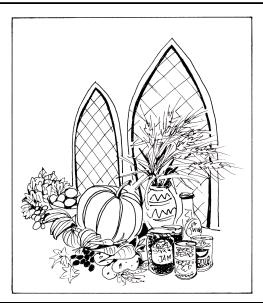
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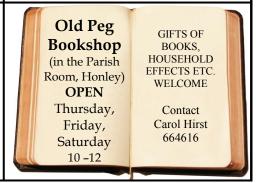
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Parish Letter October 2012

What's in a name?

The choice of a Christian name for the new baby is one of the challenges of many a father and mother. Fashions change and what was acceptable years ago is no longer, and vice versa.

Families require the continuance of certain family names in each generation. There is pressure to be "different" or to imitate the 'Celeb' of the day. A recent list of the top three names of boys and girls names indicates a return to names of yesteryear and even flowers like Poppy and Daisy which were mocked years ago. I was called Henry just because my parents liked the name!

Churches have names too and it's fascinating to work out the significance of each. It may be, as at Honley, that when the first church was built here in the Middle Ages it was the fashion to commemorate the Mother of the Lord. Or, as at Brockholes when I believe it was less of a patriotic gesture to choose the national patron saint St George but rather a recognition by Marianne Armitage who paid for the building, of the regular repetition of the name George for every first born son of the owners of High Royd.

Local celebrations have continued on the feast days of our patron saints. Honley Feast even survived the alteration of the calendar in the 18th century. Brockholes has now for several years celebrated St George's Day with AD's demonstration of the slaying of the Dragon.

But it isn't only Saint's days that give us an opportunity to show our thanks for the church, but wherever the day of the dedication is not known, then there is a special Feast of Dedication - the first Sunday in October. (This year it will be Harvest Festival; but I hope perhaps we shall at least remember it on the alternative date – the last Sunday after Trinity, i.e. 28^{th} October).

Recently I was talking to a friend in Brockholes and I said "I have now been here for nearly fourteen years, and the church continues alive and well"; and she replied, "And I have been her for 82 years – and it's my birthday!"

This is the wonder of the church. People come and people go, but there remains, thanks to the quiet and persevering devotion and prayers of so many and their witness, a continuing life in every generation.

Thanks be to God, for our saints and our churches and for the working of the Spirit in this parish. Look out for Him as He works; not in the obvious, but in unexpected places.

Thanks be to God for St Mary, St George and all those good and holy (and mostly anonymous) people in every generation, who pass on the Faith, by who they are and Who they follow.

Henry Stapleton

Millennium Book Prizes

The PCC made its 13th award to the schools of the parish in 2012. Pupils chosen by the staff of each school for their overall progress rather than academic achievement only, were as follows;

Honley Infant and Nursery School - Rebecca Eley and Joshua Thomas Haigh

Honley Junior School - Joe Heppenstall

Brockholes Infant & Junior School - William Shaw and Tom O'Hara

Honley High School -Thomas Grota and Lauren Batley

Cliff Green, PCC Secretary

PARISH NEWS

From the Parish Registers

Baptism St Mary's St Mary's St Mary's St Mary's	August 19 August 19 August 19 August 19	Patrick Anthony Green Amelia-Rose Mary Green Neveah Lilly Teja Browne Harry Glen Iggleden-Millen
Weddings St Mary's	August 25	Darren Patrick Downs and
St Mary's	August 31	Tamara Alexandra Stone Mark Tindall and Kay Bilics
St Mary's	September 1	Andrew David Todd and Michelle Louise Taylor
<u>Funerals</u>		Ţ
St George's	August 30	Jean Margaret Thewlis
St Mary's	September 7	Lily Edith Parkin
St George's	September 17	George Head

