

The **Burtonian**

Burton in Lonsdale

Village Newsletter

Number 124 Oct 2024



Village Diary

8 Sep	Saturday	10:00	Dolls House Exhibition	Village Hall
01 Oct	Tuesday		Guest Chef Night	Village Hall
01 Oct	Tuesday	19.00	Induction of Rev Harriet Johnson	Thornton Church
04 Oct	Friday	10:00	Coffee & Chat	Village Hall
12 Oct	Saturday	19:30	"Sicknotes" Concert	Village Hall
17 Oct	Thursday	19:30	Parish Council Meeting	Village Hall
19 Oct	Saturday	14:30	Concert& Cakes : Rosamund Brass	Church
19 Oct	Saturday	19:30	Film Night : The Old Oak	Village Hall
26 Oct	Saturday	10:00	PALS Book Cafe	Village Hall
31 Oct	Thursday	19:30	Recreation Committee Meeting	Pavilion
01 Nov	Friday	10:00	Coffee & Chat	Village Hall
14 Nov	Thursday	19:30	Parish Council Finance Meeting	Village Hall
16 Nov	Saturday	14:30	Concert&Cakes	Church
16 Nov	Saturday	19:30	Film Night : One Life	Village Hall
21 Nov	Thursday	19:30	Parish Council Meeting	Village Hall
23 Nov	Saturday	19.30	Nicola Mills Concert	Village Hall
26 Nov	Tuesday	19.15	Village Hall AGM	Village Hall

Frontispiece: ; Cathy Rowland's photo of the Lychgate before its impending makeover!

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Some Other Regular Activities

Bridge Club	Each Monday	6.45 for 7.00pm	Pavilion
Line Dancing	Each Monday	7.15 - 8.45pm	Village Hall
Table Tennis	Each Tuesday and Thursday	10.00-11.00am	Village Hall
Bell ringing	Each Tuesday	8.00pm	Church

The Annual General Meeting of the Village hall will be held on
Tuesday November 26th 2024 at 7.15pm.
Members of the public are invited to attend.

News about The Lychgate .

We are delighted to let everyone know that we now have the funds in place to proceed with the repairs to the village Lychgate!

The repairs will commence in mid October (weather permitting!) and a more detailed report will be written for the next edition of the Burtonian.

Once again, we thank everyone who has given money to support this work, both individuals and organisations.

Anne & Christine, on behalf of All Saints' PCC.



