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Welcome to the August edition of our Parish Magazine

Prayer for August 2024

Lord, in a year of changes in our country and in the world, we thank You for the regular rhythm of each year.

We thank You for August, the month of holidays and rest for many, especially for families and those tied to termly timetables. We pray for Your blessing and restoration for all. As we take time out of normal routines, help us to still make space for You; to be refreshed spiritually as well as physically.

Feed us, Lord, by Your Word; revive us by Your Holy Spirit; encourage us by Your indwelling presence, so that we might naturally reflect Your love to all we meet, on holiday or at home or at work.

In Jesus' name.

Amen.

A Blessing Comes

It's good to get away from noise From chaos and from din, To seek in solitude and peace The beauty that's within

To go into a quiet place Where all is fresh and green, And contemplate in silent calm Great truths and things unseen.

The mysteries of the universe
The wisdom of the sage,
Or take some old and lovely thought
From a bygone age,

And meditate upon the good
The honest and the true,
This calms the mind and you will find
A blessing comes to you.



July saw us come together in Norton village hall for a very craft packed session.

The theme this month was Noah's Ark, and the children loved exploring their inner animals! We made arks made from Cheerio's, our own rain sticks, and decorated animal masks. We also enjoyed creating a joint rainbow artwork,

which allowed everyone, young and old, to build together.

Following the crafts, we came together to read Noah's Ark, allowing the children to connect their crafts to the story. We then put on our animal masks and paraded around to 'The animals came in two-by-two Hurrah'. As always, we were treated to a delightful buffet from Shirley, before parting ways for the summer.

The next messy church will take place on Saturday 7th September in Norton village hall

If anyone would like to volunteer to assist with messy church, either between the sessions, or on the day itself, we would really appreciate. As many of us who are involved in the running of it have little children of our own to look after during the session. Thank you, Liz.

(Please note: There will not be a Messy Church during the month of August.)











Crafts made by Messy Church children are always shown to the congregation during the church service on the first Sunday each month and then put on display.



St Peter's Askern, St Helen's Burghwallis and St Mary Magdalene Campsall and Sutton, to create a Mission area Messy Church 'Goes Wild' group. Details to follow.



Campsall Bell Ringers
Campsall bell ringing practice, weekly
sessions on Monday evenings at St Mary
Magdalene Church. If you are interested in
having a go at bell ringing, please contact
Helen on 07849571162



All welcome, it would be great to see new people from the village of Burghwallis. Come and support your local church.



Should you need to discuss any aspect of debt counselling or in need of advice please contact CMA centre in Bentley on Tel: 01302 637336

NATTER CHURCH

Continues to open the 1^{st} Wednesday each month between 2-4 pm in Campsall Church where tea and coffee will be served in a calming atmosphere with music provided by our organist. All welcome please do come along and spend time in our wonderful Grade 1, Parish Church.

Dementia Café – This event is still in the planning, and we will keep you informed as this develops during the coming months.

An Organist, we are still looking for an organist to play at St Helens Burghwallis on a Sunday morning. If you wish to take up this role, please contact Colin, Churchwarden for Burghwallis.

AUGUST - PARISH OFFICE

To arrange an appointment with the Church Wardens to arrange a baptism or discuss weddings please telephone the churchwardens to arrange a convenient day and time. Their contact details are on page 16.

Let's Celebrate with Church Flowers



Flowers have a special significance throughout people's lives, happy times, birthdays, celebrations of all kinds and to remember those who are no longer with us.

To all who contributed during July, thank you. Jenny.

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Those Church Notices that didn't quite make it.....

A talk on drugs will be given at the next Mothers' Union meeting. This will be followed by a Bring and Buy Sale.

A sudden gust of wind took all who were at the ceremony by surprise. Hats were blown off and copies of the vicar's speech and other rubbish were scattered over the site.

The Rector is on holiday this month. Local clergy will be celebrating with us all the Sundays that he is away.

Don't allow anxiety to kill you. Let the church help.

Don't miss the Young Wives' Victorian evening next month. It will be a fun night and some of the women will wear clothes.





St Mary Magdalene Church Campsall will be opening its doors on Saturday 14th September to welcome visitors and the local community to enjoy our Grade 1 listed parish church.

