

# Church Window

The magazine for the parishes of

## St. Peter's

Leighton-cum-Minshull Vernon



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## St. Leonard's

Warmingham

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.  
*2 Corinthians 3:17*

**June 2023**

 THE CHURCH  
OF ENGLAND  
Diocese of Chester

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## Parish Safeguarding Officer:

### Vacancies at St Peter's and St Leonard's.

The Parish Safeguarding Officer is the key link between the diocese and the parish/s, concerning safeguarding matters.

It is a positive leadership role supporting and providing direction to the parish in good safeguarding practice.

They will have an overview of all church activities involving children, young people and vulnerable adults and will seek to ensure the implementation of safeguarding policy and practice.

**The role can be taken by one person, or the role shared.** Support is provided by the diocese.

If you would like more information or to discuss the role please speak to Rev Paul North.

## Reflecting on my first Wakes

If you had told me when I came for my interview here that I would be kneeling on a plank of wood spanning a river, reaching down to grab whichever duck's beak touched the plank first, I am not sure I would have believed you, or even understood the significance of such a moment! But then I'd never been to Warmingham Wakes!

Pretty much every week since I have taken up post, people have said to me, "You wait until the Warmingham Wakes." I have been waiting with bated breath. Finally, my wait was over!



Wow! People tried to impress upon me the size of the event, the effort that goes in and the sense of pride that comes with the Wakes. I had no idea what to expect. What I found was remarkable.

Even prior to the event, hours and hours had been invested by numerous volunteers. This investment was clearly paying dividends when I went down on Thursday evening to help set up. There were so many people of all ages, willingly giving of their time, lugging chairs, carrying tables and wrestling with tents - making sure everything was ready.

This was repeated the next day, as everything was cleaned and arranged beautifully. Then later that evening, more and more people arrived, setting up more and more things.

Then it was Warmingham Wakes day – A-MA-ZING! Seeing the community come alive with joy was a moment of beauty. It was such a day of fun and laughter, such a place of celebration, such an example of teamwork. It was also a fantastic model of what it is to be church, bringing people together from all sorts of places, celebrating joy, sharing laughter, truly loving our community and sharing the love of God within it.

The theme of the Wakes this year was the Coronation. I was reminded of the themes of the coronation, 'Community, Faith and Service' and also of the service at Westminster Abbey when King Charles III spoke the words of Jesus, "*I came not to be served but to serve!*"

There were so many small acts of service that united to put the Wakes on – so many people willingly giving of their time for others. Not all those roles were glamorous - wiping chairs, grabbing ducks from the water, parking cars are examples of this, but all of these actions put into practise the words of St Peter.

*Each of you has received a gift to use to serve others. Be good servants of God's various gifts of grace. 1 Peter 4:10*

As I reflect on my first Wakes here, my heart is filled. It was so encouraging to see love and service go hand in hand. To see people using their gifts to serve others. An example we can take with us all year round. I can't wait for next year, who knows...my duck might even get its beak in front!

## From our April Registers



### Baptisms

*We welcome you into the Lord's family*



### Weddings



### Funerals

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## Prayer for June 2023

Dear Father,

As we come to this beautiful time of year, the month of June, we thank you for the wonder of your creation and the way our spirits are lifted as we see all around us the freshness of a new summer.

This month we remember Barnabas, whose name means, *child of encouragement*. He was a good person, full of the Holy Spirit and faith. Lord, help each of us to be a *Barnabas* to someone today, to encourage and lift up, led by your Holy Spirit and full of faith.

Help us to share your love and goodness, especially with those whose circumstances are difficult. Help us all to trust you through good times and testing times, knowing you are always with us, always encouraging us, always faithful.

In Jesus' name. Amen

*By Daphne Kitching*



## Forthcoming Events at St Leonard's



A sale of second-hand books  
in aid of St Leonard's Church Tower Fund  
is to be held on  
**Wednesday 14th June**  
from 11am onwards  
in the garden at Cecilia Royston's  
7 Southey Close, Ettiley Heath, CW11 3ZL  
(*please park on Thornbrook Way*)

Tea/ coffee & scone/cake £1.50

Raffle

### PCC Meeting



The next meeting of  
St Leonard's PCC is on  
**Monday 19th June**  
at 7.30pm in Church

### St Leonard's Home Group

The next meeting is on  
**Monday 26th June**  
at 2pm  
at the home of Cecilia Royston.

