Church News

Visit by the Archdeacon of Loughborough



If you don't know what an Archdeacon is, you have a chance to find out this month. The Archdeacon of Loughborough, Revd David Newman will be taking part in the Ash Wednesday 7.30pm evening service at Leire.

The Archdeacon will also be presiding at the Ashby Parva Service of Holy Communion at 11am on Sunday 14th February which will be followed by refreshments in Ashby Parva Village Hall.

Discovery Group

Discovery is for anyone of any age who wants to explore the Christian faith including those who want to be confirmed. There will be a meeting at St Anne's Chapel in the Almshouses Square, Frolesworth at 7.30pm on Sunday 28th February for anyone interested in attending a Discovery Group.



Lent 2016 – Details of Lent Events will be posted on the Website and advertised in our Churches

February Flower Rota - 31st Jan & 7th Feb - Emma Jordan

February Cleaning Rota

1st - June Clayton 8th - Jean Williamson 15th - Lesley Chapman 22nd - Christine Burley

RECTOR: Revd Carol Brennand, Tel 01455 208878 email: carolbrennand@btinternet.com (Day off – Monday)

READER: Ann Ling, Tel 01455 209541

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Village News

February 2016

Christmas in St Peter's supporting the Open Hands Chairty



This was a wonderful time and huge thanks go to all who cleaned and decorated the church to make it look so welcoming, and to Anne, Mike and Revd Carol for making our services so special. The children made a lovely contribution to the Nativity story and the Christmas

Eve Songs of Praise was well attended as always. £150.00 was donated to Open Hands in Leicester from this service.

Carol Singing Around the Village supporting Rainbows

This was an enjoyable and memorable event for all those who attended and was made even more memorable by singing to the firemen in uniform! A special thank you to Helen Bennett and June Clayton for providing an amazing tasty array of refreshments and great hospitality which



was much needed and appreciated after all the singing. Thanks also go to all who sang, tin rattled, listened and donated so generously. A grand total of £200.00 was raised which has been donated to Rainbows Hospice for Children and Young People.

Any announcements, notices or village related items for the newsletter should be submitted to Lesley Chapman by the 13th of the month Tel 209972 or email: lesleychapman@ashbyparva.net

Village Contacts

<u>Village Hall</u> – Ann Lindsay 209148 <u>Bookings</u> – Rachel Bailey 209525 <u>Parish Chair</u> – Tim Ottevanger 209410 <u>Neighbourhood Watch</u> - Byron Richards 202659 & Jo Brown 208079

Church Services

Sunday 7th February - Next before Lent

| 8.00am | St Peter's | Claybrooke | Holy Communion |
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| 9.30am | All Saints | Dunton Bassett | Holy Communion |
| 10.00am | St Anne's | Frolesworth | New Morning |
| 11.15am | St Peter's | Leire | Holy Communion |
| 4.30pm | St Peter's | Ashby Parva | Evensong |

Sunday 14th February - Lent 1

| 8.30am | St Mary's | Wibtoft | Holy Communion | |
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| 11.00am | St Peter's | Ashby Parva | Holy Communion | |

Sunday 21st February - Lent 2

| 8.00am | St Anne's | Frolesworth | Holy Communion |
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| 9.30am | All Saints | Dunton Bassett | New Morning HC |
| 10.00am | St Peter's | Ashby Parva | Sing Sunday |
| 10.00am | St Peter's | Claybrooke | Morning Service |
| 11.15am | St Peter's | Leire | Holy Communion |
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Sunday 28th February - Lent 3

| Holy Communion |
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| Quiet Prayer |
| Holy Communion |
| Evensong |
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Services for Mothering Sunday on 6th March will be advised in next month's Newsletter

Midweek Services

| 9.00am Every Tuesday | St Anne's, Frolesworth | Morning Prayer |
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| 10.00am Wed 3rd Feb | St Anne's, Frolesworth | Holy Communion |



Holy Communion Services Ash Wednesday – 10th February

10.00am at All Saints, Dunton Bassett 7.30pm at St Peter's, Leire

10.00am Wed 17th Feb 10.00am Wed 2nd Mar St Anne's, Frolesworth St Anne's, Frolesworth

Matins

Holy Communion



Ash Wednesday Frugal Lunch 12noon – 2pm 10th February 2016 at 8 Main Street, Frolesworth Join David and Joan Beeson for a bowl of homemade soup, a roll and an apple. Proceeds to Embrace the Middle East to support its work with vulnerable children in Bethlehem. £3.00 per person (no need to book)

Events Around the Villages

| Fri 29th Jan | 7.30pm | Quiz Night in Claybrooke Village Hall. Book with Christine at Claybrooke School 209238. £6.50 including food. Bring your own drinks & glasses |
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| Mon 1st Feb | 7.30pm | Whist Drive in Frolesworth Village Hall |
| Mon 1st Feb | 7.30pm | WI in Leire Village Hall: Breadmaking Demo with Annaliese Jacques |
| Mon 8th Feb | 12-3pm | Knit & Natter in Ullesthorpe Congregational Church |
| Tues 9th Feb | 10-noon | Coffee Morning in Frolesworth Village Hall |
| Tues 9th Feb | 7.30pm | WI in Dunton Bassett Village Hall: Designer Tea Lady including Tea Tasting with Anna Strasinska |
| Tues 9th Feb | 7.50pm | At Claybrooke School Hall: Motoring Attire 1890-1960 with Philip Warren. Entry £4 |
| Thurs 11th Feb | 2pm | WI in Ullesthorpe Village Hall: Local Windmills with Dr Susan Tebby |
| Tues 16th Feb | 2.30pm | Mothers' Union: Formidable Ladies with Rev Sharon Constable in Ullesthorpe Congregational Church |
| Fri 19th Feb | 7.30pm | Vintage Films inc local footage with Rob Foxon in Claybrooke Village Hall. Tkts £5 from Brian 209336 |
| Sat 20th Feb | 10-noon | Ullesthorpe Congregational Church Coffee Morning |
| Thurs 25th Feb | 10-noon | Coffee Morning in Claybrooke Village Hall |
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Weekly Events

Every Thursday 10am-noon Mums & Tots Group in Claybrooke Village Hall
For Children - Every Friday at 6pm Pilots and 7.30pm Flat Mates
in Ullesthorpe Congregational Church
Every Friday - Leire Tuck Shop - 3-4.30pm in the Village Hall



Women's World Day of Prayer – Fri 4th March
All Saints, Dunton Bassett at 10am
Ullesthorpe Congregational Church at 7pm