This church has seen worship for over 1,000 years.

Visit and enjoy events throughout the day we are open 10.00 – 4.00 pm

- Informative walks around our Grade 1 listed building
- Display by Barnscan a Local History Group
- Ringing of 8 Bells by our Bell ringers
- Ringing of hand bells
- Choir recital accompanied by our Organist
- Organ music
- Display of church registers
- Children's quiz
- Refreshments -sandwiches, cakes with teas and coffee etc



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THE HEALTH OF YOUR CHURCH ST MARY MAGDALENE CAMPSALL ROOF RESTORATION IS URGENTLY NEEDED

The years have now taken its toll on St Mary Magdalene Church in Campsall. After a recent inspection by an Architect, it has been confirmed the church roof is in serious need of large-scale repairs before many of the treasures inside are destroyed beyond repair.

Rainwater ingress has been a large problem over the years and more importantly heavy downfalls over recent months.



There are many areas of concern these are just two!



In addition, our very aged boiler is struggling and is now unable to meet the demands of heating such a large building and this will be a greater worry during the winter months. The church Boiler was second hand and installed 1986.

A replacement is urgently needed.

We ask for the support of the community and this parish to keep our magnificent Grade 1 listed building for you all, not only a place of worship, but a welcoming place for events, hospitality and more importantly weddings, baptisms and for the bereaved.

A Fundraising Committee will be formed soon and should anyone be willing to offer their time to assist us on our quest, please contact our churchwardens.

Campsall Church needs you

On behalf of the Campsall Church Wardens and PCC Members



Please use the QR code to help us reach our goals. Thank you.

1 August 2024



Events at Campsall Wellingtonia Centre

3rd Tuesday of each month – Beetle Drive at 1.00pm

Every Wednesday-

10.00am - 11.30am

Drop-in Coffee Morning

Every Thursday -

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Bingo Sessions

Everyone welcome

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BURGHWALLIS PARISH COUNCIL VACANCY

We have a vacancy on the Parish Council. If anyone is interested in joining us, please contact our clerk at the email address below, or in person to any member of the council.

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 17th September at 7.00 pm, in The Burghwallis Pub. All residents are welcome.

David Maxwell - <u>clerkburghwalliscouncil@talktalk.net</u>



FOOD BANK DONATIONS – ST PETERS CHURCH, ASKERN

Please support this much needed food bank please leave your donations at either Burghwallis Church or Campsall Church on Sunday mornings, visit St Peters Church Hall on Thursday mornings or contact lan to arrange collection.

If anyone has questions about CRY or indeed interested in volunteering, please contact me on my mobile: **07711 899 283. Ian.**



DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES St Mary Magdalene Church Campsall



14th September Heritage Open Day 10.00 – 4.00 pm 6th October Harvest Festival Service 11.00 am 10th November Remembrance Service 11.00 am 16th November Christmas Fayre 11.00 - 2.00 pm8th December Service of Lessons & Carols 4.00 pm 24th December 4.00 pm Christingle Service 24th December Midnight Mass Campsall 11.00 pm

ALL WELCOME!

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in Mk 4:35-41, Mt 8:23-27, LK 8:22-25 Jesus had spent the day teaching big crowds by Lake Galilee, and when evening came he told his disciples...











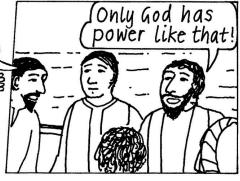
















We look forward welcoming visiting clergy to join us in our worship at 11.00 am Campsall & 9.00 am St Helens.

Morning Prayer each month is joined by our Messy Church members

August 2024

St Mary Magdalene, Campsall

All Service at 11.00 AM

4TH August Morning Prayer

With Hymns

(First Sunday each month)

11th Holy Communion

18th Holy Communion

25th Holy Communion

August 2024

St Helens, Burghwallis

9.00 AM

Each Sunday during August there will be a service of

4th & 16th Morning Praise

11th Holy Communion

25th Holy Communion

To arrange Baptisms, weddings etc please contact the following:

Burghwallis

Colin Bowes - Churchwarden Telephone: 702779

Campsall

Jenny Lister – Churchwarden & Verger Telephone: 702552

Christine Tickle - Churchwarden & Magazine Telephone: 700731

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