

WELCOME

Welcome to August's ONLINE edition of the Focal Point magazine. I hope you enjoy reading this issue. Make sure to check in every month for the next edition. **Thank you** for reading online. Please tell your friends, family, neighbours, dogs or anyone who may be interested in staying up to date with Holme, Winthorpe and Langford.

QUICK UPDATES BEFORE YOU GET READING...

It is with great apologies that the deadline in the paper copies is obviously incorrect. Please see the updated deadline on Page 1.

Please note the Church service on the 30th of August is held at LANGFORD, not WINTHORPE (as published in the paper copy)!

There are 7 missing pictures throughout the paper issue, due to a technical error in the Publisher file. The pictures have been restored in this online edition, but not in the paper one. If you have a paper copy, I apologise for the blank spaces. **PLEASE pass on this message to others in the villages.** Thank you very much! - Lizzie Wakefield - Editor

FOCAL POINT

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NOTICES

Make sure to check out Winthorpe village's website to keep up with all the latest news, as well as Holme village's website (Not Secure)!

Okay... things are changing (but hopefully they are for the good). This edition is definitely a change for the previous lockdown editions. In order to adapt with the lifting of some lockdown restrictions, the Focal Point is going to contain more articles with upcoming events, clubs and communal activities.

On top of that, it's getting more organised! I have created a table of contents with the 7 categories but primarily the 5 categories (see below). I hope this new format makes it easier for you all to read and navigate throughout the magazine.

And I know, you were probably confused that there was no difference in the front cover. I understand. But all will be revealed in the next page.

Overall, I would summarise this edition as being **Reflecting on the past, Taking in the present and Looking forward to the future.** Especially, after lockdown I myself feel more grateful for

everything I have and am excited to see what the future holds.

As always, I would like to greatly thank the clubs and communal places for contributing articles this month after four months of lockdown. And don't forget to support local businesses during these challenging times.

Oh yes! There is also a photo of me (Lizzie Wakefield), just in case you want to have a chat next time you see me in the villages.

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DEADLINE

SEPTEMBER'S EDITION

AUGUST 21ST 2020



CALLING ALL VILLAGERS!



UPDATE ON THE FRONT COVER! - from Lizzie

Well, unfortunately, the front cover has to be postponed for another month. My room at the moment is flooded with many printed copies of front cover designs with countless amounts of annotations, scribbles and highlighted points.

I am working with the Parish Council (and my very honest mum) to ensure the Focal Point gets the best front cover. However, I must admit and I quote my mum: the current design (credit to Cliff Newbold) is "bulletproof" and very difficult to create a better layout. Therefore, I rather delay the adaptation and judging process in order to achieve a better outcome.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH




Thank you Fiona for sending such a well reflecting quote that really focuses on this edition's theme. I love how this poem reminds us to show gratitude for even the smallest of things.

DIGITAL / E-COPY OF THE MAGAZINE

Did you know there are online versions of the Focal Point? Don't worry if you did not. Just in case your paper copy gets lost, chewed up by the dog, falls down the sideboard or you simply want friends/ family outside of the villages to see it, the Focal Point will always be there! And guess what... it's in COLOUR! Make sure to go to the Winthorpe Village website at <https://www.winthorpe.org.uk> > **Media > Village Magazine > Current & Back Issues > Select An Edition > Voila, you are there!**

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COLLINGHAM MEDICAL CENTRE

Seasonal Flu Vaccination Campaign 2020

We will be holding 3 Saturday morning flu clinics on

Saturday 26 September 2020, from 8.00 am – 12.30 pm
Saturday 10 October 2020, from 8.00 am – 12.30 pm
Saturday 31 October 2020, from 8.00 am – 12.30 pm

We are aiming to vaccinate 100% of eligible patients this year, as defined by NHS guidelines. We may be able to open our offer beyond those eligible after 31 October 2020 (dependent on stocks/uptake).


Due to COVID social distancing measures, our Saturday clinics will focus on patients who are able to walk and stand unaided for up to 20 minutes. No seating available. Vaccinations will be administered with patients stood up and a strict one-way system through the Practice will be in operation. Face masks must be worn. Please attend alone, unless a family member is also booked for flu vaccination.

