

# WASHBURN VALLEY & MID-WHARFE CHURCHES

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AUTUMN DAYS:  
I MUSTN'T FORGET  
TO SAY A GREAT BIG  
THANK YOU!



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	7 <sup>th</sup> October Trinity 19 Hebrews 1:1-4,2:5-12 Mark 10:2-16	14 <sup>th</sup> October Trinity 20 Hebrews 4:12-end Mark 10:17-31	21 <sup>st</sup> October Trinity 21 Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45	28 <sup>th</sup> October Bible Sunday 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 John 5:36b-end	4 <sup>th</sup> November 4 <sup>th</sup> Before Advent Hebrews 9:11-14 Mark 12:28-34
Weston	Holy Communion 9am Tony Kidd		Morning Prayer 10am Stewart Hartley		Holy Communion 9am
Denton		Harvest Family Service 11am Stewart Hartley		Holy Communion 11am Barry Miller	
Fewston	Holy Communion 11am Michael Cleverley		Morning Prayer 11am John Charman		Holy Communion 11am
Blubberhouses	Harvest readings Psalm 126 Matthew 6:25-33	Holy Communion 11am Richard Watson			
Farnley	Harvest Festival 9.30am Stewart Hartley		Holy Communion 9.30am Tony Collins	Morning Prayer 9.30am John Charman	Family Service 9.30am
Leathley	Holy Communion 10am Barry Miller	Morning Prayer (BCP) 10am John Charman	Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Michael Cleverley	Family Service + Baptism 10am Michael Cleverley	Holy Communion 10am
Norwood	Cafe Church 2.30pm	Rev. LEONORA WASELL Holy Communion 2.30pm Circuit Service at Ben Rhydding 6pm		Rev. LESLEY TAYLOR 2.30pm	Cafe Church 2.30pm

## Harvest Time Again!

One of the great joys for an 'off comer' like me is to see nature as the seasons change. Having spent most of my 38 years of ministry in the inner city, where you really only notice the seasons by what the shops are displaying, it is so good to see the real changes that nature displays.

I have also discovered how hard and constant is the work that farming folks have to do whatever the season; how nature can be unpredictable and harsh as well as kind. So I for one, appreciate much more what has gone into providing the food on my plate!

In the flood story in Genesis God makes a promise to Noah. *"As long as the world exists, there will be a time for planting and a time for harvest. There will always be cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night."* (Genesis 8:22)

In this time of climate change and the upheavals and uncertainties in our world, my experience is that we can take great comfort in God's promise, that whatever it looks like he is in control AND he cares for each one of us as the good Father that he is.

I sincerely hope that your harvest will be good but more than that; my prayer for you is that you will trust in Him who cares.

*"Find out for yourself how good the Lord is. Happy are those who find safety with him."* (Psalm 34:8)

Every Blessing in Christ Jesus  
Stewart Hartley (Rev.)

## Many Thanks

To all who helped at Teas on The Green on August Bank Holiday Monday and to everyone who provided such a delicious selection of cakes which were greatly enjoyed by our many visitors. We made a profit of just over £640 and, in addition, are most grateful for a generous donation, all going towards the upkeep of our beautiful church.

Sandra Howarth

## Timble Chapel Harvest Thanksgiving

Although Timble Chapel is no longer holding regular preaching services, we shall still be holding 'festival' services, of which the first is a Harvest Thanksgiving on Sunday 21st October at 2.30 pm, led by Rev. Leonora Wassell. We hope many of our friends in the valley will support this service, so that the Christian presence in Timble can be continued and the chapel can maintain its historic witness stretching back to 1835.

## Nidderdale AONB's

Wild Watch project has had a great Summer – lots of wildlife surveys, training and family activities. Now the nights are drawing in we have some great evening talks lined up. Including 'All about otters' on the 16<sup>th</sup> October in Ilkley and 'Wildlife and farming in the uplands' in Pateley Bridge on the 13<sup>th</sup> November. To find out more about the project, events and what's going on in the AONB take a look at our website. [www.nidderdaleaonb.org.uk](http://www.nidderdaleaonb.org.uk)

## Poppy Update.

Calling all poppy makers for the Fewston Poppy Cascade project.

