

Hovingham Methodist Chapel extends a warm invitation to everyone to join the Harvest Celebrations.

Sun 8th Oct at 6.00 pm, when the preacher will be Mrs Hobday. Coffee and biscuits will follow the service.

Mon 9th Oct at 7.00 pm, when the service, conducted by Mrs Judy Brown, will be followed by a sale of produce and a Harvest Supper. Do come and join these enjoyable events.

NOTICES

The Churches Together in Southern Ryedale (CTSR) united harvest service on Coneysthorpe Village Green on 10 September went very well. Most of the congregation (100+) lingered afterwards, enjoying one another's company in the warm weather, as well as refreshments, harvest displays and exhibition in the chapel. Congratulations and many thanks to all involved in the organising.

The family of Mrs. Edna Whitehouse would like to thank those who donated to Arthritis Research at her funeral in Hovingham on 30th. August 06.

Hovingham Car Boot Sale, held on August Bank Holiday raised £615.00 for Church Funds. Many thanks to all those who helped on the day and many thanks to those who contributed so generously to the tombola (which raised £265.00).

Many thanks from all along the Beckside in Hovingham to Ben Skelton and John Anderson for strimming away all the debris along the new overflow channel, helping to keep the houses free from flooding. E.L.

ADVANCE NOTICES

Pre-Advent Study Course, Monday Evenings in November, 7.30 to 9.00, starting Monday, November 6. Further details of topic and venue in next month's Newsletter and in the weekly sheets in church.

Fri 10th Nov All Saints Church and Slingsby Methodist Church invite you to a HARVEST SUPPER at Lowry's Restaurant, 7 for 7-30pm. Speaker Rev Mike Smith. Tickets £14-75 from Stephen & Rachel Prest tel (01653)-628277 or Maurag Carmichael 628982 .

Nature Notes A rare butterfly, a Camberwell Beauty, turned up in the garden of Bob Polly and Janet Bailey of Swinton on 24th August. It was one of several reported in Britain this year, the nearest other record being from the Arboretum, Castle Howard. Every year a few appear in Britain, but the last big influx was in 1995. The Camberwell Beauty, named after Camberwell in London where it was first identified in 1748, is a rare, wind assisted, migrant from Scandinavia. This specimen was found feeding on rotting plums and apples. M.T. 31.8.06 (Tel.628620)

From the registers:

Wedding: 2 Sept. Gillian Gray & Glyn Markham at St Michael's Barton.

Baptism: 10 Sept: Poppy Isobel Parkin at St Helen's Amotherby

Funeral: 11 Sept. Denise Brisby at Octon, to be followed by burial of ashes in Amotherby cemetery.

Material for the November newsletter by no later than Saturday, October 14th please, to Ann Wilkins, Hovingham Lodge, Hovingham YO62 4NA (tel:628368 or e-mail ann.wilkins@btinternet.com)



The Street Parishes NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2006

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A message from the Rectory:

Dear Friends,

We have many harvest services and events to look forward to this month. It is always a joy to see the churches traditionally decorated with produce and flowers, given and arranged as tokens of our gratitude for God's bounty. We do have plenty to be thankful for: even our hard times are better by far than the normal times of most of the world's people. As well as our material blessings, there are, also, God's spiritual gifts. In familiar words from the General Thanksgiving, we thank God for: *'our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all, for his inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace and for the hope of glory.'* But how to give thanks in a meaningful way for such generosity of God? As he has freely given his Son to die for us, our response must be to give *all* of our lives to him in love and service. As part of this, perhaps we might choose to offer a special gift over and above our normal giving to the church or other charity, or consider raising our level of regular giving even if it involves making some sacrifices? Please think about it.

With my love and prayers, **Beryl**

Church Services in October

01-Oct	1	9.00am Barton	Eucharist
Trinity 16		10.30am Amotherby	Family Service
		10.30am Hovingham	United Harvest
		10.30am Slingsby	Harvest
		6.30pm Coneysthorpe	Evening Prayer
08-Oct	2	9.00am Appleton	Eucharist

Trinity 17	10.30am Slingsby	Family Service
	3.00pm Scackleton	Harvest
	6.00pm Barton	Harvest
	6.00pm Hovingham Chapel	Harvest
15-Oct	3 8.00am Barton	Eucharist
Trinity 18	9.00am Amotherby	Eucharist
	10.30am Hovingham	Family Service
	10.30am Slingsby	Eucharist
	6.30pm Coneysthorpe	Eucharist
22-Oct	4 9.00am Hovingham	Eucharist BCP
Trinity 19	9.00am Appleton	Morning Prayer
	10.30am Barton	Family Service
	10.30am Slingsby	Eucharist
	3pm Scackleton	Evening Prayer
29-Oct	5 10.30am Hovingham	Benefice Eucharist
Bible Sunday		Patronal Festival

