



OUTLOOK

HESLINGTON CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

Little Badgers Toddler Group

Pre-school children with their carers meet on Wednesdays during term, 1.30pm till 3.00pm at Badger Hill Primary School. We restart in September. New members will be welcomed. There is no charge.

Tel 07963 134008 Rachel Bowling

Heslington Pre-School & Toddler Group at Lord Deramore's school

In September the Toddler group will restart meeting every Monday 1.15pm-3pm, (term time only) in the Pre-School room on a drop in basis. Please contact us for further details and for information about Pre-School sessions.

Katie Little Tel 07708155484

email hbhpreschool@gmail.com

Badger Hill Wombles

The Wombles cleanest street award goes to: Sussex Road! We meet at 2.00pm every Wednesday in the park. Join us in working towards a litter-free Badger Hill - it's healthy and rewarding! John Nixon and Elisa Main

Mobile Library Visits in August on Badger Hill

on Tuesdays 14th and 28th at Yarburgh Way near shops 11.10am-11.40am

in Heslington

on Tuesdays 7th and 21st at Heslington Court 11.50am-12.05pm at Memorial Cottages 12.10pm-12.30pm at Peel Close 12.35pm-12.55pm

Badger Hill Residents Community Group (BHRCG)

For info and news of Badger Hill website <http://www.badger-hill-residents.org/>

Village Venues for Hire

Church and Meeting Rooms
Tel: Church Office 412300
Village Meeting Room
Tel: R Lonsborough 413322
Holmefield Centre
Tel: Mike Emmans-Dean 415261

Outlook Contributions

Please send signed contributions with contact details to the editor Elisa Main by email to elisamain@yahoo.co.uk or in writing to 66 Yarburgh Way, Badger Hill, York YO10 5HG. The deadline for the next edition is 18th August 2012. If you would like to receive Outlook by email simply send me a request.

Dear Friends,

It's been raining a bit. I'm sure you've noticed. All kinds of things have been washed out.

I listened with some bemusement to an aggressive journalist interviewing one of the British F1 Grand Prix organisers, and calling the waterlogged and impossibly muddy conditions in the car parks an "embarrassment" and "a national disgrace". The organiser was more gracious than I might have been.

I was in London in the days after the Jubilee weekend, and the headlines evolved overnight in a downward spiral. Early headlines proclaimed the weekend a great success, and a great advertisement for the Olympic city. Within 24 hours it was all about "travel chaos" and people put out by the festivities. By the time you read this we will know whether Danny Boyle's Olympic opening ceremony has garnered critical acclaim or been rubbish. Both opinions had been offered before we'd even seen it.

What is it about us (myself included!) that often (too often?) relishes a good moan so much? Every now and then a good moan can blow off steam, help us regain perspective and leave us chuckling, hopefully mostly at ourselves. However, a culture of entitlement, complaining and compensation, and communities that don't make room for humanness and the randomness of all we can't control, don't feel like creative places where we can flourish together in the messiness of it all.

Perhaps, with me, you want to do a quick (gentle) moaning audit. What gets your goat, and why? How realistic and reasonable are you being? Most importantly, what assumptions do we make at a local, national and global level about how our life feels, unfolds and compares?

Grace and graciousness go a long way, and everyone benefits.

Rory

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Johannes Nobel 870814
Anglican Vicar

Rory Dalglish 414398
Methodist Minister & University Chaplain

The Carmelite Friar Community

at More House serve the University and local Hospital as Catholic Chaplains. During term-time. Weekday Mass is celebrated regularly in More House Chapel and on Sunday (for members of the University community) on campus. Fr Tony Lester
Contact - antony.lester@york.ac.uk

York Elim

York Elim meets every Sunday, 10.30am, at Archbishop Holgate's school for an upbeat gathering for lively worship, an engaging talk, coffee and a chat! There is Sunday School for the kids and a growing youth meeting at the same time as the talk for the adults.

Taizé

The next Taize service will be held at 6.30pm on Sunday, 23rd September at More House, Heslington. All Welcome. Annemarieke de Bruin
Annemarieke.deBruin@york.ac.uk

Services at Heslington Church

Sunday 5th August

9.00am Holy Communion
11.00am Morning Service with Children's Club
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 12th August

9.00am Holy Communion
11.00am Morning Service with Children's Club
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 19th August

9.00am Holy Communion
11.00am All Age Worship
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 26th August

9.00am Holy Communion
11.00am Family Communion
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Weekday Services

Every Thursday

9.15am Holy Communion

From the Parish Registers

Thanksgiving for the gift of a child

We celebrate the arrival of
8th July - Kieran Emilio Reynolds

We extend our sympathy and prayers for to the family and friends of

Funerals

18th July - Anthony Arthur

Interment of Ashes

21st June - Kenneth Schofield

Heslington Mothers' Union

On Thursday 16th August the committee hope to arrange a garden party for members and friends. Arrangements have yet to be finalised. Members will be able to find out more details from any committee member. There will be no Corporate Communion in August. Margaret Telfer

Church Youth Group

We've just finished for the summer, but will be restarting in September so if you're between 11 and 18 do join us for an evening of fun and games every other Wednesday from 7-9pm at Heslington Church. It is free and is open to anyone regardless of beliefs and involvement in Church activities. In the past we have decorated eggs, played paper hockey, and had a games console tournament as well as trips out bowling and to local gigs. We end each session with an engaging chat about the relevance of God in our lives, so far we have covered: "Why read the Bible?", "Who is Jesus?" and "Does God listen when I pray?". If you would like any more information please don't hesitate to get in touch with David Lindley (david.lindley@gmail.com).

Post Cards & Foreign Stamps

Please save your post cards and foreign stamps which can be turned into cash to support the work done in Sudan. Last year sales raised £12,180! One post card of a Scottish Post Office alone raised £50. Foreign stamps should never be cut off the post card. Foreign stamps on envelopes should be cut with a ¼" border. Please leave at 17 Foxthorn Paddock or in Church. Sue Garnett

Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association

There is no branch meeting in August. Instead we will be going on a trip on Wednesday 8th August to Boundary Mill, Colne with time for shopping and lunch and then on to Blackpool for the matinee performance of the 'Hot Ice Show'. We then enjoy some free time in Blackpool before boarding the coach for home. Meet at Heslington Church at 8.30am or Badger Hill Shops at 8.40am. The next branch meeting will be on Wednesday 12th September at 7.30pm in Heslington Village Meeting Room (at the rear of Sinclairs in Main Street). New members are most welcome. Maureen White

Jane Austen's Ladies of a Certain Age

From old maids to matriarchs, wives to widows, Jane Austen's novels are rich with those 'ladies of a certain age' whose presence adds to the comedy and sometimes to the pathos of these wonderful works. The Northern Branch of the Jane Austen Society invites you to join them for this unique new costumed presentation by Lucy Adlington. Comprising lively readings from the novels, interspersed with insights into the realities of life for women past the first blush of youth in Regency England; not forgetting praise for literature's most marvellous spinster - Jane Austen herself, this is an afternoon not to be missed. Saturday 1st September at 2pm in Heslington Church. For further information please contact Mrs M Joice at 0113 2680431 or Heslington Church Office.