For patients with mobility issues we will be holding weekday flu clinics. Our PCAs will triage at the time of booking.


Housebound patients will be contacted by the practice in due course.

These are appointment only clinics. Appointments will be available to book from August. Please contact the number below or ask at Reception.

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VE DAY CYCLE RIDE CELEBRATION

I have posted a video of my little bike ride around Winthorpe village on May 8th to record the VE Day 75th Anniversary Street Parties.

With Lee Cammack's help and advice I have posted it on Youtube and Lee has placed a link to click onto, on the Winthorpe Village website.

You can find it under **the 'Media' tab in the 'News' section**. It's just under 15 minutes long with a musical backing track. Just click on the title photo and the video should play on your device or TV.

Note: I was maybe a little too early for many households but I wanted to do it whilst I was still safe to ride a bike!

- Robert Warriner



Attached below is a link to video of a cycle ride around the village on VE Day 2020
completed by Bob Warriner
<https://www.winthorpe.org.uk/ve-day-cycle-ride>



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"THANK YOU, LORD NELSON!"

I am just a hobby potter, I have a wheel and tiny kiln in my garden, and using these have kept me going during lockdown and out of husband Steve's way!

To say Thank You to Emilie and the team, I made this special vase to mark this crazy period in our local village life. I hope people will see it when they finally feel able to step inside our amazing village asset again.

I do feel like I'm the only person building monuments these days- everyone else wants to knock them down!

- Valerie Preston (Fine and Dandy Pots)

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THREE WHEELER WALKER FOR DONATION

We have a three wheeler walker, like new as only used a few times, which belonged to a late Winthorpe resident. It has a strong steel frame, adjustable height, carries items and provides support. If interested please phone **John and Barbara Nelson 01636703889**. A small donation to Beaumont House would be appreciated.



NEWARK FOODBANK



The most recent delivery from Winthorpe villagers to Newark Foodbank weighed in at 55.4 kg. This is another high total. Thank you. Thanks also for the cash donation received recently. The Foodbank tell me that cash donations at present are being used to buy extras, and also to help with the rent for the second warehouse unit they have had to rent to cope with the increased supply and demand. Thank you everyone.

The donation point in Winthorpe is the **black swing bin at the side of my front door, 11 Gainsborough Road.** Donations can be placed in there 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. It is checked daily.



Thank you Winthorpe for coming up trumps yet again.

Jane White



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Shortfall Items

Food

- Tinned Carrots
- Sponge Puddings (Tinned or Microwaveable)
- Sugar (500g or 1Kg)
- Chocolate Biscuit Bars (eg: KitKat/Penguin)

Additional Items

- Shower Gel

Please do not donate FRESH food items. Also, check that your donation is well inside its use-by date. We cannot distribute out of date food.

Always needed

Food

- Breakfast Cereal
- Long Life Milk
- Long Life Fruit Juice (not squash)
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Tinned Meat – serve cold or serve hot
- Tinned Potatoes
- Instant Mashed Potato
- Instant Pasta Packet Meals
- Pasta Sauce
- Packets of Rice (dried)
- All Tinned Vegetables
- Tinned Hot Dogs or Meat Balls
- Tinned Sweetcorn
- Tinned Fish
- Vegetarian Alternatives – Tinned Vegetable Curry etc.
- Tinned/Carton Custard
- Tinned Rice Pudding

- Tinned Fruit
- Tea Bags – 40's or 80's NOT 240/260/280's please
- Jam
- Cereal Bars
- Chocolate / Sweets
- Biscuits (eg: digestive/custard cream/ginger nut)
- Chocolate biscuits

Additional Items

- Laundry liquitabs/tablets
- Washing Up Liquid
- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Hand Wash Gel
- Liquid Hand Soap
- Toilet Rolls
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes

Items of which we have a plentiful supply:

- Baked Beans
- Coffee
- Feminine hygiene
- Pasta
- Tinned/Packet Soup

- Our warehouse continues to be well stocked. However, we are grateful for all regular donations, especially the shortfall items.
- Please take your donation to one of our many collection points in supermarkets. See our website for a complete list.