Book Café

SATURDAY 26TH October

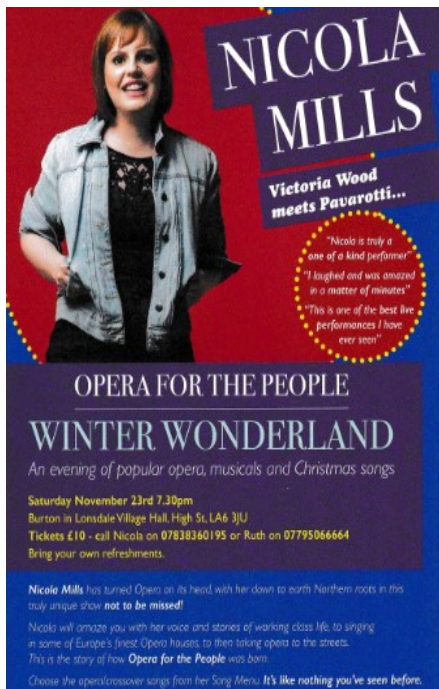
10 am – 12 noon

Village Hall

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SICKNOTES

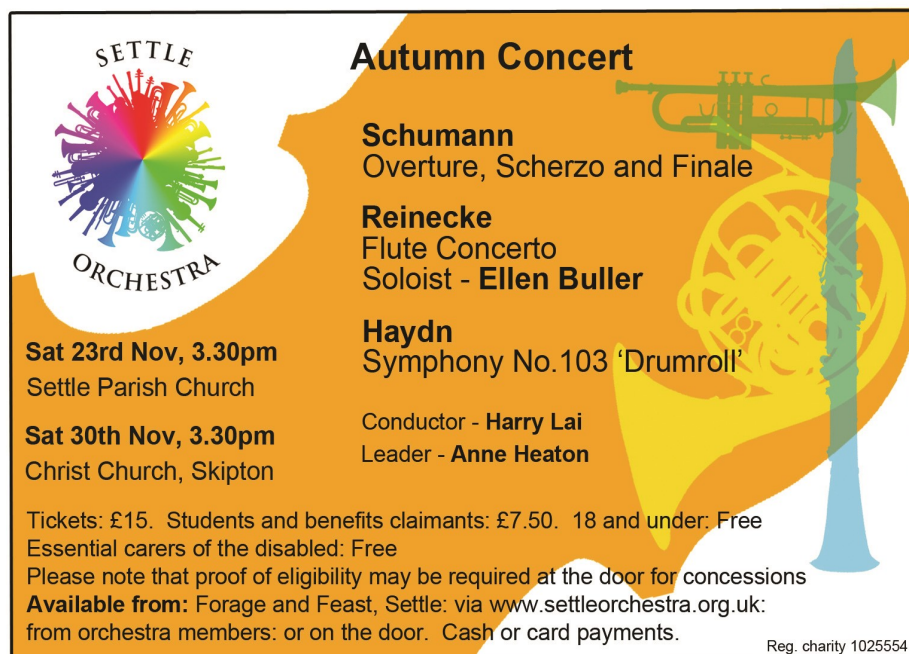
Saturday 12th October 8pm

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SETTLE ORCHESTRA

Autumn Concert

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Haydn
Symphony No. 103 'Drumroll'

Conductor - **Harry Lai**
Leader - **Anne Heaton**

Sat 23rd Nov, 3.30pm
Settle Parish Church

Sat 30th Nov, 3.30pm
Christ Church, Skipton

Tickets: £15. Students and benefits claimants: £7.50. 18 and under: Free
Essential carers of the disabled: Free

Please note that proof of eligibility may be required at the door for concessions

Available from: Forage and Feast, Settle: via www.settleorchestra.org.uk:
from orchestra members: or on the door. Cash or card payments.

Reg. charity 1025554

MUGA Available from October - *The Parish Council*

The upgrade of our Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) in the Recreation Field

Burton's 26-year-old MUGA playing surface will be replaced in the second half of September. The tennis and goal nets will also be replaced, and a set of basketball rings fitted. This means the MUGA will be available for a range of sports and activities from early October.

A new access gate will also be fitted, and for users this should enable easier booking and payment for sessions.

This upgrade is possible as we have raised £45000 from successful grant applications to the Football Foundation (£25000), North Yorkshire Sport (£11700), and received donations from Burton Community Sports (£7000) and Burton Regeneration Group (£2300). Burton Community Sports will continue to raise additional funds to help ensure a small reserve will exist once the refurbishment is completed.

We thank the volunteers, Maggie Mort, Heather Watts, Mike Illsley, and Ian Parker, who worked tirelessly to make this project possible.

We also thank everyone who has donated to Burton Community Sports.



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FILM CLUB.....will be showing

ON 19th October, **The Old Oak** (directed by Ken Loach and starring
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ON 16th November **One Life** (directed by James Hawes
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7.30pm in the Village Hall, doors open at 7pm) please bring your own refreshments

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Happy Birthday Stay & Play

Christine Whitfield

When our village school closed in 2014, some of the equipment from the nursery class was transferred to All Saints' church room, and Stay & Play was born.

It's a great name, to describe this little group which has now celebrated its' 10th birthday, so thank you to Ann Whitworth if you came up with it? We stay.....and we play, basically. And in between we chat, drink, relax and have fun.

It was set up for families with preschool age children, and runs on Thursdays from 9.30am. We encourage families from the local area, not just Burton, to come and join us, and now welcome new people to come along.

On Saturday August 31st we invited all our families and helpers to come to a party at the Pavilion and celebrate! We were delighted to see so many familiar faces enjoying warm sunshine, party food, the playground, football field and indoor activities! Best of all was meeting up again and seeing how the children who had gone to different schools since Stay & Play had changed!

We thank everyone who came along, especially Paul the Balloon Man who managed to entertain many more children than he had expected! Also our helpers who prepared everything and cleared up, with a special "thankyou" to Jennie Sedgewick who came to Stay & Play in 2014 with Ted.....and is still coming along now to lead sessions.

Happy memories, and hopefully more to come in the next 10 years.

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Burton in Lonsdale Village Hall

Coffee and Chat

10am -12 Noon



FRIDAYs 4th October
and 1st November

CONCERT & CAKES

Concert&Cakes will be back on **Saturday 19th October** with the most popular brass ensemble we've ever had – the Rosamund Brass Quartet. It's a whole new programme, so if you heard them last time you need to come again! The sound quality in the Church is wonderful.



