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THE PARISH OF THE ASTERBY GROUP NEWSLETTER

September-October 2021



Who's Who in the Group

Deadline for next Newsletter

All articles and adverts for inclusion in the **November/December 2021** newsletter to be with Sue (Tel 01507313545 or email: moomoski@btinternet.com) by **Friday 15th October 2021** at the very latest. Please let me have your items written out or typed, as you would like them to appear, and as **early as possible, please don't wait until the deadline.**

To place an advert please contact Sue on the above number. Please note there is a new price list for various sizes of advert and also a choice of black and white or colour. Again Sue has these details on request.

All items on behalf of the church have no charge. Any other events or adverts will have a charge. This is minimal and helps to maintain and develop your newsletter.

Contact Sue; moomoski@btinternet.com

SOUTH WOLDS GROUP OFFICE



Tel: 01507 525600

Based in St Mary's Church, Horncastle.

Weddings, baptisms and funerals can be arranged in the first instance by telephoning the South Wolds Group Administrator, Debbie Knight on 01507 525600 between 9.15 am and 2.15 pm Monday to Friday. At other times, messages will be recorded on voicemail /answerphone. You can also email Debbie **SWGAdministrator@stmaryshorncastle.org.uk**

Specific matters relating to St Mary's Church should be directed to the Verger on 01507 525600

Website: <http://www.asterbygroup.org/>

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END OF CLICK, BOOK & TIP

From 1st September no bookings will be needed to access household waste recycling centres in the County

DONINGTON ON BAIN PLANTS

Plants sold at the roadside raised a total of £310 for church funds.

Thanks to all who contributed by selling, buying or providing plants.

GOUCEBY CALLING!

Does anyone have a vacuum cleaner that is no longer needed?

The one at All Saints church is on its last legs and so am I when I use it to clean the church!

I am happy to collect it

Please contact **Sarah on 343270**

OPEN CHURCHES EVENT

11th & 12th September 2021—visit our churches during the day

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Priestly Ponderings

So just when we thought it is all over it continues - It looks like we will just have to learn to live with this virus which has blighted our lives for the past 18 months. As I see it there have been many good things that have come out of this event. I can't remember when I have seen quite so much coming together in communities. When people have gone out of their way to support others and to find ways of solving problems that have arisen. However, we do need to keep in mind the great tragedy of the number of people we love and see no longer, that so many people have experienced and hold them and their families in our thoughts and prayers.

More recently, one thing I noticed though was during the Olympic Games and the great coming together during the two weeks of competition. What was noticeable was the camaraderie and support the teams gave to each other within their own country and outside of it. I also noticed how several of the contestants wore crosses or signed themselves before their event or raised a hand after it. Now I am not assuming anything here regarding a religion. They may be of any faith or none but the fact they were looking for something outside of themselves to give them additional support alongside their fellow contestants resonated with me.

There is nothing new about this idea of help outside of ourselves. It is the premise for AA and for other therapies that suggest we benefit from support beyond what we can do for ourselves. How often do we hear that people who are isolated or alone do not fare well when problems arise?

The bible reminds us of this. Jesus knew his disciples would need some support outside of themselves if they were to continue his work after he left them. That's why he promised he would send help and on Pentecost, we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit to the disciples. The guide, supporter, the helper the advocate see [John 14:16, 17](#).

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So it is a reminder to us all that when we are struggling to do challenging things, we may need something outside of ourselves to help us through. Continuing to support our communities in any way we can, will remain important, even after this pandemic passes on – and it will. Looking to support local organisations and retailers. Where your local church is concerned, why not go along to the Harvest Festivals or the open church weekend 11th – 12 September? You might even like to give a few new suggestions for how the church building might be used in your locality.

We are always ready to listen to ideas.

Every blessing for this harvest time and coming of Autumn

Revd Cilla

All at Scamblesby

St Martin's Church would like to offer appreciation to

Mr & Mrs Duncomb

for hosting the recent open garden event and helping to organise it.



It was a lovely afternoon and we raised £954.15 for church funds, a great success.

Thank you also to everyone who attended and contributed.

Benniworth Parish Council

News from the Parish Council

Notes from the July Parish Council meeting & AGM can be found on the village noticeboards.

In summary:

The Councillors are pleased to welcome Cllr Susan McAllister to the Parish Council.

Meadow Lane, Church Lane & Click'em Hill drainage: whilst some work has been undertaken within the village recently, the Clerk is to contact the District Councillor once again to find out about long term solutions to these issues.

Meadow View signage: The Clerk will contact Lincolnshire Highways to clarify their regulations before the signs are erected.

Village Skip: the Parish Council agreed to arrange for a Village Skip in September.

30mph Speed limit: whilst the Parish Council recognise this is an on-going problem it was agreed that placing 30mph signs within the village will not stop the speeding offenders. The Police have monitored the situation in the past and did not believe that it was a major issue.

Objects on road verges: whilst the Parish Council recognises the reasons for residents placing objects on their verges to prevent traffic damaging the grass verge outside their homes, it must be recognised that the verges remain the property of the Lincolnshire County Council Highways Department and as such must not be obstructed. The verges do on occasion have to be used to allow oncoming vehicles to pass.

Recycling

Facilities to recycle empty blister packs, used stamps, foreign coins and used printer cartridges are in the village bus shelter.

If there is any information that would be of interest to the village for future newsletters please contact me by email jaynedyas11@gmail.com well in advance of deadlines, which are printed in the newsletter.

