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November 2022

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St. Mary's Church
Newchurch in Pendle BB12 9JR

Vicar's Thoughts

November is the month in the church's year for Remembrance and new beginnings.

At the beginning of the month, we celebrate All Saints Day and All Souls Day.

On the 11th (and the Sunday nearest) we remember those who have died in conflict and those who are still affected by conflict, then at the end of the month (27th November) we celebrate Advent Sunday the beginning of a new church year.

Please use the below resources as you see fit.

Prayer of Remembrance

We remember with thanksgiving and sorrow those whose lives, in world wars and conflicts past and present, have been taken away.

For the people who love them in death as in life
For all members of the armed forces who are in danger this day,
remembering family, friends
and all who pray for their safe return.

We pray for the wounded and the disturbed,
the grieving and the homeless,
and for all who suffer due to war and conflict.

For women, and children and men
whose lives are disfigured by war and violence.

For peacemakers and peace-keepers, who
seek to keep this world secure and safe.

For those known to us who need Jesus now.....

God of truth and justice
hear our prayers for all who strive for peace,
and all who yearn for justice.

Help us, who today remember the cost of war,
to work for a better tomorrow;
and as we honour the past,
may we put our faith in your future. Amen.

Posted on the Third Space website. <http://third-space.org.uk/blog>

Call to Worship for Advent

(inspired by Matthew 3:1-12, Mark 1:3, Isaiah 40:3)



We come to prepare the way;
The way for Christ
the hope of Christ, the peace of Christ
to enter our world
to enter our hearts.

We cry out together in the wilderness:
The kingdom of heaven has come near.
We come to be part of the light
the light that shines in the darkness.

Written by Joanna Harader, and posted on Spacious Faith. <http://spaciousfaith.com/>

God Bless

Rev'd Julie



Barley Parish Council

The Barley Remembrance Service will commence at 1055Hrs on Sunday 13 November on the Turning Area, all are welcome and refreshments will be served in the Chapel afterwards.



A new macadam surface on the lower car park was completed in October by a local company called The Asphalt Works. The scheme also included the laying of kerbs and drains and should make using the car park a more attractive option to visitors. Along with the village green drainage and footway improvements, this brings to a conclusion two of the largest projects the Parish Council has undertaken.



The Council has also worked with Pendle BC to replace three older benches on the village green with modern looking hardwood benches with new concrete hardstands. There was joint funding plus a cost contribution from a family that wanted a remembrance plaque.

The Council think they look fine and we hope you do.

The road lines around Barley were introduced using a temporary regulation order related to covid legislation a couple of years ago. The traffic order is currently being converted to a permanent regulation order and you might have seen notices around the village on lighting columns etc. The notices invited comments but we know that no objections were raised and so the permanent order should be confirmed soon.

The drainage and footway improvements on Heys Lane have been completed making it more pleasant walk without the need for bog dodging.

Some walls have also been rebuilt, mainly by volunteers. The route has not been improved in all areas and there are still some wet areas and the lane remains mainly inaccessible to all but four wheel vehicles with high ground clearance.

Most will be pleased I think, but the work had to be done to prevent further deterioration of the lane which the County Council has to maintain as a bye-way.



Other activities you will see over the coming months, some trees are being trimmed and a couple removed on the Pendle Inn site and United Utilities are planning major de-silting works around the Lower Ogden reservoir and we are awaiting dates to be confirmed.

Finally, please be aware that there is a major fell race being held on 19 November in Barley and so you can expect a lot of runners to be around from 1000Hrs.



What's On

Barley WI

The Barley Women's Institute meet on the first Wednesday of the month at the Village Hall. In February we had a great evening in the company of Malkin Morris Dancers and in March we have a demonstration on Felting. Each month is very different. We have a great age span from 20 somethings to 80 somethings so ladies please come along and spend an evening with us and try before you buy.



Barley Village Hall

Barley Village Hall is open for hire! If you ever want to book the hall for a social event such as birthdays, christenings, weddings or various occasions then please feel free to email us.

We have various rooms to book and a kitchen to use if required.

The hall is the heart of the community. We will be investing in the hall over the coming year. If you would like to help out or join our committee then please let us know.