Contact Helan on  
01606 841711  
for further details.

St Peter's PCC is on **Wednesday 14th June**  
at 7.30pm in the Community Hall

## Warmingham Wakes 2023

What a fabulous day we had in Warmingham on Saturday 13th May. The sun shone all day. A super crowd came along to enjoy the fun of the fair and see Wakes Queen Rachel crowned.



The organisers and helpers worked so hard to make a very successful day, making over £9000 for St Leonard's Church. Thank you to all the workers.







The Wakes Service in church on Sunday 14th May was well attended and Rev Paul encouraged the Queen and her retinue to join in, acting out the



gospel reading and participating in the readings and prayers.

The flower decorations in church were on the theme of the Coronation.







## Coronation Concert – St Peter's Community Hall, Wednesday 3rd May

What a wonderful way to start the Coronation celebrations to be entertained by the South Cheshire Concert Band. There was an interesting and varied selection of music from the four countries of the United Kingdom.

The final section was traditional pieces including Fantasia on British Sea Songs, Rule Britannia, Jerusalem, I Vow To Thee My Country and ending with a rousing rendition of God Save The King with lots of flag waving! The compere for the evening was Rev Paul wearing a patriotic hat.

During the interval there was a selection of delicious food and cakes provided by Ellen, Ruby, Ruth, Phyllis and Margaret - thank you to all of you. There was also a raffle with lots of prizes. Thank you too to the team of people who decorated the hall and made the evening so special.

*Irene*











*Thank you to Chris Parkes for the photos*



## **Coronation Picnic – St Peter’s Community Hall, Sunday 7th May**

To continue the Coronation celebrations we were encouraged to bring along a picnic to enjoy after the morning service. A decision was made to use the hall due to all the recent rain. Ellen and Mick made a wonderful job of decorating the hall as well as providing some food and bubbly - thank you very much.

It gave us all the opportunity to chat together and reflect on the Coronation and toast our King Charles III.

*Irene*



## **Thank you Patrick**

As many of you know Patrick stood down as Churchwarden at our recent Annual meeting. We thank him most sincerely for all his hard work during the last few years. He has been faithful, willing, and dependable. He opened the door and prepared for the 9am service and was always ready with a kindly word to greet the 10.45am congregation, with the service and notice sheets placed in the hymn books.

Latterly he had also been coming to Evensong too. He has taken most of the collected food to St. Paul's Pantry, which was quite heavy work due to the number of donated items. It was Patrick alone who kept the door open during those difficult nine months, for which we are eternally grateful.

You will be pleased to know that he is going to continue as a sidesman and to assist Chris whenever he is able. Thank you very much Patrick for a job well done.

## **Another "retirement"!**

You may well be unaware that the church hall, or St Peter's Community Hall to give it its 'proper' title, doesn't run itself. It takes up a fair bit of time to deal with the bookings from the regular users of the building, plus 'one-off' children's parties, wakes, church functions and general admin.

We have been very fortunate to have the services of Miriam Harvey who has dealt with all this, plus the finances for the last eight years. We benefitted from the considerable expertise she brought with her from running a parish hall elsewhere. The time has now come though when Miriam has decided that her connection with the hall is not what it was since the South Cheshire Concert Band, of which she is a member, moved to another venue for their weekly rehearsals. Accordingly she's handed over her responsibilities as Bookings Manager and Treasurer to Jane Dunseath who didn't quite realise what she was letting herself in for when she allowed Rev Paul to talk her into taking over! Jane is now handling all the bookings and admin side of things whilst the financial affairs have come under the purview of John, in his role of PCC Treasurer.

We can't let Miriam "retire" without saying how grateful we are for all her efforts (and it has been quite an effort with Covid etc) to keep the hall open and running and to build up the bookings again post-pandemic. So, many thanks Miriam and all good wishes for the future.

We'll still see her and her French horn when SCCB come and give their excellent concerts in the hall.