<http://newark.foodbank.org.uk/>



THE LORD NELSON

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Hi Folks,

We hope you are all well and enjoying catching up with families and friends as restrictions are lifted. It has been lovely to see so many of you joining us for a drink or meal in the pub and continuing to support our takeaways. We will be taking advantage of the governments 'Eat out to help out' scheme throughout August and will reinstate a food offering on a Tuesday although this will be a limited selection. All you have to do is dine with us on a Tuesday or Wednesday and you will get 50% off your food up to a maximum of £10 per person.



Unfortunately, given we were pretty much operating as a not-for-profit organisation before the Covid-19 pandemic, we have not been able to weather the Corona Storm. With great regret, we have had to give notice to Enterprise that we will be passing the lease back to them. The current team will be closing the doors on the 20th September, with food service and the shop closing on the 13th September.

As Directors, we have loved every minute of the 4 years we've been at the helm of the Lord Nelson, a pub that is so dear to so many people, given the weddings, birthdays and celebrations that have taken place here over the years. It's also been very special for us, as we've watched our families grow up here over the years. Having hosted everything from our Pub Quiz, fashion shows, Santa's Grotto and yoga in the garden, to gin tasting, bingo, and our four unforgettable New Years Eve parties, we've been exceptionally proud to be a member of this amazing Winthorpe community.



We hope Enterprise will find a new tenant to seamlessly pick up the reins, and we will support them in doing so. Our customers can help make this happen by continuing to support the pub as an active, thriving business is a more attractive proposition.


We remain committed to supporting the village right up until the last pint is pulled. If you need any help or assistance with shopping or food, or you are concerned about someone in Winthorpe or the surrounding villages, please do not hesitate to give us a call.



With our best wishes,


Em, Dave, Oli and Martyn





**WE NEED
YOU!**

SUPPORT BUSINESSES



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We need YOUR support! Many businesses (especially local businesses in the community) rely on your vital support to continue their services. So, if you can in any way help out a business near you either by requesting their service - that would be greatly appreciated. Share the community spirit!



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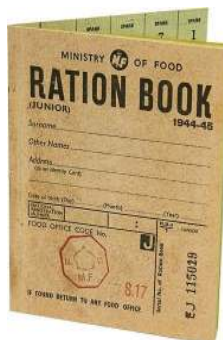


WINTHORPE ALLOTMENTS



Have you ever thought the origins of the humble allotment?

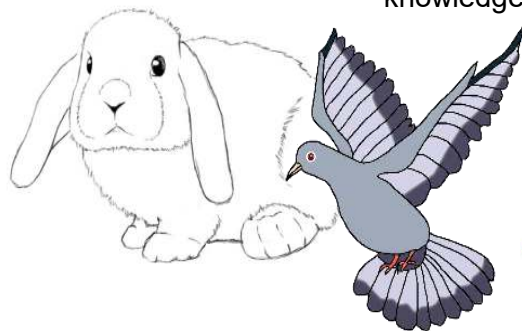
Many people say they were started during the world wars providing vitally needed food in times of rationing. Indeed, allotments were very important back then, providing some 1.3 million tons of food during world war two. However, allotments go back as far as the 1500's and became gradually formalized into law when the 1887 Allotments Act obliged local authorities to provide allotments if there was a demand for them. Winthorpe Allotment Association is kindly supported by the Parish Council as landlords of the site.



Can you measure a countries economic performance by the number of allotments?

Demand for allotments peaked at 1.4 million allotment plots during world war two, falling rapidly as the country rose in prosperity. At around 330,000 plots in the UK today, demand for allotments increased during 2008 financial crisis and again during this current Covid pandemic. Winthorpe allotment has 31 plots which are all currently fully occupied by some seasoned professionals and some newcomers to growing their own vegetables and fruits. All share knowledge and experiences, and the result

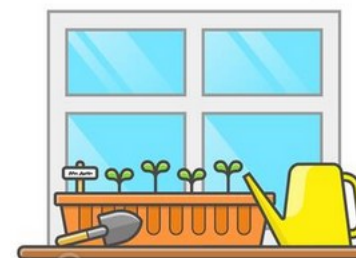
this year is a bumper crop, of which we donate a generous percentage to the local rabbits & pigeons.



