# Fískerton Parísh News May 2014

Guerrilla Knitting, Grochet and Graft Weekend

Saturday/Sunday May 17<sup>th</sup>. / 18<sup>th</sup>.

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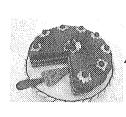












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If you are a knitter, do come and help with the blankets.

This is part of the West Lindsey Open Churches weekend



#### VICAR'S BLOG: **MAY 2014**

I became a Christian at the age of 17. Sometimes people are quite surprised when I say that, because they assume that I was brought up as a 'church' person. In fact, up to the age of 17, I had rarely been in church other than for the odd wedding. However, someone was brave enough to share their Christian faith with me and after going to church a couple of times and reading some things and talking to other Christians I became convinced, or convicted that God is real and that following Jesus was the way to live my life. Of course there are ups and downs in faith but since that time I have been very aware that my faith is the core of who I am. Sometimes faith throws difficult questions at us, and there are things that I still struggle with and find hard to make sense of - but living as a person of faith is about living with the questions of life, as well as the answers. If we had all the answers then faith wouldn't be required!

As I write this, we are about to move into Holy Week, and again dwell on the death of Jesus on the cross and on into the celebration of the resurrection on Easter Sunday. I guess that for some people this is an irrelevance or even a downright lie, for others it's a puzzle and for others it is life-changing. It does pose questions though doesn't it? This event seems to have cut history in two, billions of people have come to believe it, people testify to life changing experiences when they have come to accept Jesus as their Lord-I often wonder what it is that causes us to react so differently, what causes us to reject faith and what causes us to accept it. I suppose we have that demonstrated to us by the disciples - there was a myriad of different reactions to Jesus in the run up to the cross - Peter denied, Judas betrayed, Thomas questioned, John stood at the foot of the cross alongside Mary - I have no doubt as well that as Jesus was being led to the cross, others were just going about their daily business thinking that this was just another Roman crucifixion. The thing is that 'just another crucifixion' isn't what it was - 2000 years later, no other crucifixion has had such a profound impact in history and posed so many questions.

Every Blessing, Penny

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01526 398316

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Mrs M Gibson, 14 Ferryside Gardens

01522 752117

Benefice Website:

www.southlawresbenefice.org.uk



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4pm. St. Clement's Church

All parents and children are very welcome



Village Funeral: We remember in our prayers the family of Mr Barry Beeby who has died. His funeral took place at St. Clement's Church on April 3<sup>rd</sup>. This was followed by committal at Lincoln Crematorium.

#### SERVCES for the South Lawres Benefice MAY 2014

4<sup>th</sup>. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Sunday of Easter

8am Morning Worship at Cherry Willingham

11am Holy Communion at Greetwell

2pm Memorial Book Service at Fiskerton – ALL WELCOME

4pm Messy Church at Reepham

11th. 4th. Sunday of Easter

9.15am Morning Worship at Fiskerton9.15am Holy Communion at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

4pm Family Worship at Cherry Willingham

18th. 5th. Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

9.15am Holy Communion at Fiskerton9.15am Family Service at Reepham

10.45am Morning Worship at Cherry Willingham

6.30pm Compline at Cherry Willingham

25th. 6th. Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

9.15am Holy Communion at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

4pm Messy Church at Fiskerton

Holy Communion will be held at Cherry Willingham Church at 9.30am on Wed. May 14<sup>th</sup>. & 28<sup>th</sup>.

#### Service Rota for May:

May	Sidesman	Reader	Intercessions	Cleaning	Flowers
4 <sup>th</sup> .	Lynda Forman	Memorial	Book	Maureen Broad	M. Dunkling
11 <sup>th</sup> .	Carol Proctor	Sandy Massey Acts 2: 14a,36-41	Annette Townsend Hall Lane		M Dunkling
18 <sup>th</sup> .	Gill Walkinton	Paul Forman Acts 7: 55 - end	CLERGY Moor Lane	Carol Proctor & Sandy Massey	A Townsend
25 <sup>th</sup> .		MESSY	CHURCH		A Townsend
June 1 <sup>st</sup> .		Lynda Forman	CLERGY	Annette Townsend & Jean Lunn	L Forman

**Thanks:** To the W.I for their donation of £20 towards the cost of printing the Newsletter.

#### 'Friend's of St. Clement's Lottery:

**April** Draw Winners:

£25 No 26: Mrs S Bradley

£10 No 5: Mrs A Thompson

£5 No 40: Mrs M Broad

£5 No 12: Wendy Watson

#### Thursford Christmas Spectacular

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2014
Coach will leave Fiskerton at 8 30am
Pick ups in Reepham and Cherry Willingham.
Coach and ticket for Show: £42.50

To book a place or for more details ring Mary

01522 595291 or 07881446328

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# Guerrilla Knitting, Trochet and Traft Weekend

## Life In and Around a Country Village'

Come along and display your Knitted, Crocheted or Craft Items in St. Clement's Church anytime between 2pm & 7pm on Friday May 16th.

