



The Wiverton News

from your village churches and chapels

June'July 2019



*To every thing
there is a
season (Ecclesiastes 3)*

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Dear Friends

As I write this, I'm looking onto a garden in full leaf, bathed in glorious sunshine: the year has moved into early summer and there's definitely been a distinct change since I last introduced this magazine two months ago.



Similarly, there has been a marked progression in our appointment process for a new Rector. Our Parish Profile, a key document in this process, has been finalised and published. We have been particularly encouraged by Bishop Paul's positive comments included in this Profile, and hope this will help catch the attention of potential applicants.

Adverts were placed in the Church Times in May, as well as on relevant websites. The interview date has been set in July, and two Parish representatives, together with Bishop Paul, our Archdeacon and a Crown ecclesiastical representative will make up the interview panel.

If you'd like to know more, further details and regular updates may be found on the website www.wivertoninthevale.co.uk.

In the meantime, please pray that the right person will be drawn to work among us, for the sake of the whole community.

Of course things are far from being 'on hold' while we are without a Rector. In the pages to come you'll find information on events and services across the various villages of our Parish, open to all. In addition, with lay leaders and the support of retired clergy, we are here to respond to needs, whether general pastoral concerns or to take care of baptisms, weddings or funerals, so please feel free to make contact.

You're welcome!

Hilary Tabron (Recognised Lay Minister)

House Groups in the Parish of Wiverton in the Vale

Groups meet in different villages to learn together and support one another through Bible study, prayer and fellowship.

All welcome.

Please contact one of the following for up-to-date information.

Cropwell Bishop: Tuesdays, 2.15 for 2.30 -4.00pm

Hilary Tabron: 0115 9894836 hilary.tabron@wivertoninthevale.co.uk

Wednesdays,

Ann Mansell: 0115 9892770 ann.mansell@wivertoninthevale.co.uk

7.15 for 7.30 – 9.00pm

Granby: Tuesdays, 7.15 for 7.30 – 9.00pm

Maureen Wright: 01949 850441

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Langar: Mondays 8.00pm,(fortnightly) please check dates

Robin & Julie Coles 01949 860655, robincoles@wivertoninthevale.co.uk



Coffee Cake Chat

**A welcoming social time for all generations,
in St Giles' every Wednesday, 9am to 11am.**



Toys available for pre-school children

Contact: Vivien Hall 0115 989025

This overlaps with **Bellringing Beginners**, from 10am, so
why not enjoy coffee and cake then learn a new hobby?

Contact: Colin Bryan 07778 890139

TIME FOR YOU

Monday mornings in St Giles' Church

8.55am – 10am

with time for you, whether for peace and quiet or for friendly company,
and the opportunity to chat over a problem in confidence if you wish.

TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

Come and join us
for songs and fun on
the grass area
between St Giles'
and the Old School.

A free Celebration Weekend event with St Giles' Church and **JOY!** team,
Sunday 7th July 3.00pm. Please bring your own teddy, drinks and snacks.

Hymns and Pimm's at St Giles'



A Celebration Weekend event at St Giles' Church, Cropwell Bishop,
Offertory towards church improvements

**Sunday 7th
July, 3.45pm
for 4.00pm**



Sundays 10.30am
June 9th
July 14th



JOY! – joyous, informal child-friendly worship for all the Parish of Wiverton in the Vale, offered once a month.

St Giles' Church, Cropwell Bishop
Look out for dates in 2019

J – Jesus, on whom our faith is centred.

O – offers, never forces but waits for you to accept

Y – you, means you – Jesus offers you: love, peace, forgiveness, salvation, freedom, eternal life and of course **JOY!**

Pentecost Family Festival

Bishop's Manor, Southwell

Saturday 8th June from 11am until 2.30pm

For families with children aged 5-11 (there will be creche activities for younger children).

This free event aims to bring families together to celebrate Pentecost and enjoy worship, activities, games and refreshments – there will be food trucks and an ice-cream van there all day.

If you wish to go to the festival or would like more information, contact: ***younglife@southwell.anglican.org***

Video link:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_tUZNecRmHw



Songs of Praise
All Saints, Granby
Sunday 30th June 6pm

Everyone in the Parish (and those who are not!) is invited to this informal service of song.



