



OUTLOOK

HESLINGTON CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

Mobile Library Visits on Badger Hill

on Tuesdays 5th and 19th May
at Yarburgh Way near shops 11.10am-
11.40am

in Heslington

on Tuesdays 12th and 26th May
at Heslington Court 11.50am-12.05pm
at Memorial Cottages 12.10pm-12.30pm
at Peel Close 12.35pm-12.55pm

Scott Award Art Competition from Langwith College (University of York)

This annual competition celebrates
creativity and artistic work of all kinds,
and is open to submissions in any
medium. Painting, poetry, theatrical
performance: from handicrafts to
singing, all welcome. £450 of prizes to
be won. Theme of springtime, renewal,
rebirth and regeneration.

<https://www.facebook.com/LangwithScottAward>
or langwithartsclub@gmail.com
for more information.

Heslington Village Meeting Room

The AGM will be held on Tuesday 12th
May at 7.30pm in Heslington Village
Meeting Room. Everyone with an
interest in the Meeting Room is
welcome to attend. Liz Boreham
(Secretary)

Little Badgers Pre-School

based at Badger Hill Primary School,
have spaces for funded and non-funded
2-4 year olds. We have a warm friendly
atmosphere that promotes learning
through play. For more information
please contact Emma on 07963134008

Heslington Pre-school

provides a playful and creative learning
environment for children aged 3-5 years
as well as Early Starter sessions for 2½-
year-olds. Places are available in
September. For more information,
please contact us on 07708 155484.
Our Spring Fair will be on Sunday 10th
May 2-5pm at St. Oswald's Church in
Fulford. Come join in the fun! .
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Illegal Parking

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

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
June edition is 9th May

Dear friends,

Have you ever looked a Gannet in the eyes? If not, this is one the best times of the year to visit the growing Gannet colony at Bempton Cliffs. Gannet eyes are only small, but they are far superior to human eyes. For instance, Gannets can observe much more detail, from a much greater distance, and at a much wider angle.

Imagine we would be able to soar with Gannets some 60 feet above the choppy waters of the North Sea. We would be lucky to see the faint glimmer of a shoal of fish. A Gannet however, can see an individual fish in the shoal, and even register the UV light reflected from its scales. What is more, a Gannet can compensate for the refraction of the light, and calculate the exact position of the fish, before plunging in the water at a speed of up to 62 miles an hour, protecting its precious eyes with a third, transparent, eyelid. Once submerged Gannets are able to change the very shape of their eye lenses to help them focus underwater. Incredible!

Can you believe your eyes? Jesus, after his resurrection, wasn't recognised by those who knew him. First, Mary thought he was the gardener. Then, the couple traveling back home to Emmaus thought he was a stranger. Was there something wrong with their eyesight? Nothing. The issue is that at times our eyes are not providing us with enough information to break through the rust of our expectations. The real recognition - that moment when the penny drops - is provoked by... well, by what? Mary recognised Jesus when he spoke her name. The couple from Emmaus recognised him when he broke the bread.

Which begs the question. If we don't observe the presence of God in a particular situation, does that mean God really isn't there? Or is he just hidden from our sight and recognition?

Love and prayers,

Rev Johannes Nobel

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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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email: heslington.church@hotmail.co.uk

Johannes Nobel 01904 870814
Anglican Vicar

Rory Dalgliesh 01904 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.

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 3rd May

10.00am Morning Worship
..2.00pm Korean Language Service

Wednesday 6th May

9.30am Mother's Union Corporate Communion

Sunday 10th May

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

Sunday 17th May

10.00am All Age Worship
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Sunday 24th May - Pentecost

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

Sunday 31st May

10.00am Morning Worship with Prayers for Healing
2.00pm Korean Language Service

Every Thursday

9.15am Holy Communion (said)

From the Parish Registers

Funerals – We offer our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of:-

Jeanette Perry – 2nd April
Neil Armstrong – 13th April
Petros Paphitis – 14th April

Wedding – We offer our congratulations and good wishes for their future together to:-

Richard Ollerenshaw and Theresa Scothern – 18th April

Service of Thanksgiving for the Gift of a Child – We celebrate the birth of:-

Isla Rose Webster – 22nd March

Baptism – We welcome into the Church family:-

Andrew James Linzey Frank
Ollerenshaw – 18th April

World Community for Christian Meditation Group

We meet weekly on Fridays in the Church library. We begin at 10:30am with refreshments, then a short teaching on meditation, as taught by John Main, followed by a period of meditation. We will also be meeting at 7:00pm on the second Sunday in the month, starting on 10th May. If you are interested in finding out more, contact Anne French on 426961 or email
Annejrench@hotmail.co.uk

Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association

There is no meeting in May as we will be on a trip to Boundary Mill at Grantham followed by a visit to the Japanese Garden. Our next branch meeting will be on Wednesday 10th June at 7.30pm in Heslington Village Meeting Room. New members welcome. Maureen White

Mothers' Union

Corporate Communion is on Wednesday 6th May at 9.30 am. On Thursday 21st May, we meet at 2 pm and will be treated to an insight to life in Hong Kong, through the eyes of Sue Shelley. Sue has lived in Hong Kong and recently returned after a visit to old haunts. You will be warmly welcomed at either of our meetings.
Sue Garnett

Heslington Sportsfield

The AGM will be held in the Sportsfield Pavilion at 7:30pm on Thursday 7th May 2015. Five members of the Management Committee are to be elected. Nomination forms are available from The Secretary, HSMC, Clock Cottage, 45 The Old Village, Huntington, York YO32 9RA, or by email (HeslingtonSMC@gmail.com). Further details are on the Village Notice Board in Main Street. M. Dodson, Chair.

An Evening of Songs

Tuesday 12th May at 7.30pm. A miscellany of musical entertainment and refreshment by York Priory Choir in Heslington Church. Tickets, £5 including refreshments, available at the door.

Badgerhill & Heslington Ladies Lifeboat Guild

The Coffee Morning for May is on Wednesday 20th, 10.30am till 12.00noon, at the home of Mrs Ann Forder, 75 Field Lane. Everyone is welcome to come and support this great charity. We will be selling souvenirs and there will be a Bring and Buy stall. Anne Wilson (Secretary)

Badger Hill Litter Clearance Event

As part of York Council's Smarter York Spring Clean initiative a group of volunteers met to clear litter from Badger Hill on the 28th March. We are extremely grateful to Cllrs Neil Barnes, Fiona Fitzpatrick and David Levene and to the volunteers who took part. Please help to keep our neighbourhoods clear of litter and report problems to the Council on 551551 (note: fines of £75 apply to those caught littering). John Nixon