How you do this is up to you and we are happy for you to be as creative as you like with your presentation. We will provide the display space, but please bring with you whatever else you need to set up your work.

Unlike proper guerrilla knitters/crafters, we do not wish your wonderful work to be anonymous so please include a card with your name, for display.

#### Removal of Items:

Please come and reclaim your work between **4.15 and 5pm on Sunday May 18<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you.

Many of you have been knitting squares for the knee blankets which will be given to local charities.

We would like you to bring those along between 11am and 4.30pm on Saturday May 17<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to stay and help in the sewing up of the squares, or come back for a while on Sunday to help we would be very grateful.

#### CHURCH OPENING

From 6<sup>th</sup> May, St Clement's Church will be open every Tuesday from 10am to 12noon.

Unfortunately, at this time, it isn't possible to leave the Church unlocked all the time, so we thank all the Volunteers who are making this happen.

The Church is part of our Village and we hope you'll use it for a visit, quiet time or a cup of coffee.

We hope you'll find something there for you.

During the summer months we will still hold our usual Coffee Mornings every fortnight.

#### **COFFEE MORNINGS**

Summer Coffee mornings at St. Clement's Church will begin again on **Tuesday June 3<sup>rd</sup>**.

from 10am -11.30am.

Dates for June and July are:-June 3<sup>rd</sup>. 17<sup>th</sup>. July 1<sup>st</sup>. 15<sup>th</sup>. 29<sup>th</sup>. Tea/ Coffee CAKE Book exchange and Raffle

It would be great to see you there.



<u>NEWSLETTER INFORMATION</u>: If you wish to place items in **Fiskerton Newsletter**, they MUST be with the editor before 19<sup>th</sup>. of the month. Items can be handed in at Wishing Well Stores, or they can be posted to Mrs L.Forman, 'Applegarth', Ferry Rd. Fiskerton, Lincoln LN3 4HU TEL: 01526 398316. You can also e-mail items to <u>fiskertonnews@btinternet.com</u>

#### What's On in May:

## In The Village......

#### THE LUNCH POT

Join us for a two course lunch. It will only cost you £3. 00 each. The dates for May are Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>. & 27<sup>th</sup>. For more details ring Mary on 595291.

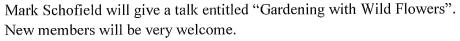




The next meeting of Fiskerton WI will take place on **Thursday May 8<sup>th</sup>**. starting at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. This will be Chris Jones with an evening of music New members will be made most welcome.

#### Fiskerton Gardening Club:

The next meeting will take place on **Monday May 12<sup>th</sup>**. in the Village Hall, starting at 7.30pm.





VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS FOR MAY:

Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> .	Vill. Hall Comm.	7.30pm – 9.30pm	
Monday	12 <sup>th</sup> .	Gardening Club	7.30pm – 9.30pm	
Monday	19 <sup>th</sup> .	Parish Council	7.30pm – 9.30pm	
Tuesday	13 <sup>th</sup> . 27 <sup>th</sup> .	Lunch Pot	10am – 2pm	
Wednesda	y 7 <sup>th</sup> .	Private Hire	8am — 1.30pm	
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> . 14 <sup>th</sup> . 21 <sup>st</sup> . 28 <sup>th</sup> .		Dance Classes	2pm - 2.30pm & 5pm - 7pm	
Thursday	1 <sup>st</sup> . 8 <sup>th</sup> . 15 <sup>th</sup> . 22 <sup>nd</sup> . 29 <sup>th</sup> .	Aerobics	9.30am – 10.30am	
Thursday	8 <sup>th</sup> .	WI	7.30 pm - 9.30 pm	
Thursday	$22^{\mathrm{nd}}$ .	Elections	6.30am – 10.15pm	
Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> . 9 <sup>th</sup> . 16 <sup>th</sup> . 23 <sup>rd</sup> . 30 <sup>th</sup> .	Bingo/Socials	7.30pm – midnight	
Saturday	3 <sup>rd</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> , 24 <sup>th</sup> , 31 <sup>st</sup> ,	Weight Watchers	9.15am – 11.45am	
Saturday	3 <sup>rd</sup> .	Private Party	9.15am – 11.45am	
Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> . 11 <sup>th</sup> . 18 <sup>th</sup> . 25 <sup>th</sup> .	Social Evenings	7.30pm – midnight	
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup> .	Causeway Projects	2pm – 5pm	
Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> . 18 <sup>th</sup> .	The Vine	11am – 1pm	
Sunday	25 <sup>th</sup> .	Private Party	2.30 pm - 5.30 pm	