You can contact us by emailing barleyvillagehall@gmail.com



Pendle Patchers

As autumn proceeds, the amount of Christmas fabric at Patchers group increases. There are advent calendars, Christmas table runners, knitted mother Christmas and other imaginative and original items being produced. Some of us need to start these projects in the spring to get them completed by December, but then again, there's always another Christmas round the corner. The group will be having a pre-Christmas celebration in November in the form of an excellent afternoon tea prepared by the Cabin, which will undoubtedly improve our skills during the afternoon. As always, if anyone wants to drop in to meet us and have a brew, you will be very welcome. Meetings November are on Tuesdays 8th and 22nd in Barley Village Hall from 1.00pm.



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CARD MAKING CLASS

First and Third Monday of each month

Barley Village Hall

1pm – 3pm

For details contact Valerie

Tel 01282 691850

Pendle Forest History Group

Wednesday 16th November 2022

7.30pm at Barley Village Hall.

Business meeting and items of interest.

Members £2.00, Visitors £3.00.

Email: pendleforesthistory@gmail.com

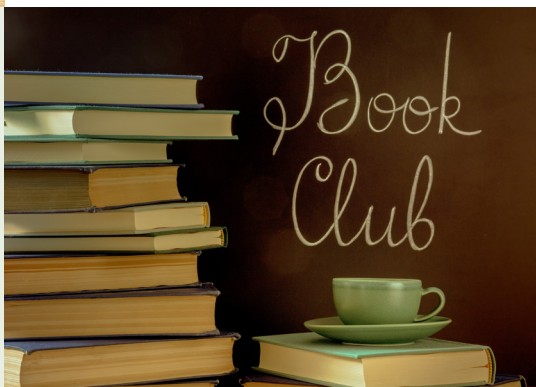


UP! Book Club

Up! Book Club is meeting on Wednesday 30th of November at 7pm for their festive meal; if you're interested in coming along please get in touch by the 15th November.

Currently Reading : "A Country Escape" by Katie Fforde

Contact : joanne@underpendle.com



COFFEE AND CHAT

Second Wednesday of each month

Barley Village Hall

10am – 12 noon

All welcome, not just the old folk

£2 gets coffee (or tea) and cake!

Barley Chapel Remembrance Service

Meet at Barley chapel 10-30 am

Then a walk down to bus turnaround for short remembrance service.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let Us Forget

FOG Club

Thursday evenings
6:30 to 7:45
Barley Chapel

RING Angela Hargreaves
07967 121031
for more information



Pendle's Night Sky

10th November – Barley Village Hall

Join us for an exciting talk by Lee Hunt where he'll take you on a journey through the night skies of Pendle, from our planetary neighbours to distant galaxies.

Find out what can be seen with the naked eye and basic equipment.

To book a place(s) please follow the link:
<https://www.trybooking.co.uk/BXGC>
or email
lee@thestarsmith.com

Roughlee Village Centre – Dates for 2022

Sat 19th November
Fri 2 December
Sat 17 December

Witch Wines
Dickensian Christmas Fayre
Roughlee Christmas Boogie

Full details will be advertised at www.roughlee.org.uk

Don't forget! RVC is available for hire to private events at very reasonable prices. See the website for further details or call Gail on 01282 696997.



DICKENS CHRISTMAS NIGHT FAYRE

FRI 2nd DEC, 3-8pm



SANTA'S GROTTO

Santa on his sleigh arrives 5pm

CHRISTMAS TREE FOREST & WREATHS

CRAFT & ARTISAN FOOD STALLS

CHILDREN'S RIDES &
UNICORN PONY RIDES

MULLED
CIDER

HOG ROAST DICKENS FANCY DRESS

FOLLOWED BY (OUTSIDE THE BAY HORSE INN)...
Christmas tree lighting at 7pm with carols
Wassail singing and dancing at 7.30pm

**ROUGHLEE
VILLAGE
CENTRE**

FREE ENTRY

To book a stall call 07849 774438



★ BONFIRE ON THE PARK ★

Newchurch in Pendle

Sat 5th Nov

Bonfire lighting at 6pm

PIE & PEAS, HOT
CHOCOLATE & PARKIN !!





Roughlee CE Primary School

Roughlee Church of England Primary School Christmas Fair is going to take place on Friday 9th December 1.30pm - 3.30pm. The children will be busy making items that will be on sale alongside a variety of stalls being run by school. The fair will be an invaluable source of fundraising for school and will help us to buy resources for the children and take them on fantastic free school trips.