In October we remember in our Year's Mind

Willie Parkin	d.	1	October	2004	
Margaret Gregory	d.	5	October	2007	
Roy Littlewood	d.	9	October	2009	
William Johnson Wilson	d.	13	October	2003	
Carol Lesley Hepper	d.	19	October	2010	
Doreen Wadsworth	d.	21	October	2007	
Rupert Handsley Hildred	d.	22	October	1984	
Mabel Tolhurst	d.	23	October	2007	
Lesley Cockroft	d.	26	October	2011	
Maureen Taylor	d.	28	October	2009	
Vera Jessop	d.		October	2010	
Brian Hinchliffe	d.		October	2010	
Geoffrey Gill	d.		October	2011	



Parish Giving Corner

responding to God's love enabling mission



Making Your Presence Felt

One thing that we don't do is to continually carp on about how much it costs to run the Parish, and that we never have enough money. Facts and figures can soon become boring, more importantly, we don't want Christian giving to be narrowly perceived as simply getting money in to pay the bills.

Christian giving is more dynamic than that. Our faith should nurture us as givers so we are not simply giving to a need – but more needing to give.

Christians give because they know the grace of God poured out to them in Christ. Giving that speaks of all that we have received from God.

We know there are many who read the Parish Magazine who have a particular affinity or bond with either St Mary's or St George's. However, for various reasons, are not able to come to services on a regular basis.

We would, of course, love to welcome you in person. But in the meantime what we would ask you to consider is making your presence felt by becoming a regular giver and joining our Planned Giving Scheme. Regular and consistent giving is vital to the health of the Church and its mission.

If you would like to consider this, please contact the DCC Treasurer or any other Church official. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Please ask and we will be happy to help on any aspect of giving.

Clive Green and Roger Kenworthy - Parish Giving Officers

ST. MARY'S CALENDAR

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SEPTEMBER Sunday 30	8.00 am 9.30 am 6.30 pm	17th Sunday after Trinity Holy Communion Parish Eucharist Taize service
OCTOBER		
Wednesday 3	9.30 am	Holy Communion followed by Pastoral Care Prayer Group
	7.30 pm	Mothers' Union - Speaker: Alice Moore
Thursday 4	10.00 - 11.30 am	Coffee Morning
	1.30 pm	Baby and Toddler Group
	7.00 - 8.00 pm	The Coffee Wagon
Sunday 7		Harvest
•	8.00 am	Holy Communion
	9.30 am	Family Service for Harvest
Manadayyo	6.30 pm	Parish Eucharist
Monday 8 Tuesday 9	1.00 - 7.00 pm 7.30 pm	Honley Library Open Day Finance & Property Committee Meeting
Wednesday 10		Holy Communion
Thursday 11	10.00 - 11.30 am	Coffee Morning
,	1.30 pm	Baby and Toddler Group
	7.00 - 8.00 pm	The Coffee Wagon
Friday 12	7.30 pm	Hand Chimes Rehearsal
Sunday 14		19th Sunday after Trinity
-	8.00 am	Holy Communion
	9.30 am	Parish Eucharist
Tuesday 16	6.30 pm	Evening Prayer
Tuesday 16 Wednesday 17	7.30 pm 7 9.30 am	D C C Meeting Holy Communion
Thursday 18	10.00 - 11.30 am	Coffee Morning
marcaay 10	1.30 pm	Baby and Toddler Group
	7.00 - 8.00 pm	The Coffee Wagon
Friday 19	7.30 pm	Hand Chimes Rehearsal
Sunday 21	8.00 am 9.30 am 3.00 pm	20th Sunday after Trinity Holy Communion Family Communion (+ Children's Club) Evensong and Holy Baptism
Wednesday 24	-	Holy Communion
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•	1.30 am	Coffee Morning Baby and Toddler Group
Friday 26	2.00 pm 2.00 pm	The Coffee Wagon Infants School Harvest Service
Sunday 28	8.00 am 9.30 am 6.30 pm	
Wednesday 31	9.30 am	Holy Communion
NOVEMBER Thursday 1 10.00 -	- 11.30 am 1.30 pm	Coffee Morning Baby and Toddler Group
Sunday 4 Wednesday 7	8.00 am 9.30 am 6.30 pm 9.30 am	All Saints Day Holy Communion Family Service Parish Eucharist Holy Communion followed by Pastoral Care Prayer Group

