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MARCH 2020



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OUR TEAM

Rev'd Chris Woadden

The Vicarage Church Walk

Holton le Clay DN36 5AN

Tel: 824082

revwoadden@btinternet.com

Associate Minister

Rev'd Jenny West

11 Belmont, Holton le Clay DN36 5HQ

Tel: 453029

revjennywest@outlook.com

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HOLTON NEWS:

Items of news should be sent to:

MRS. JENNY TURNER at: jennyt63@hotmail.co.uk

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Contact **Carol Woodcock** (small ads) 599818

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The address of St. Peter's Church for the purposes of location is **DN36 5AN**

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Thought for the Month

Change

I was reading an article in the newspaper the other day and there are some people who want to get rid of money, i.e. what we call change. A cashless society, no doubt this will happen sooner or later. This led me to start thinking about the changes that have occurred in my lifetime. Since I was born aircraft were driven by internal combustion engines, and in less than a century we have come to a time when rockets and spacecraft are investigating other planets. Some are even going outside our solar system, way out into the universe. The world is always changing, sometimes for the better, sometimes for the worst.

The way we speak changes dramatically over decades and some of the words I hear on television, I'm convinced they are made up but everyone seems to accept them. Words that I thought I knew and understood now mean something entirely different, for instance I always thought that wicked and bad were just that but today they mean good. How does that happen? The world is always changing, again, sometimes for the better, sometimes for the worst.

When I was young I'm convinced that the sun shone in the summer and it snowed in the winter. But now, thanks to climate change (that we are responsible for) the weather patterns throughout the world have changed dramatically, and none of that is for the better.

As changes to our environment and our way of life continue, and affect all our lives, bringing confusion, worry and danger, etc. where and who do we turn to for the security of our future? We live in a time of change, sometimes for the better, sometimes for the worst. As a Christian I turn to the Bible, not as a crutch to help me through life but as a guide that gives me confidence to know that whatever happens "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever." He is an unchanging God in whom we should put our love and trust, not just for today but for all eternity.

Blessings, John West

MARCH 2020 DIARY

Sun 1st	Lent 1 9.30 Holy Communion
Mon 2nd	Bible Study every Monday 11am at 11 Belmont Knit'n'Natter every Monday 2pm-4pm Messy Church every Monday 6pm-7.30
Tues 3rd	MERC Afternoon Tea 2pm – 4pm in the Village Hall 
Fri 6th	Quiz night 6.30 for 7.00pm Church Extension
Sat 7th	Pop In 10am – 12noon in Church 
Sun 8th	Lent 2 9.30 Holy Communion Family Service
Tues 10th	Holton Mens Group 11am Tetney Golf Club
Thurs 12th	Ladies Group 7.30 Village Hall
Sat 14th	Flower Festival Coffee Morning see News
Sun 15th	Lent 3 10.00 Joint Service at North Cotes 5.30 Café Church - Village Hall
Sun 22nd	Lent 4 9.30 Holy Communion
Sat 28th	CEILIDH 7-11 Village Hall
Sun 29th	Lent 5 9.30 Service

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Community Centre £2.00

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Community Centre
For Further Information or to
register your Daughter
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TAI CHI Mon and Thurs 10-11;
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HOLTON LADIES' GROUP
Meet in Village Hall 7.30 pm
Second Thurs of the month.
Barbara Stephenson 826746
Pam James 878922

KNIT AND NATTER GROUP
meets in the Church Extension
every Monday from 2-4pm. All
welcome.

H.C.C.A. Bookings 2015
Please contact **The office on
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HOLTON LE CLAY PARISH COUNCIL.
Parish Clerk: Emma Harris
opening Hours MON, WED ,
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MARCH 2020 NEWS

MY NAME IS HANNAH FORMAN, I am a pupil at King Edward Grammar School, I have also been attending Northern Ballet for the past 5 years on their Academy Course for advanced training with the intention of progressing into a career of dance. I have been dancing with Pat Yarborough School of Dance since aged 5 and singing with Steph Norman for 7 years. To further develop my chances to gain a place at a vocational college at 16, I'm hoping to attend summer School at Tring Park as this is one of the places I will be applying. As the cost is expensive I am holding an AFTERNOON TEA at St Peter's Church on **Wednesday 15th April** to help raise some funds, during this I will perform various dance genres and sing. I look forward to entertaining you. Cost £5.00.

