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HOLTON NEWS: Items of news should be sent to:

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of location is DN36 5AN

Thought for May 2018

'Spring has sprung' and 'Full of the joys of Spring' are both well-known and well used phrases. Looking out of our dining room window I see signs of new life. The trees and plants are producing buds waiting to burst into life. We do seem to have become parents to hundreds of tadpoles swimming around in the pond, and a pair of bluetits have taken up residence in the nesting box above the window. Looking back over the drk and dreary months of winter, where nature seems to be dead or asleep, and then witnessing the amazing outburst of new life happening all around us, who cannot fail to be full of the joys of Spring?

We continued this 'full of the joys of Spring' theme at our April Café Church evening, discussing what 'JOY' means to us as Christians. We sang our joyful songs, and during the coffee break we went a bit 'Blue Peterish' making SPRING cards to celebrate this wonderful time of year. We are still in the Easter season, but looking back over the winter months, the cold and darkness, it reminds me of the week leading up to Good Friday, the death of Jesus on the cross, the utter despair and fear of his disciples and the end to all their hopes, and then the glorious rising of Jesus on Easter Day.

As new life bursts all around us in Spring, so new hope, new life, new joy, that only the risen Christ can bring, burst upon our lives, not just for a season, but for all eternity. Inviting Jesus into our lives is not just a concept. It is a reality that makes us want to share with one and all.

In the song, (I am a new creation) the writer states 'a joy that knows no limit, a lightness in my spirit, here in the grace of God I stand'. This joy is for everyone, all we have to do is welcome Jesus into our lives.

Every blessing in Jesus' name, John West (Reader)

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MAY

Tues 1st Afternoon Tea in the Village Hall 2-4pm





5th, 6th, 7th FLOWER FESTIVAL "Count Your Blessings"
See News for more information

Sun 6th Easter 6

9.30 am Holy Communion

Thurs 10th 7.30pm Ascension Day Deanery Group Service Keelby

Fri 11th - 19th Labyrinth at Tetney 2-4pm, 6-8ppm

Sun 13th Easter 7

9.30 am Service of the Word

Tues 15th 10 am Deanery Pilgrimage Walk Ravendale

Sun 20th Pentecost

9.30 am Holy Communion

5.30pm Café Church at Holton House



Sun 27th Trinity

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11.00 St Peter's Lite

June

Sun 3rd Trinity 1 9.30 Holy Communion

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HOLTON LADIES' GROUP

Meet in Village Hall 7.30 pm Second Thurs of the month. 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 827707 Mondays between 6.30-9pm and Wed'sdays 6.45-9.15pm

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MAY 2018 NEWS

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MAY FLOWER FESTIVAL – MAY 5th, 6th and 7th Flower displays in Church 11 am – 4 pm

In the Village Hall:

Refreshments and other stalls

May Queen and Superhero Competition 2pm Saturday

(age up to 11)

Miniature Gardens Competition (Infant/Junior/Adult) More information – ring Rose Hubbard 598957



FLOWER FESTIVAL HELP NEEDED

We would be most grateful for help – from donations of cakes or raffle prizes, to help waitressing or in the kitchen in the Village Hall. To offer help in the kitchen please ring Pat on 597573

AFTERNOON TEA

April Afternoon Tea was a very pleasant afternoon with two birthdays being celebrated on that day so Happy Birthday was sung twice, ever so sweetly. There is obviously a lot of talent in the village! Next Afternoon Tea is on **Tuesday 1st May** from 2 pm until 4 pm in the village hall. We can't guarantee singing but

there will be a fine selection of cakes and scones available with tea and coffee. And a date for your diary - June Afternoon Tea will be held on **Tuesday 5th June.**

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WATER AID

Many thanks to all who donated to this year's Water Aid appeal during Lent. We are pleased to say that £299.36 has been sent to this charity from our village.

Café Church

At our April Café Church, we turned to Spring, the joys of Spring, relating to new life, warmer sunshine, colourful flowers and all the positive things we feel at this time of year when nature begins to grow again. We begin to feel uplifted and energised. Two weeks after



Easter Day we could also reflect on the new life that Jesus gave us after he had risen from the grave. As Christians we have much to rejoice about. We're now looking to our May meeting which falls on Pentecost Sunday, or Whitsuntide, when we will be looking at telling Jesus' story as those first disciples did at the first Pentecost. All are welcome to come and join us on Sunday 20th May at 5.30pm at Holton House. Rev'd Jenny

HOLTON LADIES GROUP

The Holton Ladies Group meeting in the Village Hall on Thursday 10^{th} May at 7.30pm is for the ever popular Tim Burley Quiz. There will be tea, coffee and a raffle. Hope to see you there .