Never too late to grow

The year is not over if you want to grow a few vegetables yourself in your garden or window box. A simple place to start is to sow some radish, lamb's lettuce, rocket or spinach. All of these will give you a great harvest given sufficient water, plant food, and tender loving care. If you get the green finger bug, then please email me to get your name on the waiting list for the Winthorpe allotment association, it costs less than 50p per week, membership starts from late October.

miles.harriman@hotmail.com ref: Winthorpe Allotment



VJ DAY

VJ CELEBRATIONS

VJ DAY

DON'T FORGET: Pocklington Crescent are having another street party on 15th August 2020 those forgotten soldiers who fought a forgotten war. Remember to put out your flags and join them to give those men the accolade they so rightly deserve. Social distancing to be observed if required.



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WINTHORPE WITH LANGFORD PARISH COUNCIL



On Thursday 16th July 2020, the Parish Council held its Annual Parish meeting followed by the Monthly Parish Council meeting. These meetings were held in the garden at the Lord Nelson to comply with the Covid 19 social distancing regulations.

The Parish accounts have now been audited and they will be available for inspection from 2nd August for 30 working days. Please contact me if you require a copy.

The ongoing problem of rabbits around the play park on the Community Centre was discussed. The Council is to appoint a specialist to deal with this issue. This work will commence in September and take a number of visits to deal with the matter. I will keep you advised, via the village website, with the dates when this is due to take place.

The Council were updated regarding the travellers site alongside the A1. The decision from the Local Authority was appealed and it is unlikely that a final decision will be made on this matter before the end of the year.

The Council have asked its District Councillors to contact N.S.D.C. see if "Smiley Face" speed awareness signs can be placed in the village to try and control traffic speeds throughout the village. This is in addition to using a "speed gun" in the village. I will keep you updated on developments.

There is no Parish Council meeting in August so I wish you all a good summer in these difficult times and look forward to contacting you again in September.

As always you can email me at the address below.

Mrs Sally Sillery – Parish Clerk

parishclerkatwinthorpe@outlook.com.



100 CLUB

- July's Winners -



1st	£46.20	E. Holt
2nd	£23.10	V. Preston
3rd	£7.70	P. Finn

Congratulations to July's winners and many thanks to all villagers for your continued support. You can join in the draw by contributing £2 per month, information is available from:

Duncan Richardson on duncrichardson@sky.com

WINTHORPE GARDENING CLUB

I hope you are all well and keeping safe. This dreadful pandemic has put into perspective our disappointment over missing out on our planned outings and programme of speakers. These are things that can be rearranged for the future, as to when, who knows.



On a positive note, is it just me, or have garden flowers been more spectacular this year? With lockdown and more enforced time at home our gardens have become a haven and reminder of constancy in these troubling times.

- Ian Wilson



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WINTHORPE W.I.



Hello everyone. I hope you are all keeping well and safe. Thank goodness we managed to have our Annual Meeting in March. It is now four months since we have been able to have a W.I. meeting and I am missing our happy meetings, so hopefully it will not be long before we can all meet up. At the end of June we managed a Committee meeting outside, socially distanced. As you know we do not have a W.I. meeting in August. However we discussed the possibility of holding an outdoor meeting hopefully in September – afternoon tea party in manageable groups. This is of course dependent on the Coronavirus situation and our English weather.

How are you all keeping occupied? Have you been creative, learned new skills? Denman are having remote learning courses on line and MY W.I. have short video skills. I know of three people in the village doing Tai Chi through Zoom once a week.

As you know we pay our subscriptions in January. However NFWI have extended the date subs are due until the 31st March 2021. There are no County envelopes but we are still receiving the Hornblower. I send my good wishes to you all.

