Notices

Any items for next week's sheet to Angela Sewell by Wednesday please. alsewell@btinternet.com or 078454 81179

BREAKING BREAD

Please join us on the 4^{th} May for our usual lunch with a Coronation theme at approx. 11.45 a.m. if you are not attending the Eucharist at 11.00 a.m.

ASCENSION DAY

There will be a Benefice celebration of Eucharist on Thursday 15th May at St John's Yealand on Ascension Day. Ascension Day celebrates the ascent of Jesus Christ into heaven on the the 40th day after his Resurrection. It ranks in importance along with Christmas, Easter and Pentecost. Refreshments will be served after the service.

MONTHLY FUNDRAISING COFFEE MORNINGS AT ST OSWALD'S

The coffee morning on the 6th May has been cancelled for the Coronation of King Charles. The next coffee morning will be on Saturday 3rd June from 10.00-12.00 noon and will be Irvine's fund raiser for the church. All donations and offers of help welcome.

YOUNG GENERATIONS

The next Young Generations meeting will be on Sunday 30th April for a Beach Comb. Meet 2.00 p.m. at the railway bridge at the end of Sand Lane. Please bring your gardening gloves and let me know if you are allergic to hot chocolate! Please let me know if you can make it. Emma B-T

WARTON CORONATION DAY CELEBRATIONS

St Oswald's Choir, along with other local musicians, has been invited to open the event taking place on the school field on Monday 8th May from 12.00 noon. Please come and join us.

ST OSWALD'S JUNIOR CHOIR IS RECRUITING

Any child aged 9/10 and up and wanting to sing is invited to join our Junior Choir. You will have fun as well as learning about music. It is led by current chorister Madeleine. For more information contact Madeleine 07922 837324

RECYCLING BLISTER PACKS

Thank you for all your support in the past. Unfortunately we are no longer able to accept drug blister packs for recycling as Super Drug are unable to cope with the storage of group recycling. They will still accept recycling from individuals if you are able to do so.

NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTIONS

There are nomination papers for Parishioners to vote for nominees in the election for places on St Oswald's PCC as well as for Church Warden at St Oswald's and a representative to the Deanery Synod. They can be found at the back of St Oswald's church. The election for positions will take place during the Annual Meeting of Parishioner on May 21st . Please hand completed forms to Alison Semple or Annette who will pass them on.

Please remember in your prayers...

Those who are sick or in particular need: Sr Michaela, Zandra Taylor, Peter Morgan, Doris Kirk, Pat Windle.

Those with longer term needs or in residential care: Phyllis Hargreaves, Reg, Winifred Halliday, Paul Gee, Sheila Barnes, Carolyn Wolstenholme, Agnes Bainbridge Peter Thompson, Lesley Keighley and those who are housebound.

The recently departed:

At their anniversary: Thomas Barnes, Irene Rothwell, Arthur Shuttleworth, Gilbert Walker, Arnold Burgin, Mary Jackson, William Finan.

Names of those with immediate needs will be included for 8 weeks and then included with those with longer term needs for a further 8 weeks unless advised otherwise.

The United Benefice of St Oswald, Warton and St Mary, Borwick with St John, Yealand Sunday 30th April

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's 9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's 11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's Acts 2. 42-end; 1 Peter 2. 19-end; John 10. 1-10

This Week — Praying Together

The readings are from the daily Eucharistic lectionary.

A simple form of service for Morning Prayer can be downloaded from the benefice website.

Mon 1 May PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES

Isaiah 30. 15-21; Psalm 119.1-8; John 14. 1-14

Tues 2 Anathasisus,. Bishop of Alexandria, Teacher 373 Acts 11. 19-26; Psalm 87; John10. 22-30

9.00 a.m. Coffee Stop at St Oswald's

Wed 3

Acts 12. 24-13.5; Psalm 67; John 12. 44-end 9.15 a.m. Eucharist at St John's

Thu 4 English Saints and Martyrs of the Reformation Era

Acts 13. 13-25; Psalm 89.1-2,20-26; John 13. 16-20; 11.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's 11.45 a.m. Breaking Bread lunch at St Oswald's

Fri 5

Acts 13. 26-33; Psalm 2; John 14. 1-6 10.30 a.m. Coffee @ St John's

Sat 6

Acts 13. 44-end; Psalm 98.1-5; John 14. 7-14

Sunday 7th May THE Fifth SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's 9.15 a.m. Eucharist at St Mary's 9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's 11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's

Acts 7. 55-end; 1 Peter 2. 2-10; John 14. 1-14

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