

PARISH MAGAZINE

May 2021

United Benefice of St Helen, Burghwallis and
St Mary Magdalene, Campsall



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The apostles sat in a room not knowing what to do, scared and confused with the loss of someone they loved. Who would have thought two thousand years later, we would have been waiting at home, scared, confused, some of us losing friends, congregation members and family to Coronavirus. For the apostles, their hope, love and joy for the future came from Jesus, as he appeared to them in a room of the home where they were staying. Most will be aware that live Sunday services have been broadcast via the Facebook pages for St Helen's Burghwallis and St Mary Magdalene Benefice from my home, reaching out in love and prayer to all in our parishes. As we move from the Easter season through to Pentecost in May, we have also moved services back into St Mary Magdalene church from 18th April 2021.

The day of Pentecost is the moment when the Holy Spirit comes to the apostles and Acts 2: 1-21 describes the exciting moment when tongues of fire rest on their heads. They begin to realise the importance of the message Jesus had been preaching and emphasising the totality of what God has done in Jesus Christ. The Holy Spirit can be described as a comforter, the Spirit could be described as politically correct and not at all gender specific. A Spirit that can leave things till the last minute, like us, and often works best if we stand up and allow the Spirit to lead us. Though not unprepared, we have been praying and welcoming the Spirit as we have moved back into St Mary Magdalene Church building. The Holy Spirit knows how to interpret the anguish of the world, and over the last year we have seen many people step forward, filled with the spirit, who have come forward in the midst of crises and said "It's alright I am here to help". Through pain we realise how much we have loved people we have lost.

With this in mind, we will, when it is deemed safe to do so, be holding a number of memorial services for our community, where people will be

invited to come and not just light a candle, but also to visit a number of prayer stations, with places to leave prayers for people missed around the world. We also intend to have a memorial board for our community, with photos of those lost since the beginning of the pandemic.

We know that church may not feel a safe space for everyone just yet, and so arrangements will be made to ensure safety which may include booking for these services. We will also ensure that memorial services will be arranged later in the year. Everyone is welcome, whether you have been to services before or not, and we would love to share our ideas with you for reaching out into our community, and also hear any suggestions from you.

For those who are not yet back in the church building with us, or anyone who prefers to watch online, please check out the churches Facebook pages and you can see my past attempts to present services from my home, as well as the services now filmed from St Mary Magdalene. So please log on to watch how the Holy Spirit is influencing St Helen's and St Mary Magdalene as we look at new ways to serve the communities around us.

God Bless, may His Spirit fill you with love and hope for the future.

Fr Chris



A Tribute to HRH The Duke of Edinburgh

Along with many churches around the UK a single bell was tolled at our two churches.

The church bell at St Helen's was rung 99 times at noon on Saturday 10th April 2021 in tribute to The Prince Phillip who died on Friday 9th April 2021 at Windsor Castle aged 99 years.

St. Mary Magdalene Bell ringer Tim Lodge also rang a bell at Campsall church 99 times at noon on Saturday 10th April 2021. A single muffled bell also tolled during the hour prior to the funeral service on Saturday 17th April.

Please hold the Royal Family in your thoughts and prayers in the coming days and weeks.

Parish Register

Funerals

April 2021

There were no funerals held in church this month

Parish Office

We have not been holding our usual parish office in church on Thursday evenings during lockdown. To book baptisms and weddings or for other pastoral enquiries please contact the clergy directly.

Services in our Parish

A Holy Communion service will be held at 11.00 am each Sunday at St Mary Magdalene Church, Campsall **All welcome**

Holy Communion from St Mary Magdalene will be available on Facebook via the St Mary Magdalene Facebook Page. Plus a recording of the service will be available for distribution via e-mail afterwards.

Burghwallis Parish Council

Parish Council Elections

This year, for the first time in many people's memory, the local elections include those for Burghwallis Parish Council. Such elections used to be held every 6 years, but this has now changed to every 4 years.