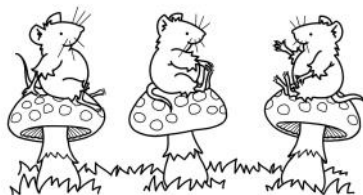
We have had a good response to earlier appeals for knitted/crochet poppies and are hopeful of more to come in. However, it would be helpful to us to have some idea of how many more can be expected. The box in Fewston church, on the back pew is filling nicely. Our intention is to have two adjoining camouflage nets and this means that we could do with knowing from all contributors how many we can expect. Some contributors have kindly filled in their details in the little book in the box but if you are one of the ones who are knitting or crocheting furiously perhaps you could let me know the numbers we can expect from you. My telephone number is 01943 465977. Or you can e-mail me on [cheribeumont@blubberhouses.net](mailto:cheribeumont@blubberhouses.net) This would be very helpful.

Elsewhere in the magazine is a notice for an event at Fewston Church on November 9th to commemorate the Armistice of 1918.

We are holding one more poppy making session at the Washburn Heritage Centre on October 18th – 2 pm – 4 pm. This will be the final push! Hope to see some of you there!

Thank you all for your contributions.

Cheri Beaumont.



## Music at Fewston

One hundred years ago on November 11<sup>th</sup> the First World War was brought to an end with the signing of the armistice between the Allied Forces and the German High Command. This momentous event will be commemorated through music and word in a concert to be held in -

Fewston Church on November 9<sup>th</sup> at 7.00pm

The Pinsuti Chamber Choir

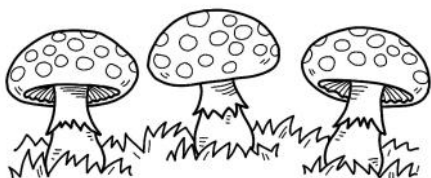
Conducted by Robert Webb

and The Washburn Valley Choir

Conducted by Alistair Wood

will present music by Parry, Faure, Vaughan-Williams and others.

Tickets £8.00 from Mrs C Beaumont 01943 465977 ; Mrs P Anderson 01943 880284; Mr J Charman 01943 466712, or at the door. Profits to Help for Heroes and Combat Stess.



## Fewston Parochial Hall

Lunches, teas and full refreshments sat 27<sup>th</sup> and sun 28<sup>th</sup> October from 11am till 430pm. All proceeds to otley zebras rugby club under 14 years.

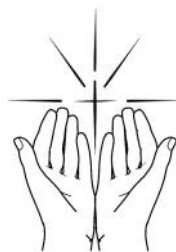
## Memorial Services

Each year at All Saints and All Souls Days we remember those who have died.

Many of our funerals in the Benefice this year have involved quite a number of families living some distance from the area.

However, we do wish to remember them. Therefore at each of our regular Sunday morning services in our churches on 4<sup>th</sup> November we shall read the names of those who have died and remember their families as part of our intercessions.

There will not be one single special memorial service this year. We hope that those families who are able to, may join us at one of the services on the morning of 4<sup>th</sup> November.



## The Robinson Library

Coffee Mornings take place on the 2nd Wednesday of every month, 10:30-12a.m.

## Discussion Group

First and third Wednesdays 10.30AM at Fewston Parochial Hall. More information from me Peter Wood on 01943 880558 and at peterwood@hotmail.com

## Last Friday Supper

There will be a Last Friday Supper on 26th October. It's £12.50 per head for a 2 course supper bring your own bottle, or we have decent wine available to buy on the night. Booking essential Please contact Paul



## Teddy Church

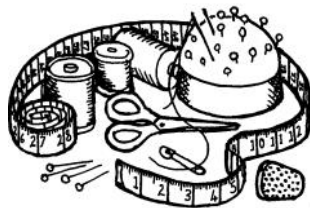
Welcomes all babies and toddlers and their favourite Teddy Bear to an informal Story, Play and Sing session at Fewston Church and Centre every 2nd Friday of every month throughout the year and we start at 10 am. Parents, Grandparents and Carers welcome. Light refreshments are provided for babies, toddlers and carers.

## Crafting, Chatting And A Cuppa!

The Robinson Library in Timble

Our connection is that we all love making things, sewing, knitting/crocheting, embroidery, patchwork etc. etc.

