

Services in the Benefice for June 2017

EVERY Wednesday

10.00am Holy Communion followed by Coffee: Aldbrough

*Sunday June 4th: Pentecost

10.30am Parish Communion: Goxhill

*6.30pm Deanery Confirmations: Aldbrough
with the Bishop of Hull

Sunday June 11th: Trinity Sunday

10.30 am Parish Communion: Mappleton

HEALING COMMUNION: Tuesday 13th June

10.30 for 11.00 at 4 Mill Lane, Witherwick

Sunday June 18th: Trinity 1/St Alban

10.30am Parish Communion: Witherwick

Sunday June 25th: Trinity 2

9.00 Holy Communion: Aldbrough

10.30 Parish Communion: Mappleton

6.00 Evensong: Witherwick

Friday June 30th: 6.30pm

Deanery Service at Wassand Hall

Sunday July 2nd: Trinity 3

10.30am Parish Communion: Aldbrough

* Please note changes in the service pattern



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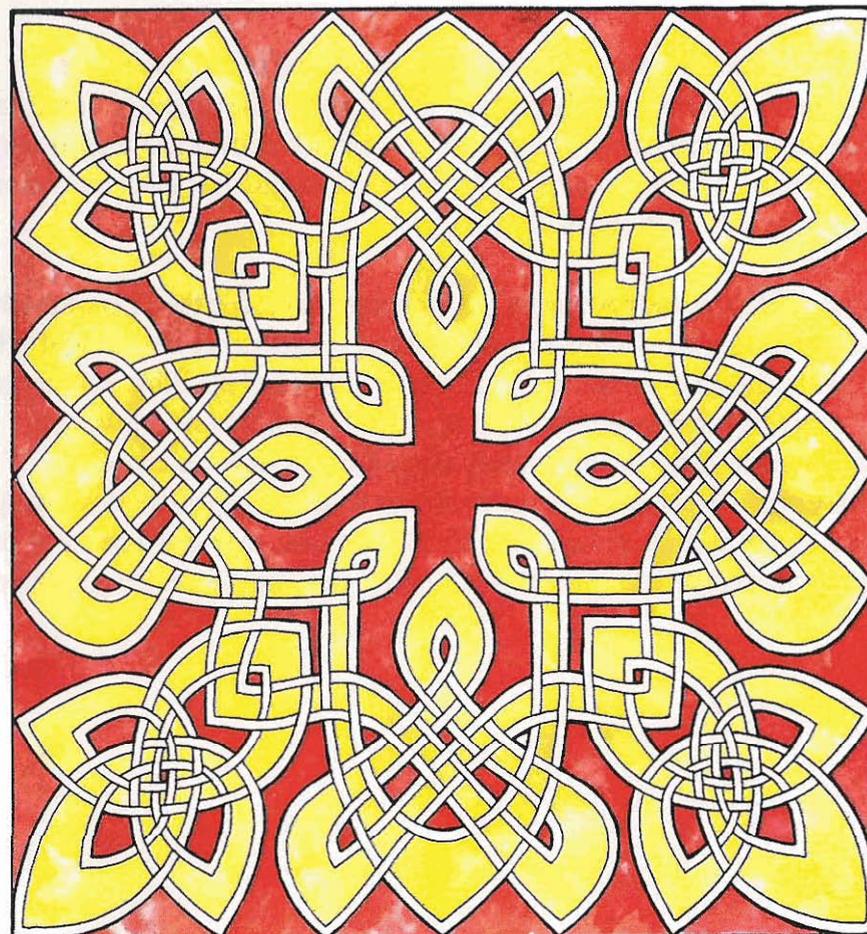
May 12th: Ronald James Booth (Aldbrough)

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The Parishes of Aldbrough Mappleton & Goxhill with Great Hatfield & Witherwick



June 2017



From The Vicar June 2017

We begin this month with what has become known as the Church's Birthday – the Feast of Pentecost, or Whitsunday (in old language!) The image on the cover is a Celtic representation of the flames of Pentecost.