## St Leonard's Calendar of Services / Rotas

Date	Times and services	Sides-persons	Altar Flowers & Brasses	Cleaning, once in the month
Sunday 4th June Trinity Sunday	11.30am Morning Service	Mrs L Case	Bev Beech	Janet, Nicole, Cecilia
Sunday 11th June The 1st Sunday after Trinity	11.30am Morning Prayer (BCP)	Mr A Crank	Bev Beech	
Sunday 18th June The 2nd Sunday after Trinity	11.30am Family Communion	Mrs J Newton	Jenny Sant	
Sunday 25th June The 3rd Sunday after Trinity	9.00am Holy Communion	Mrs L Crank	Jenny Sant	
Sunday 2nd July The 4th Sunday after Trinity	11.30am Morning Service	Mr K Newton	Sarah Richardson	Sarah, Kate, Helen

### Treasurer at St Leonard's



Our current Treasurer at St Leonard's Church is stepping down due to her work and family commitments, so we are looking for a volunteer to join the PCC and take on this valuable role.

Do you think you have the interest and skills to take on this important job?  
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## St Peter's Calendar of Services

Date	Times and Services	Readings and Readers 10.45am	Readings and Readers 7pm
Sunday 4th June Trinity Sunday	9.00am HC 10.45am HC 12.30pm Baptism 1.30pm Baptism NO 7pm Evensong	2 Corinthians 13.11-end  <i>Gilly Booth</i>  Matthew 28.16-end	No Evensong
Sunday 11th June The 1st Sunday after Trinity	9.00am HC 10.45am HC 7.00pm Evensong	Romans 4.13-end <i>Stuart Moss</i>  Matthew 9.9-13,18-26	1 Samuel 18.1-16 <i>Chris Parkes</i>  Luke 8.41-56 <i>Sandra Parkes</i>
Sunday 18th June The 2nd Sunday after Trinity	9.00am HC 10.45am HC NO 7pm Evensong	Romans 5.1-8 <i>Alison Bate</i>  Matthew 9.35-10.8	No Evensong
Sunday 25th June The 3rd Sunday after Trinity	NO 9am HC 10.45am HC 7.00pm Evensong	Romans 6.1b-11 <i>Alan Culshaw</i>  Matthew 10.24-39	1 Samuel 24.1-17 <i>Ruth Edge</i>  Luke 14.12-24 <i>John Edge</i>
Sunday 2nd July Patronal Festival / The 4th Sunday after Trinity	9.00am HC 10.45am HC NO 7pm Evensong	Acts 12.1-11 <i>Jane Dunseath</i>  Matthew 16.13-19	No Evensong

Jesus, we were created in the image of your love. Even now you call your Church to be your hands and feet, to offer loving service to one another in your name. We give you thanks for the Spirit you send to sustain and strengthen us in our works of love.



## St Peter's Rotas

Date	Sidespersons	Offertory	Cleaning	Altar Flowers
Sunday 4th June Trinity Sunday	Robert Hodson	Paul and Margaret Harvey	Audrey Bergin	Kerris Fairclough
Sunday 11th June The 1st Sunday after Trinity	John Edge  Sandra Parkes	John Edge and Ann Hughes	Margaret Harvey and Valerie Simcock	Kerris Fairclough
Sunday 18th June The 2nd Sunday after Trinity	Patrick Smith	Philippa Goyer and Ann DeRuiter	John and Ruth Edge	Shena Finch
Sunday 25th June The 3rd Sunday after Trinity	John Edge  Sandra Parkes	Alan and Margaret Culshaw	Phylis Darlington and Dorothy Riley	Shena Finch
Sunday 2nd July The 4th Sunday after Trinity	Robert Hodson	Paul and Margaret Harvey	Audrey Bergin	Margaret Heming

### St Peter's Social Planners Meeting

Wednesday 7th June, 7pm in the Choir Vestry.  
Everyone welcome.



#### Used Stamps

Please could you kindly pass on any used stamps from your post. Stamps can be left in St Peter's porch and St Leonard's porch. They are collected in aid of St Luke's Hospice. Thank you.

## **Fathers' Day, a time to celebrate male role models**

In the UK, USA and Canada, the third Sunday in June is Father's Day. It's usually a good time for sons and daughters to take their father to his favourite restaurant, or to watch a favoured sport, or whatever else he enjoys doing.

How will you celebrate it this year? If your own father cannot be with you, how about a Zoom meeting?