We would like to invite anyone in the valley who may be interested in joining us to bring their own work along or alternatively come to start to make something new, lots of advice will be available.



## Washburn Valley Choir

We meet regularly on Monday evenings at St. Oswald's, Leathley. We are always keen to take on new members and you can be assured of a warm welcome. Being able to read music is a slight advantage; we sing a mix of A Cappella and accompanied music, some Ancient, some Modern and some "In Between"?!

Anyone wanting further information, don't hesitate to ring me, Alistair Wood, on 01132843109 or e-mail [woodah@btinternet.com](mailto:woodah@btinternet.com)  
Website - [www.washburnvalleychoir.org.uk](http://www.washburnvalleychoir.org.uk)



## Farnley Rota Oct/Nov 2018

If any person is unable to manage the dates please contact Jeanette for a phone list to swap with others [jetewight@gmail.com](mailto:jetewight@gmail.com) phone or text 07767320899

<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>HARVEST FESTIVAL 7</b>	14	21	28	30
<b>CLEANING</b>	<b>Big Team Clean</b>	Dave and Ann Robinson	X	Dave and Ann Robinson	X
<b>FLOWERS</b>	<b>Dave and Ann R</b>	<b>Catriona Cleverley</b>	X	Dave and Ann R	x
<b>HEATING TURN ON</b>	David Eadon	Team	X	Richard/David	x
<b>KEYHOLDER/Welcome</b>	Richard Game	Clergy and Fran Dale	X	Mary Donovan	x
<b>COFFEE</b>	Liz Game and Sarah Ashby	Jeanette Wight	X		x
<b>CASH RECORDER</b>	Christine Eadon	Richard Game	X	David Eadon	x
<b>OCTOBER</b>	Mow - J King	Hedge - J King			x

<b>NOVEMBER</b>	2 SERVICES . AM AND PM 4	11	18	25	30
<b>CLEANING</b>	Peter and Lyn Goodwin	Peter and Lyn Goodwin	X	Joan Clayton	X
<b>FLOWERS</b>	<b>Sheila Herbert</b>	Sheila Herbert	X	Joan Clayton	X
<b>HEATING TURN ON</b>	David Eadon	David Eadon	X	Joan Clayton	X
<b>KEYHOLDER/Welcome</b>	L Goodwin	Yvonne Dale-Winder	X	Mary Donovan	X
<b>COFFEE</b>	Sarah Ashby/JW	Christine and David	X	Joan and Mary	X
<b>CASH RECORDER</b>	Richard Game	Philip Herbert	X	David Eadon	X
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	Bench - D&J Clayton			Tidy - any persons	

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## Flower Rotas

### Denton Flower Rota

Sept	2	A White
	9	S Wood
	16	"
	23	A Straume & J Crowther
	30	" "

### Leathley Flower Rota

Oct 7th and 14th	S.Howarth
Oct 21st and 28th	F Barlow

### Weston Cleaning and Flower Rota

7 <sup>th</sup> October	Stephen & Marlene Turnbull
14 <sup>th</sup> October & 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Mrs A Ainley
28 <sup>th</sup> October & 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Mrs P Senior

### Events in Weston, Askwith and Denton

- Oct 20<sup>th</sup>  
Harvest Supper in Askwith Village Hall.  
We are trying a Saturday for a change!
- Oct 27<sup>th</sup>  
Concert at Weston Church.
- Nov 17<sup>th</sup>  
Domino Evening in Askwith Village Hall.
- Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Stall at Otley Victorian Fayre.



## From the Registers

### Baptism

2<sup>nd</sup> September Isabella Lily Armitage Riley at Leathley

### Weddings

18<sup>th</sup> August Sophie Mills and Chris Fisher at Denton

25<sup>th</sup> August Janine Greenwood and Matthew Radcliffe at Denton

1<sup>st</sup> September Nikola Metcalf and James Thompson at Denton

8<sup>th</sup> September Hannah Turner and Michael Matenczuk at Denton



# Darley Christ Church Community Centre HG3 2QF

## **Art Group Tuesday 2nd October**

"Anyone can paint they just don't know it!" A new friendly Art group for people, including complete beginners, who already enjoy or would like to start painting. Tuition will be given using all mediums especially oils. The group starts on Tuesday 2nd October and then fortnightly at Darley Christ Church Community Centre from 1 pm to 3pm cost £5 per session.

