

# St Giles Review

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Parish Church of Bramhope

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## Special notices



Do you want to say a special thank you to someone, have an event you wish to advertise?

**T**his month we say a fond farewell to Janice and her family. The communications team have therefore asked members of the congregation to send their special messages of thanks and good wishes for Janice and her family.

Mary Mumby has written a great introduction to these messages as you will see on page 3. All that is left is for me to add my family's thanks:

Thank you Janice for showing us just how much Christianity can grow and thrive in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. May God help us to continue to build on your great work.

*The very best of wishes Louise*

*Email:stgilesreview2017@gmail.com*



**P**LEASE ask your friends or relations to let us know if you wish for someone to pray with you and/or bring Holy Communion whilst you are ill or in hospital and unable to get to Sunday Worship. In the first instance they should contact the Vicar or Bryan Bunday:

Rev Janice Smith 203 7523, or Bryan Bunday 267 8534

## Prayer Schedule for Bramhope

**WE pray weekly, in conjunction with the Methodist Church, for all people living in our area. If you know of anyone who especially needs prayer please pass the details on to Janice or any of the Lay Assistants who will arrange for them to be included on the Prayer List.**

07/01/18 The Birches, The Cedars, The Rowans, The Poplars & Sandy Walk

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21/01/18 Wyncroft Grove & North Drive

28/01/18 Tredgold Avenue, Tredgold Close, Tredgold Crescent & Tredgold Garth

It was the 20<sup>th</sup> October 2006 – I remember it well. The waiting was over, the planning and preparation had happened and the scene was set.

The familiar melody, “Old Hundredth” resounded from the organ, and the choir and congregation certainly did “Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice”.

“All people that on earth do dwell” was the hymn that Janice had chosen to enter St. Giles as our new Priest, thus continuing her own personal faith journey, but beginning a new chapter here in Bramhope.

That was eleven years ago and, during that time, whilst serving as Churchwarden and Administrator, along with assisting at numerous weddings, baptisms and funerals, I have had the opportunity to work very closely with Janice. We have shared so much and hopefully been able to support each other at the same time. I now have a further opportunity and privilege – this time to thank Janice most sincerely for all she has given to St. Giles and the community of Bramhope, through her dedication, service, commitment to her calling, and care for her people.

“The vision of St. Giles is to be a church that welcomes, worships and shares God with all our community and beyond”.

These words are a true reflection, not only of the hopes, but also the achievements of St. Giles, under Janice’s leadership.

Janice, you have served us well, and so has Keith (literally).

Thankyou!

May God bless you with a happy and healthy retirement. With heartfelt gratitude, appreciation, best wishes, love and prayers.

*Mary Mumby*

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## From the vicarage

Hello Everyone - A Happy and Peaceful New Year to you all.

At this time of year we have lots of plans and resolutions for the coming year but now this year they will not include me as I come to my retirement at the end of this month.

Lots of people have said to me. "You must have a lot of plans for your retirement." What are they? I've been asked this many times over the last couple of months. The plans are that there are no plans. God however does have plans for me and in the words of Jeremiah 29:11 'I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.' For whatever happens in my retirement I know that God will have a hand in it and will lead me to where he wants me to be.

I want to thank Bramhope and the church for your kindness to me, Keith and the family. We take away many happy memories from this place. It has gladdened my heart to see the church grow, people come to faith, children awakened to the possibilities of God, families who have made their spiritual home with us and our relationship with the village and its school grow over the years.

The work we have done on the church with the screen, the new lighting, renewed kitchen and the decoration of the church has meant many fund raisers and I thank everyone who has contributed. However it does mean that I leave the church in good heart with great facilities for a 21<sup>st</sup> Century church.

New equipment, New Year but the message from the church remains the same. God sent His Son to tell us just how much he loves us. For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but may have eternal life. John 3:16. That message is not just for the church but for all people both inside and outside the church. My prayer is that the church will continue to proclaim that message and welcome all who come to hear.

My journey with you as a parish is now ending. You will continue on your path and I will now take another but we will all continue under the guidance and care of God. However we are all charged to run the race that is before us. Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus on whom our faith depends from beginning to end. Hebrews 12:1-2.

Every Blessing for 2018 and onwards

*Janice*



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## Children's work @ St Giles

I thought that I would make a final report to you about the children's work that we have achieved in the last 11 years. None of this work is possible without many, many volunteers and that will continue to be the case after I have retired. I want to personally thank everyone who has made our work with children possible; without you there would be no children's work.