There only needs to be an election if there are more candidates than vacancies, otherwise all candidates are assumed to be elected and take office accordingly. This time round we have 6 candidates for 5 seats, so we have an election. The existing parish councillors are all standing again, and we have another candidate on the ballot paper. The names of the candidates are published on the Parish Council website, and on the village notice board, and, of course, they will be on the ballot papers.

Briefly the role of the Parish Council is to represent the village to the outside world, including DMBC, through the Ward Councillors, and directly by representation on the DMBC Parish Councils Joint Consultative Committee, and to administer the funding allocated to us through the local precept within the Council Tax, in the interests of the village and our residents. This includes, among other things, maintenance and upkeep of the village Playing Field, the Poors Field (from which funding comes for the annual Pensioners' Christmas Lunch), the War Memorial and other items of historical interest, such as the Pinfold, the Village Pump and the Plague Well. We have an input into planning decisions within our village boundaries, and all our actions are taken in accordance with the legislation governing local authorities, and within the spirit and the letter of the Burghwallis Neighbourhood Plan, which was adopted in 2016.

We would ask all eligible residents to cast their vote in this election, to demonstrate that those who are elected have the support of the villagers.
Thank you.

Parish Council meetings

Due to the covid 19 regulations, we have not been able to hold our meetings in the usual way, and any matters arising have been dealt with by phone/email. However, we must not exceed 6 months between "proper" documented meetings, so we will have had a Zoom meeting by the end of April, to meet our legal obligations. Our next meeting is likely to be in the week of 24th May and we are hopeful that the restrictions will have eased sufficiently to allow us to meet physically. The May meeting will incorporate the Annual (village) Meeting as well as the AGMs for the Parish Council. Playing Field and Poors Field. Details for the date and format of the meeting will be announced on the Notice Board and PC website when they are finalised.

Publication of minutes

Currently the minutes of our meetings are published in draft form on the Notice Board within a few days of each meeting, and "approved" minutes are posted on the website after the next meeting, when approval is ratified.

We are considering the possibility of circulating the draft minutes electronically. To achieve this we would need the email addresses of anyone interested.

If anyone wishes to receive copies, please email our clerk at clerkburghwalliscouncil@talktalk.net. All contact details will be kept secure by the clerk in line with Data Protection Regulations.

Dave Maxwell (Chairman)



Plant Sale 2021

Who would have thought one year ago I was asking if you would like me to grow plants for you as the plant sale could not be held in Campsall Church, and here we are again unable to hold social events. I therefore ask if you would support me again by purchasing your plants from me to help support the Church. 100% of your money will go into church funds which is so much needed this year with lack of income during 2020/21.

Below is a list of the plants that are available, you can place an order by telephone 01302 707544 or 07507 860136 or 07815 295884 or by email attandst31@talktalk.net. I will deliver these to you at the beginning of May, or you can collect them from my home.

Plants available to order

Bedding

Bush Geraniums (all colours)
Variegated leaf Geranium (green/white leaf)
Begonias (pink, scarlet & mixed) Bush
Begonias -Trailing (mixed)_
Petunia (Singles mixed)
French Marigold
Dahlias (mixed) dwarf doubles and singles
Sweat Pea (Limited numbers left)
Lobelia (trailing) White, sapphire. Cascade Mixed
Calendula doubles orange flower
Verbena mixed (limited numbers left)
Impatiens (limited numbers left)

Perennials

Lupins (mixed) (Limited)
Hostas (limited)
Others
Chocolate plant
(ground Cover) (Ltd)
Christmas Cacti
Tomato
runner beans

Thank you for your support - Alan Troop

DOWN MEMORY LANE..... ST HELEN, BURGHWALLIS

Victorian Evening held in the Church Hall, Burghwallis in 2001



Front row left to right: Ron & Kathleen Cooper, Olwyn Sanderson, Sharon Hammerton, Irene Trenbirth Smith, Mary Price, Joyce Holmes and Mary Dimon.

Back row: Betty Clifton, Doris Staggalls, Pam Land, Father Michael, Rita Brewin and Mike Hammerton.