On **Saturday 16th November 2024** we welcome the Juna String Quartet.



Further details of the programme are sent first by those on our email list, so get in touch. We are incredibly grateful to the many people in the village who help out at these concerts. We really could not manage without the fantastic bakers, support from the Church, and helpers on the day. If you feel you could spare some time or bake a cake, please get in touch with Cathy Rowland on 62452.

Look forward to seeing you in October!

Christine, Cathy & Steve

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Yorkshire Festival of Story Returns with Stories to Inspire a Kinder, More Sustainable Future



The Yorkshire Festival of Story (YFOS) is set to return from November 1st to November 10th, 2024, with an exceptional program of events exploring the theme, "How can stories promote action towards a kinder, more sustainable, and inclusive future?" Hosted by arts charity [Settle Stories](https://settlestories.org.uk), this year's festival will feature a star-studded lineup of storytellers, authors, and artists, all united by a shared vision of harnessing the power of stories to inspire meaningful change.

With over 50 events, YFOS 2024 offers a diverse array of experiences, from workshops and talks to performances and family-friendly events including a special schools programme. The festival aims to demonstrate how storytelling can be a force for social good, foster

About Yorkshire Festival of Story (YFOS):

The Yorkshire Festival of Story is an annual celebration of storytelling in all its forms. With a mission to explore the transformative power of stories, YFOS brings together storytellers, authors, artists, and audiences to engage in meaningful dialogue and inspire positive change. Each year, YFOS tackles a theme that challenges conventional thinking, making it a must-attend event for anyone passionate about the art of storytelling.

About Settle Stories:

Settle Stories' mission is to collaborate with exceptional artists to create transformative experiences for people and communities. Stories are the most powerful way to engage, inspire, and move people to action. Settle Stories teaches the art of storytelling so you can make a difference. Presenting stories through events, Settle Stories creates and curates the Yorkshire Festival of Story, the largest hybrid storytelling festival globally. Additionally, its Learning Programmes connect people and enable the disinvested to have a voice. Settle Stories is an independent arts charity in one of the most rurally isolated parts of the UK. Discover the power of story.

Visit settlestories.org.uk.

We've Come A Long Way!

In the last issue of the Burtonian, we explained the launch of the Share Prospectus. Now, just 8 weeks later, we announced at the village meeting on the 11th September that we had reached our minimum target of £275,000! The Grand Total In just over 8 weeks the village has raised an outstanding £299,000, which includes donations and some grant funding!

THANK YOU, THANK YOU! It's an amazing achievement and down to the hard work of many in the village.

The Community Benefit Society now has 342 members, local, national and international, all wanting to own a little bit of our pub in Yorkshire.



The next stage is working on completing the purchase process. Whilst that is going on, and we continue to work towards the optimum target of £445K, we are keeping the share issue open until 8 February 2025. The reason for doing this is to raise the additional funds needed to enable us to carry out our plans and developments you asked us for. It allows those who are still interested in investing to do so and to qualify for the SEIS tax relief. The presentation and all details regarding tax relief can be found at <https://www.burtoncommunityinn.com/documents>

We are also actively seeking grants from a number of bodies, but this takes time, and we have invited anyone who is interested to either join the Interim Management Committee, or volunteer their skills.

We are keeping everyone updated on progress, via Facebook and email. If you are not on the email list, please contact us on burtoncommunitypub@gmail.com

POLICE REPORT - Jayne Grace Dedicated Safer Neighbourhood PCSO

Hello Burtonian

Members of the team from your Safer Neighbourhood Team covering the Burton In Lonsdale, Benthams, Ingleton and Settle area, are PS1006 Paul Evans, PS231 Ikhtlaq Mohammed, PC871 Ian Hunt, PC188 Jane Carpenter, PCSO5561 Jayne Grace, PCSO5881 Julia Runciman. Who will be keeping you updated on recent crimes and incidents in Burton In Lonsdale and the surrounding area

Monthly Police report – 8 incidents reported between 17.07.24 & 13.09.24.

29.07.24 - Abandon Call

29.07.24 – Highway disruption – Tree down A687

09.08.24 – Wanted person – Court.

