



St. Mary's Dalton Holme Newsletter

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Services for September

4th	15th	Sunday after Trinity	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
11th	16th	Sunday after Trinity	3.00pm	Hymns of Praise. St.Mary's Church Etton
18th		Battle of Britain Sunday	9.30 am	Holy Communion
25th	18th	Sunday after Trinity	10.30 am	Prayer and Discussion (see below)
			9.30 am	Holy Communion

Thoughts from Rev. John McNaughton

After the fall of France in 1940, our then Prime Minister declared :

"The Battle of Britain is about to begin. On the outcome of that Battle depends the future of Christian Civilisation."

I have to confess to a great sense of shame. I am proud of my country. Proud to have served it as paratrooper and parson over many years. Proud of the gallant young men who gave their lives for our freedom to live in a Christian Civilisation. Proud of all who have suffered and died for the truth that God became man in Christ to reveal himself to us in the agonising love displayed for us all on the Cross of Calvary.

So why am I ashamed? I have lived through a period of our history when increasing numbers of my fellow countrymen and women have turned their back on Christ. No good can come of it. Human life requires divine inspiration to rise to the greatest heights of happiness and nobility of character.

None of us chooses when or where to be born! But I believe that every child should have the right to a happy family upbringing with a growing awareness of human dignity-dignity that can find fulfilment in eternity if we so choose.

These are matters of such profound importance, that even though I am only your voluntary acting unpaid vicar, I would like to see us getting together on Battle of Britain Sunday to discuss them, each from our own point of view. So do come along, agnostics, atheists or whomsoever so that together we can examine the "soul" of our great nation, and do all that we can for the well being of future generations, as the young men of the Battle of Britain did for us.

(Rev. John McNaughton 01377 270869)

October Issue

The closing date for the October issue will be with the closing date of **Tuesday 20th September**.
Articles should be sent to me in **word format only** at rac.pfl@btinternet.com.

Robert Coates 01430-810504



South Dalton Playgroup

Takes place in the village hall on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 am till 2 pm,
Places are available.
Contact: Julie Wilson 01430-810151

Coffee Morning

Is hosting its annual vintage event in aid of McMillan Nurses.

This will take place on Thursday 29 September between 10am and 12 noon in the village hall.

There will be cakes biscuits and tea or coffee and a raffle.

In previous years we have done extremely well, so a big thank you to you all.

Please support us again this year.

If anyone would like to donate cakes or raffle prizes please contact:

Lynn Farr 810768 or Glynis Bevan 810505. All donations will be gladly accepted.

Watson's Winners.

The Dalton Flock achieved success at The Driffield Show with 1st and 3rd prizes in the Sheep Carcase Class. Congratulations to Mr. Barrie Watson for these awards.

Barrie is pleased to offer Rare Breed Pigs and lamb ready for your freezer. They can be purchased as whole or half animal. Please contact him on 01430-810566.



South Dalton Ladies Club

On June 2nd 2016, Lynn Farr spoke about her son, Daniel, who had died whilst serving in the Army. Lynn established Daniel's Trust in memory of her son, giving support to serving soldiers and their families in times of trouble.

Lynn has also produced and published a booklet commemorating the men from Dalton Holme who died in the Great War and three of whom are buried in St. Mary's graveyard in South Dalton, the others in Belgium and France. Lynn researched their family history, regiment, battalion and the date and location of their deaths.

On July 4th 2016, Sam Traill treated us to lots of glorious smellies! Sam works for the Body Shop and she spoke of its history and rationale and the support given to farmers who provide some of the ingredients for the cosmetics. We all left the meeting in a perfumed cloud!

On August 4th Caroline Williams encouraged us to think about nutrition and fitness. She explained how she became interested in the science of healthy eating and keeping well with exercise and now lectures at Bishop Burton College.

Dates of next meetings

Thursday 1st September: visit To Papa's Fish Restaurant in Willerby

Thursday 6th October: Julie Turrell, Humberside Police

Thursday 3rd November: Sam Traill, Christmas Body Shop Evening

Thursday 1st December: Caroline Jackson: Humberside Fire and Rescue

Thursday 12th January 2017: Christmas Meal

Thursday 2nd February: Clive and Kath Richardson, Antiques Quiz

Thursday 2nd March: AGM

Jan Nettleton