	<u>Service</u>	<u>Sidespeople</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Intercessors</u>	Serving Coffee
Oct	Harvest	Rebecca and	Rebecca	Graham and	Gillian and
7	Festival	Craig Noble	Noble	Jane Wardman	Roger Greaves
Oct	Parish	Gillian Greaves	Elaine	Carol	Alison and
14	Eucharist	Shirley Mitchell	Shaw	Hirst	Simon Dean
Oct	Family	Pauline and	Jenny	Clive	Liz Cummings
21	Communion	John Adams	Lockwood	Waind	Janet Sykes
Oct	Parish	Janet Sykes	Andrew	Angeline	Suzanne and
28	Eucharist	Mary Stapleton	Dean	Baker	Stephen Dufton
Nov	Family	Bill Kemp	Helen	Graham and	Heather Ambler
4	Service	David Wainwright	Martin	Jane Wardman	Shirley Turner

HONLEY NEWS

Coffee Wagon

The Coffee Wagon team have decided that, due to very few team members and the onset of cold, dark winter evenings, they will close down at the end of October for the winter months. Another meeting will be held in the spring to decide whether to restart with the lighter evenings.

Liz Cummings

Operation Christmas Child 2012

Another year almost over and what a year it has been (we won't mention the weather). The Golden Jubilee and of course the Olympics and Paralympics, I think we are all proud of the athletes' achievements.



Now we are looking towards Christmas and this years Shoebox Appeal. The boxes will be going to Bosnia. The Customs Authorities will not allow knitted toys, chocolate or anything to do with Harry Potter. They will however require warm hats etc. stationery, toiletries, small toys, and sweets (in date until March 2013). If you prefer to donate money - that is perfectly acceptable.

Everything is explained in the leaflet which will be available shortly with shoe boxes. The campaign dates are as follows:

1st - 18th November.

Please do have your boxes back in church before the last date so I can get them to the warehouse for checking.

I know you will all be brilliant as usual. Many thanks

Elaine Shaw

Dear Everyone at St Mary's

Now I am back from my trip to Peru I would like to say a big thank you to everyone who has supported me with donations, come to my coffee morning and donated jam jars and fruit which enabled me to make jam that I sold at the Christmas Market.

Without your help I wouldn't have been able to reach my target of £3,700. I had an amazing experience that I will never forget and it was well worth the hard work and effort that went into fundraising.

Thanks again

Alice

Yorkshire Air Ambulance

During August I actually went to Pocklington myself to deliver the latest sack of bras you have kindly donated. It was interesting to hear first-hand how appreciative the authorities are to you all for so kindly donating your underwear. So do please continue to fill the box at the back of the church, and please don't be afraid to encourage your family and friends to pass them on too.

Thank you ALL for your support in the past, especially to Eileen Broadbent who has an enormous number of contacts who support her - and me. It actually doesn't cost you anything, just put them in a plastic bag and leave them in the box in church or leave them on my doorstop if I'm not AIR AMBULANCE in. Every one helps to make someone happy in the bush in Africa.



Incidentally I am planning to go to Pocklington again early in November so how about a big turn-out now enabling me to take a large sack or two with me?

Mary Stapleton



Thank you to all who took part or attended the annual Wave of Prayer Service in Church at the beginning of September.

The Coffee Morning proved an enjoyable and successful event raising a wonderful £250. Together with proceeds from the Mixed Harmony concert, £450 will be sent for the 2012 fundraising focus – "Family Life Programmes in Uganda". A big thank you to everyone.

