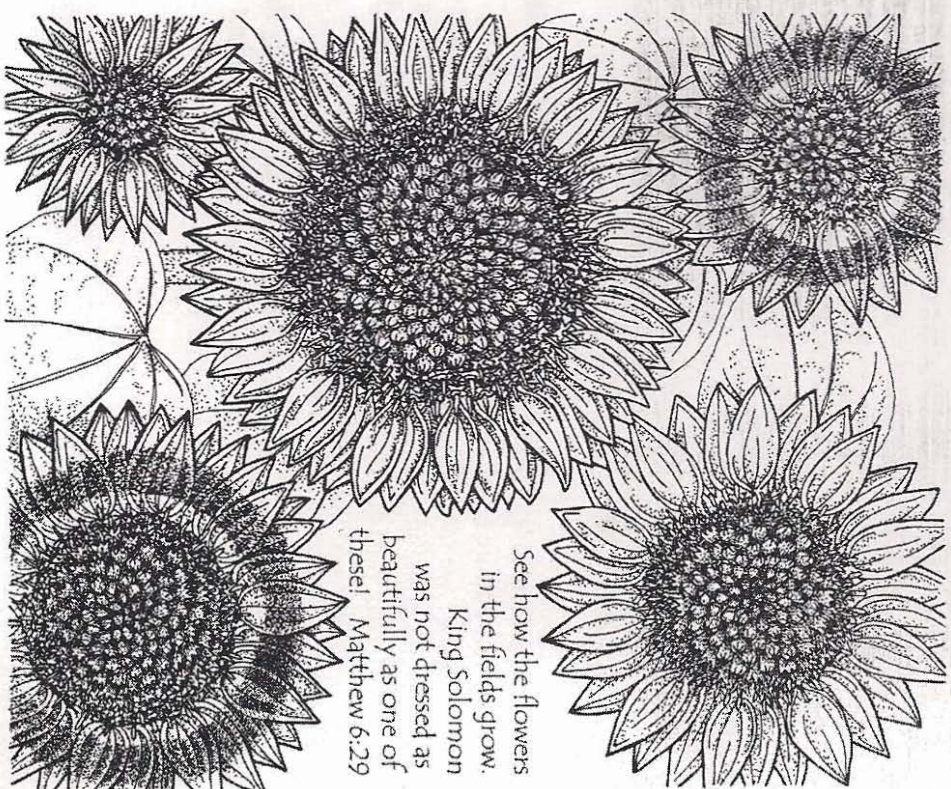
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Items for next Parish News to Paul by 22nd July, please

**The Parishes of Aldbrough,
Mappleton & Goxhill with Great
Hatfield & Witherwick**



July 2016



See how the flowers
in the fields grow.
King Solomon
was not dressed as
beautifully as one of
these! Matthew 6:29

From the Vicar July 2016

By the time you read this it will all be over (the referendum that is) and we shall know whether we are to stay in Europe or not. Whatever the result the campaigning was marred by the senseless murder of Jo Cox, MP— someone who was passionate not just about what she believed was the 'right' way forward, but also about the people she represented whatever creed or colour:

The roles we all have in society give us multiple identities and this is true for the church as well. Christians in this benefice we belong to the Church of England through the Diocese of York, but we also belong to the worldwide Anglican Communion - our identity is not confined to a single place. This is something that St Paul at various times was very keen to emphasise - although he was Jewish, as a tribe of Benjamin and a Pharisee, he was also a Roman citizen and a Greek-speaker from Tarsus. He was proud of his multiple identities on earth, but always points out that our real citizenship is in heaven. Ultimately, as Bishop Alison implied in her sermon at Witherwick, heaven is our goal and yet we talk little about it so perhaps this is something we should do more often!

Our identity is naturally 'in Christ' and whilst we belong to a specific parish, we worship more often than not as a Benefice - a group of parishes. Of course we naturally have a particular allegiance to one church, but we do come together regularly to give praise and thanks to God and to offer support and encouragement to one another throughout all the ups and downs of this earthly life.

As we look forward to some summer sunshine (hopefully) I pray that you will all find time to reflect (as Matthew points out on the front cover) on God's glorious creation, rather than on whether we're European or British!

*With every blessing
Revd Anne*

Withernwick Ladies Group

This year's summer trip was planned to be rather further afield than usual. Renishaw Hall in Derbyshire was a very good suggestion, but the arrangements seemed to be fraught with difficulty. As a result the destination was closer to home, Scampston Hall near Malton.

Scampston had been a popular choice for a previous trip, but on that occasion there had only been time for the garden. This time, a tour of the house was booked. This proved to be a wise move, as the day dawned grey and chilly. When the bus was delayed by traffic problems in Aldbrough, some of the party waiting by Witherwick church were beginning to wonder if enough layers had been packed.

Fortunately, by the time there had been a coffee stop at Wolds Way Lavender, the day had improved enough for a pleasant walk round the hall's walled garden, a look out over Capability Brown's park, and a civilised lunch. There was even an exhibition of textile art inspired by Capability Brown's work to keep members occupied until the tour of the house began.

The plan had been to spend the rest of the day finishing off the garden, but the driver suggested that another coffee stop would be a better use of time, as the sun was still conspicuous by its absence. There were no dissenting voices, so the homeward route took in the Stained Glass Centre at Cayton.