Cropwell Bishop Toddler Group

HUBBUB

For under fives and their carers

Every friday, 10.30 - 11.45 am

Cropwell Bishop Methodist Church

FREE



St Giles' Church, Cropwell Bishop
10.30am – 11.30am, Tuesday
4th June

A special 'service' for
THY KINGDOM COME,
with meditation stations and readings.
Coffee and Cake to follow



Souperbowl

*Good Food, Good Friendship,
and a Good Time.*



**Thursdays 6th June, 4th July
(thereafter first Thursday of the month)**

12.20 for 12.30p.m.

Colston Bassett Village Hall

£2.50

*includes the usual homemade soups, bread and biscuits, coffee
or tea.*

All Welcome!

(For more details Maureen Wright 01949 850 441)

A View from the Pew

"Glad that I live am I" is a favourite hymn of mine. Those who know it will know that the next line is, "that the sky is blue". Anyway, I hope you get my drift.

I am still 'glad that I live' but, like others, I am also deeply concerned about the planet, the environment, our villages and the future for our children and grandchildren. Experts have been explaining the dangers of climate change and pollution for decades but you cannot fail to have noticed there is now a developing sense of urgency.

The Church plays its part in taking practical action towards the environment and has several helpful policies and initiatives including **Eco-Church** (please browse the links below). Now is the time to do more to make practical "green" changes within our communities and consider our use of the earth's resources, redoubling our efforts so we can be "glad for the country lanes and the fall of dew."

Elaine

**[https://www.churchofengland.org/
environment](https://www.churchofengland.org/environment)**

<https://ecochurch.arocha.org.uk>



Services and		
Child friendly 😊	Tythby Holy Trinity Cropwell Butler Methodist Church	Cropwell Bishop St Giles Cropwell Bishop Methodist Church
2nd June 7th Sunday of Easter	10.30am All Parish Service, Langar 10.30am Cropwell Bishop Methodist 6.00pm Granby 6.00pm Cropwell Butler	
Tuesday 4th June	10.30am St Giles' Cropwell Bishop	
9th June Pentecost	10.30am Tythby Holy Communion	10.30am St Giles JOY! All Parish Child-friendly Service 😊 10.30am Methodist Church Holy Communion
16th June Trinity Sunday	11.00am Cropwell Butler Family communion 😊	10.30am St Giles All Age Service 10.30am Methodist Church Morning worship 😊
23rd June 1st Sunday after Trinity	10.30am Tythby Morning worship 11.00am Cropwell Butler Family service 😊	10.30am St Giles Holy Communion 3.00pm Chapel anniversary
30th June 2nd Sunday after Trinity	10.30am St John's, Colston Bassett 10.30am Cropwell Bishop Methodist 1-5pm Cropwell Butler 6.00pm All Saints, Granby	

Events JUNE 2019		
Granby <i>All Saints</i> Elton <i>St Michael</i>	Langar <i>St Andrew</i>	Colston Bassett <i>St John the Divine</i>
<i>Holy Communion for all ages</i> 😊 <i>Morning worship</i> <i>All Parish Evensong with Joint Churches Choir</i> <i>Fellowship service</i>		
<i>A special 'service' for THY KINGDOM COME, including meditation stations and readings.</i>		
	10.30am Langar <i>Morning worship</i>	9.00am <i>Holy Communion (BCP)</i>
9.00am Granby <i>Holy Communion</i>	10.30am Langar <i>Holy Communion</i>	10.30am <i>Father's Day Service</i> <i>Martin's Arms</i>
9.00am Granby <i>Morning worship</i>		
<i>All Parish Holy Communion</i> <i>Morning worship</i> <i>Flower Festival</i> <i>All Parish Songs of Praise</i>		