For further information please telephone Steph on 07849860260

## **Christmas Wreath Workshop Tuesday 11th December**

Come along, enjoy a friendly evening making your own designer Christmas wreath. Nibbles and mulled wine included. All materials for the wreath are provided. The workshop starts at 7.30pm and costs £35. To book your place please email [angela@ehouseman.co.uk](mailto:angela@ehouseman.co.uk) or call the Booking Secretary 07807 749273.

## **Keeping Fit and Healthy at Christ Church Community Centre, Main Street, Darley.HG3 2QF**

CCCC has a huge range of weekly activities that help all ages to keep fit, healthy and mobile.

Lookout for the CCCC 2108-2019 Activity Information Sheet or visit our website at:

[www.darleyvillage.org](http://www.darleyvillage.org)

The activities include Michelle's varied aerobic, conditioning, dancing classes etc that run each day from early birds to 9.15 am. In addition there are also Pilates, Yoga, Table Tennis, Tai Chi, Karate, Dancercise and Strictly Come Darley Dancing all for adults. If you are not as mobile as you used to be come and try Seated Pilates or Dancing for Well-Being.



**Do you have books sitting on your shelves that would love a new home?**

**Please help to raise vital funds by passing them on to The Robinson Library, Timble**

**Contact Roland on 07968 697631 or email [jackie@davison.me.uk](mailto:jackie@davison.me.uk) to arrange collection.**

**Thank you**

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## The Heatwave This Summer

was a powerful reminder that our planet is not disposable! The evidence that carbon dioxide is heating the planet is seen in melting polar ice caps, rising sea levels and extreme weather. In the church September and early October is designated Creationtide, a time to reflect on God as Creator and Sustainer of all life. God loves the *world* ('cosmos') so much (John 3:16), referring to the entire universe. Do we share such love for God's world, in our care for it?

Despite the environmental crisis, God has not given up on His world. We live in a broken world where our present experience is marked by suffering: *'For the creation was subjected to frustration'* (Romans 8:20). With us, the creation groans in pain: *'We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time.'* (22). However, these are not groans of despair, as God promises the hope of a new heaven and earth for all creation: *'the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God.'* (v 21). At the end of time, God will not simply start again, but renew the created order according to His glorious eternal purpose.

What does this say to us? We cannot simply write off this world, but work with God for that day of transformation. We demonstrate the importance of this world to God by our lifestyle, by living simply and generously and not harming the environment by the wrong use of resources. What practical steps can we employ?

Our commitment must be *'to strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the earth.'* (*Five Marks of Mission*).

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MUSICAL DIRECTOR  
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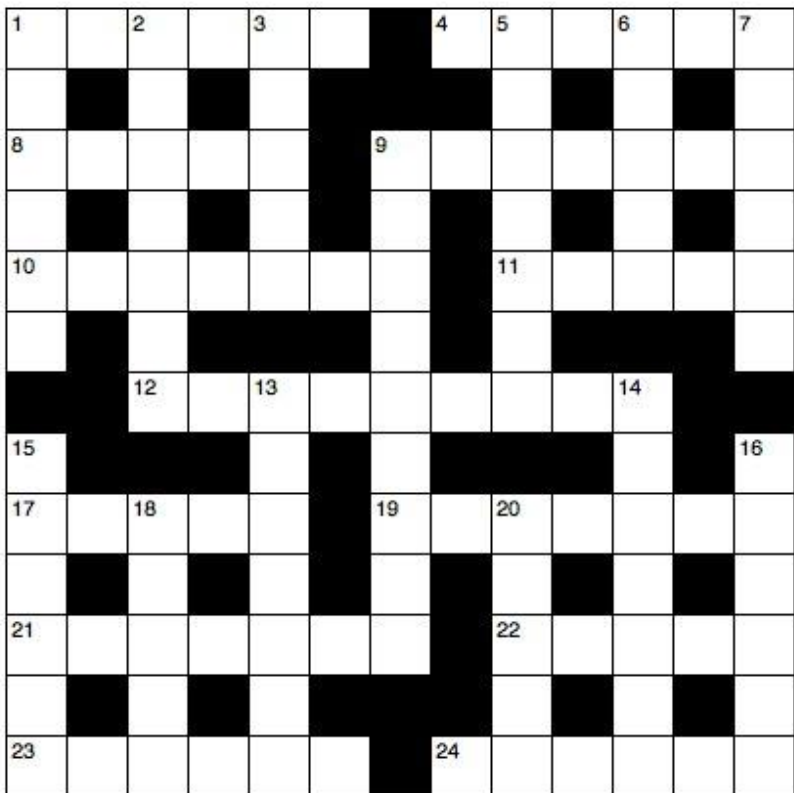
# Crossword for October 2018

