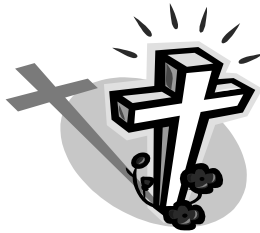




**The Parish of
Swaledale with
Arkengarthdale**

PARISH NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER - NOVEMBER 2011



**St. Andrew's, Grinton
St. Mary's, Arkengarthdale
St. Mary's, Muker
Holy Trinity, Low Row**

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From the Vicarage

Last year, starting with our Harvest collections, we were able to raise enough money to build a well and provide clean water for a village in Uganda.

This year, we are going to support the work of **The Busoga Trust** again, and buy them some rainwater harvesting tanks. These are roof mounted tanks, used in areas where there is no groundwater and so no place to dig a well. They allow a family home to have limited but direct clean tap water. These tanks cost £250 each.

Our Harvest service collections will go towards this, and if you would like to make a further donation, please contact our parish treasurer, Ray Ford (886509).

<http://www.busogatrust.co.uk/pdf/TheBusogaTrustInUganda.pdf>

Caroline

From the Registers

Baptisms

14 August	Thomas Hugh Bainbridge	Grinton
14 August	Sophia Nicole Salonga	Grinton

Marriages

3 September	Craig Botterill & Rebecca Cash	Arkengarthdale
16 September	Christopher Ellis & Helen Woodward	Grinton

Funerals

3 September	David 'Tan' Hutchinson	Grinton
20 September	John Adams	Arkengarthdale
26 September	Jean Birks	Arkengarthdale

PARISH NOTICE BOARD

Monday 3 October, 7.30pm – **Swaledale Christian Council** meeting at St. Mary's, Muker

Monday 10 October, 6pm – **Muker Harvest Sale** in the small meeting room, Muker Public Hall.

Saturday 15 October 10am to 4pm

Make do and mend day – including ironing!

St Andrew's Grinton will be hosting a 'make do and mend day' for Fremington Sunday School funds. You are asked to bring along your clothes for remedial attention. We can sew buttons back on; replace zips and other smaller dressmaking/needlework skills. An ironing board will also be available if you would like someone to do your backlog of ironing. *(continued on p8)*

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 2 October Trinity 15

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.00pm Grinton Evening Prayer BCP

Wednesday 5 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

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

Saturday 8 October

7pm Arkengarthdale Compline

Sunday 9 October Trinity 16

9.30am Grinton Eucharist

11.15am Arkengarthdale Holy Communion BCP

6.30pm Muker Harvest Festival and Refreshments (with Muker Silver Band)

Tuesday 11 October

7pm Muker Compline

Wednesday 12 October

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

Sunday 16 October Trinity 17

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.30pm Arkengarthdale Evening Prayer BCP

Wednesday 19 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 23 October Last Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Low Row Holy Communion BCP

9.30am Grinton Eucharist

11.15am Arkengarthdale Holy Communion BCP

Wednesday 26 October

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 30 October All Saints' Day

10.30am United Parish Service at Muker – with a speaker from St. George's Crypt in Leeds. A retiring collection will be taken for their work with homeless people and there will also be a collection box at the service for tins of food.

Wednesday 2 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

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

Sunday 6 November 3 before Advent

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.00pm Grinton Evening Prayer BCP

Tuesday 8 November

7pm Muker Compline

Wednesday 9 November

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

Friday 11 November

11am British Legion Act of Remembrance at the war memorial in Reeth

Sunday 13 November Remembrance Sunday (2 before Advent)

9.00am Grinton Eucharist

10.45am Low Row & Muker Remembrance Service, at St. Mary's, Muker

10.45am Arkengarthdale Remembrance Service & laying of wreath

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

Tuesday 15 November

Arkengarthdale Compline 7pm

Wednesday 16 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 20 November Sunday before Advent (Christ the King)

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

There will be no evening service at Arkengarthdale in the months from November to February