How do these special days ever get started, anyway? Well, Father's Day began because way back in 1909 there was a woman in Spokane, Washington, named Sonora Louise Smart Dodd. That year she heard a church sermon about the merits of setting aside a day to honour one's mother. Mother's Day was just beginning to gather widespread attention in the United States at this time. But Sonora Louise Smart Dodd knew that it was her father who had selflessly raised herself and her five siblings by himself after their mother had died in childbirth. So the sermon on mothers gave Sonora Louise the idea to petition for a day to honour fathers, and in particular, her own father, William Jackson Smart.

Sonora Louise soon set about planning the first Father's Day celebration in Spokane in 1910. With support from the Spokane Ministerial Association and the YMCA, her efforts paid off, and a 'Father's Day' was appointed. Sonora Louise had wanted Father's Day to be on the first Sunday in June (since that was her father's birthday), but the city council didn't have time to approve it until later in the month. And so on June 19th, 1910, the first Father's Day was celebrated in Spokane.

Gradually, other people in other cities caught on and started celebrating their fathers, too. The rose was selected as the official Father's Day flower. Some people began to wear a white rose to honour a father who was dead, and a red one to honour a father who was living. Finally, in 1972, President Richard Nixon signed a presidential proclamation declaring the third Sunday of June as Father's Day - a permanent, national holiday.



### **Reasons for marriage**

Studying our wedding photos, my six-year-old asked, "Did you marry Dad because he was a vicar?" "Not at all," I replied. "Did you marry him because he was good-looking?" "No, not that either," I replied. "Did you marry him for his money?" "Definitely not," I laughed. "He didn't have any." "So," he concluded sadly, "you just felt sorry for him."





## God - the Three in One

This month we celebrate Trinity Sunday. The doctrine of the Trinity is one of the most important of the Christian faith, for it goes to the very heart of what God is like. The Bible is quite clear: there is one God, but He is revealed in three 'persons' – the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Have you ever wondered at what point in the Bible God is revealed as being more than one person? Well, you don't have to read very far: only to Genesis 1:26, where God (Elohim – a plural noun) says: Let US make man in OUR image. (Genesis 1:26)

The Bible reveals a pattern: God the Father lives in heaven and has never been seen. God the Son became the incarnate Jesus Christ, who made known to us the Father, and God the Holy Spirit, who is unseen, has been sent to live within and to equip His people, the Church.

The Trinity is basic to our salvation – for these three persons in the one Godhead have combined to save us from our sins: it is the WILL of the Father, the saving WORK of the Son, and the indwelling WITNESS of the Holy Spirit. (John 14:16, 23-26).

## The Bible Society to sponsor a garden at RHS Tatton Park

The Bible Society says it is "excited" to be sponsoring a garden based on Psalm 27 at the RHS Flower Show Tatton Park in July. Psalm 27 is a profound meditation on loss, fear and faith.

Inspired by designer Ollie Pike's reflections on burial grounds – "scenes of sadness, but also of hope and spiritual refreshment" – the Psalm 27 Garden will aim to lead visitors on a journey through pain to peace.

Ollie Pike first heard the psalm when attending a funeral. "Its hopeful message was very comforting at a time of sadness," he said.

"The psalm speaks to me of protection and to be hopeful. It gives a feeling of comfort in difficult moments and to have faith that things will improve."

The garden follows the Bible Society's sponsorship of Sarah Eberle's Psalm 23 Garden at the RHS Chelsea Flower Show in 2021. The Psalm 23 Garden won a gold medal, Best Sanctuary Garden and Best Construction.

The Bible Society hopes to use this garden to "introduce people to biblical wisdom, and to help them see that the Bible can speak to them today."

## Spiritual Disciplines: **Simplicity** by Canon Paul Hardingham

*‘Clutter is not just the stuff on your floor. It’s anything that stands between you and the life you want to be living.’ (Peter Walsh).*

The spiritual discipline of *simplicity* is about living more simply and ensuring that possessions don’t end up possessing us! Jesus expresses the heart of simplicity in the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 6:19-34). He emphasises trusting God, not worrying about material things but *‘seeking first his kingdom and his righteousness,’* (Matthew 6:33).

