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THE FOUNTAIN

*The Parish Magazine serving the communities of the Fountains Group, Aldfield
Sawley & Winksley (Fountains Parish), Azerley, Dallowgill, Galphay, Grantley,
Grewelthorpe, Kirkby Malzeard, Laverton, Mickley & Studley*

50p



Dear Friends

It's a right royal month. At his coronation, Charles will make promises of faithful service and will be acclaimed as King. Details are hard to come by at the time of writing but, if the service follows the pattern of his mother's coronation, there will be plenty of symbolism relating to authority and power.

Of course, it is possible in these non-deferential times that eggs will be hurled, shouts of dissent heard, and protesters glue themselves to the archbishop's mitre. Even so, the coronation will somehow proceed and Charles will be acknowledged to be the nation's head.

It's a royal month for another reason, though. In the wake of the wonder and joy of Easter, we will be remembering the ascension of Jesus to the glory and kingship he had with God his Father before the world began. Ascension Day is Thursday 18th May this year.

The ascension is not the end, though – the King will return. That is his promise. One day he will come in all his glory, to mend all that is broken and bring all who have trusted in him to ultimate security and joy. And whereas at Charles' coronation shouts of dissent are quite possible, when Jesus returns as King even those most opposed to him will find they have no option but to acknowledge his victory.

“...at the name of Jesus every knee will bow,
in heaven and on the earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.”

(Philippians 2:10-11)

Monarchist or republican, of whatever nationality or language or political persuasion, may we all be ready to greet the true and eternal King of Glory when he comes.

Ian Kitchen

Costs of the Fountain

Thank you to those who have already given their distributor a contribution towards printing costs of the Fountain. We are extremely grateful to everyone who makes a donation, as well as to our advertisers and other donors, such as Grantley Hall and one local charity.

We want to continue providing The Fountain as widely as possible across our villages and wouldn't want anyone to stop receiving the magazine because they can't pay the cover price, but we do need to encourage all who can do so, to make a donation. We were successful in finding a cheaper way of printing the Fountain last year, but costs are still high.

If you can help and have not already done so please pass a donation to your distributor or send it to Ian Kitchen at the Rectory.

Alternatively you can make a payment direct to the benefice bank account:

Account name Fountains Group of Parishes
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Very many thanks.

Fountains Benefice Services

May 2023

Sunday 7th May *Our services today will bear reference to the Coronation of King Charles*

- 9.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) at Mickley
- 10.30 am Morning Worship at Grewelthorpe
- Holy Communion at Kirkby Malzeard
- Holy Communion at Winksley
- 2.00 pm Joint service at Sawley Methodist
- 6.00 pm Lambing Service at Chapel of the Resurrection, Dallowgill

Chapel

- Sunday 14th May 9.00 am Holy Communion at Aldfield
- Rogation Sunday 10.30 am Holy Communion at Grewelthorpe
- Rogation Service at Sawley
- 4.00 pm All-Age Worship at Kirkby Malzeard
- 8.30 pm Compline on-line via Zoom

- Sunday 21st May 9.00 am Holy Communion at Mickley
- 10.30 am Methodist Service at Grewelthorpe
- Holy Communion at Kirkby Malzeard
- Morning Worship at Winksley
- 6.00 pm Evening Prayer (BCP) at Aldfield

Sunday 28th May 10.30 am Benefice Holy Communion at Sawley
Pentecost/Whit Sunday

If you have any questions about the services, please contact Ian.

House-for-Duty post

We are advertising this post again at the moment, with a view to interviewing candidates at the end of June. It would be very good to find another ordained colleague to share the work. Please keep the post in your prayers, along with Ian, Liz, Adrian and all who share in our ministry at present.

Praying for our benefice

As we explored in our Lent course, prayer is crucial for everything we do; so we meet to pray for the life of our villages and our churches on the first Saturday of most months. Everyone is welcome to come and share this time – it doesn't matter if you've not prayed with others before, and if you're not confident in praying aloud no one is going to make you do so! God hears silent prayers as well as those that are spoken out loud.

Our next meeting is at **9.30 am on Saturday 6th May, at The Rectory** in Kirkby Malzeard. Light breakfast is available. We would love more people to commit to this important time. See you there!

Church annual meetings

These are important meetings in the life of our churches, where we can review the past year and look ahead to what we hope will be a joyful one coming up. Churchwardens and church council members are elected – there are usually spaces for new blood!