Wednesday 23 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Sunday 27 November Advent Sunday

There will be no 8am service at Low Row in the months from November to February

9.30am Grinton Eucharist

11.15am Arkengarthdale Crib Service – *all families and children are especially welcome to this service. Please bring your Nativity Scene from home to join with the blessing of the Church Crib.*

4pm Low Row Evening Prayer BCP

Wednesday 30 November

10.00am Grinton Holy Communion BCP

Thursday 1 December

7.30pm Swaledale Christian Council Advent Service at Reeth
Methodist Church

Sunday 4 December Advent 2

9.15am Muker Eucharist

11.00am Low Row Eucharist

6.00pm Grinton Evening Prayer BCP

Make do and mend day – including ironing! *continued*
Work will be done by volunteers on a donation basis and can be dropped off on the day or earlier if necessary by contacting Susan on 884366. Larger works may be commissioned by arrangement or refused! Tea & coffee, biscuits & cake will be available for those waiting for their work to be done. Please come and support the Sunday School.

Saturday 29 October, 7.30pm - A Quiz in aid of St. Mary's Arkengarthdale Roof Repairs in Fremington Sunday School

Tickets £8 (To include supper) available from Margaret S (884047), Pauline O (886790) or Reeth Post Office
Tables of 6 people maximum

Tuesday 1 November, 7pm – **Low Row DCC** meeting at The Long House, home of Joan & Gavin Graveson.

Monday 7 November, 7.45pm – **Arkengarthdale DCC** meeting at Mill Cottage, home of John & Margaret Sparke.

Friday 11 November, 11am – short service for **Remembrance Day** at the war memorial in Reeth.

Wednesday 16 November, 7.30pm – **Grinton DCC** at The Vicarage

Saturday 26 November, 12.30 for 1pm – **St Andrew's Day Lunch** at Fremington Sunday School. All welcome. Donations at the door, proceeds to ?? Information from Susan Allison on 884366.

Tuesday 29 November, 7.30pm – **Standing Committee** meeting at The Vicarage

Wednesday 30 November, 7.30pm – **Bishop’s Advent Eucharist and address at Ripon Cathedral**. Light refreshments from 6.30pm. All welcome.

Thursday 1 December, 7.30pm – **Swaledale Christian Council Advent Service** at Reeth Methodist Church. All welcome.

The Children’s Society

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 box holder please contact Pauline Oldershaw on 01748 886790.

Rug making

Heather Ritchie will have her workshop open from 2.30pm on Sept 29, Oct 6, and Oct 13, for anyone who would like to drop in and help to finish a rug for the new children’s corner at Grinton Church. More information from Rosemary Hawkesworth on 884766.

Low Row Organ Restoration

During October or November we are expecting the return of the organ. Please watch out for the event which will welcome it home.

CHURCH OFFICERS

CLERGY

Revd. Caroline Hewlett, The Vicarage, Reeth DL11 6TR. 884706

Church Wardens of the Parish

Mrs. G. Atkinson, Low Faggergill, Arkengarthdale (St.Mary's) 884550

Mrs A. Wright, Mill Intake, Arkengarthdale (St. Mary's) 884652

Mr. R. Court, East Windy Hall, Reeth (St. Andrew's) 884316

Mr. N. Guy, Armsleigh, Muker (St. Mary's) 886116

Mrs J. Graveson The Long House, Low Row, DL11 6, (Holy Trinity) 886470

Mr C. Watts, South View Cottage, Gunnerside, DL11 6LE, (St Mary's) 886202

Parochial Church Council

Secretary: Mrs S. Allison, Cogden Hall, Grinton, DL11 6HT, 884366

Treasurer: Mr. R.I. Ford, Barney Top, Low Row. 886509

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 for the December/January Newsletter is Monday 7 November. Please send items for publication in writing (handwritten, typed or email) to ensure correct spelling of names and details.

Contact:-

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Please note that the Vicar's day off is Friday.

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