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3rd Tuesday of each month – Beetle
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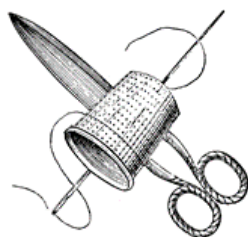
Every Wednesday
10.00am – 11.30am
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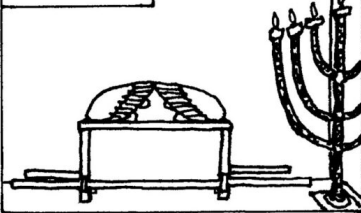
Bible Bite

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in
1 Samuel 4:1-10, 5:1-7:1

God gave Moses two stone slabs with His laws for the Jews on them. They were kept in a special chest, the Ark, and carried with them

When the Jews got to Israel, the Ark was kept at Shiloh.



The Jews did not keep God's laws so He let the Philistines attack and defeat them.



The Jews took the Ark into battle with them to make God help them win.



But the Philistines won. They took the Ark to their city of Ashdod and put it in the temple of their god Dagon.



The next day they found Dagon's statue face down.



The next day it was over again and its head and hands had broken off.



Then the people became covered in sores.



They moved the Ark to the city of Gath.



They were going to move the Ark to Ekron, but the people there wouldn't let them.



So they put the Ark on a new cart with a gift of gold.



At Bethshemesh, people harvesting saw the Ark.



But some treated it without respect and died.



Across

Crossword clues (May 21)

1 Sense of right and wrong (*1 Corinthians 8:7*) (10)

7 Coming (*John 11:17*) (7)

8 'All I have is — , and all you have is mine' (*John 17:10*) (5)

10 Smarten (*Acts 9:34*) (4)

11 Hold back (*Job 9:13*) (8)

13 Member of the Society of Friends (6)

15 At ague (anag.) (6)

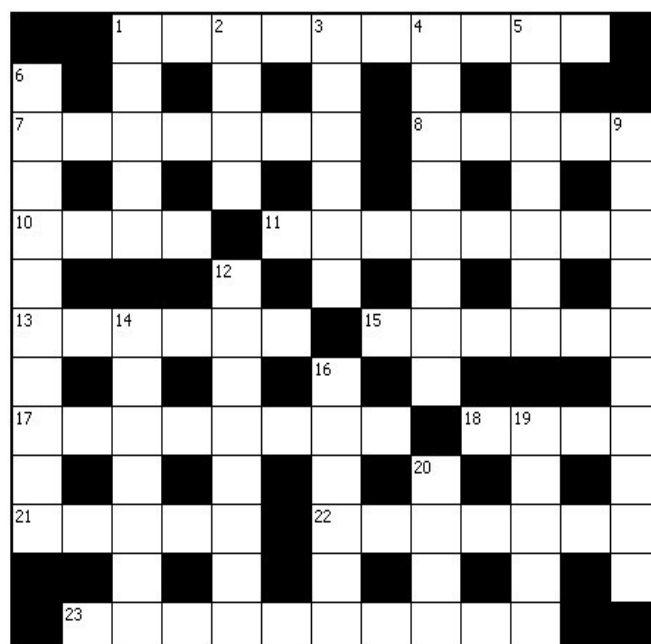
17 Citizen of the Greek capital (8)

18 So be it (*Galatians 6:18*) (4)

21 Twentieth-century poet and dramatist who wrote *Murder in the Cathedral*, T.S. — (5)

22 Empowers (*Philippians 3:21*) (7)

23 Imposing (*1 Samuel 9:2*) (10)



Down

1 Healed (*Luke 7:21*) (5)

2 Central space in a church (4)

3 Co-founder of Spring Harvest and General Secretary of the Evangelical Alliance 1983–97, Clive — (6)

4 Moses killed one when he saw him beating a Hebrew labourer (*Exodus 2:12*) (8)

5 Bravery (*Acts 4:13*) (7)

6 It interrupted Paul and Silas singing hymns in a Philippian jail (*Acts 16:26*) (10)

9 Transgression (*Psalms 36:1*) (10)

12 Irish province in which Dublin is situated (8)

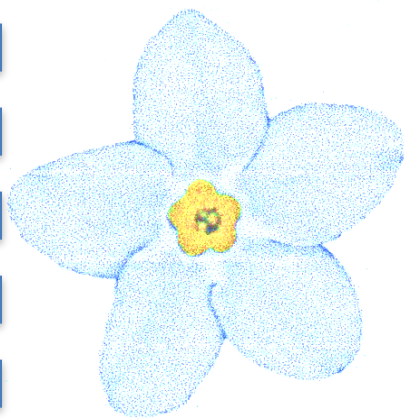
14 Same hit (anag.) (7)

