

St Botolph's and St John's

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Friday 3rd February 2012

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Roundabout February 2012

for the people of Long Lawford and Newbold-on-Avon

New Roundabout deadline

Since March 2011, Roundabout has been printed by Newman Estate Agents as part of their community printing scheme. This has greatly improved the quality and appearance of our parish magazine, and we are very lucky that Newman's has made this possible.

Because of pressure on staff time, Newman's now needs slightly longer to turn around the printing of Roundabout, so we are making a change to the deadline for editorial copy. This is to ensure that each issue can be written, printed, folded and delivered before the beginning of the month it covers.

So please note that from now on the deadline for copy for the following issue will always be the 3rd of the month. The deadline for the March issue will therefore be Friday 3rd February. It is hoped that making the deadline a fixed date - the 3rd of the month - will make it easier for people to remember.



Please continue to send in notices about forthcoming events, news and reports; Roundabout is your parish magazine, and the more information there is in it, the more useful and interesting it will be.

From the vicarage . . .

2012 has dawned and is now well under way - and there are things we know are going to happen this year. In June we will celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. In June and July football fans will be engrossed in EURO 2012. In July and August the Olympics will take place. These are things we know are going to happen.

But alongside these certainties there are many uncertainties. Will the UK drop into a double-dip recession? Or will this be the year when our economy finally shows signs of improvement? Will we have a long, hot, dry summer in the UK? Or will it be the disappointment it so often is? Will Coventry City avoid relegation? Or will this be the year which sees them in the third tier of English football for the first time since the 1960s?

Life is full of uncertainty. But amidst all this uncertainty there is one constant - and that constant is God. He is always there, whatever else is going on, whether times are good or bad, whether life is going well or whether we are struggling to juggle the demands of modern living. God is always the same. He is always available to help us. His ears are always open to our prayers.

Paul Wilkinson

Bible verses for reflection

"Lord, a thousand years in your sight are just like yesterday."
(Psalm 90.4)

"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and for ever."
(Hebrews 13.8)

A parish prayer

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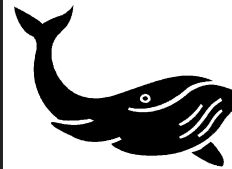
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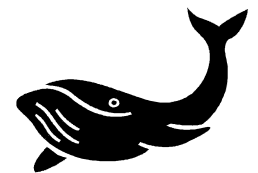
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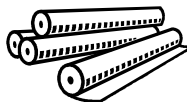


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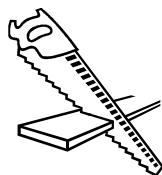


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From the registers

Baptisms

In St Botolph's:

27th November: Amelia-Faith Marie Laithwaite

18th December: Zara Leonie Darstaru Donnell

8th January: Jayden Kai Lucas

Funerals

James Albert Reddington (58), cremated at Canley on 14th December

Dennis Spencer, cremated at Canley following a service in
Long Lawford Methodist Church on 16th December

Roy Alexander Gordon (73), cremated at Canley on 28th December

Richard Clish (66), buried in St John's churchyard on 29th December

Flowers in memoriam

Flowers can be arranged in memory of a loved one and have been arranged recently in St Botolph's in memory of Joyce and Geoff Spouse, Kath Cox, and Fred and Doris Newman.

Phone Enid Masters (332142, St Botolph's) or Sue & Don Moses (542001, St John's).



Friends of St Botolph's (FOSBOTS)

The FOSBOTS 200 Club currently has 103 members - so there are plenty of spaces left. The more members we have, the more prize money there is and the more we raise for the fabric of the church.

December 2011 winners: 1st H Andrews, 2nd Mrs C Edgson, 3rd V Foster

January 2012 winners: 1st R Grevatt, 2nd S Morrow, 3rd H Andrews

Subscription is £12 for 12 months or £6 for 6 months, cheques payable to Friends of St Botolphs (or FOSBOTS). Subscriptions should be sent to Amanda Kracke, 2 Parkfield Road, Newbold on Avon, Rugby CV21 1EN, (01788 542823).

The next draw will take place in the lounge of The Newbold Crown at 8 pm on Monday 6th February 2012. All welcome.



St Botolph's and St John's services and news

Sunday Services

St Botolph's, Newbold-on-Avon

5 th February	10.45 am Family Service	6.30 pm Evening Prayer
12 th February	10.45 am Holy Communion	6.30 pm Evening Prayer
19 th February	10.45 am Family Service	6.30 pm Holy Communion
26 th February	10.45 am Holy Communion	6.30 pm Evening Prayer

St John's, Long Lawford

9.00 am every Sunday - Holy Communion

(except the third Sunday, when there is a service of Morning Worship)

Street prayer cycle

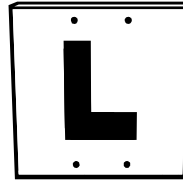
5 th February	Garratt Close, Long Lawford
12 th February	Weaver Drive, Long Lawford
19 th February	Welland Close, Long Lawford
26 th February	School Street, Long Lawford

On these Sundays we pray especially for people living in these streets. If you live in one of these streets and would like us to pray for something or someone in particular, please let the vicar know the week before.