Andrea attended the Fresher's Fayre at Huddersfield University on Monday 17th September. Mothers' Union have supported this event for several years handing out free copies of a recipe book 'Grub on no Grant!', and providing tasters of the meals. It was a very busy and enjoyable morning.

A reminder that Alice Moore will be our guest speaker on Wednesday 3rd October talking about her journey and experiences on her trip to Peru. Please come along to support Alice. The meeting starts at 7.30pm and is open to all.

The Deanery Festival Service on Monday 8th October will be held at St John's Church Lepton at 7.30pm. Anyone who would like to attend and requires transport please contact Beth Pearson on 665898.

Batley Town Hall is the venue for the MU Council Meeting on Wednesday 10th October 10.00am for 10.30am. Everyone is welcome to attend and if you require transport please let Andrea know.

Andrea Green, Branch Co-ordinator

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Good News from Honley Infants

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The Board has recently been reconstituted and the Governors of Honley Infant and Nursery School would like to congratulate Christine Lancaster, Head Teacher of the school, on being invited to become a co-opted member of the Board. The invitation to work with the Board - which she will do in addition to her Head Teacher post - is in recognition of the high level of skills and expertise Christine has demonstrated over a number of years in her work as an outstanding Head Teacher.

Jane Wardman. Foundation Governor

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Dear Friends

With much regret I have realized it is no longer possible to continue with my Nearly New Rails at our Street Market and other church events. I have had a lot of fun and raised many hundreds of pounds. This was entirely due to all the lovely things you have given to me. Any clothes I did not sell I have delivered to the Hospice Shop or the Forget-me-Not Trust and they have been very pleased to receive them. Thanks everyone. Its been a blast!

Brenda Wildman

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David and Lyn Gregory, Jess, Ben and Ali are pleased to sponsor the October issue of the Parish Magazine in loving memory of Margaret Gregory - a much loved Mum and Grandma who we still think about often and has a special place in our hearts.

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The centre offers users practical help, alongside advice, information and sign-posting to other agencies and services with emotional support as required.

Gifts donated at the October 7th Harvest Festival service will be passed over to the centre, as are the weekly donations which are brought to the front at the same time as the collection during the 9.30 am service. More information about the work of the Centre is available at: www.thewelcomecentre.org

Alison Dean

Report on the August Meeting of St Mary's DCC

Fourteen Members were present when Chairman Clive Waind opened the meeting with a prayer.

In matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting Simon Dean reported that he had removed the small trees from the vicarage garden which were overhanging the neighbouring properties.

It was reported that there had been a change of buyer for the lower part of the vicarage garden and the Secretary was instructed to write to the Diocese asking them, in view of the increased sale price, if they would pay for the clearing of the upper part of the garden.

John Dean reported that the installation of the small camera giving a view of the main body of church to the organist had received positive feedback.

In the absence of Treasurer Clive Green, the Secretary was able to read out a written report supplied by Clive. This gave details of a 20% rebate on our Common Fund repayments which will be due for the duration of the interregnum so long as we pay our full Fund for 2012. The July Street Market and Flower Festival had raised £2,941. We are still on course to 'break even' over the year but Clive stressed that we have become very dependent on having a successful Street Market as our main fund-raising effort each year – this will be discussed at a future meeting. The Parish is now a Registered Charity with the number 1148443.

Jane Wardman explained recent changes in the Child Protection area. Fewer people will require CRB checks. The DCC approved the names of leaders of the groups involving children and young people who will require checks. A copy of our Child Protection Policy will be kept in the vestry. DCC approval for church activities involving children and young people was given.

Reports from the Transformational Planning Groups included the following:

- For the Community and Outreach Group Bill Kemp gave details of the concert to be given by the group "Cantorelli" on the afternoon of October 14th.
- Angeline Baker reported on the investigation into suitable Daily Bible Study guides. An 'Emmaus' Course in October and the Lent Course for 2013 are being prepared.
- For the Worship Planning Group Jane Wardman gave details of some forthcoming special services including the "Songs of Praise" on September 23rd and the visit of the Junior School Choir to the Family Service in November.