Virginia
W.I. President

TEA TIME



COLLINGHAM BOWLS CLUB



Friendly social bowls is now taking place each Friday evening at the club. 6pm for a 6.30pm start. 4 woods, flat soled shoes and casual clothes are all that is needed. Players must bring their own woods. Come along and have some fun, non-members welcome. Safety and social distancing procedures will be followed at all times. Plenty of parking at the Dale Field site, next to Collingham Cricket Club. For further information contact Nina Ward on ninajward@live.co.uk



LUNCH CLUB IN AUGUST



The August Lunch Club will sadly not be held at 12.30p.m. on **Monday, August 3rd, 2020** at the Community Centre.

Although Restaurants are now allowed to be open our Lunch Club still cannot meet as a group of over 40 and be socially distanced at table. The Community Centre has yet to open its doors so I am afraid we will have to be patient a little longer. Until then 'Stay Safe' everyone.

Tish Applewhite



NEWARK TENNIS CLUB



The club has already embarked on an 8 - week coaching programme for juniors and adults which concludes on August 10th. The programme will re-commence in September, after the school holidays. Further full details in the September issue.



COLLINGHAM RAMBLERS



The committee is presently working hard to produce a programme of short, small group, local walks for September, following the latest advice from the Ramblers Association. Provisional dates are September 6th, 16th and 20th. Full walk details and booking procedures in the September issue.



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News from Langford Lowfields

We were delighted to welcome our volunteers back onto site after the lockdown on Sunday 5th July. It was great to see everyone and to get some good work done! The first job was to pull the ragwort in our hay cutting areas. Ragwort is poisonous to livestock, so the hay we make and sell for animal feed has to be ragwort free. We usually get about 65 bales of good quality hay from our grasslands, which makes us a bit of money to put back into running of the reserve. Hay cutting also benefits the grassland itself. By doing a late season hay cut, we allow the wildflowers to go to seed. Wildflowers also don't like a lot of nutrients in the soil. Therefore cutting and removing the bulk of the plant material means that there isn't too much vegetation to rot down and add nutrients to the soil.



RAGWORT

The volunteers have also been busy doing some fencing repairs along the western edge of the site. This fencing was damaged when we flooded back in March, so it is good to finally get the repairs done.



GREAT WHITE EGRET

We have had some good wildlife on site recently, with the highlights being the four Great White Egrets. These birds have been getting more common in the UK over the last few years and are great to see, especially when stood next to a Little Egret and the size difference can be appreciated! Other wildlife sightings include Peregrine, Bittern, several Black-tailed Godwits, Hobbys, Yellow-legged Gulls and some unseasonable records of winter visitors including Goldeneye, Wigeon and Grey Wagtail.

The site is nearly fully open now, with both the visitor trails and the 360 viewing area open. We hope to be able to open the boardwalk, bridge and Beach Hut soon.




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 At age 35 success is... Having money
 At age 50 success is... Having money
 At age 70 success is... Having a driving licence
 At age 75 success is... Having friends
 At age 80 success is... Not piddling in your pants!



School Punishment Register

1920 idleness. Bullying a new boy. Burning floor and form with a hot poker!

1921 throwing stones and punching a girl's leg!

1922 throwing stones. Insolence in a lesson.

1922 idiotic giggling for no apparent reason.

1923 this silly habit of catching each other's eye and smiling for no apparent reason, has always been a peculiarity of this school!

Making unnecessary noises with a ruler. Struggling with his teacher, Miss James.

1924. Throwing stones at the church bell. Came to school late and said his mother told him to say that he should always come late, if kept in the previous day. On telling him that I should give him a black mark, he muttered that I could give him two if I liked!

Interfering with Helen Muir, by throwing stones at her watering can!

1925 exhibiting an indecent picture!

1927 going to the cupboard when being told not to! Imitating a boy who had been sick! Using obscene words! Taking iron from the blacksmith's shop!

1929 placing hot nails across the road to puncture tyres!

1931 striking notes on a piano.

1934 squirting water from a water pistol over strangers passing the school.

1936 the final entry was my favourite uncle who was caned for throwing turf at another boy!

How life has changed.

(found in an old book of a village of Cornwall)

POEM



My Aunt, she died a month ago
 And left me all her riches.
 A feather bed, a wooden leg
 And a pair of calico breeches.
 A coffee pot without a spout,
 A mug without a handle.
 A baccy box without a lid
 And half a farthing candle!