*‘The Christian Discipline of simplicity is an inward reality that results in an outward life-style. Both the inward and the outward aspects of simplicity are essential.’* (Richard Foster).

What happens in our hearts impacts the way we live our lives. But what does this look like in practice? Richard Foster lists a number of outward expressions of simplicity in his book *Celebration of Discipline*. These include:

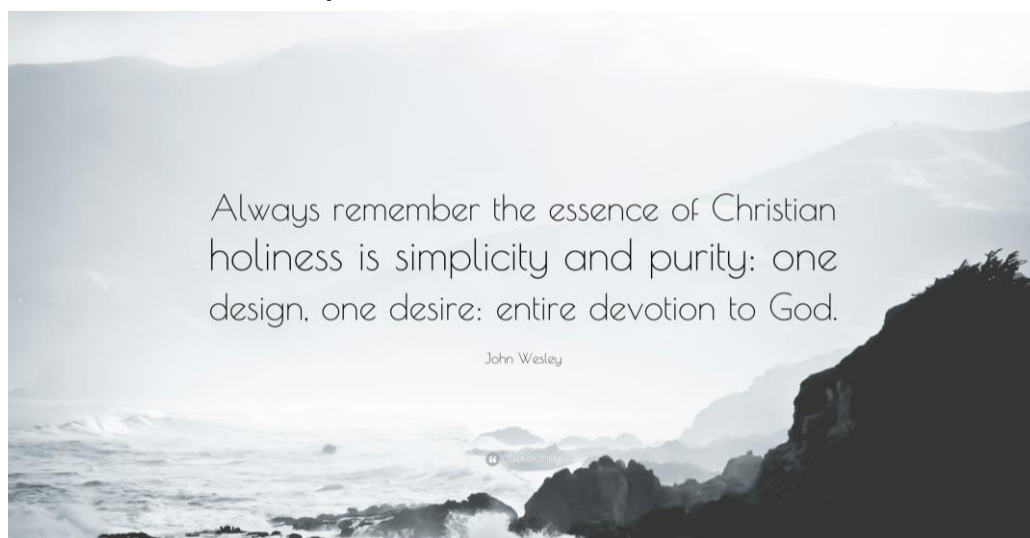
- Buy things for their usefulness rather their status value eg cars, clothes.
- Reject anything that is addictive to us eg drinks, TV, social media.
- Develop the habit of giving things away to others who need them.
- Don’t get caught up with buying the latest electronic gadget.
- Develop a deeper appreciation of creation.

How can we simplify our life?

Step 1: Find something that needs simplifying eg decluttering the house or limiting the time consuming TV or social media. It’s about stopping whatever prevents us from making the kingdom of God our top priority.

Step 2: Take time to reflect and write down how we will embrace simplicity in that area eg. stop using the phone one hour before bed and keeping it outside the bedroom.

Step 3: Ask someone to keep us accountable!





# News from Warmingham CE Primary School

The children returned to school enthusiastic to find out more about their study themes and excited about the events planned for this term – trips to the Bridgewater Hall, Blue Planet, Chester Cathedral, Liverpool Philharmonic Hall as well as two residentials. Sports' Day, Star picnic, swimming lessons and an end of year production which our Year 6 leavers will star in.

The term started with a special project to mark the King's Coronation. King Charles III is passionate about our environment and conservation. At Warmingham CE Primary, we share his passion and to commemorate his Coronation we have been working on some special projects which will encourage more wildlife into our grounds.



Otters Class (Reception) planted some flowers in old wellies.



Hedgehogs Class (Year 1/2) made wildflower seed bombs, which they later used to create a wildflower area by the school's front gate.





Squirrels Class (Year 3/4) planted some shrubs and bedding plants in the planters which we moved from the front of the school to the edge of the playground so the children can maintain them.



Badgers Class (Year 5/6) made some bird boxes for the woodland area. They then decorated them with paintings of wildflowers, bees, butterflies, and ladybirds inspired by the invitation for the coronation which was created by Andrew Jamieson. The whole school also worked with a local artist to create some willow sculptures of hens and geese for our woodland.