Newbold Christmas Tree Festival

People flocked to see the Christmas trees in St Botolph's church during the first two weekends in December, and the opening concert was enjoyed by an appreciative audience.

The amount raised by the festival will be announced in the next issue of Roundabout.



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The Methodist Churches

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Lawford

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Toddler Group

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Tuesday 9.30 to 11.30 am



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Children's and Youth Worker

Anna Naish is the Children's and Youth Worker for Newbold and Long Lawford Methodist Churches. Any other queries, please get in touch.

Mobile: 07595 506295 Email: annan@graceproject.org.uk

Knit and Natter

This small friendly group enjoy getting together to produce items for the Christmas shoebox appeal.

We meet at St John's, Long Lawford on the second Wednesday of the month, from 2.00 - 4.00 pm. The next meeting is the 8th February, please come and join us.





Newbold Short Mat Bowls Club

Meets every Friday 7.30 pm to 9 pm in Newbold Village Hall. Come and join us, bringing a pair of flat shoes and £2. A warm and friendly welcome awaits.

5th Rugby (Newbold) Scouts, Cubs and Beavers

Scouts	11 to 14 yrs	Tuesday 7.00 pm till 9.00 pm	John Laing 543685
Cubs	8 to 11yrs	Wednesday 6.45 pm till 8.15 pm	Pauline Roberts 332413
Beavers	6 to 8 yrs	Wednesday 5.30 pm till 6.30 pm	Janet White 333455

Places are available for girls and boys. We meet in the Scout Headquarters in Lea Crescent.

Long Lawford Cubs, Beavers and Brownies

Cubs	8 to 10 and a half yrs	Monday 6.30 pm till 8.00 pm	Steve 542095
Beavers	6 to 8 yrs	Monday 5.15 pm till 6.15 pm	Christine 547122
Brownies	Girls, 7 to 10 yrs	Thursday 6.00 pm till 7.30 pm	Christine 547122

We meet in the Memorial Hall. Come along and meet us. School term time only.

1st Newbold Brownies and Rainbows

Brownies	Girls, 7 to 10 yrs	Monday 5.00 pm till 7.00 pm	Karen Barker 330980
Rainbows	Girls, 5 to 7 yrs	Monday 5.30 pm till 6.30 pm	Laura Wilkinson 543055

We meet in Newbold Village Hall. Come along and have fun.

Newbold Guides

Guides	Monday 7.00 pm till 9.00 pm	Karen Barker 330980
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Royal British Legion Ex-Servicemen's Club

Any ex-servicemen or women are very welcome to join us. Meet 8.00 pm every third Tuesday at Newbold Rugby Club. For details, contact Bill Masters: 35 Parkfield Road, Newbold, 332142

Senior Citizen Club

Meeting Newbold Rugby Club	Thursday 1.15 pm till 3.30 pm	Information 01455 559925
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Long Lawford Parish Council

The Parish Council meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7.30 pm in the Memorial Hall, Railway Street. All residents welcome. Next meeting Tuesday 14th February.

Mobile Library

The library will call in **Long Lawford on Thursday 9th February** (Judge Close 11.40 - 12.05, The Green 12.10 - 12.25, Long Lawford School 15.00 - 15.25) and in **Newbold on Tuesday 21st February** (the shops 14.00 - 14.30).

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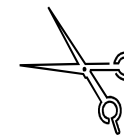
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Saturday 4th February— Elvis tribute, Jason Brown
Saturday 11th February— Mod Story, live band
Saturday 18th February— Bluestack, live band
Saturday 25th February— karaoke

Thursday quiz nights:
2nd and 16th February
8.30 pm start



Long Lawford British Legion Club

New members always welcome

Saturday 11th February
 8.00 pm - 12.30 am
Valentine Disco
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Notices

Newbold Fellowship

Meetings held at 7.30 pm on the first Tuesday each month at Newbold Riverside School.

Tuesday 7th February:

Skittles evening, The Black Horse, Bilton.
 £5.00 per person.

Rugby First Responders

The carol singers in Newbold were collecting in aid of the Rugby First Responders this year, and they raised **£102.14.**

Thanks to everyone for their participation and support.



Long Lawford Garden Club

Meetings held at 8.15 pm on the last Friday of the month at Long Lawford Memorial Hall.
 All welcome.

24th February:

David Tideswell, 'Our friendly garden robin.'

Barley Mow quiz nights in aid of St. Botolph's Church Restoration Appeal
 new early start time of 7.30 pm
 Tuesday nights, fortnightly
 Sunday lunch for winning team and money round - all welcome!
 £1 entry or £5 curry & quiz entry (£1 toward appeal)
 maximum 6 in a team
 for more information contact Declan on 01788 544174
 quiz dates: 7th & 21st February , 6th & 20th March
 £48 was given to the Restoration Appeal in December

Children's Society boxes

Joan Griffiths has overseen the annual opening of the Children's Society boxes in Long Lawford for many years but now wishes to take a well earned retirement.

It would be really good if someone could take on this work from her. It is not an arduous task - the main work comes just once a year, when the boxes have to be opened and the money forwarded to the Society.

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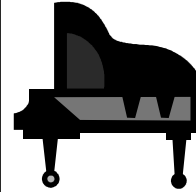
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