## Across

- 1 Tertullus, who presented the high priest's case against Paul in his trial before Felix, was one (Acts 24:1) (6)
- 4 As balm (anag.) (6)
- 8 Having explored Canaan, he and Joshua urged the Israelites to take possession of it (Numbers 13:30) (5)
- 9 On becoming king of Judah, he had all six of his brothers killed (2 Chronicles 21:4) (7)
- 10 'Even the — has found a home, and the swallow a nest for herself' (Psalm 84:3) (7)
- 11 Banishment(Jeremiah29:1)(5)
- 12 'And now I will show you the most — way'(1Corinthians12:31) (9)
- 17 'Titus did not exploit you, did he? Did we not — the same spirit and follow the same course?' (2 Corinthians 12:18) (3,2)
- 19 Mice den(anag.)(7)
- 21 How Egypt is often described in the Old Testament: 'the land of — ' (Exodus 13:3) (7)
- 22 One of the first Levites to resettle in Jerusalem after the exile in Babylon (1 Chronicles 9:15) (5)
- 23 'As a sheep before her shearers is —,so he did not open his mouth' (Isaiah 53:7) (6)
- 24 Paul's birthplace(Acts22:3)(6)

## Down

- 1 Ravenous insect inflicted on Egypt in vast numbers as the eighth plague (Exodus 10:14) (6)
- 2 Well-being (Philippians 2:20) (7)
- 3 Small piece of live coal or wood in a dying fire (Psalm 102:3) (5)
- 5 Sportsman or woman (2 Timothy 2:5) (7)
- 6 The original name of Abraham's wife (Genesis 17:15) (5)
- 7 'So in Christ we who are many form one body, and each — belongs to all the others' (Romans 12:5) (6)
- 9 According to Peter, a wife's beauty should not come from wearing this (1 Peter 3:3) (9)
- 13 'For God did not send his Son into the world to — the world' (John 3:17) (7)
- 14 'The Lord of heaven and earth...does not live in — built by hands' (Acts 17:24) (7)
- 15 'If your hand — you to sin,cut it off'(Mark9:43)(6)
- 16 Something like these fell from Saul's eyes as soon as Ananias placed his hands on him (Acts 9:18) (6)
- 18 Track(Job41:30)(5)
- 20 Religious doctrine(5)

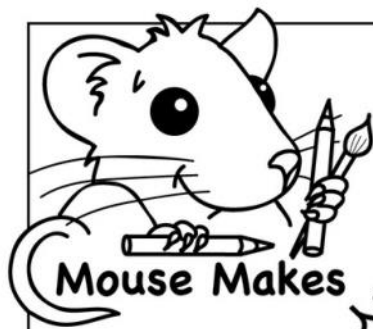


## Sudoku

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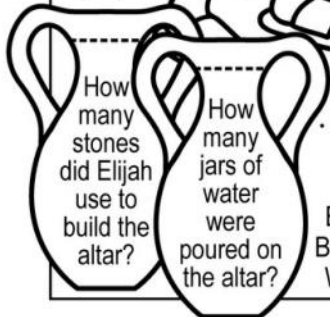
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## Mouse Makes

READ the whole story  
in 1 Kings 18:16-40



God's prophet **Elijah** built a big bonfire and had the prophets of the god **Baal** build one too. Elijah said "Call on Baal to light the fire and burn the sacrifice" ... but Baal did not answer because he was just an idol made of stone. Elijah had his bonfire drenched in water then he called on the Lord God. The fire of the Lord fell and burned up the sacrifice, the wood, the stones and the water around it. All the people saw

this and cried:

"The Lord -  
He is God!"