Methodist Worship this month

Slingsby	Hovingham
1 Oct 10.30 United at Church HF	1 Oct 10.30 United at Church
8 Oct 10.30 UF at Church Team	8 Oct 6.00 T Hobday HF
15 Oct 10.30 F Bramhall	15 Oct 10.30 A Corner
22 Oct 10.30 R Prest/ L Hayes 6.00 CTSR Malton	22 Oct 6.00 CTSR Malton
29 Oct 10.30 United at Hovingham	29 Oct G Sellars United Service

Slingsby Sidesmen Rota

1 Oct Mrs Roberts, Mrs M Dixon; **8 Oct** Mrs H Prest, Mrs Fell;
15 Oct Mr Woollons, Mr Bulmer; **22 Oct** Mrs Carmichael, Mrs Petch.

Hovingham Sidesmen Rota

1 Oct Mr P Moonlight, Mr R Wainwright **8 Oct** Mrs D Davies, Mrs M Ross
15 Oct Mrs E Hickes, Miss A Goodman **22 Oct** Mr R O-Bromehead, Mr E Lucas.
29 Oct Sir Marcus Worsley, Mr M Wilson

What's happening in the Street Parishes this month?

Mon 25 Sept 7.30pm Harvest Supper at the Cresswell Arms, Appleton.

Wed 27 Sept 10.15am Lay Ministry Group at 4 West View, South Holme. Bible study. All welcome

Tue 3 Oct Hovingham Women's Fellowship meeting to be held at 7.30pm at the home of Pat Hewitt. The speaker will be Mary Pacitto, who will give a Jewelry Demonstration

Tue 10 Oct 7.15pm Slingsby YCA meeting in the Chapel Schoolroom. Making Christmas Cards.

Tue 10 Oct Confirmation Classes for young people, again held jointly with St Michael's Church, Malton, will start in the Lady Chapel of St Michael's from 4.30-5.30pm. Any further people wanting to join the group to let the clergy know as soon as possible. Any adults wanting to prepare for confirmation please also contact the clergy as soon as possible. We hope to arrange a date for confirmation fairly early in the New Year.

Wed 11 Oct 10.15am Lay Min. Gp, 32 Sycamore Close, Slingsby. Discussion.

Wed 11 Oct 7.00pm. Amotherby PCC. The Rectory.

Thurs 12 Oct at 7.30pm. the AGM of the Hovingham Branch of the Royal British Legion will be held in the Worsley Arms Hotel. This will be followed at 8.30pm with a talk by Ernest Sawdon about his experiences as a Yeoman of the Guard to which all are welcome. The Annual lunch will be after the Remembrance Service on Sunday 12th. November in the Worsley Arms Hotel.

Mon 16 Oct 7.00pm Slingsby PCC. Methodist School Room.

Thurs 19 Oct 7.30pm Hovingham PCC. Village Hall

Wed 25 Oct 10.15am Lay Min. Gp, 32, Sycamore Close, Slingsby. Bible Study.

Wed 25 Oct Broughton Parish Council holds its next meeting, starting at 7pm, at the BSA sports centre in Swinton. All welcome. Please note the change of day.

Sat 28th Oct Slingsby All Saints Church, Autumn Fair - at 2.00 p.m. in the Village Hall. Stalls, games, refreshments, autumn items.

Sun 29 Oct Swinton & District Horticultural Society 14th Annual Open Chrysanthemum Show in Amotherby Parish Hall. Open to the public at 1.00p.m. Entries to Mrs. Ann Stead, Hills View, Swinton (tel: 694663) by Friday 27th October.

Sun 29 Oct Autumn Woodlands Walk starting at 10am from outside the Crown and Cushion Public House in Welburn. You will have the opportunity to experience the colours of Autumn, visit the remains of Todd Wood Mill and enjoy views towards some of the features of the Castle Howard Estate. The walk is to be led by Liz Bassindale (Assistant AONB Officer). It will last approximately two to two and a half hours. Strong shoes are recommended and the route is undulating. The path down to the mill is steep and can be slippery, however, we will retrace our steps on this section so you can opt to wait for us at the top of the slope. Booking is in advance via Ryedale District Council (01653 600666 ext 314).

CELEBRATION OF HARVEST

Slingsby Methodist Church, Saturday 30th September, 7.30pm a Harvest Celebration with Simple Harmony. (We are pleased to have Simple Harmony with us again - they are a singing group from Snape). Supper in the schoolroom after the service.

Street Harvest services:

1 Oct. All Saints Slingsby + Terrington School Choir, 10.30am, (no service in Chapel). All Saints Hovingham, Pr: the Bishop of Selby, 10.30am (no service in Chapel) – followed by Harvest Lunch in the Village Hall. St Helen's Amotherby Harvest Family Service, 10.30am

8 Oct: St George's Scackleton, 3pm; St Michael's Barton, 6pm.