Something a little different... This double page spread is now going to be the 'Entertainment' section. In fact, all of these activities have been kindly sent in by our regular contributor, Fiona Wright. Thank you Fiona! I hope you all enjoy solving a few anagrams or even having a little giggle reading either a poem or a reflection of the past.

The previous page is all about learning from the past and looking forward to the future.



KITCHEN ANAGRAMS

Kitchen words tangle. (anagrams)

- | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. SAW HIS HERD | 9. MET KILT SLOB |
| 2. I MOVE ONE VW CAR | 10. OH BANGLE OH |
| 3. PO SCOURER REEKS | 11. FANNY GRIP |
| 4. PULSATA | 12. BLOWING UP SHAW |
| 5. GREATER FRIOR | 13. BARGAINS US |
| 6. LOVES NO VEG | 14. STOP AT A DENT |
| 7. RING NO PILL | 15. TASTE POOR PUP |
| 8. SAUNA PECS | |

Answers will be revealed next month (September's edition).

AUGUST'S REFLECTIONS



Dear Friends.



How are you? I hope you're keeping safe and well and watching out for each other, because as well as all the risks and limitations which this pandemic has brought, sadly it's not the only disease available. Indeed, it feels as though our villages have had more than our fair share of bereavement, not that grief is ever shared out evenly or fairly. Also, many of us can't enjoy the new freedom to travel, go shopping or to the pub, so we need to carry on caring for our

neighbours in every way that we can, even when it's difficult or when shyness, past hurts or embarrassment get in the way.

As social restrictions continue and put a hold on our community events, I find that Saturdays are the strangest day of the week for me now. Normally on summer Saturdays I have at least two major events in my diary. Maybe a wedding and a summer fair or a cream tea and a concert or other equally pleasant duties, but this year I've made it as far as August without so much as a go on the church tombola stall.

However, Saturdays haven't turned into lazy days, because they are the days when I record a church service which everyone can watch on YouTube. I couldn't do this without my camera crew (husband Phil) and willing volunteers from each church, so many thanks to them. I hope you've enjoyed joining in the services from home and do watch out for a service from All Saints Winthorpe on August 2nd.

If you haven't watched one yet, please do so, you can find them on our website
www.easttrentchurches.org.uk
 where you'll also find news about all our churches.



We are carrying on making videos of church services, which you can watch at home, but now we also have services in church, with social distancing and hand sanitising rules. Thank you to our church-wardens who've worked so hard to look after our church buildings and get them ready for opening. You can find out when and where our churches are open for services or private prayer on the website or on facebook @ EastTrentChurches

We hope that by providing a variety of ways in which we can all join in prayer and worship, we are caring for our neighbours. 2020 has certainly brought us many new opportunities of obeying Jesus' words:

This is my commandment that you love one another as I have loved you. (John's Gospel chapter 15, verse 12.)

So let's do all we can to obey that commandment.

Stay safe, stay well and God bless you.

Revd Mandy.



ANOTHER QUOTE OF THE MONTH

In the light of eternity, we're here for a very short time, really. We're here for one thing, ultimately: to learn how to love, because God is love. Love is our origin, love is our ground, and love is our destiny.

By James Finley, a Christian Mystic: This is something I wish I'd written myself, because I think that in the end, love is what is going to last. Also, as I get older, I am beginning to realise that I'm only here for a short time, so I'll try not to waste my lessons in learning how to love. - **Revd. Mandy's Comments**

JAMES FINLEY



ALL SAINTS
WINTHORPE
CHURCH NOTICES



I cannot believe I am writing notes for August!! The year is flying by and so much is changing every day that these notes will have incorrect information included by the time it goes to press!

The newest change was that we held services in church in July! It was so good to be able to have a Communion Service, a Morning Worship and an Evening Prayer albeit socially distanced with no singing (I cannot wait for that guideline to change).



There will sadly be no live Communion Service in August as Mandy cannot move from one church to another on the same day so it will be Girton's turn. There will however be a recorded Communion Service on YouTube on August 2nd filmed from All Saints.