There are many activities taking place such as: face painting, Little Log Cottage, chocolate tombola, Thea Cormack Cakes, children's handmade items, bottle tombola, raffle and refreshments.

Our fair will only be a success if we receive plenty of kind donations - a huge thank you to the Pendle Inn, Little Feet, Spar Barrowford, Farmhouse Biscuits, Oddies, MFA Bowling and Burnley FC in the Community who have already very generously donated. If anybody else wishes to donate something, then please contact Hayley Lord via email at bursar@roughlee.lancs.sch.uk.

Raffle tickets will be on sale at the fair and from the office until Wednesday 14th December 2022 - please pop in if you would like to purchase a ticket. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday 15th December 2022.

Roughlee CE Primary School

Christmas

Fair

Friday 9th December 2022

1.30-3.30pm

Come and join us for: chocolate tombola, bottle tombola, raffle, face painting, Little Log Cottage, Thea Cormack Cakes, refreshments and much more!

Barley Chapel



Barley Chapel has been at the heart of village life for the past 122 years.

It has weathered many storms. Many of you will have fond memories of Harvest festivals, Carols by Candlelight, Barley to Bethlehem, weddings and christenings at the Chapel.

Not to mention the wonderful shows, birthday parties, toddler groups, table tennis and of course FOG club. The chapel has been there for us all in some way or another and stands as a reminder of times gone by. The congregation at Barley has fallen because of many changes in our daily lives, and most recently due to Covid resulting in the chapel facing extreme financial difficulties and potential closure. With your help this can be averted.

Unfortunately, we have uncovered major problems with the chapel roof which needs to be addressed in order that the building continues to be functional for generations to come.

We can apply for grants to fund the work but as part of the grant process we need to evidence that the chapel building is not only used for worship but for community purposes as well. We do need to generate some income and this is where we are looking to people in the villagers to help us. We are looking to open up the Chapel occasionally as a 'Pop Up Café' just serving hot and cold drinks and cakes to try and capitalise on all the visitors that now visit Barley to go up the Sculpture Trail. We need volunteers to staff the café. If we can get the volunteers, the commitment will not be too onerous as we can staff on a rota basis.

We also need your ideas on how we can use the chapel building.

Please contact either Lorraine (07966261520) or Angie (07967121031 or 605090) to have a chat without any obligation at all or if you have any ideas on how we can use the Chapel.

Look forward to hearing from you

Goldshaw Booth Parish Council

Whether you love it or hate it Autumn is definitely here; the leaves are all but fallen, we have had crisp clear mornings, the rain has been torrential and apparently we are due gales! It's a good job we have the bonfire to look forward to, although, Guy Fawkes really could have picked a better time of year for his attempt – lighting this year's fire is going to be fun! Let's hope for a clear, starry night on the 5th...

Thank you to all those who have donated wood and to Martin H. for doing the lion-share of the build. We look forward to seeing everyone for Laura's hot chocolate and parkin, plus pie & peas. Congratulations to Roughlee for their amazing Halloween event! If Goldshaw Booth had run a decoration competition this year I think Chloe and Liz might have won? Maybe next year... I was helping Maureen in Witches Galore this Halloween – what an extraordinary display of costumes flew, hobbled, slid and shuffled through the door...from all parts of the UK. Amazing!

Upcoming Events:

Saturday 5th November – Bonfire Night! – Newchurch Park – from 6.00pm.

Sunday 4th December – Christmas Lights Switch-on & Carols! – Newchurch centre

Saturday 10th December – Santa Comes to Goldshaw Booth! – Newchurch centre – 5pm

Behind the scenes the Events Committee are busy working on a Community Christmas Dinner for our older residents – watch this space (or the Goldshaw Booth Parish Council FB Group) for more news.

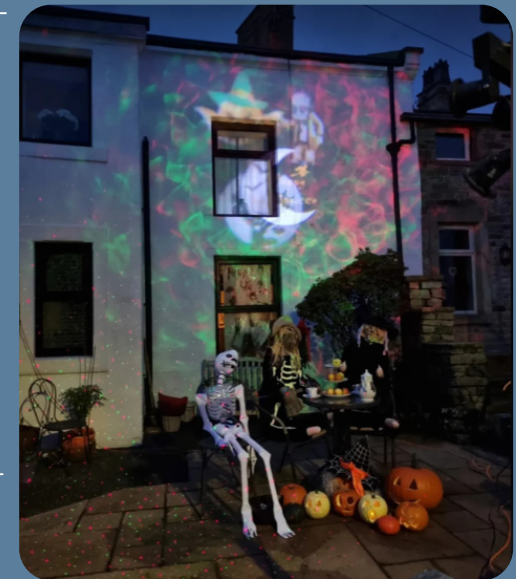
A big thank you to the Flower Fairy who has been at it again; the Newchurch flower boxes look beautiful, freshly planted for the colder months. I didn't even know stealth planting was a thing but well done you!