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E T E S T O N E S  
I S R A E L T

Can you find these words from the story in the word search?  
ELIJAH • ISRAEL • PROPHETS • BAAL • CARMEL • GOD  
BULL • WOOD • LORD • TEST • ALTAR • SHOUT • STONES  
WATER • POUR • FILL • FIRE • SKY • CONSUMED • DIRT





# Washburn Heritage Centre

[www.washburnvalley.org](http://www.washburnvalley.org)

Please visit our tea room to see the new exhibition:

**'War and the Washburn Valley'** opening on **Saturday 6 October**.

For members only we will host an exhibition **preview evening** with a glass of wine and nibbles on **4 October at 6pm** (free of charge, booking required).

Events booking is open to members from 3 September and to non-members from 17 September. Please check [www.washburnvalley.org/events](http://www.washburnvalley.org/events) for details of our events and when they take place. The events running in **October** are:

**Friday 5**, 10am to 12 noon – **Wilfred Owen trail in Ripon**, walk and talk with Ted Flexman. Tickets cost £7.50 or £6 for members.

**Wednesday 10**, 7.30 to 9pm – **Wilfred Owen war poetry** talk by Ted Flexman. £7.50 or £6 for members.

**Wednesday 17**, 10am to 4pm - **A Day with Clay workshop**. £60 or £48 for members including coffee, lunch and tea.

**Monday 22**, 8.30am to 6pm – **The National Memorial Arboretum, Staffordshire**, £30 or £24 for members including coach travel.

**Thursday 25**, 9.30am - **Blubberhouses Moor walk**, £12.50 or £10 for members including lunch.

**Tuesday 30**, 7.30pm – **'How stories create the world'**, talk by Alex Evans. £7.50 or £6 for members.

If you would like to book a place at any of the events, please contact the Centre, email: [centre@washburnvalley.org](mailto:centre@washburnvalley.org) or call: **01943 880794** (please leave a message if the office is closed). Bookings must be paid for within five days.

Our **tea room** will remain open on Saturdays and Sundays from **11.00 – 16.30** until 28 October. From 4 November the tea room will be open on Sundays only. Please drop in and sample our homemade food and legendary cakes, all prepared and served by our team of enthusiastic volunteers. As always, we welcome new members and new volunteers. If you would like to join our friendly team of volunteers please contact the Centre. We offer a variety of roles, whether you would like to serve in our tearoom or help at our many events, you will be given a warm welcome and an opportunity to meet new people.

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## Meeting Programme

10 October 2018 – Annual Meeting and Faith Support; After the formality of the annual meeting members will enjoy a Faith Supper, with all members contributing a selection of savoury and sweet dishes.

14 November 2018 – Move Freely Forever, Amanda Swallow; Get ready to stretch and bend as Amanda will guide us through easy and practical ways to supple, agile and fit!

## Meeting Reports

8 August 2018 - Rosie Schlumper, the North Yorkshire West Federation of WIs' Associated Country Women of the World representative spoke about the international meetings of ACWW, its formation and some of its small-scale, self-help seed-funding projects.

Farnley Estate WI is group of friendly ladies. Anyone interested in joining is always welcome to come along and try out one of our meetings. We meet on the second Wednesday of the month at Leathley Parish Room at 7.30pm and have a varied programme of educational, practical and inspiring talks and demonstrations. We also have a Walking Club and Book Club, which both meet each month.

For more information please contact our President Caroline Barker 01423 734412 or email [farnleyestateWI@outlook.com](mailto:farnleyestateWI@outlook.com)

Our September meeting resembled an episode of Bake Off as we watched master baker, Mike Armstrong, whizz through a super selection of recipes, give some of them time to rise, and finally allow us all the opportunity to sample his bakes. He produced Christmas stollen, a sausage plait, two versions of soda bread, Yorkshire Rascals, and parkin pigs, and they were all delicious. Assisted by two of our members his enthusiasm and passion for baking shone out and throughout the demonstration he generously shared lots of insider tips gleaned from his years of experience as a master baker. He was entertaining, funny, and most importantly, his bakes were delicious.

Also this month some of us enjoyed a visit to Ripon followed by a fascinating guided tour of Markenfield Hall. And we spent a morning selling our own delicious cakes at Otley's Buttercross, with lots of complements from enthusiastic customers.

