

**The Parish of
Swaledale with Arkengarthdale**

PARISH NEWSLETTER



October / November 2009

St. Andrew's, Grinton

St. Mary's Arkengarthdale

St. Mary's, Muker

Holy Trinity, Low Row

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From the Vicarage

As I write, we are into the season of Harvest Thanksgiving. This year, from our Harvest collections, we are supporting two good causes - the Baker family, who visited us in May, and are now working in Africa to help Christians there to create and learn appropriate worship music for their churches (www.robaker.org), and one closer to home, The Jonas Centre in Redmire in Wensleydale, working with families in need from across this region (www.jonascentre.org/).

You will find details in this newsletter about the services for Remembrance Sunday and for an All Souls Service, which is for anyone who wants to come together with others to remember a loved one who has died. More details are in this newsletter; do contact me if you want to talk about this.

Caroline

From the Registers

Marriages

1 August	Paul Jackman & Alice Davies	Grinton
19 September	John Pybus & Elizabeth Strover	Grinton

Funerals

24 August	Joseph Alan Slavin	Grinton & Darlington Crem.
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Parish Notice Board

Monday 5 October, 7.30pm, at a service in Bowes Church - Anne Tunley will be licensed as a Reader for our parish.

The Children's Society

Very many thanks to the 20 boxholders who contributed £382.43 for The Children's Society. Thank you all for your generosity.

More information about The Children's Society is available on their website

www.childrenssociety.org.uk.

Christmas cards can be ordered on line or ring 01227 811 611 to request a catalogue.

If you would like to become a boxholder please contact Pauline Oldershaw on 01748 886790.

Tuesday 6 October, 2pm - Christian Aid meeting at Low Row URC.

Wednesday 7 October, 7.30pm - Swaledale Christian Council meeting at Reeth Methodist Church.

Monday 2 November, 7.30pm - Standing Committee meeting at The Vicarage

Monday 23 November, 7.30pm at The Vicarage - A meeting for all who lead intercessions in our parish. We will review together and share ideas for Advent & Christmas. Please let the Vicar know if you plan to come.

Thursday 26 November, 7.30pm - Swaledale Christian Council Advent Service at St. Andrew's, Grinton.

Monday 30 November, 7.30pm – Bishop’s Advent Lecture & Eucharist at Ripon Cathedral.
All welcome.

Tuesday 1 December, 7.30pm – PCC meeting at Fremington Sunday School.

Arkengarthdale

Monday 26 October, 7.45pm – DCC meeting at the home of John & Margaret Sparke

Grinton

Saturday 28 November, 7.30pm - St. Andrew’s Supper at Fremington Sunday School. All welcome.

Sunday 29 November, 10.30am – United Parish Eucharist, with the Very Revd Keith Jukes, Dean of Ripon Cathedral.

Low Row

Tuesday 27 October, 7pm - DCC meeting at The Long House (home of Gavin & Joan Graveson).

Muker

Monday 12 October – Harvest Sale, 6pm in the meeting room, Public Hall.

Christian Aid

Thanks to everyone who supported the Tea Party on September 15th £92.50 was raised for Christian Aid - a splendid result.

Services in the Parish

Key:

Holy Communion BCP is a service from the Book of Common Prayer

Eucharist is a Common Worship service (modern language)

Sunday 4 October Trinity 17

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.00pm Grinton Evening Prayer BCP

Tuesday 6 October

7pm Muker Compline

Wednesday 7 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

This service is in the lounge at Quaker Close Flats, and everyone is welcome.

Sunday 11 October Trinity 18

9.30am Grinton Eucharist

11.15am Arkengarthdale Holy Communion BCP

6.30pm Muker Harvest Festival and Supper

Tuesday 13 October

7pm Arkengarthdale Compline

Wednesday 14 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP (& prayers for healing)

Sunday 18 October Trinity 19 (St. Luke)

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.30pm Arkengarthdale Evening Prayer BCP

Wednesday 21 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 25 October Last Sunday after Trinity (Bible Sunday)

8.00am Low Row Holy Communion BCP

9.30am Grinton Eucharist

11.15am Arkengarthdale Holy Communion BCP

Wednesday 28 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 1 November 4 before Advent (All Saints' Sunday)

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6pm All Souls Memorial Service at Grinton

This is a service for anyone who wants to remember a loved one who has died. Please see further details in this newsletter.

Tuesday 3 November

7pm Muker Compline

Wednesday 4 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

This service is in the lounge at Quaker Close Flats, and everyone is welcome.

Sunday 8 November Remembrance Sunday/3 before Advent

9.00am Grinton Eucharist

10.50am Muker Remembrance Service & Eucharist

10.45am Arkengarthdale Remembrance Service & laying of wreath

3.00pm Grinton Remembrance Service (parade gathers at Reeth from 2pm)

Wednesday 11 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP (& prayers for healing)

11am Act of Remembrance at the war memorial in Reeth

Sunday 15 November 2 before Advent

9.15am Muker Holy Communion BCP

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.30pm Arkengarthdale Evening Prayer BCP

Tuesday 17 November

7pm Arkengarthdale Compline

Wednesday 18 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 22 November Sunday before Advent (Christ the King)

8.00am Low Row Holy Communion BCP

9.30am Grinton Eucharist
11.15am Arkengarthdale Holy Communion BCP

Wednesday 25 November
10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 29 November Advent 1
10.30am United Parish Service at Grinton
The Very Revd. Keith Jukes, Dean of Ripon Cathedral, will preach and preside at this service. There will be a retiring collection for a cause of his choice; look out for more details on the pew sheet.

Tuesday 1 December
7pm Muker Compline

Wednesday 2 December
10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP
This service is in the lounge at Quaker Close Flats, and everyone is welcome.

Sunday 6 December Advent 2
9.15am Muker Eucharist
11.00am Low Row Eucharist
6.00pm Grinton Evening Prayer BCP

All Souls Service – Remembering those who have died.

On Sunday 1 November, there will be an All Souls Service at St. Andrew's, Grinton at 6pm. This is a service to remember all those whom we have loved and lost, whether recently or longer ago.

During the week before the service (week beginning 25 Oct.), there will be a book at the back of Grinton Church, in which you are invited to write the names of those people you would like to be remembered. During the service those names will be read out, and candles lit, as we remember those who have died. This service is open to anyone who would like to come, and all are invited to write names in the book. You can write names to be remembered even if you cannot get to the service.



Church Officers

Clergy

Revd. Caroline Hewlett, The Vicarage, Reeth DL11 6TR

Church Wardens of the Parish

Mrs. G. Atkinson

Mr. R. Court

Dr. J. Wilkinson

Mrs. J. Graveson (Low Row)

Mr. N. Guy

Mr. C. Watts Muker)

Mrs A. Wright (St. Mary's)

Parochial Church Council

Secretary: Susan Allison

Treasurer: Mr. R.I. Ford

Contact details for the above officers are given in the printed Newsletter.

Newsletter

This is *your* Parish Newsletter and all contributions and general news items are welcome. Letters and comment on events can be included. The deadline for all notices and items is about the 12th of the month preceding publication. Please check the printed Newsletter for the actual date. Please send items for publication in writing (handwritten, typed or email) to ensure correct spellings of names and details.

Contact:- Revd. Caroline Hewlett,
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Please note that the Vicar's day off is Friday.