Services and Events

<p><i>Child friendly</i> 😊</p>	<p><i>Tythby</i> Holy Trinity Cropwell Butler <i>Methodist Church</i></p>	<p>Cropwell Bishop <i>St Giles</i> Cropwell Bishop <i>Methodist Church</i></p>
<p>7th July 3rd Sunday after Trinity</p>	<p>10.30am All Parish Service, Langar 10.30am Cropwell Bishop Methodist 6.00pm Cropwell Butler</p>	
<p>14th July 4th Sunday after Trinity</p>	<p>10.30am Tythby <i>Holy Communion</i></p>	<p>10.30am St Giles JOY! <i>All Parish</i> <i>informal, child-</i> <i>friendly worship</i> 😊</p> <p>10.30am Methodist Church <i>Morning worship</i></p>
<p>21st July 5th Sunday after Trinity</p>	<p>11.00 am Cropwell Butler <i>Family service</i> 😊</p> <p>6.00pm Tythby <i>Evensong with Joint</i> <i>Churches Choir</i></p>	<p>10.30am St Giles <i>All Age Service</i> 😊</p> <p>10.30am Methodist Church <i>Holy Communion</i></p>
<p>28th July 6th Sunday after Trinity</p>	<p>10.30am Tythby</p> <p>11.00am <i>Family</i> <i>service</i> 😊</p>	<p>10.30am St Giles <i>Holy Communion</i></p> <p>10.30am Methodist Church <i>Morning worship</i></p>

JULY 2019

Granby All Saints
Elton St Michael

Langar St Andrew

Colston Bassett
St John the Divine

Holy Communion for all ages



Morning worship

Fellowship service

10.30am
Morning worship

9.00am
*Holy Communion
(BCP)*

9.00am Granby
Holy Communion

10.30am *Holy
Communion*

10.30am
*Morning worship
with infant Baptism*

9.00am Elton
*Holy Communion
BCP*



Vale First Responders

Could you become a responder?

VFR are a volunteer organisation who respond to 999 calls in the Vale area. We often arrive before the ambulance and our task is to support the casualty until the ambulance arrives. Could you do this?

Comprehensive training is provided as are kit and uniform. After training we are expected to do a minimum of 4 hours a week and 3 hours training a month.

For more detail ring, text or Email

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Cranmer Company of Singers Good Friday Come and Sing

For the annual Come & Sing event on Good Friday at Bottesford Church, organised by the Cranmer Company of Singers, the sun shone and a **RECORD BREAKING 190 people** came and sung the *Mozart Requiem*. What's more, they and their family and friends and local supporters made it a **RECORD BREAKING fundraiser**.

We broke all records and raised **£2,409 for Tearfund Yemen Crisis Appeal**. Everyone involved is rightly proud and grateful to all who contributed with their voice and their donations.

Deborah Davies, Musical Director and the soloists, with a team of practical helpers, give their time and talents freely for the charity and deserve huge praise.

Next year is already planned - Good Friday April 10th, Come & Sing The Rutter Requiem.

Margaret Hunt

Flower Festival

Cropwell Butler Methodist Chapel is holding a Flower Festival as part of the Village Open Gardens on **30th June**



Please bring your displays

The theme is: **'Memories of People and Village Events'** and we are hoping that as many people as possible will bring and arrange flowers, with a notice explaining who or what they are commemorating. If you don't want to arrange flowers, then another possibility is to make a garden in a tray box.

Scrap books of both Village and Chapel history will also be on display.

Please bring the displays ready, or do them in the Chapel on **Saturday, 29th June between 10am and 1pm**.

(Unfortunately, it will not be possible for Chapel members to make displays for people from donated flowers because they will be doing the overall decoration.)

Vale of Belvoir Rotary Club
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21st & 22nd September 2019
 (If you would like to take part but cannot make these dates, you may also audition by sending a video of your performance to dmbacon@talk21.com)

Semi-Finals 12th October & 9th November 2019

If you are interested in taking part contact:
Denis Bacon 0115 9334004
 or
Duncan Garment 01949 861770
 or visit
<http://www.valeofbelvoirrotary.org.uk>

Charity Number 1046617



Bingham and District Choral Society **Combine music with shopping in Newark**

Saturday 6th July 2019 at 11.30am
St Mary's Parish Church, Newark

Over the past two years, we have concluded our singing year with a short, informal lunch-time concert in **St Mary's Parish Church, Newark**. We have enjoyed beautiful weather on both occasions and have attracted tourists and Saturday shoppers as well as regular supporters of the choir.