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To make a booking or check availability please contact Booking Secretary Jenny Hayes on 07510281232

#### **MOBILE LIBRARY:**

Please note the date and time for the Mobile Library van.

It will be at the Village Hall on Wednesday May 28th. from 3.45pm - 4.15pm.

There will be one visit to Fiskerton per month.

#### PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Please be advised that these are notes of the meeting taken by the Clerk and cannot in any way be regarded as the official minutes of Council proceedings until they are approved and signed at the next meeting. Official minutes are available at http://www.fiskerton-lincs.org.uk/html/meetings minutes.html

#### PARISH COUNCIL/ANNUAL PARISH MEETING – 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

- Parish Councillors adopted approved Financial Regulations
- Veolia ES (UK) has been awarded the grounds maintenance contract for 2014/15
- Wooden benches have been installed in the teen shelter. A complaint had been officially made about the noise and bad language coming from teenagers; this matter has been passed to the police so that they can monitor the situation
- Lark Energy is hoping to survey the village hall for the possibility of installing solar panels on the roof; it is hoped that they will be able to assist with other village projects
- > The owners of the Tyrwhitt Arms have kindly given up some of their land so that a footpath can be provided for the residents from the pub to the bus stop at Short Ferry
- Parish Councillors gave their support to the Witham Valley Access Project; it is hoped that more footpaths will be provided in and around Fiskerton, Reepham and Cherry Willingham
- LCC Area Highways Officer Alan Brown is to attend the next Parish Council meeting to address the ongoing state of the highways
- > Planning permission has been given for alterations to public house, comprising new roof over rear section and rear extension to the Tyrwhitt Arms, Short Ferry
- District Councillor Darcel and County Councillor Fleetwood reported on plans for a turbine farm at Nocton
- A resident had raised concerns about falling branches in the play area, Councillors have looked at the area and it was felt the branches had been dropped by birds. Guidance has been taken and the trees are to be monitored and are now included in the monthly play area inspections
- Date of Next Meeting: 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2014 in the village hall Annual General Meeting at 7.30 p.m.



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#### Sunday Services - May

All services are family and youth-friendly with a vibrant children's programme (Kidzone). Coffee and cake served from 10.45am

11am at Fiskerton Village Hall

May 11th 11am at Reepham & Cherry Village Hall with guest speaker

May 18th 11am at Fiskerton Village Hall

May 25th NO SERVICE

June 1st 11am at Fiskerton Village Hall - BACON BUTTY SPECIAL

#### The Third Thursday Book Club

For women who love to read a good book and talk about it with friends. We read a wide variety of good books. A different one each month. Copies available for you.

7.30pm Thursday May 8th.

For further details contact Veronica: 01522 872011

The Vine Church is linked to a children's home and a home for abandoned babies in Kenya, through regular support and short-term work as volunteers in the homes; there is a range of opportunities to get involved in this important work

The Mix for 11-17 year-olds Friday Nights 7pm Lots of different activities Tel 876996 for details

For other church activities, www.thevinecommunitychurch.org.uk (01522) 872011 (Church Office) The Vine

Community Church Reg. Charity 1142056 is part of the Ground Level Network of Churches

Connect groups for all ages, providing a social setting for you to connect with people, understand the Bible and grow in faith

Adults: Tues 8pm, Cherry Willingham, Wed 8pm, Fiskerton Souled Out – after school on Mondays 3.30-4.30pm - hot dogs, games, life and faith for 11-14 year-olds

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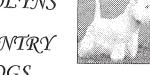
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## Chris Darcel, WLDC Councillor for Fiskerton and Langworth, 3 Holmfield, Fiskerton LN3 4GD, tel 01522 750411, or email chris.darcel1@gmail.com

Going paper free! The District Council seems to be making good progress in making all of its on line services computer or smart phone friendly. As a near 70 year old I am not so enthusiastic but having been to America recently, where the whole population seems to live, travel and almost eat on their smart phones we will not be far behind. So we had better get used to the idea.