Anyone who lives in the parish can attend the first part of the meeting, to elect churchwardens; the rest of the meeting is for those on each church's electoral roll, which is revised in the weeks before the meeting. Most of our meetings took place in April (thank you to

everyone involved) but for Kirkby Malzeard with Dallowgill we meet in St Andrew's Church at 7.30pm on Monday 15th May.

A piece of great good news is that since our appeal for help appeared in the last magazine, a new treasurer for Kirkby has been found. Thank you, Andrea!

'Kettle's On'

Winksley Parish Room



Pop-Up Cafe



Tea, Coffee and Home-Made Cakes



Saturday 6th May
Saturday 3rd June
2-5pm

ALL WELCOME

Grewelthorpe

Grewelthorpe Village Hall May 2023

The Hackfall Café at the Village Hall welcomes customers for indoor and outdoor seating. **OPEN** Monday – Wednesday – Friday 11am - 1pm
Saturday – Sunday 11 am – 3pm

Coronation Event 6th May

A GET-TOGETHER TO WATCH THE

CORONATION

On May 6th we will be showing King Charles III's Coronation on a big screen in the Main Hall, at the Village Hall, to enable those members of our Community who want watch it to do so with others. Entry will be free, and doors will open at 10.00, the ceremony itself starts at 11.00.

Feel free to bring a 'picnic' and something to drink if you wish. Alternatively, there will be a bar, and although the Café will be closed, refreshments can be provided by the volunteers at the event, if required.

It is important to have an idea of numbers so, if you think you would like to join in, please contact Terri Duncanson on terridunk@hotmail.co.uk or 07821 162401

Grewelthorpe Village Hall Café Talk - Wednesday 3rd May at 7.30pm

(Main Hall)

Dianne & Patrick Kilburn – 'Patagonia – Finally off the Bucket List!'

The Kilburns have an agreement that when it's a BIG birthday they choose a BIG trip. Patrick's 60th birthday trip to Patagonia was delayed due to covid and finally took place in November 2022. Although delayed, it did not disappoint.

Dianne & Patrick will share their experience of Patagonia, which started in Santiago Chile, down to Ushuaia, the most southern tip of South America (the end of the world) and ending their trip in Buenos Aries, Argentina. In between, they experienced the plains, mountains, volcanoes, icebergs, glaciers and iconic walks within the national parks of Patagonia. Not forgetting the culture, food and wine of the region all during the football world cup!

Entry: £3 (includes glass of wine / soft drink)

Eurovision Event Saturday 13th May Watch Eurovision live at

Grewelthorpe village hall, doors open 7.30pm pizza, pud and bar. Dress up as your favourite Eurovision star or just wear some sparkles!

Tickets £10, under 12 yrs £5, available from the Cafe during opening hours from Saturday 15th April.

Defibrillator Awareness Session Wednesday 24th May at 2pm and 6pm. Each lasting no more than an hour. The sessions are free, booking is not required, and you can turn up at either session. Attendance at one of these sessions may develop your confidence and increase the chance of survival.

The defibrillator located at Grewelthorpe Village Hall is designed for use by both emergency responders and members of the general public with no prior training. It is fully automatic, will provide voice instructions to guide you through the process, and will not shock a patient unless it is required. The access code for the defibrillator will be made available, if necessary, by the 999 emergency operator. Training videos are widely available, search for 'Powerheart G5'.

Regular Classes

Pilates with Elizabeth Monday 15th and 22nd May 7:30-8:30pm

Yoga with Jo Parker Tuesdays 2nd, 16th and 23rd May 18:30-20:30pm

Pilates with Gill Thursdays 4th (6pm-7pm) and 18th May 6:30-7:30pm

Ducklings Play Group Thursdays 18th and 25th May. 10:30am – 12:00

A drink and snack will be provided. £2.00 per session. All welcome.

Set the Tone Fitness Fridays 6:30 with Stu. setthetonefitness@gmail.com

Check specific dates with Stu

Grewelthorpe WI Thursday 4th May. 7:30pm. Cookery Demonstration by Julie Clark. Contact Mary Wilson 01765 650474 or Janet Wright wrightjanet@hotmail.co.uk New members and guests are always welcome. Guests £3.

Community Lunch Tuesday 16th May in the café. A homemade 2 course hot dinner and pudding, served by our friendly Hackfall Cafe volunteers. £5 per person. Extra portions for freezing can be ordered in advance. Call Susan Rizos on 01765 658200 to order your meal. Please state any dietary requirements.