We're a very friendly WI and always welcome visitors and new members from around the area to our meetings on the 2nd Thursday of the month, 7.30pm, at Askwith Village Hall. We have craft and walking groups and a monthly lunch club, plus our Federation offers courses, visits, and talks which we can all participate in. At our October meeting on Thursday 11th we're delighted that one of our own members, Sandra Harder, will be presenting a floral demonstration 'Glorious Autumn'. Sandra is chairman of the Yorkshire Flower Club, she's a very experienced lecturer in floristry and has staged exhibits at many prestigious events throughout the country, so the evening will be a real treat for us. If you'd like to know more about our WI please feel free to contact Andrea Ainley on 01943 462163 or Sue Appleyard on 01943 839292.

# Mid Wharfedale Parish Council

Web address. [midwharfedaleparishcouncil.btck.co.uk](http://midwharfedaleparishcouncil.btck.co.uk)

**A**n Ordinary meeting of MWPC was held at Askwith Village Hall on 23rd August 2018. All parishes were represented, along with HBC Cllr Wood the Clerk and 1 member of the public.

New councillor Robert Broderick was welcomed for the Denton parish.

The minutes from the Annual and Ordinary meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2018 were adopted.

Under matters from the previous meeting the Clerk confirmed that efforts are still being made to get a replacement councillor for Langbar. It was agreed that a third mail drop should be done to all the houses in Langbar. Clerk to action this.

Highway matters items discussed included the problems of crossing over Ben Rhydding suspension bridge. The main problem is inconsiderate drivers but it was pointed out that drivers coming off the main road have priority. Clerk to write to NYCC and BMDC regarding cutting back vegetation around the bridge area. Cllr Broderick asked if the Clerk could write to Highways asking to get the bridge side repaired on the road near Lane End Farm. This had been damaged by contractors when the road was resurfaced some time ago.

Cllr Ellis, Cllr Chivers and Cllr Shepherd had attended a Planning workshop run by HBC. A 64 page document had been sent out by HBC as a follow up to the meeting. The MWPC councillor's that attended the meeting are to compile a short summary of the workshop which will be presented to the remaining MWPC councillors.

HBC wants to send all planning consultations via email and was asking for councils to complete a survey giving their views. MWPC does not agree with this electronic system and made comment of this on the survey

Neighbourhood Project CIC. This is a voluntary organisation asking for a £100 donation. They are targeting over 50s to improve Digital Literacy and are willing to spend up to 2 hours per session with a maximum of 8 sessions to help people with internet and computers. £50 of the monies goes on publicity flyers and £50 towards volunteer expenses. It was proposed Cllr Shepherd and carried that we donate the monies under section 137 of the council budget. Clerk to ask for a follow up report on the project when sending the monies.

Cllr Oldham reported that HBC now have a Local Lotto with 60p from each ticket going to local charities and volunteer groups. HBC are having open days to enable residents to look round the council offices. There is now a bus service from Otley into the Dales. ANOB have grants available to farmers and landowners to improve areas of their countryside.

Accounts were presented and adopted and planning matters were discussed with all planning matters and decisions available on the MWPC web site.

Should any members of the public wish to contact their local councillor then this can be done with the information provided on their local parish notice board, via the MWPC web site at the above address or through the HBC web site at [www.harrogate.gov.uk/contactus](http://www.harrogate.gov.uk/contactus)

The next meeting is 22nd November 2018 at Askwith Village Hall starting at 7.45pm.

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## How much stuff do you have?

**D**o you find it really hard to throw things away? You are not alone! But the problem is so serious for some people that hoarding has now been classified as a medical disorder. The World Health Organisation (WHO) says this could benefit thousands of people, because they will finally qualify for medical help.

But lots of us like our stuff without being ill. So, what does it take to 'qualify' as a real hoarder? (About 2 to 5 per cent of us exhibit some symptoms.) WHO defines it as someone with an 'accumulation of possessions due to excessive acquisition of, or difficulty discarding possessions, regardless of their actual value.' For example, a hoarder might have a cup of tea – but then be unable to throw away the used tea bag.