23.08.24 – Highway disruption – Tree down – Benthams Moor Road

27.08.24 - Domestic incident

02.09.24 & 04.09.24 – Domestic incident/safeguarding

07.09.24 – Suspect male – Burton Hill – stopped checked in order – lost in area.

Information request

Ingleton Burglary - Early hours on the 25.08.24 a property at Bank Bottom was burgled, nothing taken, any information call 101 ref 0195

Ingleton Burglary - Between 23.08.24 & 26.08.24 a property at Bank Bottom was burgled, cash & jewellery stolen, any information call 101 ref 0205

Crime Prevention - Protect your home, leave a light on

The darker nights are well and truly here, and this can catch residents out when it comes to home security. Too often, householders are making their properties an attractive proposition for burglars and thieves by leaving them in darkness.

However, a few simple steps are all it takes to counter this risk – and this is where the police can help.

- a well-lit home gives the impression that someone is in
- use timer switchers to turn lights on while you are out
- don't leave curtains closed during the day, only in the evening and overnight
- lock all windows and doors • keep valuable items out of view
- keep gates well secured. Light up, Lock up

Crime prevention and advice handbook - [http://nypsites/np/york-inner/Shared%20Documents/Admin/NORTH%20YORKSHIRE%20POLICE%20LITTLE%20YELLOW%20BOOK%20CRIME%20PREVENTION%20\(002\).pdf#search=crime%20prevention%20dark%20nights](http://nypsites/np/york-inner/Shared%20Documents/Admin/NORTH%20YORKSHIRE%20POLICE%20LITTLE%20YELLOW%20BOOK%20CRIME%20PREVENTION%20(002).pdf#search=crime%20prevention%20dark%20nights)

How to report speeding concerns - Speed Management Protocol

www.northyorkshire.police.uk/search?q=speeding+concern

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CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS

David Taylor

There is a lot going on in the village of Burton in Lonsdale.

Most of you will have used the **Community Shop**, the **Village Hall** and benefitted from the work done by **Burton in Lonsdale Parish Council** as well as walking through the **All Saints churchyards**.

All these aspects of village life need more involvement, in particular from younger people, or they may not be able to continue what they do so well. If you can spare a few hours a month, please contact one of these groups and find out how you can help. We all need to contribute to keeping these vital parts of village life going for the benefit of us all.

The excellent **Community Shop**. The committee needs a new treasurer and could do with some more people to join in and help run this important part of the village.

The **Village Hall** is run by a small committee of Trustees and manages quite well but a couple more members would bring ideas and would be very welcome. The Hall holds film nights, indoor sport, social activities, birthday parties, and much more besides. It is at the centre of village life, please help to keep the Hall going.

Many people might not appreciate what the **Parish Council** does. There are many aspects of village life that are organised by the Council. All planning applications in the Parish are monitored by Councillors. The Pavilion and Recreation Field are owned and managed by the Parish Council and it is currently planning to refurbish the Multi-Use Games Area. And looking at various traffic issues. There should be seven Councillors, kept in order by the Parish Clerk. There are currently only five Councillors and our Clerk has just moved on, and so there are three vacancies in all.

All Saints Church. You may have seen the appeal in the Burtonian about the Boon Days in the churchyards, as well as the Adopt a Grave scheme. The Church needs support in these areas, you can help.

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Village Hall	Ruth Gill	rmgill45@gmail.com
Parish Council	David Taylor	howfen.lad@gmail.com
All Saints Church	Cathy Birtwistle	allsaintscw@gmail.com

Village Produce Show *Teena, Rebecca, Loretta, Christine, & Julie.*

What a difference a year makes.....
Last year the day of the Village Produce Show dawned very hot and sunny, so the committee of five ladies decided to pull out their summer dresses! This year, on Saturday September 14th 2024 there was a frost on the grass, an autumn mist over the hills.....and it was freezing!
However, the hall was ready to receive the entries, with a few tweaks to the reception process, and all went remarkably smoothly.
Susan was allocated a space by the door to control the crowds.
Rebecca & Teena had extra selotape, pens and big smiles.
Christine, Loretta, Julie, Bev and Mary were stationed behind them to take entries and place them carefully on the correct tables.

We received a total of 156 entries (less than last year) which was a remarkable number when you consider the slugs had devoured most of our vegetables! We still need more junior entries.....that would be nice next year!
Judges were admitted at 12 noon, and the hall closed.
From 2pm we served tea and cakes whilst folk looked at all the results;
thank you to Judith & Jennifer, and the PALS.