### CHRISTMAS & EASTER CRAFTS

These take place in the school holidays just before Christmas and on Good Friday morning. The aim is to provide good crafts for the children to make, refreshments, a short interlude of songs and a story.

The first time we did this in 2007 I remember we had about 10 children, but we persevered and by Christmas 2016 we had 98 children plus about 50 parents and a good time was had by all.

Gradually over the years the work on this has joined with Messy Church and now forms part of a coordinated programme.

### MESSY CHURCH

Following on from our growing work with the Christmas and Easter crafts we began our first tentative steps into Messy Church way back in 2009 and we still have an active and happy band of children attending each month. The idea of Messy Church is

that there is a theme for the afternoon such as heroes from the bible - Abraham, Moses, Joseph, Paul, Peter or more general such as harvest, creation, bible mountains, roads or seashores. The messier the craft the better; who will forget when we made primordial slime, threw fruit at a target for fruits of the Spirit, or the more off the wall such as making a balloon driven car, or rainbow fruit kebabs. The food crafts are always popular as are the refreshments, first made by Refrma and then Diane. The adults are treated to cake and other delights, while the children enjoy tea. And of course there are games galore.

Fiona Wrightson was joint leader with me for many years but she has now moved on and Suzannah Hattersley now helps to lead this work. When I go she will need support and volunteers to keep this work going. Can you help?

### KIDSClub

We started this venture at Bramhope Primary School in 2008. It is an after school club on Tuesday afternoons run during term time.

Again there is a bible theme based on the Lion Story Teller Bible; we explore the story using drama, games, occasionally model making and of course crafts.

We have had many children through this club. The year groups involved are from year 3 to year 5. Although

some of our children have kept on in year 6.

Children from this group have come to confirmation including some parents.

My role as leader will now be taken over by Denise Cooper and Eddie Whitehead. However we do need someone to co-ordinate the paper work and as ever more volunteers would make the rota much easier! Can you help?

### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Service

Children's Activities  
We have had more than one attempt over the years at getting this off the ground. I think that we have now found the right formula.

We have been running the activities for about 12 months now in the church hall. They are usually connected with the theme of the day that the adults are having in church.

So far as leader I have organised this work and arranged the rota and activities. If this work is to continue then it will need a new leader and coordinator. The leader may come from our existing volunteers but if not can you help please?

### TODDLER PRAISE (PREVIOUSLY MONDAY AFTERNOON CLUB)

I began this shortly after I started at St Giles. The purpose was to provide a meeting place for mums,

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carers and their under 5's with Christian input in the form of songs, story and simple crafts. Our favourite song was Jesus loves me when I jump, wave, smile, and so on.

The group started out with mums who had come to the church for the baptism of their children. And some of those mums have gone on to be very active members of our church.

In the autumn of 2017 we had to stop this small but active group due to the retirement of Fiona Wrightson who led this group for many years. With my illness followed by my forthcoming retirement I decided that this group would need to restart under new leadership. Can you help please?

### 1<sup>ST</sup> BRAMHOPE GUIDES

Fiona and I have wanted for some time to form a Guide unit. Bramhope has not had any Guide units for many years and there is a demand from this age group of 10 to 14 years. We have spent about 6

months going on various courses and setting up the unit. We are the unit leaders with Fiona very much to the fore. We currently have 14 Guides and demand for places is high. We meet on Wednesday nights at 6.45 pm to 8.15 in the church hall.

The Guides have all made their promise, one of which is to help others. This has included attending our all.together Harvest service and Toy service and donating food and toys for others. Thank you Guides.

I will be continuing as a leader of the Guides after I have retired.

### ALL.TOGETHER

This second Sunday service is not actually children's work directly but a vehicle where young families and their children can feel comfortable. And those who are young at heart can join in too. It really is an all age service and many of our more mature congregation love it too. The hymns are modern,

lively, and led by our band of musicians and singers. We include the children in the service and provide activities for them.

### CATS

Our Carers and Tots group came out of our work on leading your church into growth. It was instigated by the PCC in 2013 as a means of serving our community and reaching out to those outside the church.

After a period of 6 months in 2014 when it was led by a too busy vicar, Kevin volunteered to run the group. Kevin and his team of volunteers now run a highly successful playgroup popular with childminders and families alike.