Grewelthorpe Gardeners' Club Wednesday 17th May 8pm. Doug Stuart 'Ten Secrets of Organic Gardening' This is Doug's third visit by popular request. Refreshments available from 7:30pm. GGC members free. Guests £3. New members and guests are always welcome. For further details contact Mike Johnson. 01765 658990 or Delia Jerome 01765 609930

Music Interest Group Tuesday 2nd May. Village Hall Cafe from 7.00pm to 9.00pm. This is a relaxed and informal session to listen to music that the members of the group bring. However, you do not need to bring any music, just listen to music others bring along. Any music is acceptable there are no rules! Group members currently bring CD's (CD player available) phones or laptops.

As always just bring along any music you wish to share.

For more information contact David Coates 01765 658741

or musela@btinternet.com

RE-CYCLING OF BLISTER PACKS / READING GLASSES & HEARING AIDS

The Village Hall is now assisting with the re-cycling of empty blister packs (foil / plastic pop out tablets packs), reading glasses and hearing aids.

A bin has been provided in the Village Hall entrance lobby for the collection of the above.

Items will be collected on a regular basis by Ripon Lions, and the blister packs sent to a specialist recycling centre. The money raised will be used to pay for transporting the glasses and hearing aids to places that will benefit. Each year, any surplus money will be donated to local charities.

THANKYOU FOR YOUR HELP!

VILLAGE HALL WEBSITE For more information about activities, events, facilities and to access our online booking system visit

www.grewelthorpevillagehall.co.uk

WHAT'S ON IN GREWELTHORPE If you would like to be kept up to date you can subscribe to this e-newsletter by request at

whatsongrewelthorpe@gmail.com

St James' and the Methodist Church Grewelthorpe

Grateful thanks to you all that support our events.....

Thanks to all of you that joined us at our recent Lent Lunches. I am sure that you will agree that the community atmosphere was brilliant. We mustn't forget that without the volunteers that help weekly, provide delicious soups, and do a great job of organising everything, this event would not happen.

We are delighted to say that through your generosity £561 will be donated to the DEC appeal for the earthquake in Turkey and Syria. Thank you once again.

Many thanks to all those that attended our Spring Fair and Jumble Sale.

Dates for your diaries.....

Next G-Club Wednesday 17th May 6-7pm. The children's monthly club at St James and the Methodist Church Grewelthorpe is called G-Club and is open to all children of primary school age. Come and join us in Church for fun, games, singing, stories, and a snack.

Contact Susan Rizos on 07740703868 or email susan.rizos@btinternet.com

The Coronation of his Majesty the King

Details of Church Service Sunday, 7th May 10.30am

Everyone is invited to a Church Commemorative Service to mark the Coronation of His Majesty the King on Sunday, 7th May, 10.30am at St James and the Methodist Church Grewelthorpe.

The Grewelthorpe Branch of the Royal British Legion will parade, and we would encourage any children who would like to come in any youth organisation or school uniform to do so.

The Service will be followed by a Loyal Toast, drinks, light refreshments, and the unveiling of two benches at 1pm on the Village green. The local branch of The British Legion have kindly renovated these benches on behalf of the Parish Council to mark the King's Coronation. There will be a plaque on each bench to that effect.

It would be lovely if as many people possible be present at either or both of these historical events.

French Boules Saturday, 24th June – more details to follow.

Kirkby Malzeard

Events at Mechanic's Institute Village Hall May 2023:

Monday 1st: **Flower and Produce Plant Sale 10.00 am**

Wednesday 3rd: **KM Womens Institute Meeting 7.15 pm**

Friday 5th: **Music Night 7.30 pm**

Monday 8th: **Coronation 'Help Out' Day 12 - 2 pm**

Saturday 13th: **Kirkby Big Weekend Meeting 10 am**

Wednesday 17th: **Monthly Tunes Session 7 - 9 pm**

Monday 22nd: **Parish Council Meeting 7.20 - 10 pm**

Friday 26th: **Quiz Night 7.30 pm**

Saturday 27th: **Kirkby Big Weekend Meeting 10 am**

Saturday 27th: **Scarecrow Workshop (13.30 - 1500 pm)**

Regular Classes:

Table Tennis - Mondays 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th 10 - 12 noon

Pilates - Mondays 1st, 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Lunch Club - Tuesday 2nd, 16th

Yoga - Wednesdays 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 9.30 - 10.30 am

WI Scrabble - Thursday 4th 2 - 4 pm

Youth Club - Thursdays 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th, 6.30 - 8 pm

Yoga - Fridays 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th 2 - 3 pm



The Kirkby Malzeard, Laverton & Dallowgill Coronation Celebrations

Don't Forget! Come Along to
the Kirkby Malzeard, Laverton & Dallowgill Coronation
Celebration Friendship Lunch Party on Sunday May 7, 1pm at
Highside Playing Fields.