At 3pm the winners were announced. **Jane Burns** was awarded the most points in total, and won the Peter Kitching cup (adults) closely followed by **Rebecca Spedding** in 2nd place and **Janet Whitaker** in 3rd. The junior Peter Kitching cup was won by **Juno Owen**, with **Saskia Brown & Freya Owen** coming joint 2nd. Well done to everyone who entered. Our village hall looked wonderful, full of colour, and people! Thank you to everyone who helped set up and clear away.
Once again, let us have your comments.....



We hold the Produce Show on the day before **Harvest Festival**, and we thank all who came along to All Saints on Sunday 15th to join in our service of thanks and celebration. Huge thanks to our lovely cleaners, decorators, bell ringers and organist, the Minister, Susan and all who donated produce. This will be donated to the Food Bank in Bentham, and the cash collection will be sent to St Johns' Hospice.



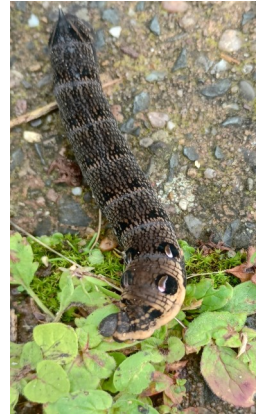
NOTES FROM AN UNINTENDED NATURALIST October 2024

I stepped out of my back door, and there, on the flags, was a familiar, but exotic creature, pausing in its slow peregrination across this part of my garden.

I hadn't seen one since this time two years ago, at the far end near the field. I bent down to look at its glorious grey and brown patterned segmented body which wrinkled just like a trunk: it is so appropriately called the *elephant hawk moth* caterpillar. A little more than the width and length of my longest finger, it has markings that look like glittering eyes. If it's at all threatened, it will raise its body and extend its proboscis like a miniature elephant. My photograph doesn't do it justice!

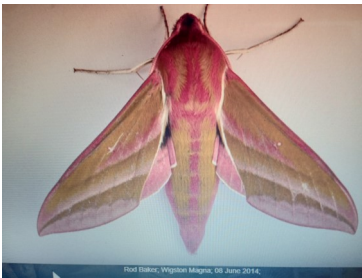
Earlier in summer the flamboyant, pink and yellowy, *olive moth* flies freely looking for rosebay willow-herb, lady's bedstraw or fuchsias to lay its eggs; each one, when hatched, will greedily eat its fill of the plant and fill out to be the splendid elephant –trunk-like caterpillar I was now observing in September.

Surely, It was not going to find a suitable place to enter its next life -changing stage and burrow in leaf litter or under the soil surface for the winter on my patio area. so I carefully picked it up, to place it on the grass near a wilder patch. I even made a little home for it, should it choose that. Later I was amazed (considering its size) to see how soon it had travelled into the middle of the garden so I left this wonderful creature to make its own choices!



When it has found its perfect hibernating quarters, it will harden into its pupate state and will not emerge until nature has transformed it into the glorious pink and yellowy green flying moth that is such a joy to see flying in Spring and Summer.

I deliberately leave wild areas for such creatures. Lady's bedstraw for example is an attractive wild plant with delicate, tiny leaves and flowers. It is so named because the dried plants were used as floor covering in church naves to make a fragrant, flea repellent! in folklore, Lady's bedstraw, was spread on the stable floor for the Virgin Mary safely to give birth.



So many of our disappearing butterflies can not find their traditional plants to feed on. Moths are a little more adaptable than their daytime-

flying relatives, and my Edwardian publication of *Our Country's Butterflies and Moths* by W.J. Gordon, lists and beautifully illustrates, so many hundreds of the creatures, commonly found flying 100 years ago in the UK.

The long index of name alone is joyous. Here is a selection of their common names:

Chimney sweeper (a dark dusky beauty seen in Ediths Wood this year); *Garden Tiger* (I made many studies of this species, after I found a specimen, scarlet and dusky brown with cream splodges, outside a shippon in the 1980s); and a handspan -size glory that I would love to see, the miraculous creature with heavenly blue underwings called *Clifden Nonpareil*.

I do recommend looking at the recent short You-Tube video of this latter wondrous creature.

For me the never ending apprenticeship of learning about what I see around me locally when I stop to take notice, gives me joy.