My Prayer is that God will continue to bless all the children's work at St Giles.

May God bless all the children we have worked with and all those you will contact in the future.

Janice

### CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Many thanks to all who supported the Box Opening on Saturday 18th November. Although it seemed a quiet morning, the stalls, Raffle and sale of soup raised £308

and donations from the boxes, for the first time in a few years, increased by £156 to an excellent total of £1695.

Many thanks to everyone who made soup & cakes, and donated bric-a-brac and to

friends who "manned" the stalls and served in the kitchen. Special thanks go to the counters Ken, Jim, Neil & Philip who had the added job of separating old and new pound coins.

Ann Marshall



The Children's Society



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## MOTHERS' UNION

We were delighted to see so many members, visitors and Sebastian at our Annual Advent Service. Thank you to Janice for leading our Worship and to Joyce for playing the organ. Afterwards we all enjoyed a chat and a cup of tea with mince pies and stollen. There is no meeting in January as we are going to Caring for Life for delicious Afternoon Tea.

*Joanne Dawdry*

## MEN'S SUPPER CLUB

Happy New Year everyone! Due to the Men's Supper Club Christmas party falling late this year I have no write up as yet, so it will have to wait until January. I will take the opportunity to invite anyone thinking of giving the supper club a try to come and join us all in the New Year and enjoy a great meal and good company.

*Martin Lee*

## ST GEORGE'S CRYPT COLLECTION

I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who so generously contributed to our Christmas Appeal for St. George's Crypt. We collected toiletries, new socks and underpants, adult colouring books, puzzle books and scarves. The response from everyone has been extremely heart-warming and was very gratefully received by the Crypt. As well as Church members we had contributions from CATS and the WI which meant our car was much fuller than last year! Thank you once again.

*Sheila Williams*

## THE CHURCH CHRISTMAS TREE

A huge thank you to David Lawson for once again donating the wonderful Christmas tree to St Giles. It looks really beautiful.

Thanks be to God.

*Jean Weatherill*

## WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

In November we had a very enjoyable evening making Christmas decorations.

In January we will celebrate the New Year with a meal at Caring for Life. This will be a lunchtime meal on January 9.

*Janet Cunliffe*

## 50-50 NOVEMBER WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> – Steve Giles

2<sup>nd</sup> – David Shay

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## From the library shelf

I am not recommending any books from our library this month, as I find that we do not have anything on a most important subject – retirement.

Under the circumstances perhaps this is a gap we should fill, so I have been looking at what is available. There are some interesting titles; here are a few of them:

- Retirement for Beginners
- 101 fun things to do in Retirement: An Irreverent, Outrageous and Funny guide to life after work.
- How to Survive Retirement.
- How to Retire Happy Wild and Free: Retirement Wisdom that you won't get from your Financial Advisor.
- The Little Book of Senior Moments
- So you're 60: A Handbook for the Newly Confused
- Rethinking Retirement Mindful colouring Book

However, I don't think Janice is going to need any of these. Many people have told me that they are so busy after retirement they don't know how they ever did any work! I have certainly found this to be the case. You have the chance to do all those enjoyable things that you never had enough time for when you were working like spending more time with your family, or going for a walk, or just chilling out for a bit. And remember if you ever feel like reading one of our books you will still be an Honorary Member of St. Giles Library!

So thank you Janice for your advice and encouragement, and Best Wishes for a very happy retirement!

*Sue Grahame*



Dear Janice

Thank you for all the wonderful work you have done for the Parish of St Giles and the support, help and guidance you have given to us.

We both wish you a very happy and healthy retirement and although we are losing our Vicar we have gained a friend.

*All our love Joanne and June*



Katie came home from school adamant that Jesus had been in to school doing an assembly. Of course, it was the other famous 'J'; Janice. Always in and out of school, a well known, and liked, friendly face.

Prayers and visits, texts and time whilst I was poorly and undergoing treatment. Will not be forgotten.

*Caroline Donnelly*



We have just returned home from a wonderful toy service, a riot of 126 adults and 44 children, plus 3 families bringing 3 children to be welcomed into the church, all accompanied by the band and singers. Last week at the school service there were 85 adults and 153 children. Now we have to have two Christingle services to accommodate the families wishing to celebrate Christmas, at St. Giles, and it will be full of young people again. No church could wish for better - The proof of the pudding is in the eating.

Thank you Janice for 12 great years and Keith and family for their support. Well done thou good and faithful servant.