The 'Castle on the Park' climbing frame is now up and open, as are the magical toadstool seats. Other Section 106 funded projects are now in the hands of Pendle Borough Council, updates will appear as we get them....

And last but not most importantly, let's not forget the Remembrance Sunday Service at St. Mary's Church, Newchurch at 9.15am. We look forward to seeing you there.

Kind regards,

Ainsley
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Next Parish Council Meeting:

Tuesday 8th November 2022, 7.15pm, Barley Village Hall

Copies of Meeting Agendas & Minutes from Previous Meetings (etc.):

www.goldshawbooth.org.uk

If you are interested in the Clerk position please email clerk@goldshawbooth.org.uk for more information.

Planning Applications:

**Application: 22/0595/HHO. Details: Erection of single story extension and balcony.
Address: Churn Clough House, Wesley St. Sabden BB7 9EN.**

A link for further details of any planning applications can be found here: www.goldshawbooth.org.uk

Goldshaw Booth Parish Council Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/915228842660833>

Friends of Newchurch



100 Club

The results for the Friends of Newchurch School 100 Club Draw for

October

1st Prize £25 Number 60 Vicky Morley

2nd Prize £20 Number 83 Lisa Forrester

3rd Prize £15 Number 19 Joanne Lowcock

Congratulations to the winners and thank you to everyone who takes part!

Roughlee Parish Council

Villagers will be sorry to hear of the passing of Doreen Peel after a brief stay in hospital. She will be greatly missed, and we send our heartfelt condolences to her family.

Since I last wrote, we were also saddened to hear of the death of Pendle Borough Council-
lor, Carlo Lioni. We also send our deepest condolences to his family.

Having reached the last two in the Lancashire Best Kept Village competition we now know that we were awarded the runners up spot. Whilst this is a little disappointing it nevertheless represents a huge achievement and a great reward for the many people who put in so much hard work. Thanks must go to FORA, and in particular to Meg Davey and Ian Mortimer, who put so much time and effort into organizing the clean up and improvements. The benefits are clear to see and it is pleasing when visitors comment on how well the village looks.

Another achievement to report is the repair to the public footpath adjacent to the bridge at Whitehough. The footpath links Roughlee to Barley and is heavily used by both local people and visitors. For some time the path on the south side of the river has been slipping and becoming increasingly dangerous. Alongside Barley Parish Council, Roughlee have had funds available for repairs but in the event the Pendle Council footpath officer has implemented a much simpler repair which will hopefully solve the problem. As an indication that the year is progressing, arrangements for the Senior Citizens Christmas lunch are well in hand. The date has been confirmed as Thursday 8th December and we will be joined by the Mayor of Pendle and by the children of Roughlee School.

This year Remembrance Sunday is on 13th November and the Parish Council will be represented at St Mary's church. In addition the Parish will hold our own ceremony at the village war memorial at 11am on Friday 11th November. Villagers are welcome to attend.

Following the improvements to the Village Centre including the provision of bi-fold doors the VCC have a full programme of seasonal events planned. To get us all in the mood for Christmas, come along to the Dickens Christmas Fayre on Friday 2nd December from 3pm to 8pm. Along with Santa's Grotto, hog roast and craft stalls, we'll then be lighting the Christmas tree with carols from 7pm plus wassailing and dancing from 7.30pm outside the Bay Horse Inn. Keep an eye on the notice boards and website for full details. We look forward to seeing you there!

Andrew Walker

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St Mary's Church



Our Parish Church exists to be the people of God, through
faith in Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit,
worshipping Him, making disciples and serving others.

Services at St. Mary's in November

6th November- 9.30am BCP Holy Communion

13th November- 9.15am Act of Remembrance followed by Holy Communion

20th November- 9.30am BCP Holy Communion

27th November- 9.30am All Age Holy Communion for Advent Sunday

Contact the Vicar for more details

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