I am assured WLDC will keep old fashioned backup support for those who are not so familiar with IT or who just cannot use the computer and they are building up a team of helpers to help you and me through the change. If you feel you would like me to organise some hand holding sessions in the village hall, please let me know and also I would like your ideas on how we could make the service easy and available to all members of our community.

Having now purchased a large smart phone – I can see the figures without needing my specs, telephone numbers and my calendar are easy and I can write letters in Word and use spreadsheets with ease. BUT there are some things on which I would much rather speak to a person rather than just typing in a "text". Providing WLDC does keep a backup support team for such situations I can see there are lots of ways in which we will be better off. Apparently our "helpers" report there are lots of 80 year olds who are catching the bug and as the aps get better more will get fun from joining in. Meals on wheels might be one such service and assisted shopping might take on a new dimension. The mobile library service might be better able to meet public needs if readers could easily put in a request for the books they require... the possibilities are endless.

The Holmfield Estate. At the last Parish Council meeting Cllr Howard suggested the residents consider forming a Residents' Association. Would anyone be interested in launching such a project? There is plenty of information on the Web on the steps to take and there could be all sorts of issues arising on the estate where an association could carry more weight than a few individuals raising their concerns. One of my major worries is the disputed ownership of the two open spaces on Holmfield and the potential problems this could bring to neighbours of the two parcels of land. It does need sorting out: a Residents' Association might be able to precipitate some action. Another resident is concerned about children racing about at high speed on bikes and scooters. They are not only a danger to themselves but should they hit a car who would pay for the damage and what would the driver feel like to be victim of such an accident. The fence should between Nos 23 and 27 should be sorted out by the Parish Council this autumn but perhaps with a Residents' Association a year might have been taken out of the time line. If anyone is interested I will be pleased to help launch the project but the organisation should be independent and under its own management.

The Neighbourhood Plan. The date has changed. The new date is Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June. I am sorry for the delay in that I like things to go as planned but on the other hand a short holiday on the south coast has emphasised to me just how important a neighbourhood plan is for small villages like ours. From West Sussex, through Hampshire and in East Dorset small communities are fighting large tranches of housing being imposed on them without any thought of how the supporting infrastructure will be provided. It is not just on the south coast. Louth is likely to get an extra 900 homes, Scotter 450 and goodness knows how many are in the pipeline for Fiskerton Langworth and Cherry Willingham and round Lincoln. New homes require new jobs, new schools, hospital beds and more police officers, more town hall staff, more play parks, roads and libraries. Where will the jobs come from and who will pay for the infrastructure? The existing council tax payers of course. The country does need more houses, for all sorts of reasons, but I would rather see well thought out new garden cities with the developer paying for the required infrastructure or much smaller developments that don't overload the existing services. How can Louth cater for an extra 900 homes unless the schools and other facilities are built in with the project?

The youth shelter, litter and vandalism- I am at a loss as to what to say. Even more glass has now been broken from the inside!

While I can understand the frustration of our youngsters in not having the original glass repaired in the four months since the village hall and shelter were vandalised at Christmas, it is no excuse for the emptying of rubbish bins behind the shelter or breaking of further panes of glass. I would be surprised if the original teenagers are responsible but it does lead into another problem. I know all sorts of youngsters from all sorts of backgrounds get up to and do silly things from time to time but this latest twist is a worry. I am worried about what comes next. A few years ago there was a spate of vandalism in the village. Glass in the phone box was repeatedly broken, houses and cars were covered in graffiti and worse. Hopefully we can avoid this happening again and if anyone knows who the miscreants are perhaps they might have a quiet word with our Police Support Officer or the parents. It might help stop things getting worse.

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#### PATIENT PARTICIPATION CORNER

#### From Our Chair Pam (Nettleham & CW PPG)

I was nervous on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> April when I caught a train to King's Cross in London. I had been invited by the Royal College of General Practitioners (RCGP) to attend a Parliamentary Reception in the Houses of Parliament. The reason for this meeting was to launch an awareness raising initiative to the Government for greater resources for our Surgeries. The Campaign is called 'Put Patients First – back general practice'. There were several speakers from the RCGP and from the National Association for Patient Participation. The main speaker was Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Earl Howe who seemed well informed about the reduction of GP practice budgets.