POP IN There will be a Pop In on **Saturday 7th March** from 10.00a.m - 12noon. Entry fee 50p, including tea/coffee and biscuits. Tombola and Bring and Buy stalls. Please support us and enjoy a couple of hours of friendly chat. Margaret, 590896



FLOWER FESTIVAL COFFEE MORNING

There will be a coffee morning on **14th March** in St Peter's Church extension. 10-12am, £1.50 inc tea or coffee plus hot cross bun. Cake stall, raffle and tombola. We run this so that we can raise enough money to run the May Flower Festival.

MOBILE LIBRARY

Please support this friendly service. The new van is not very big but you can order a book if you don't see it on the van. If we don't use this service we may lose it. Now visiting twice a month, see page 5 for route/stops.

HOLTON LADIES GROUP

The Holton Ladies Group will meet on **Thursday 12th March**, at 7.30 in the Village Hall, when Ross Carrick from Compass FM will speak of his experiences as a radio presenter. Refreshments, raffle and a warm welcome await.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS AT HLC VILLAGE HALL

AFTERNOON TEA TUESDAY MARCH 3RD

Many thanks to all who attended the February afternoon tea and advice day and made it such a success. It was lovely to see so many of you there.

Date for your diary. April tea will be on Tuesday the 7th.

We will be holding a children's Easter Fun day on the **14th April** with a bouncy castle, games, crafts and refreshments.

The popular Lincs Fashions will be returning for another show on Tuesday the **28th April**.

QUIZ NIGHT Our quiz night on 24th January was a small but very friendly and enjoyable evening and we are holding another on **Friday 6th March** 6.30 for 7.00pm in St Peter's church, with wine, tea, coffee and snacks. £2.50 includes light refreshments. Everyone welcome.

CEILIDH There will be a Ceilidh on **28th March**, from 7.00pm to 11.00 pm in the Village Hall and Ermine Street will be back to play for us. Tickets cost £10.00, contact Carol Woodcock on 01472 599818

RECIPE BOOK We are planning to put together a Parish Cookbook. If you have a favourite recipe and would like to share it, please pass on details to Rose (598957) or Eddie (07711 511 559)

CLOTHING AND BRIC A BRAC Thank you to everyone who has donated. Fresh donations of good quality items are always needed. Anything which was not sold for Church Funds has been passed on to other charities: Andy's Hospice, British Heart Foundation and Cancer Research. Please ring Pam (can collect) 826127 or 07706 661 138 or leave at the door - 47 Lindsey Drive.

Office Opening Hours:

Mon and Wednesday 10am – 12pm

Tuesday and Thursday 12.30pm – 2pm

Please note that if the clerk is on sick leave or annual leave, the chairman of the parish council can be contacted in the event of an emergency. The office number is 01472 234566 and there is a voicemail facility.

WHICH COUNCIL? Holton-le-Clay comes under a three tier Council System and as such it can sometimes be confusing as to who to contact when. The Councils are: **Lincolnshire County Council** who are responsible for Schools, Highways (including Street Lights and Pot Holes), Local Recycling centres (Tips), Transport and Health & Care issues and along with several other things they can be contacted on **01522-552222**.

East Lindsey District Council who are responsible for Refuse Collection, Bottle banks, Planning, Licensing and Benefits along with several other things, they can be contacted on **01507-601111**.

Holton-le-Clay Parish Council who are responsible for the village grass cutting, the village Maintenance Operative, the Junior Playing Field, the 8 Acre field, the Cemetery & Parish Gardens, Provision of (but not running of) the Village Hall.



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COUNCIL NEWS - PARISH COUNCIL

WEBSITE: <http://parishes.lincolnshire.gov.uk/HoltonleClay>

TEL: 01472 234566 EMAIL: hlc.pc@btconnect.com

Defibrillators

There are three community defibrillators within the village. They are located on the side of the village hall in Pinfold Lane, on the side of the Vintage Car Garage on Louth Road and there is one at the entrance to the 8 Acres Playing Field.