Last year we performed alongside other choirs and ensembles as part of the Byron Festival. This year the choir will give its own concert of English folk songs, including a selection from John Rutter's Sprig of Thyme. This will take place on **Saturday 6th July 2109 at 11.30am** and will last for approximately 45 minutes.



Refinding the "Lost Church" of St Ethelburga's, Langar, Nottinghamshire



On 1st April 2019 we received the exciting news that Project SEAL had been successful in its bid for funding from the National Lottery Heritage Fund.

The funding will allow us to begin our project to discover the history of the Medieval Pilgrimage site of St Ethelburga's which will then be shared with both the local community and wider.

From items already found on site we believe the site has been occupied from the Iron Age until the 17th century. Volunteers will be trained to identify and date the finds to help us confirm the age of the finds and build a time-line for the site. This will be backed up with further site surveys, examining historic documents relating to the site, old maps, photographs etc to determine what the area around Langar and Barnstone was like in earlier times.

We will be holding a series of workshops to train volunteers.

The first five of these will be held in **St Andrew's, Langar** between **10.00 am** and **3.00 pm** on

Wednesdays:

22nd May, 12th June, 19th June, 26th June, 3rd July

Further workshops will be held during the Autumn and early in the New Year.

If you are interested please feel free to attend any or all of the workshops even for part of the day. No previous experience is required - just your curiosity and enthusiasm!

For further details please contact **Nigel Wood** on **01949 860001**

Next Messy Chapel in Cropwell Butler

Come along and join us in June.....

More science experiments, story, + create displays for Flower Festival &, of course, sharing CAKE.

**Friday, 28th June from
5pm - 6.15 pm
@ Cropwell Butler Chapel**

For all primary children. Bring your Mums, Dads, Grannies, Grandads and anyone else. Younger siblings can also join in.

Facebook: Cropwell Butler Methodist Chapel **or**

Website www.cropwellbutlerchapel.org.uk



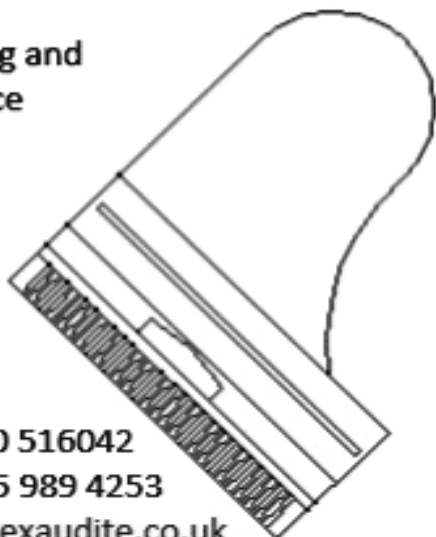
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From the Registers

Baptisms

28th April	<i>Jake Harry Estrup Avis</i>	St Giles', Cropwell Bishop
12th May	<i>Jake Alexander McEwan</i>	St Andrew's, Langar

Funerals and Burials

20th March	<i>Freda Bentley</i>	St Andrew's, Langar and Oxton Tythe Green Burial Ground
24th April	<i>Enid Fahy</i>	St Andrew's, Langar
2nd May	<i>Albert and Alice Healing</i>	Gedling Crematorium
8th May 19	<i>Georgina Smith</i>	St Andrew's Langar



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Who's who

Church of England

The Parish of Wiverton in the Vale

The parish is presently in the process of appointing a new rector.



As a consequence, questions about marriages will be dealt with by Ann Mansell (ann.mansell@wivertoninthevale.co.uk); funerals by Katharine Bacon (see below) and pastoral matters by Hilary Tabron (see below).

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For baptisms and funerals, contact Katharine Bacon (above); for weddings, Ann Mansell (0115 9892770 or ann.mansell@wivertoninthevale.co.uk); for pastoral matters, Hilary Tabron (above). For general PCC matters and the website, Nick Perry, nick.perry@wivertoninthevale.co.uk

For dedications, baptisms, weddings, funerals and membership in the Methodist Church, contact The Rev'ds Martin Smithson or Helen Shallow (above).