Under Correspondence, Clive Waind read a letter from the Welcome Centre in Huddersfield. On this subject it was pointed out that after many years of devoted service, Heather Cockhill has been forced to retire from transporting our offerings to the Centre. The Secretary was asked to write expressing our thanks to Heather.

Letters from our architect, Stuart Beaumont relating to repairs to the church tower and the reordering scheme to connect the church to the Parish Room were considered and these matters were handed to the Finance and Property Committee for their recommendations.

Any Other Business produced an up-date of matters concerning the revamping of the Bookshop by Carol Hirst, information that the Electoral Roll will be revised in 2012 and that the new list of diocesan fees for weddings and funerals is available.

Following a proposal that some recognition of Doreen Maude's contribution to St Mary's be recognised now that Doreen has moved to a nursing home in Nottingham it was agreed that a picture of the church might be a suitable gift and Simon Dean agreed to investigate this.

Cliff Green, D C C Secretary



ST. GEORGE'S CALENDAR

OCTOBER Friday 5	10.30 am	Meeting for Flower Festival
Sunday 7	10.30 alli	18th Sunday after Trinity
	11.00 am 6.00 pm	Family Communion Compline
Tuesday 9	7.30 pm	D C C Meeting at Crodingley
Thursday 11	6.30 pm	A D Meeting in Church
Sunday 14		Harvest Thanksgiving
•	11.00 am	Parish Communion
	3.00 pm	United Songs of Praise
	6.00 pm	<u> </u>
Saturday 20	2.00 pm	Wedding of Richard Gill
		and Michelle White
Sunday 21		20th Sunday after Trinity
Sunday 21	11.00 am	Parish Communion
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Sunday 28	6.00 pm 11.00 am	Parish Communion Compline Last Sunday after Trinity Parish Communion
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Flower Rota

October 7 Mrs J Swallow
October 14 Harvest
October 21 Mrs B Dove
October 28 November 4 Mrs E Smith
November 18 In memory of Mrs J Thewlis

BROCKHOLES NEWS

AD

24 young people met for the new AD session. It was good to see children from last year back again, new children who had moved into the age category plus some who have recently moved to Brockholes.

Tie-dyeing has become our favourite 'starter' meeting and this September evening was light enough and dry enough for lots to be done outside in comfort – always a bonus! By 7.30 pm the church grounds had 24 t-shirts, with magical colours and designs, laid out to semi-dry before home-time. This particular activity benefits from lots of help so, in addition to the regular 4 (Sue, Caroline, Verena and Kate), it was great to have Stuart and Dorothy along.

The next meeting is Thursday October 11th 6.30pm to 8.00pm.

Sue, Caroline, Verena and Kate

150th Anniversary

Please make sure you have Advent Sunday – 2nd December – in your diary for a special service to see the start of our 150th celebrations. Bishop Tony, Bishop of Pontefract, will be with us for our morning worship at the usual time 11.00am.



We look forward to welcoming visitors and the congregation from St. Mary's. The service will be followed by a snack lunch in the village hall.

Please check the rest of the dates to mark our 2013 celebrations from your September magazine.

Kate Drake

News from Brockholes School

We had a fantastic year in 2011-2012; staff, children and parents all worked really hard in order to enable school to achieve the many things that we did. The highlights for me included the Jubilee and Olympic themed events as well as the various educational visits, theme days and residential trips.

During last year we raised over £2,000 for charities, which included many events which were organised by groups of children and we also raised over £4,000 for extra resources for school. We wouldn't be able to do the many things which we do without the help and support of everyone involved in Brockholes School, so a very big thank you to all concerned, your hard work is very much appreciated.

We're looking forward to seeing many familiar faces wanting to help this year, as well as many new parents who would like to help in school.