*Best wishes,*

*Yours Peter and Hazel Smith*



Many thanks to Janice for doing a splendid job at St Giles. In particular, at a personal level, thanks for being there when we needed your pastoral care. Thanks for your outstanding, excellent sermons which have always been easily understood, thought-provoking, topical and linking beautifully the Epistle and Gospel of the day with what is happening in Bramhope and in the world beyond. Thanks too for building up a strong and vibrant young end of the church with highly successful second and fourth Sunday's services, Toy Sunday, Messy Church etc. Rydal Hall weekend will continue to evoke many happy memories for a long time. Thanks also for you and Keith getting very involved with very enjoyable social events. Where is Bramhope going to be without Keith's amazing food? Best wishes to you and your family.

*Bill and Janet Cunliffe*







## Fond farewells & thanks to Janice

Sarah Shay shares some of her memories of time spent with Janice:

Getting to know Janice on Alpha – her vast range of theological knowledge and how she makes this accessible and really helps people to understand what Faith and Christianity mean. And this is the same for all the confirmation classes, home nurture groups, prayer groups and Alpha away days.

Her being there in the good times – Christening Luke has to be the highlight – and Janice and Keith came and joined us at the party afterwards!

Her being there in the bad times – Marlene's illness and passing in particular – I'll never forget her reading the last rites at her hospital bedside or her support at the funeral. And helping me through my many surgeries and illness – coming into my home and giving me communion and having a good chat over a cup of tea (decaf!).



Her being there in the social times – all the parties, social events, fundraisers, Rydal Hall away weekends. And Keith and her family by her side and in the kitchen or providing musical entertainment.

Gosh aren't we going to miss her!



Janice, thank you so much for all your love and support, for welcoming us into Bramhope and into the Church family of St Giles. You have supported us to grow our faith over the last ten years for which we are truly thankful. We will miss you but please stay in touch. This is, we hope, farewell but not goodbye.



*Sue, Gareth, Zoë and Lucy xxxx*



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On the First Janice Christmas: My Vicar gave to ME a chance to spout forth my po-e-try.

On the Second Janice Christmas: My Vicar said to me "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and your name's on the Harvest po-e-try!!"

**On the Third Janice Christmas: My Vicar helped me see, the meaning of the blessed Trinity.**

"Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and the chance to spout forth po-e-try.

On the Fourth Janice Christmas: My Vicar lit for me Four Advent Candles, Three steps to heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and the chance to spout forth po-e-try.

On the Fifth Janice Christmas: my Vicar spelt for me  
QUIN – QUEN – NI - AL  
Four Advent Candles, three steps to heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a chance to spout forth po-e-try!

On the Sixth Janice Christmas: My Vicar sold to me Six Alpha Suppers,  
QUIN – QUEN – NI - AL  
Four Advent Candles, Three steps to heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a chance to spout forth po-e-try.

On the Seventh Janice Christmas: My Vicar preached to me Seven Sins so tempting, Six Alpha Suppers,  
QUIN – QUEN - NI - AL  
Four Advent Candles, Three Steps to Heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a stab at "Jubilee po-e-try!"

On the Eighth Janice Christmas: My Vicar shared with me Eight days a Pilgrim, Seven Sins - don't go there, Six Alpha Suppers,  
QUIN - QUEN - NI - AL  
Four Advent Candles, Three steps to heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a chance to write "Pilgrim Po-e-try".

On the Ninth Janice Christmas: My Vicar proved to me 9.30 Rocks Out, Eight days a Pilgrim, Seven Sins can't touch this, Six Alpha Suppers,  
QUIN - QUEN - NI - AL  
Four Advent Candles, Three steps to heaven," Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a chance to spout forth po-e-try.

On the Tenth Janice Christmas: My Vicar cooked for me 10.30 Brunches, (apologies to Keith and Eddie!) 9.30 Rock Outs, Eight days a Pilgrim, Seven Sins too risky, Six Alpha Suppers,  
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## Po-e-try continued!

### **On the Eleventh Janice Christmas: My Vicar reminded me, of those who gave all for their country.**

Ten Thirty Brunches, 9.30 Rock Outs, Eight days a Pilgrim, Seven Sins spell danger, Six Alpha Suppers,  
QUIN - QUEN - NI - AL

Four Advent Candles, Three Steps to Heaven, "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and a chance to write ROYAL Po-e-try!