The children's work has been on display in the Children's Chapel for the King's Coronation and the Wakes. The following link will take you to a short film showcasing the children's amazing work -

<https://www.warminghamce.cheshire.sch.uk/work/coronation-of-king-charles-iii/81798>







Residential are always one of the highlights of the school year for the children and the staff. Squirrels and Badgers Class spent three fun filled days at the Christian Mountain Centre in Pensarn Harbour rock climbing on real cliff faces, developing their survival skills, kayaking, canoeing, orienteering, playing on the beach and singing around a campfire. These experiences will have taken the children out of their comfort zone and are essential for their personal growth as they develop an appetite for trying new things.

The following link will take you to a short film of the residential -

<https://www.warminghamce.cheshire.sch.uk/work/pensarn-harbour-residential/81665>

One of the highlights of the school year is the Warmingham Wakes. Over the last term the children have been singing with Mrs Henry, our music specialist whilst Mrs Allen has been working her magic with our Maypole Dancers.

The following link will take you to clip of their amazing dancing –

<https://fb.watch/kymaAnPT3z/>

It's wonderful being able to come together with the local community to help raise money for our church.



# St Peter's June Book of Remembrance

- 1st Wilfred Edge (1989)
- 2nd Maurice Lea Sherwin (2004)
- 5th Malcolm Gary Mason (1991)
- 6th Michael John Tams (1996)
- 7th John William Maddock (1917), Florence Anne Fleet (1962), Arthur William Edge (1985), Eunice Wilson (2007), Valerie Mary Keen (2013)
- 8th Lawrence Hough (1992), Elizabeth Mary Fleet (2001), Patricia (Pat) Evanson (2020)
- 9th Robert James Douglas Keith Chalmers (Priest) (1923), Beryl Boliver (2014)
- 10th Samuel Forster (1938)
- 12th Doreen Patricia Chesters (2002)
- 17th Ronald Bramall (1986), Philip Rossiter (1998), Ruth Stockton (2005)
- 20th Edith Jones (1962)
- 22nd John Newton (1910)
- 23rd Thomas Lea Sherwin (1984), Olive Whitehead (2016)
- 27th James Turnbull (1995), Patricia Birchall (1998), Reginald Geldart (2003)
- 28th Phyllis Morrey (2004), Brenda Chipman (2014)
- 29th Ronald Rimmer (1998), James Curzon Powell (2002)
- 30th Sheila Mavis Horne (2018), Alexander MacGregor McDonald (2018)

## Worried that your life is changing beyond recall?

A wise farmer rotates his crops. No one thing should always be grown in the same place. In fact, change and diversity are the key to long-term health. It is the same for us: for us to be at our most productive, we must not be surprised if God suddenly rests us from 'growing corn,' and gives us something else to do instead. Often it is something we would never have imagined!

Life is lived in seasons: in each of our lives, there is a time to do this, a time to do that. Too many of us lose our sense of self-worth and direction because we don't understand when we're leaving one season and entering another in life. We struggle and want to hang on to what we had.

But sometimes God wants to give us something *new*, to make us productive at every stage of our life. God will never put you in a place too small to grow. You may be asked to grow in ways that seem uncomfortable at first, but He is out to develop you fully, in every aspect of your being – not just the ones at which you are already good!



# Warmingham Village News

## June Diary Dates

Wednesday 7th	W.I. Meeting	Village Hall	7.30pm
Tuesday 13th	Walk `n Talk	Sandbach	9.30am

## Warmingham & District W.I

Members of the W.I. thoroughly enjoyed the Coronation Celebration Supper at the May meeting. The hall and tables were gaily decorated and there was bubbly to toast the King and a Coronation cake cleverly made by Sue Hill. The supper was followed by a talk on "That Certain Age" from visiting speaker Gay Rhodes.





The next meeting is on **Wednesday 7th June** when the speaker will be Roslyn Charlesworth who will tell us about The Air Ambulance.

The **Craft Group** meet once a month on a Friday afternoon in Sandbach.

The **Book Group** meet on the third Monday of the month.

The **Darts Team** meet at the Market Tavern on Monday lunchtimes.

The W.I. meetings are held in the Village Hall on the first Wednesday in the month at 7.30pm. Visitors are always welcome and for further information please contact Caroline on 01270 526022.

## Walk 'n Talk

In May, seven of us walked from the Anderton Marina at Northwich along the canal and through Marbury Country Park to the Mere. We returned to the Stanley Arms for lunch.