Christian aid Week Thursday 10th May - Sunday 20th May As in past years, we do not have enough people to call and collect envelopes but would be grateful to receive filled envelopes.

From the Vicar:

During this period of Ascensiontide prayer we are having a Labyrinth again at Tetney **11th -19th May** 2-4pm & 6-8pm, for people to use to as an aid to prayer along with prayer stations.

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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.

PARISH COUNCIL CLOSURES FOR MAY:

 7^{TH} May and 28^{th} May – Spring bank Holidays

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COUNCIL NEWS - PARISH COUNCIL

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Defibrillators

There are two community defibrillators within the village. They are located on the side of the village hall in Pinfold Lane and on the side of the Vintage Car Garage on Louth Road.

YOUR PARISH COUNCIL NEEDS YOU!

The Parish Council currently has several vacancies for councillors. Could YOU be a parish councillor? Would you like input into matters such as the upkeep of the village, setting the council tax precept and making consultee comments on planning applications in the village? For more information please contact the clerk to the parish council on 01472 234566 or by email at <a href="https://linkapsu.com/hltps

PARISH GARDENS

There are currently 3 vacancies on the Parish Gardens. If you would like to be considered for a plot, please contact the clerk to the parish council.

NEXT MEETINGS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL:

Monday 14th May 2018 (Annual Council Meeting) Annual Parish Meeting – date to be confirmed

Office Opening Hours:

Mon, Wednesday and Friday 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.

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HERE AND THERE

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Date	Sidespersons	Reader	Flowers
May 6	Ann Woadden / Paula Hogg	Jean Graham	FLOWER
			FESTIVAL
13	Joyce Pattison / Paula Hogg	Celia Haddon	P Thompson
	Linda Walker / Carol Woodcock	George Wilson	M Cobley/
20			C Bacon
27	Evelyn Wilson / Eddie Coulbeck	Sue Borman	S Merriman
Jun 3	Sue Merriman / Kathleen Dennis	Kathleen Staines	S Osborne

Thanks to all those who donateto our flower fund. 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

March 2018

	PCC		Holton News	
	Income	Expenditure	Income	Expenditure
Year to date on last report	£3,205.77	-£4,211.99	£0.00	-£366.71

Adjustments				
Year to date at 28 th February	£3,205.77	-£4,211.99	£0.00	-£366.71
Income & expenses March	£2,259.00	-£352.33	£271.45	-£360.52
Year to date at 31 st March	£5,464.77	-£4,564.32	£271.45	-£727.23

or, 'I wish I could buy that new....,' and some people really believe that if they had more money all their problems would be solved.

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LOUTH PLAYGOERS RIVERHEAD THEATRE



MAY

10th

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16th - 26th

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MONEY, MONEY, MONEY

Think about your attitude to money and possessions. Money is important: most people use it to buy the necessities of life – food to eat, clothes to keep warm and somewhere to live. However, it's easy to fall into the trap of thinking, 'I wish I had more money,'

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If that were true, why are some of the richest people in the world so unhappy? Some have even been known to lock themselves away and live entirely alone. Why do people who win the lottery sometimes say later (and they often do!) that it was the worst thing that could have ever happened to them, that their wealth has really made them more miserable. The truth is that the love of money can become a real burden!'

Mr Piet Derksen, one of the wealthiest business men in the Netherlands, said he was selling his sports equipment business and giving about £107 million to finance Third World projects. Mr. Derksen, a devout Catholic, said: 'My wealth has been like a stone around my neck – I'm glad to get rid of it. I could shout with joy.'

The Apostle Paul said this,

What did we bring into the world? Nothing! What can we take out of the world? Nothing! So then, if we have food and clothes, that should be enough for us. But those who want to get rich fall into temptation and are caught in the trap of many foolish and harmful desires, which pull them down to ruin and destruction. For the love of money is the source of all kinds of evil. (1 Timothy 6:7 - 10a).

Paul wasn't saying that to have money is wrong, but to love money and be greedy for more can only spoil a person's life.

Do you think to be rich would really make you happy or do you think there are more important things in life? What do you think they are?



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