

**Zetland Park
Methodist Church
Newsletter**

**March
2014**

Lent



Worship

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| 2 nd March | 10:45 a.m. | Mike Clark : Songs of Praise |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Revd. Arthur Harbottle <i>at Marske</i> |
| 9 th March | 10:45 a.m. | Joan Rogers |
| Lent 1 | 6:00 p.m. | Revd. Arthur Harbottle <i>at Marske</i> |
| 16 th March | 10:45 a.m. | Revd. Ken Harris : Communion |
| Lent 2 | 6:30 p.m. | Circuit Service <i>at Lealholm</i> |
| 23 rd March | 10:45 a.m. | Pat Clarke |
| Lent 3 | 6:00 p.m. | Revd. Arthur Harbottle <i>at Marske</i> |
| 30 th March | 10:45 a.m. | June Feather : Café |
| Mothering / Lent 4 | 6:15 p.m. | Circuit Service <i>at Guisborough</i>
With Mark Topping
"Impossible God: The Passion Play" |
| 6 nd April | 10:45 a.m. | Trevor Hume |
| Lent 5 | 6:00 p.m. | Revd. Arthur Harbottle <i>at Marske</i> |

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Traditionally, Lent is a season of self-examination and self-improvement so that Christians are in the best state they can be to celebrate the great feast of Easter.

This year, to help us there will be a series run in the morning services throughout Lent based upon "Calling". Please see "Connexions" for full details.

I have decided to use the Sunday evening service "slot" to look at a Lent Study called "Another Story Must Begin" which is based on the film Les Miserables. All will be welcome and don't worry if you have not seen Les Miserables - you will be at no disadvantage. Due to a couple of Sunday evening Circuit events in Lent we will break for these but start on 2nd March.

Concert

Wednesday 12th March 2014 at 7.30 p.m.

An Evening of Popular Classics

Presented by **Eva Sykes (*contralto*)**

With **Joanne Mc Collarth and**
Barbara Heatley (*sopranos*)
Sarah Nelson (*contralto*)

Accompanied by **Barry Cope on *piano***

All are invited to a special **Circuit Service on Sunday 30th March at 6.15 p.m.** at Guisborough Methodist Church.

Special guest, Mark Topping, will be presenting a play entitled the **"Impossible God: The Passion Play"** written by Methodist Minister, author, actor and broadcaster Frank Topping.

This inspiring one-man play challenges us to look again at Jesus of Nazareth and consider the meaning of His life, death and resurrection.

Lent at St. Peter's

We are invited to join with St. Peter's in their lent course. The Lent Course they will follow has come from York Diocese and is entitled "5 Marks of Growing Churches". To enable as many folk as possible to engage with this there will be five separate groups running being led by different people. Details are on the noticeboard in the foyer.

Church Meetings

- Thursday 27th March Church Council at 7 p.m.
- Sunday 27th April General Church meeting following a shortened morning service
- Tuesday 29th April Worship Committee meeting at 7 p.m.
This meeting is open to all local preachers

Sunday Squad fundraising

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Sunday Squad's recent fundraising activities.

The Smartie tubes raised £281.32 which was split between Butterwick Hospice and Zoë's Place.

The Coffee Morning raised 162.26 for Sunday Squad funds.

Greetings from Long Ago

A message has been received from David Laverick; whom some of you might know. He is currently living near Acomb and passes on his good wishes to the congregation. A copy of his greeting has been posted on the notice board.

Future Events

April	Friday 11 th		Evening Meal for Easter (details to be arranged)
June	Wednesday	6.00 p.m.	11 th Network Dinner
July	Saturday 5 th	4.00 p.m.	Afternoon Tea with Barry playing Piano and Keyboard
September	Friday 5 th	6.00 p.m.	Beetle Drive with Pie and Peas

Power Praise at Marske

Worship in a contemporary style.

2nd Tuesday of each month
at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday 11th March

Tuesday 15th April

Keys

If you have a key for the Church that you no longer require please return it to Paul.

The register will then be updated and your deposit returned.

Community Lunch Club eats midday Tuesday

Fellowship meets 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday

March 5th No meeting (Ash Wednesday service at Marske)

March 12th Popular Classics concert

March 19th Devotional. Revd. Arthur Harbottle

Thursday @Church meets at 7:30 p.m.

March 6th Aspects of Jesus. Lead by Pat Clarke using material written by John Bell

March 20th Further study inspired by John Bell

Friday @10 for Prayer and meditation:

March 28th 10:00 a.m.

News from Skelton.

The circuit service planned for 3.00 p.m. on 6th April has been postponed due to delays with the completion of the new kitchen.

A revised date will be published in due course.

Next Newsletter

Please let Paul have items for the next newsletter by 23rd March

Either on Sunday or by email to:

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Newsletter by email

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