## Canal Trip

Some W.I. members took a trip along the Macclesfield canal on 5th May from Scholar Green to Bosley Locks. On the return journey, they stopped for lunch at The Queen's Head in Congleton. Thanks to Mike and Clive who steered the boat admirably.



The next walk is on **Tuesday 13th June** when we travel into Staffordshire for the walk followed by lunch/afternoon tea near Leek. Please meet at the earlier time of 9.30am at Waitrose lower car park in Sandbach.

Please let Helan know if you plan to come as we need definite numbers for booking the meal - tel: 01606 841711.

Items for Village News should be sent to [helan.isherwood@sky.com](mailto:helan.isherwood@sky.com)



### DIY

Our churchwarden has the courage, but not always the skills, to tackle any DIY job that needs doing around the church. For example, in the church shed are still pieces of the church lawn mower that she once tried to fix. So, our vicar wasn't surprised the day he found her in the vestry, attacking the vacuum cleaner with a screwdriver. "This thing won't cooperate," she complained.

The vicar thought for a moment: "Why don't you drag it out to the shed and show it what you did to the lawn mower?"

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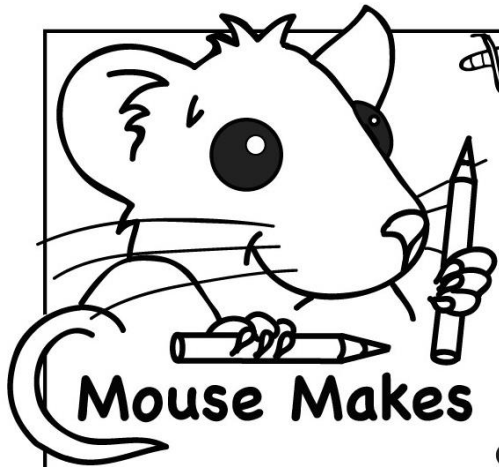


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The Lord said to Moses,  
 "Your brother Aaron shall tell Pharaoh  
 to let the people of Israel go out of his land...  
 The Egyptians shall know that I AM the Lord  
 when I stretch out my hand against Egypt..."  
 As Pharaoh's heart was hardened against the  
 Israelites, God sent ten plagues upon him...

1

**Water turns to Blood**  
 Which water turned  
 to blood?  
*Read - Exodus 7:19*

2

**A Swarm of Frogs**  
 In which  
 places were the  
 frogs found?  
*Read - Exodus 8:3-4*

3

**A Plague of Gnats**  
 When Aaron struck his  
 staff on the ground  
 what became Gnats?  
*Read - Exodus 8:16-17*

4

**Swarms of Flies**  
 In which land were the  
 flies not be found?  
*Read - Exodus 8:22*

5

**Death of Animals**  
 Which animals that belonged  
 to the Egyptians died?  
*Read - Exodus 9:2*



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 T M A N W A T E R  
 M O S E S R W R O  
 C R F S N I L E U  
 F I R S T B O R N  
 I V O K N L C F D  
 R E G H W O U I E  
 E R S A K O S S A  
 H W I N D T H T  
 I L F L I E S E H

GOD • PLAGUES • MOSES • AARON  
 WATER • BLOOD • STAFF • RIVER • NILE • FISH  
 FROGS • SWARM • GNATS • DUST • FLIES  
 GROUND • DEATH • ANIMALS • SOOT  
 BOILS • PEOPLE • HAIL • THUNDER • FIRE  
 MAN • BEAST • LOCUSTS • WIND • LAND  
 DARKNESS • FIRSTBORN • MIDNIGHT

6

**A Break out of Boils**  
 What did Moses throw into  
 the air before boils appeared  
 on people and animals?  
*Read - Exodus 9:10*

7

**A Rain of Hail**  
 What also rained  
 down with the hail?  
 Where did it not hail?  
*Read - Exodus 9:24-26*

8

**A Swarm of Locusts**  
 Where did the wind  
 come from that brought  
 the locusts to the land?  
*Read - Exodus 10:13*

9

**Darkness over the Land**  
 How many days did  
 it remain dark?  
*Read - Exodus 10:21-22*

10

**Death of the Firstborn**  
 At what time would the  
 firstborn in the land die?  
*Read - Exodus 11:4-6*