Signs of a problem hoarder include: keeping items of *absolutely* no value, such as junk mail and old newspapers; struggling to organise themselves and make decisions; an over-attachment to various items; and increasing difficulty with everyday tasks.

The results can be awful: living spaces fill up with clutter that makes the proper use of the room impossible, and even dangerous. Such impairment will slowly ruin a person's personal, family, social, educational, and working life.

Anyone who is a serious, compulsive hoarder needs help. The mental health charity Mind may be useful for starters: [www.mind.org.uk](http://www.mind.org.uk)

Luke 12:15 reminds us: '...life does not consist in an abundance of possessions.'

## We all know about the sandwich generation –

**T**hose of us who are caught in between trying to support our children in buying a home, and also in supporting our parents who need social care.

But now there is a new generation – the club-sandwichers. They are those of us whose money is now going out in three directions: towards helping our parents, our children – and our grand-children.

People planning to stop work this year expect to hand over on average £360 a month to their various family members. The money will fund university fees and living costs, help children buy a home, or even just help with food.

A spokesman from Legal & General says: 'The 2018 generation of retirees have benefited to a large extent with the property boom, with stock market booms, with having final salary pension schemes. I think that parents and grandparents who have that money are feeling that they don't want to go to their grave in a gold-lined coffin, they're quite happy to help where they can.'

# All In The Month Of October

400 years ago, on 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 1618 that Sir Walter Raleigh died. This famous English explorer, writer, poet and courtier was a favorite of Queen Elizabeth I. Well known for popularising tobacco in England. Executed for treason by King James 1 (mainly to appease the Spanish).

100 years ago, on 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 1918 that British and Arab forces led by T. E. Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia) captured the Syrian capital, Damascus, from the Turks.

80 years ago, on 30<sup>th</sup> Oct 1938 that Orson Welles' famous radio adaptation *War of the Worlds* by H. G. Wells' was broadcast in the USA. It allegedly caused nationwide outrage and panic as listeners thought the events described in the broadcast were real.

75 years ago, on 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 1943 that the Burma Railway (also known as the Death Railway of WW2) was completed. The Japanese built it using Asian laborer's and Allied prisoners-of-war, thousands of whom died. (One of the railway bridges is the famous Bridge over the River Kwai.)

60 years ago, on 13<sup>th</sup> Oct 1958 that the book 'A Bear Called Paddington' by British children's writer Michael Bond, was published. It marked the debut appearance of Paddington Bear.

50 years ago, on 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 1968 that a riot took place in Derry, Northern Ireland. A Northern Ireland Civil Rights Association march went ahead despite a government ban, as it took place at the same time as the loyalist Apprentice Boys. When the activists defied the ban, they were surrounded by Royal Ulster Constabulary and beaten. More than 100 people were injured, which sparked two days of rioting. The incident marked the beginning of the Troubles.

40 years ago, on 30<sup>th</sup> Oct 1978 that the Ugandan-Tanzanian war began which would see the downfall and ousting of Ugandan President Idi Amin (in April of the following year).

30 years ago, on 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 1988 that Mikhail Gorbachev became President of the Soviet Union.

10 years ago, on 7<sup>th</sup> Oct 2008 that the Financial Crisis began with an Icelandic bank that went into receivership. Within two days other banks began collapsing – and the crisis was underway.



# Answers

God, whose love is never failing  
 Look with mercy upon me;  
 My transgressions I'm bewailing –  
 Wash my soul's iniquity!  
 Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy  
 Set my guilty spirit free!

Lord, I've sinned against You only –  
 Done what's evil in Your sight.  
 Yet great wisdom You have shown  
 me

Shown what's just and what is  
 right.

Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy  
 Make my black soul snowy white!

A pure heart create within me  
 A new spirit, steadfast, true.  
 From Your presence Holy, Kingly  
 Do not cast me forth from you!  
 Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy  
 May Your Spirit make me new!

I would teach all poor  
 transgressors

I would teach them all Your ways  
 Turning may we, true confessors  
 Daily sing Your song of praise!  
 Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy  
 Our glad song to You we raise!

Open now my lips, O Father  
 Then I can Your praises sing  
 Sacrifices? Nay! You'd rather  
 That my broken heart I bring.  
 Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy  
 God of mercy, Mighty King!

By Nigel Beeton

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