### **On the Twelfth Janice Christmas: My Vicar showed to me she has been my true Epiphany.**

Twelve years of Mission, Eleven for Remembrance, 10.30 Brunches, 9.30 Rock Outs, Eight days a Pilgrim, Seven Sins too deadly, Six Alpha Suppers,

QUIN - QUEN - NI - AL

Four Advent Candles, Three Steps to Heaven "Two ears, one mouth Jules!" and the chance to write HER this po-e-try.

*Julie Marie Tomkins*

**T**hank you Janice!  
Words fail me and that's a first! We will always remember YOU.

Love Julie xx

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## A few more thoughts about Janice

An inspiration to us,  
Helped us develop a deeper faith,  
Rejuvenated St Giles,  
Made worship accessible to a wider audience,  
Increased our mission and outreach,  
Helped to move our church into 21<sup>st</sup> century,  
Arranged many social events including fabulous meals for the whole congregation,

Your pastoral care has been tremendous – you are always there at times of need,

Your talented family have been involved in so many positive ways and we would like to thank them also,

Your sermons have been inspirational,

You are a shining example of how to live a Christian life,

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*Anon*





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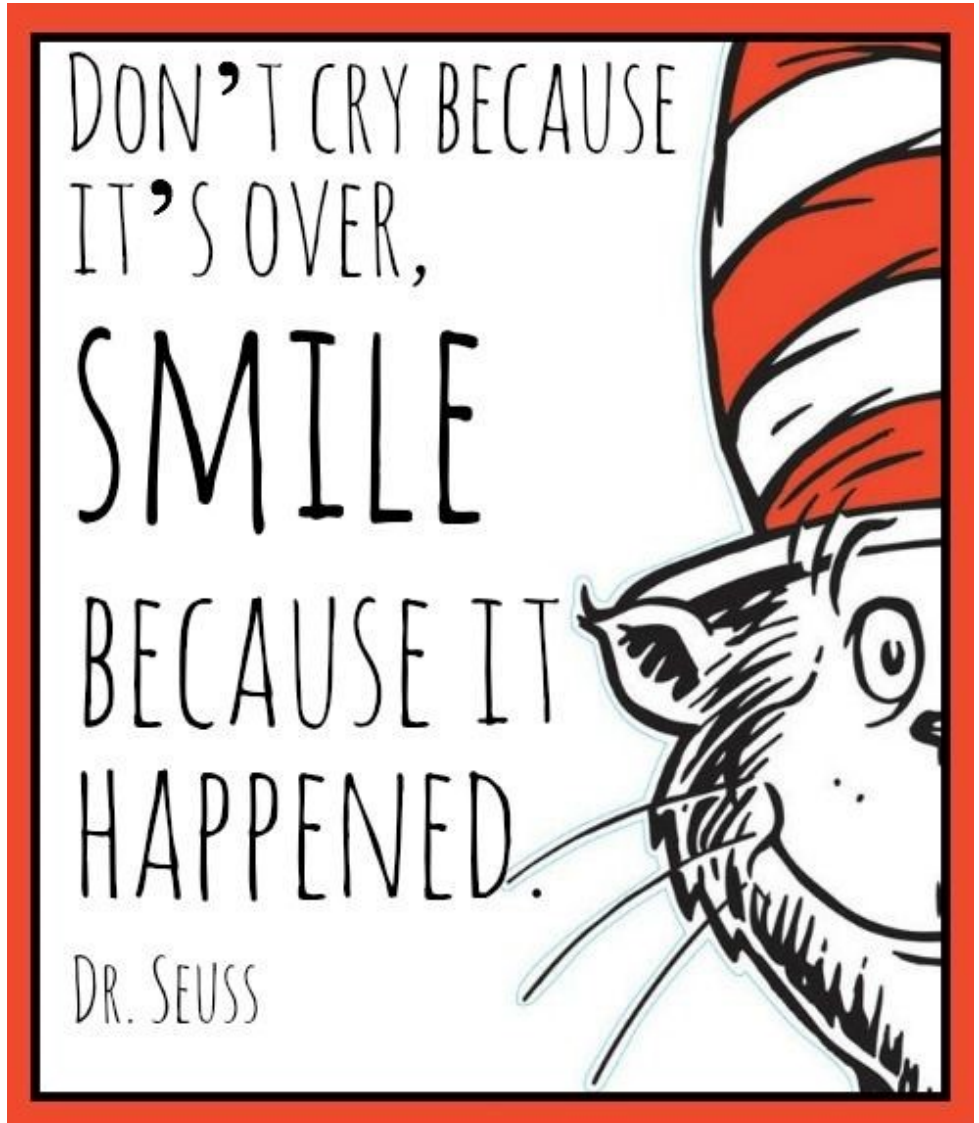
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One of my favourite Dr Seus quotes. We will have lots of happy memories of Janice to smile about...