16 'The Spirit of God was hovering over the — ' (*Genesis 1:2*) (6)

19 Author of the immortal stories of Winnie the Pooh, A.A. — (5)

20 Cab (4)

The solutions this month are found on the Crossword grid – Page : 14



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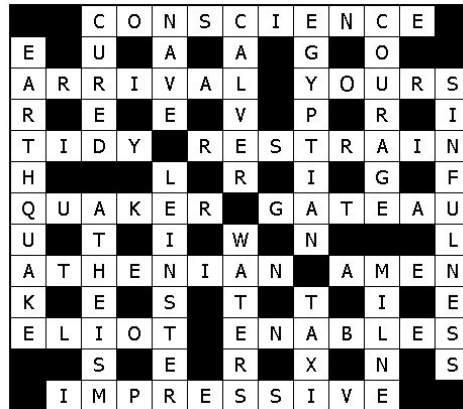
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Crossword solution May 21



Ode to May

Queen of months, supremely fair
 Cloth'd with garments rich and rare
 None in beauty can compare
 With thee, sweet May.

Lovely month, thou bringest mirth
 Spreadest sweetness o'er the earth
 Causest Nature to give birth
 To fruits and flowers.

Thou art loved by young and old
 Joys for each thou dost unfold
 Never shall our hearts grow cold
 To thee, sweet May

By Peter Burn



Garibaldi Biscuits

These traditional biscuits are packed with currants.

Oven 200/180 (Fan)

Line a baking tray with greaseproof paper

25g Butter softened

110g SR flour plus a pinch of salt

25g Golden caster plus extra to sprinkle

2 tablespoons of milk

A little egg white lightly beaten

55g of currants

Put the flour, salt and butter into a mixing bowl and rub into fine crumbs.

Then add the sugar and enough milk to mix into a firm dough. Then transfer to a lightly floured surface and roll into a rectangle 20cm by 30 cm. Sprinkle the currents over half the surface and then fold over the other half on top and roll everything again so you then end up with a rectangle 20cm by 30 cm again. Trim it neatly using a sharp long bladed knife so to leave a shape about 18cm by 28cm. Cut into 24 fingers about 3m by 7cm. Place on the baking sheet and brush with a little egg white then sprinkle with the remaining sugar.

Bake near to the centre of the oven for 12-15 minutes, when golden brown, cool and enjoy!

My own personal memories of these delicious biscuits were when attending church meetings in the early 1970's which were then held in the Old Rectory, Campsall.

Madge Lee the wife of the then Vicar Harold Lee would serve them sometimes still warm along with our tea or coffee. These made meetings so much more enjoyable!

Christine



If you have any interesting stories and recipes you would like to share please get in touch and we will print them in a future Parish Magazine.

Usual Pattern of Sunday Services in the Benefice

<p>St Mary Magdalene, Campsall</p> <p>11.00 Holy Communion First Sunday in the Month 11.00 Family Service</p> <p>Please look at the noticeboard and the website (https:// www.achurchnearyou.com/) for current service times</p>	<p>St Helen, Burghwallis</p> <p>9.00 Holy Communion</p> <p>First Sunday in the Month 8.00 Holy Communion</p> <p>Please note Burghwallis Church is closed for repairs.</p>
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To contact the Churchwardens:

Burghwallis

Shirley Gill Telephone: 700057
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Campsall

Jenny Lister Telephone: 702552
Christine Tickle Telephone: 700731
(Please contact for items relating to the Parish Magazine)

The **clergy** in Campsall Church are normally available every Thursday evening between 6pm and 7pm to discuss arrangements for baptisms and weddings.

To contact the Clergy:

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