

POCKLINGTON GROUP OF CHURCHES

St. Giles, Burnby; St. Ethelburga, Gt Givendale; St. Martin, Hayton;

St. Mary, Huggate; All Saints, Londesborough;

St. Margaret, Millington; St. James, Nunburnholme

All Saints, Pocklington; Shiptonthorpe, All Saints

www.pocklingtongroupofchurches.org

www.pocklingtonchurchfriends.org.uk

www.pockflowerfestival.org.uk

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THE BULLETIN – NOTICES

15 April, Easter 3

Tuesday coffee morning raised £63.26 this week. Thank you.

Traidcraft Table

Catherine will be having the Traidcraft Table on
the fourth Sunday this month, **22 April**.

Please come along and support this wonderful charity.

COMMEMORATE YOUR WAR HERO!

Would you like to join us in commemorating your war hero? We are looking for people to make ceramic poppies. The poppies will form part of the display for the **Garden of Remembrance for Remember, Rejoice**, a really prestigious **Flower Festival** which will take place on the weekend of **14 September 2018** at All Saints Church, Pocklington.

We are privileged to have the nationally acclaimed Floral Artist, Andrew Grisewood as overall designer. Outstanding Floral Artists from the National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies from across the north of England have agreed to create exhibits. It will look superb.

The festival will be commemorating the centenary of WW1, raising funds for Royal British Legion and the Church.

We are particularly hoping to contact relatives of those who are named on the memorial plaque for World War 1 in Pocklington

Church to take part, but it could also be any relative, friend or even neighbour involved in a conflict in the last 100 years. The **ceramic poppies** will be made at workshop sessions on **18 April** at 2pm or 7pm in the church. Components are supplied and they are very easy to construct, much of them being pre-prepared. You can then mark the back of your flower with your hero's name. You will be able to keep your flower after the festival is over. The cost is only £3 per poppy. If interested please book at church office, tel: 01759 306045 or 07702 349199; *David Brown, Festival Chairman;* *Andrew Grisewood, Festival Designer*

All Saints Pocklington APCM

This year's **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday 25 April** at 7pm, in church. There are **vacancies** for PCC members and Church Warden. If you are interested in either of these roles **please see Carole or Sue**, in the church office, for a nomination form.

Pocklington - The revised **Church Electoral Roll** will be published for approval at the **APCM on 25 April**. *Doreen Pea, Electoral Roll Officer.*

Bank Holidays at Londesborough: 6 and 7 May - The Old Hall, Londesborough: The grounds of the Old Hall will be open to the public between 10-30am and 4-00pm. The church will be open with displays of local interest and heritage. There will be second hand books for sale. Refreshments will be available in the Reading Room. (In aid of church funds).

Pocklington 2018 Flying Man Festival weekend 12/13 May

It is not too late to sign up for the **50 mile Sponsored Walk or Cycle ride** - or why not join the **5 mile fun walk**? If you are interested in taking part in any of these events please speak with **Ian or Julie Ryder** who can let you have further details (tel: 01759 318640 or email: iryder751@btinternet.com)

Help is also required to run the café and stalls on **Saturday 12 & Sunday 13 May**. Please see Sue Currier (or call 01759 305362) if you can offer help for a couple of hours or more. **Prizes are needed for the Tombola - if you have anything suitable please pass these to Sue Currier. Thank you.**

**CONFIRMATION SERVICE JULY 2018
ALL SAINTS POCKLINGTON**

We are delighted to announce that Bishop John is planning to conduct a Confirmation Service this July. If you wish to consider being confirmed on this occasion, or just to discuss the subject, please will you contact as soon as possible Rodney Nicholson - rodnic03@gmail.com or Bronnie Broadhurst- bronnie.broadhurst@hotmail.com.

www.pockflowerfestival.org.uk

There is a very helpful web site concerning the **flower festival** which has been built by Les Slow and is now fully accessible. Please have a look at it and make diary notes of the festival days, preview evening and the concert. There will be more details over the next weeks and months .

PILGRIMAGE INVITATION!

Just after Easter we were invited to speak to the Mothers' Union and tell them about the six years we spent working at Britain's smallest cathedral – the **Cathedral of the Isles** and the retreat house attached to it. These are situated on the beautiful island of Great Cumbrae in the Firth of Clyde in western Scotland. Mothers' Union members were very interested, so much so that they immediately began to ask if it would be possible to go there as a church pilgrimage group, rather like our visit to Lindisfarne in 2015. We have made some enquiries and have made a provisional booking for a 4 night stay with full board from **May 20th - 24th 2019**. There are 16 guest bedrooms, a mixture of single, twin and double, six of which are ensuite. The cost would be around £300 per person plus travel, which would be in shared cars or by train.

The ferry to the island leaves from Largs on the Ayrshire coast and takes only 10 minutes! Our programme would provide opportunities for fellowship, worship and prayer together and plenty of time to explore the island. The Cathedral is a beautiful place to stay!

Please phone us on 01759 304290 or mobile 07531 520055 or email us on pamandtonyburdon@btinternet.com if you are interested in joining the group – no definite commitment needed at this stage, but it would be helpful if you could let us know by the end of May if you are interested. We have had quite a lot of interest already!

Pam and Tony Burdon

A Happy Musical Afternoon in aid of Progressive Supranuclear Palsy. Saturday 16 June, 2pm. FREE Entry.

A Music Event in the Burnby Rooms, along the Balk, next to the gardens. There will be a raffle or tombola led by the Town Crier. Lots of soft toys for all your younger family members. Lots of tea and cake. Lots of laughter and happy Fellowship.

All donations will go to P.S.P. for their massive research programme. More details from Michael on 01759 306741.

Services for this Sunday, 15 April, Easter 3

Pocklington	8.00am	Holy Communion BCP
Hayton	9.15am	Morning Prayer
Huggate	10.45am	Holy Communion
Nunburnholme	10.45am	All Age Worship
Pocklington	10.45am	Sung Eucharist
Shiptonthorpe	10.45am	Morning Prayer BCP

Services for next Sunday, 22 April, Easter 4

Great Givendale	9.15am	Holy Communion BCP, baptism later at 12.30
Huggate	9.15am	Morning Prayer
Millington	9.15am	Morning Prayer
Londesborough	10.45am	Morning Prayer
Pocklington	10.45am	Sung Eucharist, baptism follows
Shiptonthorpe	10.45am	All Age Worship

Weekly Activities - All Saints, Pocklington, unless indicated otherwise

Monday	12.00noon	Prayers for Healing and Peace
Tuesday	9.45-11.30am	Coffee Morning
Wednesday	9.30-10.15am	*Toddler Music with Michael
Thursday	10.00am	Holy Communion
	1.45-.245pm	*Little Saints
Friday	9.30am	Morning Prayer at Shiptonthorpe
Saturday	10.00am	Coffee Morning
		<i>*Termtime only</i>

To receive **The Bulletin** by email please send your email address to:

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Details for the Bulletin to reach Sheila Wright by Thursday 9.00am

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Dates for your Diary

- **Wednesday 18 April: Poppy Workshop.**
- **Sunday 22 April: Traidcraft Table at Pocklington**
- **Wednesday 25 April, All Saints Pocklington APCM.**
- **6,7 May: Londesborough events**
- **Weekend 12/13 May, Flying Man Festival at Pocklington**
- **Saturday 16 June, 2pm onwards. PSP Musical event in Burnby Rooms.**
- **14 September, Flower Festival**