Mobile Library Service March 2021

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For enquiries or renewals contact customer service centre 01522 782010

Sept 2021	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan 2022	Feb	Mar
15th	13th	10th	8th	5th	2nd	2nd & 30th

Community	Stop	Arrive	Depart
Donington on Bain	Post Office	10.30	11.00
Benniworth	Tennyson Close	11.15	12.15

New parish council websites

These are being or have been developed for whole parish

Addresses are;

<https://www.asterbygroup.org>

<https://benniworth.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

<https://asterby-goulceby.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

<https://donington-bain.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

<https://scamblesby.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

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Donington on Bain Parish Council

News from the Parish Council

Donington on Bain parish Council welcome Kathy Olsson as a Councillor. Kathy has lived in the village for a number of years and is on the Village Hall Committee. Thank you Kathy for agreeing to serve on the Parish Council.

The Parish Council continues to repair the playground and will apply for lottery funding again for a new playground once the COVID situation has passed. We are looking at solutions to clean the moss from the MUGA.

The Parish Council is aware that there are lots of footpaths around the village which need cutting and we will continue to contact Lincolnshire County Council regarding this.

The Parish Council have finally been successful in getting a "Not Suitable for HGV" sign at Welsdale Road. We have been campaigning for some time to get this issue addressed as many Sat Navs take vehicles up this route. Pot holes have also been filled on Welsdale Road.

We discussed the possibility of a leaflet promoting walks around the village and have asked Lincolnshire County Council if any funding is available. Discussions regarding this are at an early stage. We are aware of budget constraints.

The Parish Council is looking at ways to address parking in the village.

If anyone has any issues or suggestions, please contact the clerk on doningtononbainpc@gmail.com (or 07795822701) or alternatively contact a councillor.

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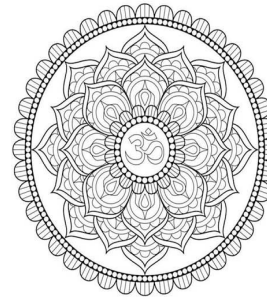
You may have noticed a vegetable stall appear at the roadside on the edge of Donnington-on-Bain and seen occasional cars stopping on their way home from work? There is a sign that reads: 'Community Farm'. But what is it? Who put it there? Is it for me too?

Local farmer Mathilda Dennis and her father David had been talking for years about having a piece of land where local people can grow and eat their own veg – having a way to reconnect to the land with a bunch of like-minded people and grow healthy, fresh, nutrient-rich food.

The idea is still young and organic in both senses of the word. At the moment, people are invited to take veg from the stall and leave a donation. But hopes are high that more people will get involved – it is totally volunteer-led and not-for-profit.

“We don’t want to compete with any local businesses,” says Mathilda, “in fact we’d like to reassure them that we want to complement other community initiatives. We are still working out how to do things so anyone wanting to help, or who has some good ideas, please come along on a Saturday morning at around 10:30, that’s when we come as a group to do a little field work and re-stock the stall.”

“We are here as much for the camaraderie as for the veg,” says one volunteer who enjoys seeing all ages doing activities together. “It would be great to see more families down here,” she says, “picking their supper straight from the land, then going home to cook and eat it.” Turn up on Saturday, call 07388 671264, or email Doncomfarm@gmail.com for more information.



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LATEST NEWS FROM THE PANTRY

We now stock cards for all occasions and have extended the range to include some gentle humour and also charity cards.

We are agents for Laytons Dry Cleaners, just bring your items along, they are collected from us every Tuesday and returned the following Tuesday.

We continue to source food and gifts from local suppliers and are adding to our range all the time.

Please do call in and see what's new!

LATEST NEWS FROM THE POST OFFICE

Your local Post Office is here for your everyday banking needs, Cash Withdrawals, Cash Deposits, Cheque Deposits and Balance Enquiries for all major UK banks.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE TEAROOM

The BBQ promotion throughout August proved to be a success and due to popular demand we are now able to serve Lincolnshire Ales and Wine to our thirsty guests.

For the foreseeable future we will continue with our outdoor seating and table service.

Simon & Diana look forward to welcoming you at Post & Pantry



Asterby Group Services for September 2021

Benniworth	Communion	5th September	10 am
Burgh on Bain	Communion	12th September	10 am
Donington on Bain	All Age Worship	19th September	10 am
Scamblesby Green Man	Harvest Festival	19th September	11 am
Ranby	Harvest Festival	23rd September	7 pm
Scamblesby	Communion	26th September	10 am
Stenigot	Harvest Festival	26th September	3 pm

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Asterby Group Services for October 2021

Donington on Bain	Harvest Festival	1st October	7 pm
Benniworth	Harvest Festival	3rd October	6 pm
Burgh on Bain	Harvest Festival	10th October	10 am
Donington on Bain	Communion	17th October	10 am
Gayton Le Wold	Harvest Festival	17th October	3 pm
Scamblesby	Communion	24th October	10 am

All our services will be held in our churches and the wearing of masks is preferred

Further details from rev.cilla2@btinternet.com.

The only provision is Govt changes in current guidelines.

PRAYER CIRCLE



If you would like a friend, or a particular situation, to be remembered by our Prayer Circle, do please contact Ann (313792) or Sarah (343270)
All requests treated in confidence.

If you require information or help with booking a wedding, baptism or funeral, please contact our Administrator on 01507 525600