The July meeting will be on Wednesday, 6th July at 7 o'clock in Witherwick church. Janet Smart will talk about the Thuso Orphanage, Lesotho. Visitors are welcome, but if you want to join in the raffle, please bring a small prize with an African theme.

Aldbrough Garden Party (incl. Novelty Dog Show!!)

2nd July 1.00pm

3 Seaside Road

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

EVENT	DATE	WHERE
Aldbrough Garden Party (incl. Novelty Dog Show!!)	2nd July	Seaside Road
Afternoon Tea	6th August	Anchorage, Rolston Road
Aldbrough Gift Day	27th August	Church
Hatfield Fete	29th August	Great Hatfield
Pies & Peas Supper	8th October	Aldbrough
Coffee Morning (for M+G)	FRIDAY 28th October	Hornsea Parish Hall
Aldbrough Christmas Event	3rd December	5 - 7pm Church environs

Yorkshire Day reminder

Don't forget that Witherwick Ladies will be holding their usual Yorkshire day fund raising event on Yorkshire Day, Monday 1st August. Tea, coffee, and cakes will be available in Witherwick church from 11-3, with sandwiches around lunchtime for those who want something a bit more substantial. There will be a cake stall, and a stall run by the Yorkshire Air Ambulance, who will receive the proceeds of the event.

'All creatures great and small' - no, not the title of a James Herriot novel but rather an invitation to pets to come with their owners to a service of thanksgiving on Sunday July 10th at 3.00pm in Aldbrough Church.



'Baby McBabeface' - are you really sure?

Hello

I have been watching springwatch on BBC2. Nature can be cruel at times, others making meals of the youngster, but they only kill to feed their young ones, like the stoat or weasel and the sparrowhawk or the eagles.

I have a very tame male blackbird that comes for some sunflower seeds, so must have some chicks near me, also a robin doing the same just hope nothing takes them, as jackdaws and magpies are about that will take them for sure.

Lastly i wrote a page about me been a volunteer for 15 years from when i started, about the sea birds and folks i have met from all over the world. Find it very interesting in what i have wrote & i could tell a lot more, sometime i will do.

Regards

and God bless Revd Anne
and all who read this letter
John

From 'Parish Pump': Nigel Beeton was recently given a bird feeding station... "The bird food can be a bit pricey, but I feel like some kind of avian landlord! I've called this poem 'The Plume of Feathers' after a pub in Dunstable, where I grew up. I never went in (I was a child) but the name stuck in my memory!"

The Plume of Feathers

All the birdies in my garden
Get such delicious grub;
I think I am the guardian
Of a feather friendly pub!

Here's some tits, some colour bringing
The nuthatch, upside down;
The robin, gaily singing
As the finches gather round.

Though the cost may make me mutter
As I shop for nuts and seed;
I love to see them flutter
As they flock around to feed!

By Nigel Beeton

[We'd love to have some poems/recipes/gardening tips etc. from readers of this newsletter!!]

Looking Back

150 years ago on 28th July 1866 Beatrix Potter was born. This children's writer and illustrator created enduring animal characters including Peter Rabbit, Squirrel Nutkin, Mrs Tiggy-Winkle and Jemima Puddle-Duck.

100 years ago: from 1st July to 18th November 1916 that the WW1's Battle of the Somme took place. The slaughter was epic, the result inconclusive. It was the first battle to use tanks.

75 years ago: on 19th July 1941 that Prime Minister Winston Churchill launched his 'V for Victory' campaign.

70 years ago: on 21st July 1946 that bread and flour rationing were introduced in Britain as the country's wheat crop had been ruined by continual rain.

50 years ago: on 30th July 1966 that the 1966 FIFA World Cup final was played in London. England beat Germany 4-2. (This remains England's only World Cup win.)

Services in the Benefice for July 2016:

EVERY Wednesday

10.00am Holy Communion followed by Coffee: Aldbrough

Sunday July 3rd: St Thomas

10.30am Parish Communion: Aldbrough

Sunday July 10th: Trinity 7

10.30am Parish Communion: Mappleton

3.00pm Pet service: Aldbrough

HEALING COMMUNION: Tuesday July 12th

10.30 for 11.00 at 4 Mill Lane, Withernwick

Sunday July 17th: Trinity 8

10.30am Parish Communion: Withernwick

Sunday July 24th: Trinity 9

9.00am Holy Communion: Withernwick

10.30am Morning Praise/Communion: Aldbrough

6.00pm Evensong: Mappleton

Sunday July 31st: Trinity 10

10.30am Parish Communion: Goxhil

Sunday August 7th: Trinity 11

10.30am Parish Communion: Aldbrough

ALDBROUGH METHODIST CHURCH

July 2nd Coffee Morning at 10-00--11-30am, with cake and bric a-brac stalls.

; 5th Bible Study at 2-00 pm.

; 6th Craft Club- at 1-30 pm

; 11th Beetle drive and Games Night at 6-00pm.

; 12th Network =Cottage Tea Party with Strawberry and Cream Teas,

Cake and Produce Stalls and Tombol

Everyone Welcome.

; 13th Craft Club at 1-30pm

; 20th Craft Club ;

; 27th Craft Club