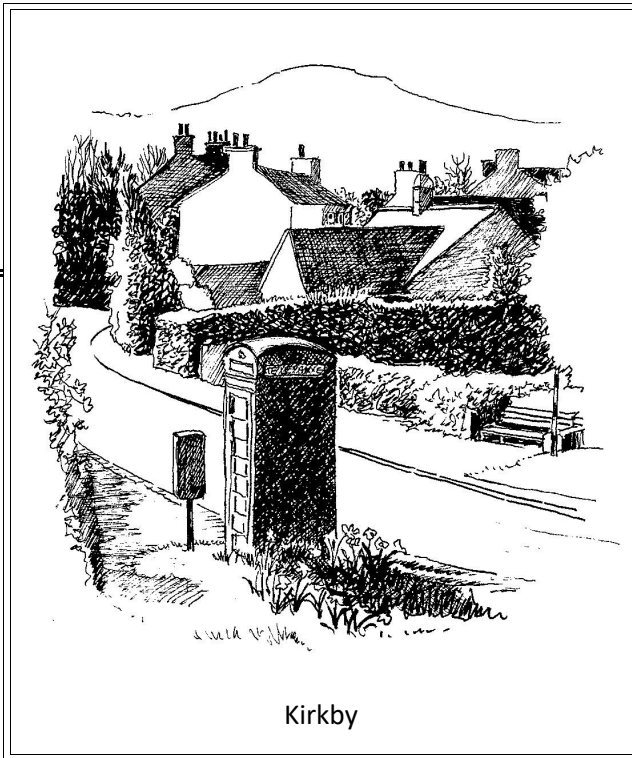


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Kirkby & Gt. Broughton parish newsletter



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St Augustine's Kirkby



The Church – Keeping in Touch

The Church of England has suspended services for the foreseeable future and, as a result, there will be no services at St Augustine's this month. Both the Church & Church Hall are closed. However, Anne Heading, the Churchwardens & the Parochial Church Council will continue to make every effort to keep in touch with the community & to facilitate this two communication links have been developed.

The first is the Church Facebook page - **St. Augustine's Kirkby & Gt. Broughton** which went live at the end of March.

The second initiative is the new church website- the address is **www.staugustineskic.org.uk** The website should be up & running very early in the month & together with the Facebook page, will include an update on all church matters relevant to the Parish.

Bible Readings

In the meantime, these are the Bible readings for April so that you can follow the life of Christ and the Church

Sunday 5th April Palm Sunday

Isaiah 50:4-9a, Philippians 2:5-11 Palm Gospel Matthew 21:1-11, Passion Gospel Matthew 27:11-54

Maundy Thursday 9th April

Exodus 12:1-4 & 2:11-14, 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 and John 13:1-17 and 13:31b-35

Good Friday 10th April

Isaiah 52:13- end of 53, Hebrews 10:16-25 and John 18:1-end of 19

Easter Day Sunday April 12th,

Acts 10:34-43, Colossians 3:1-4, John 20:1-18

Sunday 19th April

Acts 2:14a then 2:22-32, 1 Peter 1:3-9, John 20:19-31

Sunday 26th April

Acts 2:14a then 2:36-41, 1 Peter 1:17-23, Luke 24:13-35

Contact Rev. Dr. Anne Heading (710045), anneheading8@gmail.com Churchwardens
Neil Glover (712344) & Ros Tomlinson (711796)

Christian Aid

Taking advice from Christian Aid, we have decided that it will not be possible to circulate the envelopes this year as we have done in previous years.

The work of the charity still goes on and with the Coronavirus it is important. So if you would like to donate you can do so at :

donate.christianaid.org.uk

Also the committee have agreed that in current circumstances we should not hold the Quiz on April 3rd nor the soup lunch on May 16th in accordance with recommendations we have been given.

Hopefully we will be able to hold events planned for later in the year.



Asylum Seekers

The collection of goods for asylum seekers is currently suspended.

Group Activities Suspended

All the group activities in the **CHURCH HALL** and **GREAT BROUGHTON VILLAGE HALL** are suspended until further notice including **THE LOCAL HISTORY GROUP**, the **ART CLASSES** and the **AFTERNOON TEA** to commemorate the Memorial Window in the Village Hall.

For the **SPORTS CLUB**, look at the Sports Club website for the latest information. The BBQ is planned for July 11th and the Carnival for August Bank Holiday Monday.

Parish Councils

Both **GREAT AND LITTLE BROUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL** and **KIRKBY PARISH COUNCIL** have cancelled their meetings until further notice. Their business will continue via the internet.

Contacts

Great Broughton – broughtonparishcouncil@googlemail.com

Kirkby – kirkbyparishclerk@hotmail.co.uk or kirkbypc@gmail.com

Local Facebook

For those who are able to access Facebook the new local Facebook page .

Great Broughton & Kirkby News, Views & Events – is well worth a visit. It is updated daily (even hourly) and will keep you up to date. Just ask to join.

Dining In

Some local hostelrys are providing takeaway meals and most are delivering.

Neighbourhood Watch

If you would like to receive information about local Neighbourhood Watch matters send your name address and email to NHWKirkby@gmail.com.

The Next Edition

We hope to produce a May edition of the newsletter. As usual please let us have any contributions as soon as possible and not later than the 21st April at kgbchurchletter@gmail.com

Your Wheelie Bin Collections

Wednesday 8th April

Thursday 16th April

Wednesday 22nd April

Wednesday 29th April

Tuesday 5th May

Black Bin

Green Bin & Recycling

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