



OUTLOOK

HESLINGTON CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

Mobile Library Visits on Badger Hill

on Tuesdays 11th and 25th March
at Yarburgh Way near shops 11.10am-
11.40am

in Heslington

on Tuesdays 4th and 18th March
at Heslington Court 11.50am-12.05pm
at Memorial Cottages 12.10pm-12.30pm
at Peel Close 12.35pm-12.55pm

Fishergate, Fulford & Heslington (York). Local History Society.

From 10am to 1pm on Saturday 15th
March, in St Oswald's Church Hall we
hold our second AGM with lunch and a
guest speaker - archaeologist John
Oxley - talking about 'Recent
Discoveries in the Heart of the City of
York and Beyond'. Louise Wheatley

Heslington Youth Group

Everyone aged 11-18 is welcome.
Evenings start at 7pm at Heslington
Church. For more information email
heslingtonyouthgroup@gmail.com

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 Outlook edition is 8th March.

Heslington Cubs

Have a thriving programme for seven
and eight year olds arranged by a team
of five adults and students. However,
we urgently need a principal co-
ordinator for meetings on Thursday
evenings. (6pm-7.45pm). The only
requirements are a sense of fun and
enjoyment of a range of activities with
youngsters. Full training is provided.
Ring ANDREW ECCLES on 413626

Clearing Litter on Badger Hill

The Badger Hill Wombles and
supporters continue to work towards a
litter-free environment. Please assist by
simply calling CYC (ask for the street
cleaning team) on 01904-551550 if your
street (or a particular property) needs
clearing of litter (CYC do not routinely
clean streets nowadays). Also note that
there is a statutory fine of £75 for any
form of littering. John Nixon/Elisa Main

Illegal Parking

To report illegal parking telephone
0800-1381119. You will be asked for
the registration number, make, colour
and location of the vehicle.

Heworth Retired Men's Forum

Fortnightly at 9.45am on Tuesday
mornings at Heworth Community Centre
on Stray Road/Algarth Road. Please
contact David Guy (412340) for further
details.

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Dear Friends,

The philosopher and theologian Paul Tillich once wrote: 'Language has created the word 'loneliness' to express the pain of being alone. And it has created the word 'solitude' to express the glory of being alone.'

I am very much looking forward to some solitude. The past few weeks have been busy and demanding, and a general lack of opportunities to recharge has begun to take its toll: my wife tells me I am uncharacteristically grumpy, and I feel she may have a point!

Fortunately, my diary for next week is firmly marked with the word 'Retreat'. I have booked a remote Welsh cottage for a few days of deep silence. I can't wait to immerse myself in unhurried prayer, study and writing. No phone, no e-mail, nothing. Time to rest. Time to reconsider priorities. Time to regain perspective. Time to embrace new beginnings.

Clergy guidelines require that I take a retreat at least once a year. I feel incredibly fortunate and privileged to be 'forced' to take a regular break. I realise not everyone is able to simply block out a midweek in their diaries and escape it all. But perhaps seeking solitude is a bit like dieting: it is much better to make small but sustainable changes.

Wednesday 5th March is Ash Wednesday, the start of the season of Lent. Traditionally, people have used the forty weekdays before Easter as a time for creating space, cutting back on distractions, and making a conscious effort to be more attentive to God, the world and oneself.

I invite you to make the season of Lent a time for seeking spiritual and personal refreshment through silence and solitude. Of course you don't have to come to church for that, but you may find it helps!

Love and prayers,

Rev Johannes Nobel

Heslington Church is a partnership between the Church of England and the Methodist Church together with the Roman Catholic Chaplaincy to the University of York. Our congregation is an eclectic mix of ages, backgrounds and nationalities. See our website www.heslingtonchurch.org.uk for more information. All are welcome

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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.

Heslington Village Venues for Hire

Church and Meeting Rooms
Tel: Church Office 01904 412300
Holmefield Centre
Tel: Mike Emmans-Dean 01904 415261
The Outgang Pavilion
Tel: Sally Brabyn 01904 870981
Heslington Village Meeting Room
Tel: The Deramore Arms 01904 413433

Services at Heslington Church All Are Welcome

Sunday 2nd March

10.00am Service of the Word and Children's Club
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Wednesday 5th March

9.30am Mothers' Union Corporate Communion
5.30pm Ash Wednesday Service

Sunday 9th March

10.00am Holy Communion and Children's Club -
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 16th March

10.00am All Age Worship
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 23rd March

10.00am Holy Communion and Children's Club
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 30th March

10.00am Morning Service with prayers for healing and Children's Club
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Every Thursday

9.15am Holy Communion (said)

From the Parish Registers

Funerals

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of
Robert James DeLittle - 15th January
Susan Margaret Stern - 28th January
Pauline Eileen Daniel - 30th January
Peter Hardy - 6th February

Women's World Day of Prayer

This year's service "Streams in the Desert" prepared by Christian women in Egypt will be celebrated around the world on Friday 7th March. We welcome you to join us at our local service at Heslington Church at 2pm that afternoon. Our speaker is Mrs Jennifer Powley. Please join us for refreshments and friendship afterwards. Grace Allen.

Heslington Flower Lovers' Guild

We meet at 2pm on Tuesday 11th March in Heslington Village Meeting Room when the title for a flower design is "A time of promise". Kathleen Pepper

Badger Hill and Heslington Ladies Lifeboat Guild

The coffee morning for March is on Wednesday 19th at the home of Mrs Irene Barnes, 10.30am to 12noon. Everyone is welcome, do come along and support this charity. There will be a Bring and Buy stall and souvenirs will be on sale. Anne Wilson (secretary)

Heslington Village Trust

The AGM will be held at 7.30pm on Thursday 17th April 2014 in Heslington Village Meeting Room. Nominations for the offices of Vice Chairman, Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer or Committee Member should be received by the Hon. Secretary by 5.00pm on 16th April. All who are interested in the preservation and protection of Heslington village and of features of public amenity or historic interest are welcome.
Bill McClean, Hon.Sec.Tel: 410433

Badger Hill Residents Community Group (BHRCG)

<http://www.badger-hill-residents.org/>

Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association

Our next meeting is at 7.30pm on Wednesday 12th March in Heslington Village Meeting Room (behind Sinclairs in Main Street). This will be our Annual General Meeting so there will be no speaker or competition. Carole Hill

Outlook Deliverer needed

Can you help by delivering copies of "Outlook" once a month to numbers 25 - 75 Newland Park Drive? Please contact the Church Office on 01904 412300 for more information.

Mothers' Union

We meet at 9.30am on Wednesday 5th March for Corporate Communion. At 2.00pm on 20th March our speaker will be Helen Dawe telling us about the Mothers' Union in Harare. Pat Hartle

Post Cards & Stamps.

Post cards (complete with stamps) and foreign stamps cut from envelopes with a 1/4inch border are gratefully received. You can drop these in at the Church, or 17 Foxthorn Paddock. Sue Garnett

Potato and Sunflower Growing Competition to support Heslington Playground.

Who can grow the heaviest weight of potatoes in a bucket or the tallest sunflower? Seed potatoes, sunflower seeds, buckets and instructions available at 42 Main Street [opposite Barclays] between 10.00am and 12.30pm on Saturday 22nd March. Entry fee - £5. Prize giving late July. Sunflowers in September. Cash prizes. Please join in with this local fun event. Bill McClean (410433)