The natural world is enough in its wondrous variety to make me truly in awe.



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Mondays to Saturdays

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Wennington	0606	0810	0940	1142	1343	1543	1855	2046
Lancaster	0631	0846	1006	1205	1411	1611	1924	2117

Sundays

Bentham	0956	1149	1445	1647	1847
Wennington	1001	1153	1450	1653	1852
Lancaster	1025	1220	1518	1721	1919

Mondays to Saturdays

Lancaster	0648	0941	1046	1248	1447	1745	2030	2131
Wennington	0712	1005	1110	1312	1511	1809	2054	2156
Bentham	0717	1011	1115	1315	1516	1815	2059	2102

Sundays

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All Saints' Church News

Sunday (and other) Services in October and November 2024

October	6th	8 am Holy Communion 11 am Joint Service with the Methodist Congregation
October	13th	11 am Holy Communion
October	11th	7 pm Still Point
October	20th	8 am Holy Communion 11 am Morning Worship
October	25 th	7 pm Still Point
October	27th	11 am Holy Communion
November	3rd	8 am Holy Communion 11 am Joint Service with the Methodist Congregation
November	8 th	7 pm Still Point
November	10th	10.50 am Village Service of Remembrance
November	17th	8 am Holy Communion 11 am Morning Worship
November	22 nd	7 pm Still Point
November	24th	11 am Holy Communion

Other Services and Events in October and November

Each Friday morning we normally meet at 10 am in the Church Vestry for a short simple time of **Prayers for the Parish**. Do feel free to join us for about 30 minutes.

Licensing Service for our new Vicar

Revd Harriet Johnson Tuesday, 1 October

7.00 pm, at St Oswald's Church, Thornton, the service will be followed by light refreshments. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend the service and meet Harriet.

Stay and Play, our group for pre-school children (with parent or guardian) meets on Thursdays in the Church Room. New families are always very welcome.

Further details – email the church wardens on Allsaintscw@gmail.com

Still Point

Still Point A short Service of Contemplation and Prayer held on Friday evenings at 7.00 pm

Remembrance Sunday, 10 November 2024

All parishioners are invited to join in the service and those with previous service in the armed forces, police, fire and ambulance services are particularly asked to take part in the service. If you are able and willing to take part, please contact the church warden (allsaintscw@gmail.com)

And please remember that the Church Warden is a volunteer and tries her best to please as many people as she can as often as she can, but not everyone is happy all the time

Best wishes

Catherine, Church Warden at All Saints

And from the Vicar, Rev Harriet ...

After the stress of moving from London it is a great relief to write this from my new home in Manor Close. It has been particularly good to arrive in a week of (mainly) lovely weather. Watching the sun and shadows move across the hillsides has only confirmed what my husband Simon and I already knew: that this is a stunningly beautiful part of Britain which we look forward to exploring and getting to know better.



In many ways this move feels almost like coming home for me, as I was born near Wakefield but spent many childhood holidays in Heysham. The stretch of the A65 that divides my two new parishes was therefore a road of great excitement at the start of the summer! But this is also a homecoming in a deeper sense, since my mother's family come from this area and this move feels like a return to some of my roots as well as being an exciting new step in my life's journey. My family history research has not yet found the kind of stories that would be worth featuring on TV's 'Who do you think you are?' – but maybe that is a good thing, since it is the ordinary experiences of daily life which we all share which often do the most to shape the places and communities which are most important to us; and it is in these universal experiences of life – particularly in birth, love and death - where we very often encounter God most deeply.

Getting to know the place, people and communities here, and seeing how and where God is at work, is therefore at the top of my agenda for the next few months. Simon (who for the time being will continue to be based mainly in London for his work) and I are very excited by the prospect of the Punch Bowl Inn coming into community ownership, and calling ourselves pub shareholders – not something that is often seen on a vicar's CV I imagine! But until we can meet over a pint in Burton's own pub, then please do say hello and have a chat when you see me around since it is only by listening to your stories that I will get to know you – and only by answering your questions that you will get to know me!

Harriet

Village Carol Service December 2024

Come a-carolling! The Village Carol service this year will be on the evening of Sunday 22 December.

December in All Saints Church. As in previous years I will be putting together an informal (and fun!) Village choir for this wonderful village event. Nearer the time there will be a notice to sign up for it in the Village Shop or simply contact me directly by text or email

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