On this day we remember that world-changing morning long ago in Jerusalem when the disciples were gathered in prayer “and suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind. . . and there appeared to them tongues as of fire.” (Acts 2:2). We end the month with a Deanery Service at Wassand Hall, acting as a reminder that we do not exist in isolation, but are part of something bigger. Indeed the Deanery of North Holderness is exploring how we might do things together even better than we already do!

Pentecost ends the season of Easter and we look forward to 20 or so weeks of Ordinary Time. There is nothing ordinary about this but the season of Trinity has often been referred to as the growing season probably because the liturgical colour is green! So it is an opportunity for us to grow in faith, to discover more about God and his relationship with each one of us.

One of the delights of the past month has been to be alongside the 11 candidates who have been preparing for confirmation at Pentecost. Together we have looked at the church's year, the services, the creeds as well as prayer and the Bible. It is impossible to cover everything for we are all works in progress. Nonetheless, I have been reminded throughout that there are many things that we think we know and understand, or that we do because we've always done so. So perhaps this Trinity season we should take time to ask the difficult questions, to re-examine our priorities and to allow ourselves to be sent into the world to proclaim afresh the good news of Jesus Christ.

With every blessing

Revd Anne

The Sparrowhawk its now the second most common raptor since the pesticide crisis in the 1950 and 1960, thankfully DTD is not used now. It's a small/ medium sized & has a long tail, short wings, finely barred under parts and as a furious expression. Sometimes it will sit on your garden fence.

Witnessing a sparrowhawk taking song birds from your bird table can be upsetting, but its very clear that the small birds are thriving and doing enough to support predators which would not be there unless there was an adequate number of prey. Predator abundance is controlled by them, they need to hunt in order to live. The numbers will rise only if prey number are rising, most song birds produce chicks in double figures, and on average only one chick per year needs to survive to maintain the population.

So god bless

Revd..Anne

and all who read this

Regards

John

Sending Prayer

Heavenly Father, Thank you that you are a sending God. From your divine community of Father, Son and Spirit, you sent Jesus to live as one of us, to die, rise and ascend for us. You then graciously sent your Spirit to live in us to equip us for our own sending.

Help us Lord, to hear your voice, to respond to your empowered sending, to be witnesses of your love and reality and relevance in our troubled world. Help us each to be willing to say, “Here am I, send me!” And then to go. In Jesus name, Amen.

By Daphne Kitching

What will you do with your old £1 coins?

You have until 15th October to dispose of your 'old' £1 coins. One suggestion would be to put them aside in a jar and to donate them to one of our churches!

Methodist Church

June 3rd GIFT DAY with Coffee Morning, Cake Stall & Bric-a-Brac

10-00 am ---11-30 am

- 4th Service at 10-45 am
- 6th Network –at 2-15 pm Speaker- Sandra Stennett.
- 7th Craft Club 1-30—3-30pm
- 11th Service at 10-45 am.
- 13th Bible Study at 2pm.
- 14th Craft Club 1-30-3-30pm.
- 18th Service at 10-45 am.
- 20th Network visit of HORNSEA SINGING GROUP at 2-15 pm
Refreshments and Tombola everyone welcome.
- 21st Craft Club 1-30-3-30pm.
- 25th Service at 10-45am.
- 27th Bible Study at 2-00pm.
- 28th Craft Club 1-30—3-30pm



What is messy church?

Messy Church is a way of being church for families involving, food and various activities to help people encounter Jesus.

It is NOT just for children. The whole of Messy Church is about worshipping God, having fellowship, exploring faith matters. It welcomes everyone, involves everyone, values everyone, and is always there for the outsider. It's a church in the true sense of the word!

We shall be holding our first ever session on Friday June 2nd from 10.00 – 12.00. Please put the date in your diary and encourage families to come along.