Table Booking Forms in Mechanics.

All Welcome!

Coronation Monday will be Helpout Day.

www.kirkbymalzeard.org.uk or facebook



The June Big Weekend is Hotting Up in Kirkby!

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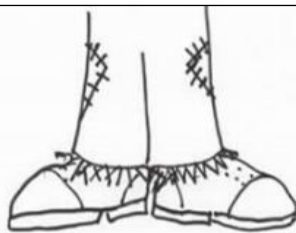
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SATURDAY 27TH MAY 1.30-3PM

At the Mechanics

Please contact: -
Anni on 07714119433
To book a place





Sharing Skell Valley Stories: Drop-in Reminiscence Event
Kirkby Malzeard Mechanics Institute
Saturday 3 June 2023
10am-4pm

Have you lived or worked in this area for many years? Do you remember this area in times gone by? Maybe you remember visits to Fountains Abbey in your childhood or youth?

Come along and share with us your memories of this area for our oral history archive and find out more about the Skell Valley Oral History Project. Discover the fascinating history of the local area through historic maps, postcards, photographs and artefacts and find out more about the remarkable story of Ripon Spa.

The event is part of the Skell Valley Project co-led by the National Trust and AONB Nidderdale, and funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund. The event is run in collaboration with Kirkby Malzeard, Dallowgill and Laverton History Group.

Entry is free. Tea & coffee will be available.

For more details about the event, please contact: Virginia Arrowsmith, Oral History Consultant, Skell Valley Project, vparrowsmith@aol.com or 07914 347892.

For more details about the project, please contact: Karen Collins, Skell Valley Heritage Officer, karen.collins@nationaltrust.org.uk or 07816 204585.

Mechanic's Institute
Kirkby Malzeard



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This event is being supported by Nidderdale Plus Community Hub

Nidderdale Plus is a registered charity: No.1163998

Nidderdale Plus Community Hub 2023 Day Trips.

All trips in the Nidd Plus Minibus, with a coordinator in attendance. CALL 01423 714953 to book. Pre-booking essential. Let us know if you need picking up from one of the villages.

Wednesday 10th May: Bluebells Canal Trip and Lunch Skipton.

£35. Lovely day out during the bluebell season on Leeds - Liverpool canal on "Endeavour" barge. Price includes exclusive use of the barge, refreshments and afternoon tea-in-a-box. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 9.30am, and departs Skipton around 3pm.

Wednesday 7th June: Whitby.

£15. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 9.00am, and departs Whitby around 3pm. Let us know if you need picking up from one of the villages.

Wednesday 12th July: Piece Hall, Halifax.

£12.50. Trip to enjoy looking round and shopping at the iconic Piece Hall. Also, a chance to learn about the history & heritage through visiting "Heritage Spaces" at Piece Hall. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 10.00am, and departs Halifax around 3pm.

Wednesday 16th August: Nunnington Hall & Helmsley.

£20* Trip to the National Trust manor house and gardens, near Helmsley. *Ticket price includes entry to the Hall. Chance to have lunch in Helmsley on the way back. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 10.30am, and departs Helmsley around 3pm.

Saturday 30th September: Masham Sheep Fair.

£10. The Sheep Fair plays host to a rich variety of other attractions and activities and is a great day out. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 10.30am, and departs Masham around 3pm.

Wednesday 11th October: M&S "Marks in Time" Leeds.

£12.50. Trip to the Marks & Spencer archive in Leeds to learn more about the history of M&S. Trip includes a 40-minute talk (including refreshments) about the archive and a chance to browse the exhibition of over 71,000 items dating from 1884 to the present day. A lunch stop is planned on the way back at Murgatroyd's Fish & Chip restaurant, Yeadon. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 9.30am, and departs Yeadon around 3pm.

Wednesday 15th November: Boundary Mill, Colne.

£12.50. Christmas shopping trip to shop all the top brands at Boundary Mill outlet centre in Colne. Bus departs Nidd Plus, Pateley Bridge, at 10am, and departs Colne around 3pm.