A massive thanks must also go to the incredible team of dedicated staff who continually strive to offer our children the best provision and opportunities possible. Many things are already on the agenda for another very busy year. Educational visits are being planned and Cliffe House, Whitby and Robinwood have been booked for residential visits as well as day visits to Chester Zoo for Years 3 and 4 and all classes will be visiting Cliffe House at some point this year.

All children have come back to school ready for learning about their exciting new topics, Reception, Years 1 and 2 have the topic 'Ourselves', Years 3 and 4 have the topic 'Animal Life' and Years 5 and 6 have the topic 'Ancient Greeks'.

We also have an exciting new range of after school clubs this term, including Morris Dancing which I am sure we'll be sharing with the community at some point later on this year!

Clare Thomas, Headteacher

OTHER ITEMS

Are you working when you should be sleeping?

When God created the world, and everything in it, he built natural rhythms for everything to follow. The most amazing of these is the nature of time. The minute is exactly 60 seconds, there are 60 minutes in an hour, 24 hours in a day, 365 days a year, with a 366th every four years, and everything stays in place. The seasons, night and day, seed time and harvesting, and the rhythms we work to were all set in motion for us to use.

Sadly, we have become almost immune to the rhythms of life, and so we often work against them. The body has definite peaks and troughs, and we need to learn to work with these to be most productive in the day.

Most people have a peak of energy from 8.00 am - 12.00 noon, with a very definite drop, known as the post-lunch dip effect, in the afternoon. The morning is therefore crucial for doing tasks like paperwork that require concentration.

We tend to stay up way past our evening quota and as a result we have to sleep in, when in fact the early morning is a crucial time to get alone with God. If Jesus used the early part of the day to go and have fellowship with his Father then we should accept his example, and ensure we get the opportunity to start the day with communing with the Father.

It is important to look at your day and see if you are fighting your rhythms, or working with them. If when you sit in a chair for very long, you start to nod off, then you know you are suffering from sleep deprivation. If you lose most of your morning to simple tasks, then you need to review the layout of your day. Accept the reduced faculties of each afternoon, and schedule in lighter jobs then.

The Bible advises: "There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven." (Ecc 3:1)

Bill Allen, Parish Pump

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Crime Prevention Advice

As the dark evenings are here again, so are the 'Twilight Zone' burglars. Be prepared for late afternoon darkness. A house in complete darkness at teatime will stand out like a sore thumb to a would-be burglar. Your routine may be to leave home during the morning, and not arrive back until after dark in the early evening so the following is advised:

- You can create the impression that someone is at home by using a timer switch to switch on lights, a radio or TV. If you are going out for the evening, leave lights on and make the house look 'lived-in'.
- It's worth considering exterior lighting as well. Fit a low wattage lamp with a dusk to dawn sensor to an outside wall in an appropriate place.
- Visible burglar alarms will make intruders think twice. Consider a system for your home, and for the car, particularly if it is left parked outside overnight.
- Don't forget that many burglaries are committed through a rear door or window, so 'beef up' security at the back using additional good quality window and door locks.
- Make it difficult for thieves to enter your back garden. That is
 the most vulnerable area of your plot. Use high fencing or
 prickly bushes to keep them out. Don't forget to secure any
 gates that lead round the back.
- Sheds and garages are often neglected when it comes to security. Use strong padlocks, and if possible fasten ladders and expensive items down in the garage. You may be able to connect an alarm into the house from the garage.
- Car park thieves will be out doing their shopping for Christmas, so don't leave goods on view in the car.
- When you are out doing your Christmas shopping, beware of crowded shopping areas. With crowds come pickpockets and purse thieves. They know that people are likely to be carrying more cash than usual at this time of year.

For further advice on the above or any other crime prevention matters, you can contact PC Mark Wall or Dave Whitteron, Crime Reduction Officers on 01484 436839/40.

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