2017 DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

DATE	EVENT	WHERE
June 2nd	Messy Church 10.00- 12.00	Aldbrough
June 4th	Confirmation 6.30pm	Aldbrough
June 18th	Churches Together	Unity Service 2.30pm Hornsea Methodist
June 20th	PCC	Withernwick
June 21st	PCC	Mappleton
June 24th	Afternoon Tea	Cowden Parva 2.00pm
June 27th	PCC	Aldbrough
June 30th	Deanery Service	Wassand Hall 6.30pm
August 25th	Gift Day	Aldbrough
August 28th	Fete	Great Hatfield
23rd -25th February 2018	Parish Weekend	Wydale

All in the month of June

It was:

100 years ago: on 4th June 1917 that the Order of the British Empire was established by King George V.

80 years ago: on 30th June 1937 that the 999 emergency telephone service went into operation in London. It was the first such service in the world.

75 years ago: on 12th June 1942 that Anne Frank received her famous diary for her 13th birthday. She used it to document her life over the next two years as her family hid from the Nazis.

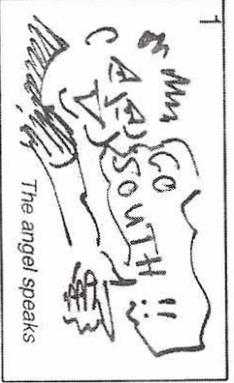
Also 75 years ago: on 25th June 1942 that The Daily Telegraph newspaper published the first account of the mass murder of Polish Jews. It reported that Germany had murdered 700,000 already, and that a further 1000 a day were being killed in gas chambers at Auschwitz. It was reported to be 'the greatest massacre in history' yet the story was largely ignored; it only made page 5 of the newspaper, and the other newspapers did not even run it.

50 years ago: on 1st June 1967 the album Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band was released by the Beatles.

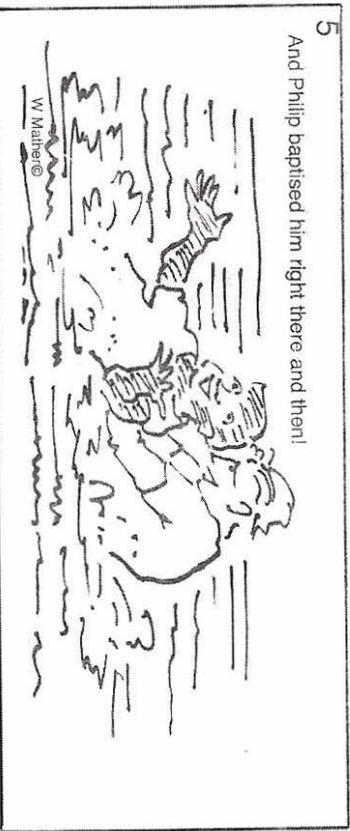
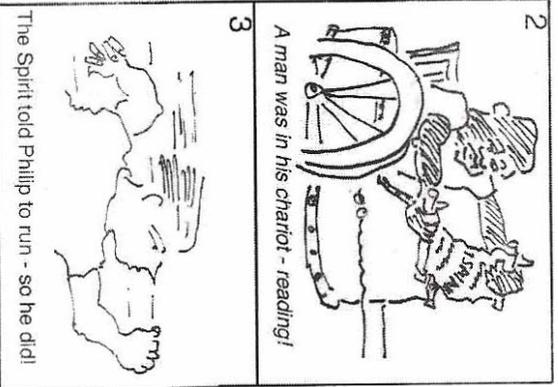
10 years ago: on 29th June 2007 that Apple released the first iPhone.

Bible Sketchbook

Going with the Spirit of God...



When the Holy Spirit says "go!" you've got to GO! First it was an angel saying "go south" and then when he saw a man in a chariot, the Holy Spirit said "run and join him." Crazy. But Phillip went for it! The result? A chance to tell him the good news about Jesus. And the man's response? "I want to be baptised!" So he was!!! How about you? Are you going with the Spirit of God? **Read more in Acts 8:26-40**



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