Earl Howe then opened a question time where one of our own GP's, Dr Williams, asked how surgeries can be expected to open for longer hours and at weekends when there aren't enough GPs nationally to staff Monday to Friday effectively. The general feeling I had was one of GP's wanting to protect the 'care' they provide to their patients and improve provision in our surgeries at Nettleham and Cherry Willingham. I did speak with Earl Howe and found that he was very understanding of the difficulties faced by rural Practices and their patients. Our own MP, Edward Leigh, did attend for a part of the meeting between other engagements. We hope to be able to meet up with him in due course. You can find out more about the campaign, and sign up for updates at: http://www.rcgp.org.uk/campaign

On a sad note, I have just been informed by our Voluntary Drivers Scheme Co-Ordinator, of the very sudden death of Ian Smith, one of our valued drivers. Many patients will remember being transported from their homes to either Nettleham or Cherry Willingham surgeries by Ian, who was a courteous, kind and helpful gentleman and we shall all miss him.

We are producing a leaflet about the Patient Participation Group which should be available at both sites very soon – please take a copy and have a read. We are also considering introducing a 'Get Well Corner' for children – more information in the newsletter at a later date.

We are here for patients, we are patients ourselves, please feel free to contact us if you have specific issues you wish to raise.

#### MONTHLY EARLY CLOSURES FOR TRAINING 2014

In order to enable our doctors and staff to be kept up to date Nettleham surgery will be closed for training at 1pm on the following afternoons. Emergency help is still available by calling 111.

Tuesday 20th May

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July

#### CONTACT DETAILS

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When the surgery is closed please ring Freephone 111

WEBSITE - www.nettlehammedical.co.uk

PRACTICE MANAGER – HELEN LUNN

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#### Limewoods in May:-

Dawn Chorus: Saturday May 17th. 6.30am – 9am Chambers Farm Wood

Early Morning Walk to Listen for birds, followed by bacon butties and a hot drink.

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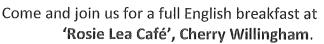
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### LADIES BREAKFAST SATURDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MAY 2014





We are meeting at **8.45am for 9.00am** and after enjoying our breakfast, we will listen to our speaker – Janice Duke – **all for £5.20**.

Ladies going from Fiskerton can provide you with a lift so book your place by ringing Jan 01522 753432 or Ann 01522 800209.



#### Charity Coffee Morning at Cherry Willingham Church Hall

from 10am - 11.30am on Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup>.

Come along for delicious coffee and cake and meet up with friends.

There will be a Traidcraft Stall for groceries and cards

#### <u>Men2gether</u> <u>A lot more than just a Men's Breakfast</u>

Interested in Friendship, good food, good conversation and a warm welcome?

Come and join us for our next breakfast, which is on **Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May**Where? **Rosie Lea Café**, The Parade, Cherry Willingham.

Time? **8.30am for 8.45 start**; Finish approx.9.45am

After breakfast, usually a Christian speaker will share a lifetime experience.

Cost- normally £5.20 payable when you arrive.

To book a place, or places, please email Neil French, neiljan@btinternet.com, or telephone 01522753432 by the preceding Wednesday

#### **Cherry Willingham Community School:**

Mathematics Challenge hosted by Cherry Willingham Community School: The school had entries from local primary schools in Lincolnshire. Well done to Reepham Primary school who were the overall winners.

BTEC Art: The students visited the British Museum to complete research and drawings related to labyrinths for their next assignment.

**English and Drama Workshop:** Local play-write and poet, Steven Caute is in the school to lead Year 8 students in a literacy workshop. Over five visits Steven will be bringing his experience to the school to motivate and inspire students.

**Physical Education Conference**: The school hosted a meeting for teachers from over 40 schools and other organisations. Those in attendance discussed the challenges in encouraging people to get involved in sport within Lincolnshire and also the present and future aims of the physical education national curriculum. **Celebrating Volunteering**: The school hosted the 'Celebrate Volunteering in Our Village' event on Saturday 29 March 2014. The event was held in partnership with the school, the Parish Council and the local Community Partnership.

**Memories and anecdotes needed**: Remember to collect and write up your own memories of your time at the school ready for our 50<sup>th</sup> year celebrations.

Rachel Coxon (Teaching Assistant)

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\* Group meets at Cherry Willingham Children's Centre on
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