



#### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

http://www.burneside-pc.org.uk/

The Members of Burneside Parish Council are elected volunteers who represent residents of the parish in a number of ways including planning consultations and highways matters. You can contact members directly, attend a meeting or contact the Clerk if you have any matters concerning the Parish that you would like to raise.

CURRENTLY THERE IS A VACANCY FOR A COUNCILLOR

Please get in touch if you are interested or would like more information

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Phillip Allder; Julie Huck; Judith Notley; Brian Smith; Derrick Wade

Date of the next meeting: Tuesday 2nd February 2021 at 7pm by ZOOM.





# Burneside Church & Community NEWSLETTER February 2021

#### The Vicar writes:

Did you make any resolutions this New Year? Have you kept them? I am writing this letter less than three weeks into 2021; and listening to a radio programme where people were being asked about what their New Year resolutions were, especially if they had changed now that there is a real possibility of an effective Covid vaccine for everyone this year. Quite a few people were incredibly honest saying that they very rarely kept any resolutions beyond the first week of January. Others said that despite the changes they were forced to make because of this pandemic, they still found it difficult to change, even if they knew it was good for them!

I suspect that they were echoing what is true for most of us, in that we don't much like change. Many of us possibly don't mind change too much if it was brought about by ourselves, but we don't like it when it is brought about circumstances beyond our control. Something that all of us have experienced in 2020! I think too that there is a part of us that likes to use those rose-tinted spectacles and think that the past life was much better — I have to admit I'm guilty of that myself sometimes!

There is a sense in which life in earlier times, may have been simpler but there is much that is so much better and easier now than then. Would we really want to turn the clock back? Would we really want to be rid of all the technology that we have become used to? I know I would not relish having to do all my washing by hand or heating an iron up on the fire! Then we have the amazing strides in the field of medicine and of course in vaccinations. Some of the greatest changes in our lifetime, have been in communications. Most people have a personal mobile phone, and some level of computer technology. Communicating with family, friends and businesses anywhere in the world is so much simpler than just 30 years ago. We can shop, hold meetings, and attend dance classes, all without leaving our home.

Change and progress can be a good thing!

The same is true of the Church. Many people find it difficult to accept that the Church is changing. It is now a very long time ago in this country when every village had its own vicar, and more and more Churches are joining up together to share gifts, resources and workload. In doing this we learn from each other and don't remain isolated. We may do things differently, use different orders of service, even sing different hymns; but the truths that unite us as disciples of Jesus are much more significant that those things where we hold different opinions. So we are able to go forward together and make the changes that are inevitable knowing that the changes that may seem difficult now are necessary for our combined church health in the future.

This year will be a year of change for our Beacon Team as we go forward looking at what we need to do to become that Mission Community we said we wanted to be at our launch. Even if we feel nervous about what changes that will mean we can rejoice that some changes can be very positive and hold on to the words found in Jeremiah 29:11 "I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord . "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope."

With love and prayers as we continue into a new year and a future filled with possibilities.

Tricia

For any church matters please contact Tricia, the Priest in Charge, at the Vicarage on 01539 722015





While the present restrictions are in place the Churches in the Beacon Team Mission Community will be closed for public worship.

There are various types of worship available on digital platforms, details of these can be found on the back of the Orange Pages.

## YOU ARE IN A DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE



## DOG FOULING

#### **CLEAN NEIGHBOURHOOD &** ENVIRONMENT ACT OF 2005

The Law Requires You As A Dog Owner And You Have A Legal Duty To Clean Up Every Time Your Dog Messes In A Public Place

CRIMINAL & ANTI-SOCIAL **BEHAVIOUR ACT OF 2014** 

IT IS ALSO A HEALTH HAZARD **BAG IT & BIN IT** 

ON THE SPOT FINE OF £80 MAGISTRATES COURT FOULING OFFENCE FINE OF £1000

#### DOG FOULING

While most dog owners are caring, responsible individuals, there are still some people who do not clean up after their pets and it is becoming a big problem in the village.

Not only is it a horrible sight and is getting walked in to school and homes but you are putting people's health at risk and it can cause blindness!

## **CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG**

#### **BAG IT AND BIN IT!**

Dog fouling can be reported on the SLDC website:

https://www.southlakeland.gov.uk/yourenvironment/dogs/dog-fouling/

The Parish Council will be discussing this problem at next meeting & looking into extra bins and signage around the village.

We are still hopeful that allotments will be created in the village but we still need a show of interest to be able to go forward. Anybody who might be interested in having an allotment or would like more information should contact Judith Notley judithnotley@gmail.com

Any community information that you wish to be added within the Parish News needs to be submitted by the 3rd Sunday of the month to Amanda Shaw: amanda@dashaw.co.uk

**FOOD SHARES** There are various local groups helping with providing food if you are in need.

The Village food share at the main bus stop at the bottom of Hollins Lane gets filled up regularly. Anyone can take the food and can also put in to share with others.

PLEASE Don't let food WASTE- it's been given by the supermarket because of sell by dates. Please help, even if you are not in need of free food- share it with friends and neighbours.

# DONATIONS PLEASE



Kendal Food Bank would like dried, tinned, non-perishable foods to continue to help those in need throughout the year.

Please give what you can to ensure everyone has something to eat.

#### THANK YOU

Donations can be left in the Church side corridor



MANNA HOUSE In response to government regulations during this pandemic,

Manna House's phone lines and emails are open Monday through Friday from 9.30am through 3pm. We can support you with housing and benefits advice, any health or well being issues you may have and food parcels, including toiletries and other household needs.

01539 725534 info@manna-house.org.uk

#### Take away lunches



Hot food in a bap and soup. Sandwiches if preferred, as well as crisps, fruit and cake,

Available for anyone who has need of one. All are welcome!!!!!!!

Thursdays 12 noon - 1.00 pm Outside St. George's Church, Castle Street, Kendal

All prepared by people holding Food Hygiene certificates and with strict Covid 19 procedures

Every Thursday at 11am at Hallgarth Community Centre and Stricklandgate House!

Please ensure you wear a mask and maintain 2m social distance during the gueue as well as in the hall. With the new strain, we have to be more vigilant so we can keep the food larder running.

More info in the link below -