There is some news to relate with regard to the boiler replacement. Hopefully Derry's will be starting at the beginning of September but it may be earlier. It must be very difficult for companies to know when to unfurlough staff – this is the reason why work

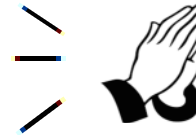
might be able to start earlier. Whenever it does start the church will be given over completely for the installation and so will be unable to host services or Private Prayer for a period of time (hopefully only two to three weeks). Please bear with us with this project which will result in a far more comfortable visit to church over the winter period.

We sadly have had two village families lose loved ones last month; Paul Stevenson and Martin Wilkins whose funerals were taken by Mandy. We remember them and their families in our prayers. We also remember anyone ill or hospitalised at this time.

Tish Applewhite, Churchwarden (643763)



Church Services for AUGUST 2020



Sunday August 2nd (8 th after Trinity)	9.00a.m.	Holy Communion	Holme
	Video HC	Service on Youtube from	All Saints
Sunday 9th (9 th after Trinity)	10.30a.m.	Holy Communion	Winthorpe
Sunday 16th (10 th after Trinity)	10.15a.m.	Morning Worship	Winthorpe
Sunday 30th (12 th after Trinity)	6p.m.	Lammastide Service	Langford

If anyone would like to access Mandy's Services and Reflections they can be found on the ETG website at: www.easttrentchurches.org.uk and also on Revd. Mandy's You Tube channel : www.youtube.com/channel/UCyOrOizzizP-8Il74FHxk-w

Notes on **Donations** taken from the ETG website: The ministry and mission of our East Trent churches has never been more needed. The work of our churches is reliant on people's generosity, particularly as we have lost several of our regular income streams since being in lockdown, owing to the cancellation of weddings and other events, and we are so grateful for all the gifts we receive. This generosity is a hallmark of a lived-out faith and a testament to it. If you are able to give to us now, here's how you can help. Either directly into our bank account: Acc Name: **Parochial Church Council of Winthorpe** Sort Code: **40-34-08** Acc Number: **5301234**. Alternatively, speak with the Treasurer, Tish Applewhite (643763). Thank you.



Sat	1st		Yorkshire Day & Lammas Day!
Mon	3rd		Silver Bin
Fri	7th	6:00pm	Collingham Bowls Club (see pg.14)
Sun	9th		Rice Pudding Day!
Mon	10th		Green & Brown Bin
Mon	10th	Pg.15	Newark Tennis Club— Tennis Coaching Begins
Thur	13th		National Allotment Week! -Theme: "Living & Growing"
Fri	14th	6:00pm	Collingham Bowls Club (see pg.14)
Mon	17th		Silver Bin
Wed	19th		VJ Day Celebrations - Remember to put your flags out! (see pg. 11)
Fri	21st	6:00pm	Collingham Bowls Club (see pg.14)
Mon	24th		Green & Brown Bin
Fri	28th	6:00pm	Collingham Bowls Club (see pg.14)
Mon	31st		Summer Bank Holiday - Last Bank Holiday before Christmas!
Mon	31st		Silver Bin

DID YOU KNOW? Lammas Day is the FIRST HARVEST festival of the year (particularly celebrating wheat harvest). Traditionally, a loaf of bread was made with the new harvest of wheat and given to the church.

NB BIN COLLECTIONS IN HOLME VILLAGE ON FRIDAYS

Village organisations and local bodies – if at any time you would like to get in touch with a village contact, why not try the village website

www.winthorpe.org.uk

BYE FOR NOW!

I hope that you check in online, next month. Thank you for reading. Let me know (Lizzie, your FP Editor) if you have any suggestions for future editions . And don't forget to tell others about the online copies, especially if they want to see it in COLOUR!

PLEASE make sure to pass on these three messages:

- 7 photos are missing throughout the paper issue due to a technical error in the Publisher file. But don't worry, it will hopefully not happen in the future.
- On the 30th of August (at 6pm) the Lammastide Service is held at LANGFORD, not WINTHORPE (on the paper copy).
- Please ignore the incorrect deadline on the paper copy