Notices

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

ST MARY'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL

There will be only one Eucharist in the Benefice on Sunday 3rd September. Please join St Mary's Borwick as they celebrate the Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary at 10.30 a.m. Celebratory refreshments will be provided after the service.

YOUNG GENERATIONS

For all young people 9+. Sunday 3rd September 6.00-8.00 p.m. at St Oswald's. We meet for food, play some great games together and think of ways we can help our community and the world.

STANDARD SIZED GLASS JARS NEEDED

Please leave in the box at the back of St Oswald's. The sisters at Hyning are very grateful.

NEXT FUND RAISING COFFEE MORNINGS AT ST OSWALD'S

2nd September A Breath for Life **Environment Dav**

7th October

USING THE CHURCH

During the Vacancy please contact the church warden, Alison Semple on 07484 756755 if you need to use St Oswald's church for or to run events. This is to avoid clashes and ensure full risk assessments are in place. Thank vou.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers who may like to help with the maintenance of the St Oswald's Church yard. Mow, strim, and general tidy. Enquiries please to Alison Semple on 07484756755.

BREAKING BREAD

Our next meal will be on September 7th. Meanwhile there will still be a Eucharist Service at 11.00 a.m. on Thursday mornings.

PARISH PROFILE

Thank you to all who attended the Parish Profile meeting with Fr David Craven last month, and to those who have written to us. The outcome of that meeting was a SWOT analysis where we collated our thoughts about the Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats to our churches and/or our Benefice. We would appreciate it if you could have a look at the notes from that session either displayed in our churches or on the Weekly Sheet e-mail and let us have your thoughts either by clicking on this link to respond online or jotting down your thoughts and sharing them with your Churchwardens.

PRAYERS FOR PARISH PROFILE

All are invited to join a short meeting for prayer at St John's Church, 2p.m. on Tuesday 15th August. We shall be praying together, that we may find the right vicar for our parishes.

The United Benefice of St Oswald, Warton and St Mary, Borwick with St John, Yealand Sunday 27th August

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at Warton 9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's **Preacher Bishop Philip** 11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's **Preacher Bishop Philip**

Isaiah 51. 1-6; Romans 12. 1-8; Matthew 16. 13-20

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 28. Augustine, Bishop of Hippo, Teacher, 430

1 Thess. 1.1-5,8-end; Psalm 149 1-5; Matthew 23. 13-22

Tues 29. The Beheading of John the Baptist

1 Thess.2.1-8; Psalm 139. 1-9; Matthew 23. 23-26 9.00 a.m. Coffee Stop at St Oswald's 2.00 p.m. Prayers for the Parish Profile at St John's

Wed 30 John Bunyan, Spiritual Writer, 1688

1. Thessalonians 2.9-13; Psalm 126; Matthew. 23. 27-32 9.15 a.m. Eucharist at St John's

Thu 31 Aidan, Bishop of Lindisfarne, Missionary, 651

1.Thess. 3.7-end; Psalm 90. 13-end; Matt. 24. 42-end 11.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's

Fri. 1 Sept.

1 Thess.4. 1-8 Psalm 97; Matthew 25. 1-13 10.30 a.m. Coffee @ St John's

Sat 2

1. Thess. 4. 9-12; Psalm 98. 1-2,8-end; Matthew 25. 14-30 10.00 a.m. Breath of Life Coffee Morning at St Oswald's

Sun 3

6.00 p.m. Young Generations at St Oswald's

Please remember in your prayers...

Those who are sick or in particular need: Sr Michaela, Zandra Taylor, Nick Senior

Those with longer term needs or in residential care: Phyllis Hargreaves, Winifred Halliday, Sheila Barnes, Carolyn Wolstenholme, Lesley Keighley, Peter Morgan, Pat Windle, Doris Kirk and those who are housebound.

The recently departed: Michael Hamer

At their anniversary: Alive Fothergill, Joan Simpson, Michael Alty, Dorothy Townson, Jean Flynn, Marjorie Clarke, Eddie Walker, Barbara Briggs, Freda Cherry, Thomas Haycock, Sarah Fothergill, Doreen Penn, Tom Battersby, Christopher Bainbridge.

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.

Sunday 3rd September **ST MARY'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL**

10.30 a.m. Festival Eucharist at St Mary's

Isiah 61. 10-end; Galatians 4. 4-7; Luke 1. 46-55

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