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## Diary for January

Tues 2	Circle Dancing 7.15 pm
Mon 8	PCC Meeting 7.30 pm
Tues 9	Women's Fellowship Lunchtime meal
Wed 10	CATS 9:15 – 11:15 am
Thur 11	Men's Supper Club 6.30 for 7 pm Canon Roger Dedman "The Rise of the Post Office "
Tues 16	Circle Dancing 7.15 pm
Wed 17	CATS 9.15 – 11.15 am Open House 2.00 – 4.00 pm
Sun 21	Messy Church 3.00 – 5.00 pm
Wed 24	CATS 9.15 – 11.15 am
Tues 30	Circle Dancing 7.15 pm
Wed 31	CATS 9.15 – 11.15 am

## Parish Register

Baptisms  
November 26  
Leah Mae Cooper

December 3  
Sebastian William Sandy Baker

Funerals  
November 24  
Mary Burnell

December 4  
Celia Savage

Enquiries regarding baptisms,  
weddings and funerals should  
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✉ vicar@stgilesbramhope.org.uk



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Mrs Joanne Dawdry	Churchwarden & Vice-Chair
Mrs June Pickles	Churchwarden
Mrs Miranda Reynard	Ex Officio Secretary
Mr Bernard Williams	Retires 2018 Treasurer
Mrs Karen Giles	Retires 2018
Mr Nick Pinches	Retires 2018
Mr Alan Tomkins	Retires 2018

Mrs Joy Smith	Retires 2018 Deanery Synod Rep
Mrs Dorothy Powney	Retires 2019
Mr Jim Richardson	Retires 2019
Mrs Sheila Williams	Retires 2019
Mr John Grahame	Retires 2019
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Jan 7	Joan Archenhold	Karen Giles & Norma Watkinson
Jan 14	Mothers' Union	Bernard & Sheila Williams
Jan 21	Mothers' Union	Diane Thompson & Margaret North
Jan 28	Women's Fellowship	Judy Brown & Sue Henry

## Sidespersons

SUNDAY	8.15am	9.30am		6.30pm
<b>1st</b>	Bill Cunliff Steve McGraw	Philip Kendall-Smith	Margaret North	Margaret North
<b>2nd</b>	NO SERVICE	John Grahame Neil Simpson	Mike Riley	Margaret North
<b>3rd</b>	Janet Howard	Fred Archenhold Joan Archenhold	Bob Lewis	Michael Coles
<b>4th</b>	NO SERVICE	Janet Cunliffe Jill Perkin		Alan Woodthorpe
<b>5th</b>	John Grisdale Sue Gamble	Sara Leefe Audrey Harrison	Jean Snowball	Pat Gregersen

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## Church Services for January 2018

Thursday 4	10.30am	First Thursday Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Sunday 7</b>	<b>FIRST OF EPIPHANY / BAPTISM OF CHRIST</b>	
	8.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)
	6.30pm	Choral Evensong
Thursday 11	10.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Sunday 14</b>	<b>SECOND OF EPIPHANY</b>	
	<b>8.15am</b>	<b>NO SERVICE</b>
	9.30am	All.together Service
	6.30pm	Parish Communion (CW) with Healing Ministry
<b>18 - 25 January</b>	<b>WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY</b>	
Thursday 18	10.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Sunday 21</b>	<b>THIRD OF EPIPHANY</b>	
	8.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW) with Healing Ministry
	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>United Service for Christian Unity at the Methodist</b>
Thursday 25	10.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Sunday 28</b>	<b>FOURTH OF EPIPHANY / PRESENTATION OF CHRIST</b>	
	<b>8.15am</b>	<b>NO SERVICE</b>
	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Together Communion (CW)</b>
	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>NO SERVICE</b>
<b>FEBRUARY 2018</b>		
Thursday 1	10.30am	First Thursday Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Sunday 4</b>	<b>SECOND BEFORE LENT</b>	
	8.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)
	6.30pm	Choral Evensong