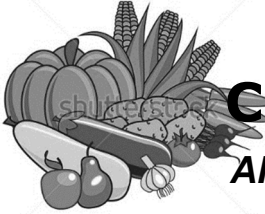


Beyond

The Pews

October 2019

The Parish Magazine of Kirby Hill, Skelton cum Newby & Cundall with Norton le Clay



Harvest Celebrations

All Saints', Kirby Hill

6 October

11.00am

*followed by bring and share
lunch in church*



St Mary's, Cundall

13 October

11.00am

*followed by
refreshments*



St Helen's, Skelton

13 October

6.00pm

*followed by
Harvest Supper
in the Village Hall*



Do come and join us at these popular community celebrations and let's show our support for our farming community after a very long on off harvest this year and the uncertainty of you know what!

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Recently I attended a meeting at which Margaret Sentamu, wife of the Archbishop of York, was speaking. She told us of her journey to 'God's own Country' – could this be a reference to that marvellous place in which we live?

She spoke about Uganda, where she was born and raised. It is known as the 'Pearl of Africa' and is the source of the River Nile; it has two climates, hot and dry followed by hot and wet; it is a land exploited over the centuries by Germans, British, Italians and others. She is one of ten children, attended a church mission school, went to university and was a member (with John Sentamu) of the Christian Union where they worked together for Faith and Politics.

However, during the regime of Idi Amin from 1971 to 1979, between 100,000 and 500,000 people were illegally killed. As a magistrate at the time, Sentamu supported Archbishop Luwum who demanded that Amin put an end to the killing, political repression, corruption and persecution. He paid for this stand with his life, being assassinated, his body placed in a mangled car in a staged accident. Just one year after their marriage, the Sentamus moved to Britain – he to work as a priest in middle England, then Brixton, then as Bishop of Stepney, then Bishop of Birmingham before coming to York. Margaret herself worked within the Church of England and is a trustee and patron of many charities, including those involving education, mental health, poverty and domestic abuse. She has this year been ordained a deacon, just prior to her husband's retirement in 2020.

They definitely have loved being in Yorkshire. She told us this story. The Archbishop's full name is John Tucker Mugabi Sentamu. He is named Tucker after the doctor who saved his life during his birth in the course of a difficult delivery. The name Mugabi must have foretold his future life in Yorkshire for, according to the Archbishop, read backwards 'Mugabi 'says 'ee bah gum'. It was obviously fated that Yorkshire would play a large part in his life!

Margaret Sentamu left us with this thought – 'do not be weary of doing good' – something which neither of them can be accused. What about us?

Rose Moulton

What's On

Time and Space

Tuesday
1st October
10.00 -10.30am

All Saints' Church
Kirby Hill

30 minutes quiet for
reflection, prayer or
just to escape from
the day's demands

St Cecilia Orchestra **Special Gala Concert** **Ripon Cathedral**

Sat 12 October 7.30pm

Mahler Symphony No 2 -
Resurrection
Soprano Fflur Wyn
Mezzo-soprano Katie Bray
Cleveland Philharmonic Choir
and Darlington Choral Society

Ticket Prices:
£22 adult, £20 over 60s,
£10 under 35s, £5 students,
18 and under free.

Available online:
www.st-cecilia.org.uk
Little Ripon Bookshop, Westgate,
Henry Roberts Books,
The Arcade.

Friends of All Saints' Church **Quiz Night**

Saturday
12th October
This event has
had to be postponed
New date to be decided

Community Coffee **Morning**

Tuesday
15th October
10.00 – 11.30
All Saints' Church
Kirby Hill

in aid of
Boroughbridge Community Care

Boroughbridge **Antiques Society**

Tuesday 15th October
7.45pm
Coronation Hall, Milby

'Boxing Clever'
A talk by Dr David Allen

Visitors most welcome £3 each

Further information on the
Society can be obtained from,
Sue Hufton, Secretary
01423 340836.

Village Firework Party

Bonfire Night
5th November
5.30pm
on the Church Green
Kirby Hill

This is a free event
for all the community.
Everyone welcome
More details next time.



Skelton on Ure W.I.

We meet every second Tuesday in the Village Hall, so to all villagers old and new why not come and join us?

We have a varied assortment of speakers during the year and have also had two outings, one for a guided tour round Ripon Cathedral and the other a Guided tour round part of York. The third walk in the series will be next year with a talk telling us all about it in February. It's surprising what you miss until someone points it out to you.

Another good thing about the W.I. is not just the Monthly meetings but the chance to take part in activities run by the North Yorkshire Federation based in Ripon. There are craft classes, Educational days quite often with lunch included in the price. For instance, the Japan Day and coming up soon the Garden, Bees and Honey day at Bedale.

Come along and find out for yourself you never know you might enjoy it; we certainly do!

Fox and Hounds

We send our good wishes to Jan and Dean as they move to a pub in Otley. We have valued their support of our churches not least in hosting the Community Lunch. We hope in due course we will be able to re-launch the Community Lunch in some shape or form.