Wednesday 13th December: Outside Inn (Millstones), Darley. Christmas Dinner. Details still to be confirmed re price and other details. Please get in touch with us nearer the time or look on our website or Facebook page for updates. www.nidderdaleplus.org.uk.

TO BOOK: CALL 01423 714953 TO RESERVE A SPACE ON ANY OF OUR TRIPS. WE WILL CONTACT YOU ONE MONTH BEFORE THE DATE OF THE TRIP TO TAKE PAYMENT.

The Henry Jenkins Campaign

Please see the Henry Jenkins Facebook page for further information and developments.

Richard Sadler

Mickley

St John's Church Mickley

Help was certainly available to help decorate St John's for the Easter service. Floral donations abounded, in particular tulips and daffodils, together with the new season's greenery giving a lovely spring feeling to the church. Every possible surface had been decorated with flowers and many thanks must go to all those people who helped. The church was full on Easter day and it was a pleasure to welcome visitors from the Benefice. The little Easter eggs for the congregation were much appreciated!

Mickley Mosaic Project

The original concept of a community project evolved from a village meeting held early in 2022 to work out how we could do something permanent as a tribute to Queen Elizabeth 11, and involve everyone in the village.

We were fortunate in having expertise in the village with Melanie Lyall as our

designer. and Eleanor Carr, being a collector of old china, kindly helped to provide the beautiful china which was needed for the design. In April 2022 the seeds of the commemorative mosaic were sown. Everyone in the village was invited to take part, and old tiles and crockery were donated. Space and technical advice were provided by Adrian and Andrea Hill, in their barn.

Great fun was had by all involved, no matter how small their contribution. Wine, gin, picnic lunches and fish and chips were sometimes consumed on Mosaic days - we are sure her Majesty would have approved!

Sadly, the completion of our mosaic more or less coincided with the death of our beloved Sovereign, but this made our determination to complete this permanent tribute all the more poignant. Accordingly, the wonderful, completed mosaic was mounted in the entrance of the Village Hall.

It was, therefore, a very proud moment on April 13th, when the Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire, Mrs Jo Ropner, came to unveil the Community Mosaic, in honour of the late Queen Elizabeth's Platinum Jubilee. This was a really special occasion and over fifty people were able to watch the unveiling and enjoy fizz and nibbles.

If you happen to be visiting Mickley - do take a peep through the glass doors of our Village Hall to view our artistic creation.

Plans for the Weekend of the Coronation of King Charles 111

On **Saturday May 6th**, on the evening of the Coronation, Mickley is planning to have a toast to HRH King Charles 111 in the Village Hall Garden, (or inside if wet!) This will be followed by a 'Right Royal' Bring and Share Lunch on **Sunday 7th May** with all in the Village invited to 'Dress to Impress'. We are planning to decorate our gates for the week of the Coronation, as we did for the 75th Anniversary of VE Day.

Many offers of help and food donations have already been received and we are hoping for good weather to help add to everyone's pleasure. There will be a Donations Bar, games and a Table Top Football Competition, too, for the youngsters - aged 7 - 70!!!

Just a reminder - Bunting and Marquee set up/ Setting up the Village Hall - Friday 5th May in the afternoon.

All hands on deck to help with clearing up after the 'Do'. please.

Lou, Dot and Andrea

Mickley Boys Club

Mickley Boys were enthralled by a talk given by Richard Armstrong at their lunch in the King's Head, Masham, in March. Richard was speaking of his working life experience dealing with a potentially very dangerous situation and had his audience on the edge of their seats. The good attendance will almost certainly be replicated this month when local Racing and Tourist car collector and competitor, Peter Smith, will have his car collection on show and will expand on the performance history of examples displayed.

New members of the Club are always welcome. If you were not already enjoying our lunch meetings, do consider contacting the MBC Secretary, David Wright, Tel 01765 634838, who will give you details of our planned outings, which are likely to include a Canal trip, a visit to a working woollen mill, one to see vintage aeroplanes and perhaps Eden Camp or Beamish Museum.

Peter Liddle

Nature notes by Judith Hooper

In February I wrote of waiting for the frogs.....I gather the heron attempted to visit all the village ponds. Herons nest in January, so the arrival of the spawning frogs is bonanza for the heron family. Our garden pond lost at least two frogs to the heron, so up went all our bunting, Commonwealth (very useful as 50+ flags), European Union (bit shorter), Union Jacks and some Tibetan prayer flags. Heron could not figure these out so hovered a few times outside them then gave up. In our pond up in the field our trap camera became very busy overnight ...rat, tawny owl, fox, hare and an OTTER!!!!!! So frog bonanza for quite a few.