Art Competition

If you are a keen artist wanting to show off your skills then we want to hear from you. The parish council is holding its first ever Art Competition and the winners will be announced at the Annual Parish Meeting on 11th May 2020. The competition is open to all ages and the winners will receive a trophy and will have their artwork framed and hung in the Village Hall for all to see. If you would like to enter this competition, please submit your entries to the parish clerk by Friday 30th April. Please note that digital artwork will not be accepted.

News

Orsted is hosting an archaeological event on 23rd March from 2pm till 7pm at Bannatynes Health Club in Humberston. This event aims to provide the local community with a fascinating insight into the archaeological finds and local history that have been uncovered during excavations along the southern half of the cable route. If you are interested in attending please inform the clerk on 234566 or hlc.pc@btconnect.com

NEXT MEETINGS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL:

Monday 16th March 2020

HERE AND THERE

MOBILE LIBRARY SERVICE

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Pinfold Lane (Co-op)	13.15	14.15		Wed
Wold View	14.30	15.00		Wed
Louth Road	15.15	16.15		Wed



Date	Sidespersons	Reader	Flowers
Mar 1	Sue Merriman / Kathleen Dennis	Kathleen Dennis	P Mellor
8	Joyce Pattison / Paula Hogg	Jan Harrison	P Thompson
15	JOINT SERVICE AT North Cotes		
22	Eddie Coulbeck / Sue Merriman	Kathleen Staines	S Merriman
29	Kathleen Dennis / Joyce Pattison	Jean Graham	S Osborne

If you would be interested in joining our flower arrangers, please contact Sue 07759 518053

Holton Le Clay Parochial Church Council & Holton News

Preliminary Income & Expenditure Summaries

January 2020

	PCC		Holton News	
	Income	Expenditure	Income	Income
Income & expenses January	£1,381.46	-£5,935.04	£344.25	-£192.61
Year to date at 31 st January	£1,381.46	-£5,935.04	£344.25	-£192.61

Thursday 5th March 2.30pm Tickets £6.50
Andante Live Afternoon Tea Concert

Thursday 5th March 7.30pm Tickets £11.50,
Times Are A Changin presented by Andante Live

Friday 6th March 7.30pm Tickets £12.50
Shadowing Hank

Wednesday 11th - Saturday 14th March 7.30pm Tickets £9.50,
Under 18s £5.00 (**Weds only** All Tickets £5.50)
The Thrill of Love

Saturday 21st March 7.30pm Tickets £15.00
A Night to Remember presented by Zebra Express

Thursday 26th March 7.30pm Tickets £20, Concessions £18
John Shuttleworth's Back

Friday 27th March 7.30pm Tickets £12, TheatreCards £10.50
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Scratchworks Theatre Company**

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FLAMINGO PINK PARENTS OF THE LAGOON

I'm four feet tall, but only weigh 16 pounds. That's less than some Christmas turkeys! My long skinny legs are perfect for sifting through mud in the soggy coastal lagoons of South America.

God gave me an oversized, curved bill, but no teeth. I have a large tongue, which forces water and mud through a sort of filter. The filter collects food like worms, insect larvae, and tiny plants like algae and diatoms. My webbed feet have four toes – three in front and the fourth high at the back. These feet would not work for an animal that needs to climb, but my creator knew I would need to steady myself in the slippery lagoon.



My feet grip mud like suction cups. For the sake of safety, my mate

nest is six to hollow spring, that the



into

and I live in a colony of several thousand birds. The two of us built a out of mud and vegetation. Our nest twelve inches high, with a 12-inch area in the top. When I breed in the I lay a single oblong-shaped egg in spot. Both of us take turns sitting on egg for 28 to 31 days each. After welcoming our greyish white chick the world, we take turns feeding it, too. Our baby will not be able to fend for itself until it is about two months old, but together we prepare it for independence. Some of the food in my diet contains high amounts of a special pigment called carotene. If I eat a lot of it, it will turn my new feathers pink and red. God thought of everything when he created me.

“The Lord is faithful and will keep all of his promises. He is loving toward everything he has made.” Psalm 145:13.