Coming Soon - Eco Sale at All Saints', Kirby hill

We are concerned about the future of our planet and want to take practical steps to reduce the impact of global warming. We realise a lot of things are bought and thrown away rather than recycled or given a new life elsewhere. One person's unwanted items are another person's treasure so we will be holding an Eco Sale.....

There will be a chance to buy new or almost new clothing, household items, unwanted gifts, good quality recent books etc.

We could even sell surplus fruit and veg. As well as helping the planet this could also be of benefit to the local community.

Look out for posters and further details. Remember you read it first here.

Faith Pictures

We will be running 6 stimulating sessions which include humour and an opportunity to share thoughts and experiences looking at how to talk about our faith and the things that matter to us.

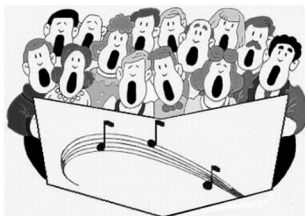
The sessions will be held in Kirby Hill church on Wednesday evenings beginning on 2nd October. If you'd like to know more please contact Alison, or just turn up on 2nd October.

We Like to Sing

Come and join us for a relaxing afternoon singing popular songs. All ages and abilities welcome. Bring your friends - make new ones. The next of these monthly meetings is on **October 3rd 2.00 to 4.00pm at St James' Church, Boroughbridge.**

There will be tea and cake - but no rehearsals or concerts!!

For more information contact Jane Barber on 01423 325808 or email music@yorevision.org.uk.



**Thursday 17 October
2.00pm**

Coronation Hall, Milby

Please note change of venue

**Mother's Union Listening,
Observing and Acting (MULO)**

.....in step with God

Everyone welcome

Followed by tea & biscuits

'All Saints Girls'

.....a MU initiative & fundraiser

Thursday 24 October 7.30pm

All Saints' Church, Kirby Hill

**Gin Tasting and Sweet Treats with
Di's Delights....great Christmas gift
ideas, MU cards**

Tickets £5.00 includes

1st cocktail (non-alcoholic available)

All welcome. Raffle

Tickets or further information from
Margaret Crawford 01423 325405 margaret.crawford47@tiscali.co.uk
Churches or MU members

Children in Distress - Love in a Box Appeal

It's not too late to fill a shoebox with items for a baby/child or OAP please email me at gillandjohn@btinternet.com or phone me on 07834 955959. I have a leaflet that explains all you need to know. Collection will be mid-October.

Thank you, Gill Ward.

Monthly Quiz at The Blue Bell, Kirby Hill

This is held on the last Tuesday of the month.

Start time 8.45. Entry fee £1 per person.

Winners get a gallon of beer or other drinks if preferred.

There is also a raffle for a cash prize.

Diary Dates

Oct	1	10.00	Time and Space at All Saints', Kirby Hill
		7.30	Kirby Hill WI
	2	7.30	Faith Pictures - see p5
		7.30	Skelton WI
	9	7.30	Faith Pictures
	10	2.00	We Like to Sing - see p5
	12	10.00	Churchyard Clear-up at All Saints', Kirby Hill
		7.30	St Cecilia Orchestra - see p3
	15	10.00	Community Coffee Morning - see p3
		7.45	Boroughbridge Antiques - see p3
	17	2.00	Mothers' Union - see p6
	23	7.30	Faith Pictures
	24	7.30	All Saints Girls - see p6
	30	7.30	Faith Pictures



From the Registers

Holy Baptism

Aug	8	Isabel Grace Tate	at Kirby Hill
	28	Austin Wright	at Kirby Hill
Sep	9	Lillian June Swiers	at Cundall

Wedding Blessing

Aug	17	Laura Birkinshaw-Miller and William Tane	at Christ the Consoler
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SERVICES

Date Sunday	6 Oct Trin 16	13 Oct Trin 17	20 Oct Trin 18	27 Oct Trin 19	3 Nov Trin 20
CUNDALL		11.00 Harvest		9.30 MP	
KIRBY HILL	11.00 Harvest	9.30 CW1 11.00 Activ8	11.00 AAW	11.00 CW1	11.00 IC
SKELTON	9.30 CW1	6.00 Harvest	9.30 CW1	9.30 AAW	9.30 CW1

WEEKDAY SERVICES AT ALL SAINTS' KIRBY HILL

Tuesday 9.00am MP (said)
Wednesday (except – see below) 10.00am CW2 (said)
Third Wednesday of the month 10.45am at St James, Boroughbridge

CW1 Holy Communion, Common Worship, order 1, Modern language

CW2 Holy Communion, Common Worship, order 2, Traditional language

AAW All Age Worship, **MP** Morning Prayer; **ES** Evensong, **EP** Evening Prayer;

IC Informal Communion, **Activ8** Messy Church for children, young people and parents. On the 4th Sundays of the month, at Kirby Hill, children's activities are available during the service.

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