Very sadly there were some heavy frosts, down to -6° a couple of nights, so the frog chorus was silenced, and the spawning interrupted, but our garden pond has a reasonable amount of spawn, so fingers crossed. For one frog to grow to an adult, 250 tadpoles have to be born. Not surprising given the above!

Hares are another star this month, boxing has been spotted at the eastern end of the village, 12 seen in the fields south of the village. Indeed they are frequently seen elsewhere as well, wonderful.

Now in mid April resurrection is happening everywhere, buds appearing, flowers blooming, bumble bees buzzing, birds appearing from their winter holidays in the warmth, curlews calling from the top of the hill, weeds going mad. Nature is coming alive again and what a joy to see.

Sawley

Sawley Village Hall for May

Tuesday **Afternoon Dominoes** - Tuesday 2nd 1.30pm

Bowls - Tuesdays 2nd, 16th, 23rd, 30th 7.30pm

Yoga – Wednesdays 3rd, 17th, 24th, 9.30am

Dominoes – Friday 19th 7.30pm

Village Hall Committee Meeting - Tuesday 16th 7.30pm

Parish Council Meeting – Thursday 18th 7.30pm AGM and local Parish Meeting, come and listen and if you have any questions or matters you would like to raise contact Martin 620318 or the Parish Clerk.

Saturday May 6th

Coronation Celebration

On the Green

**A right royal rounders, games, bring and share tea, Bar
(and there could be sausages!)**

3pm onwards

Polish up your crowns!

If you wish to book the Village Hall for your event please make contact through sawleyvillagehall@gmail.com or phone Sawley Hall Bookings Officer on 07957232574

The Evening for George and Joyce raised £500 for the Hearing Assistant Dogs for the Deaf. Thank you so much to all who took part and helped in any way. There was a fun quiz, hot pie and peas and a truly remarkable

cabaret followed by very jolly dancing. In response Gill Lacey PR at Hearing Dogs wrote; -

“How lovely to remember Joyce, George and Toby, two very special people and their dog, in such a splendid way. It sounds the perfect tribute, and they would have loved it. They continue to be missed by those of us at Hearing Dogs who knew them. But isn't it wonderful that they're still inspiring people to come together, to have fun and raise money for Hearing Dogs? What a credit to them that their memory should be marked by all that positivity and happiness and to benefit their favourite cause.

Please pass on my heartfelt thanks to everyone involved in making the event such a great success.”

SAWLEY ARTS GROUP

Dear All

We hope you had a pleasant Easter and enjoyed the Spring flowers in your gardens as well as those on the verges.

Just a reminder of what's on the programme next.

- **Saturday 13th May, 10 am – 2pm. Building Confidence Sketching and Painting Outside.** This is now full and thank you to those who have put their names down.
- **Saturday 10th June, 9.30am – 4pm, Coach trip to The Bowes Museum. Cost £10 for the coach and £12 entry (reduced for us!)** Those who have been before will know that this museum has a wonderful, eclectic collection of paintings and artefacts, including the famous Swan, as well as a specialist exhibition (not yet advertised). To book a place Tel: Ted 620250 **(There are still a few places left on this outing)**
- **Saturday 15th July - Helmsley Walled Garden (car share arranged). Entry is £9** (or two entries for one with a Gardeners'

World Magazine card in May issue, out now) To join this outing Tel: Arlene 620250

- Coming soon - August will see the return of the SAG Biennial Exhibition and we would like all those people who have participated in workshops to dig out the things that they produced so that we can exhibit their talents and show other people the kinds of things you can do with Sawley Arts Group. Please let us know what you've got – this is no time to be shy! Tel: Ted 620250

Best wishes

Jacky, Arlene, Jo, Rachel, Trevor and Ted

Remember that SAG is an arts group in the very broadest sense and we welcome ideas for activities from members who have a yen to organize something be it origami, opera outings, ocarina playing, op art or something not beginning with O! We'd love to hear from you.

SAWLEY METHODIST CHAPEL SERVICES

May 7th 2pm US with Church followed by refreshments - Rev Gareth Baron

May 21st 2pm Chapel Anniversary with Rev Ian Pruden

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