



## St Giles' Church, Bubbenhall: Newsletter for June 2014

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### SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE: June 2014

DATE	Bubbenhall	Baginton	Ryton
<b>June 1</b> <b>Easter 7</b> <b>(Sunday after</b> <b>Ascension Day)</b>	<b>11.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.00 a.m:</b> <b>Village Service</b>	<b>9.30 a.m:</b> <b>Parish</b> <b>Communion</b> <b>6.30 p.m:</b> <b>Evensong</b>
<b>June 8</b> <b>Pentecost</b> <b>(Whit Sunday)</b>	<b>6.30 p.m:</b> <b>Evensong</b>	<b>10.00 a.m: Holy</b> <b>Communion</b>	<b>8.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b> <b>9.30 a.m:</b> <b>Village Worship.</b>
<b>June 15:</b> <b>Trinity Sunday</b>	<b>11.00 a.m:</b> <b>Mattins.</b> <b>8.15 p.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion</b> <b>by candlelight.</b>	<b>10.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b>	<b>9.30 a.m:</b> <b>Parish</b> <b>Communion.</b> <b>6.30p.m:</b> <b>Evensong.</b>
<b>June 19</b> <b>Corpus Christi</b>			<b>7.30 p.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion</b> <b>with Guest Choir</b> <b>Musica Sacra</b>
<b>June 22</b> <b>Trinity I</b>	<b>8.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b>	<b>10.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b> <b>(Patronal Festival)</b>	<b>9.30 a.m:</b> <b>Family Service.</b> <b>6.30 p.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b>

DATE	Bubbenhall	Baginton	Ryton
<b>June 29</b> <b>Saints Peter and Paul.</b> <i>Fifth Sunday in the month: one service for all our 3 churches.</i>	<b>11.00 a.m:</b> <b>United Benefice Parish Communion</b>		
<b>July 6:</b> <b>Trinity 3</b>	<b>11.00 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.00 a.m:</b> <b>Village Service</b>	<b>9.30 a.m:</b> <b>Parish Communion.</b>  <b>6.30p.m:</b> <b>Evensong.</b>
<b>Every Wednesday</b>			<b>9.20 a.m:</b> <b>Holy Communion.</b>



**Saturday, July 5<sup>th</sup> , 1.30 p.m. at Bubbenhall Recreation ground: Village Fête and Fun Day.**

If you would like to book a stall please contact Don Thomas 024 7630 5460 or any committee member. Full programme available soon.

Email Contact: [bubbenhallevents@gmail.com](mailto:bubbenhallevents@gmail.com)

There will as usual be a church stall at the annual village Fête and Fun day. Contributions of produce and cakes very welcome.



**Come and enjoy breakfast in the Village Hall!**



**First Saturday in every month, from 9.00 – 11.00 a.m. Full English £5.00, or bacon/ sausage etc. batches, tea, coffee- priced per item. Proceeds in aid of St Giles' Church.**

**Angela Greenway and Gill Green were delighted to have so many happy guests at the first two breakfast meetings , and hope to welcome even more of you **on Saturday, June 7.****

**Do come along and bring your friends!**

**Many thanks to Angela, Gill, and all those who are helping them in this new venture.**

**Saturday June 28<sup>th</sup> : Ryton Church Fête and Football Competition.**

Please come along and support Ryton parish church; there will be many attractions including a Brass Band, Marching Band, Maypole Dancing, Punch and Judy, Bouncy Castle and Slide, and Ryton's own DJ- Ryan. There will be loads of stalls and games, as well as refreshments, barbecue, and beer tent all running alongside adult and junior 6-a-side football competitions. Fun for all the family!

Enquiries about the **Football Competition** to Colin Harrow please, on 02476 639646

**The fun doesn't stop there – we continue into the evening, from 6 pm – 9 pm, with Ryton Conga – community gathering. Guest Jazz singer Gebby Easton**

**NEXT PCC MEETING: Monday, June 2, 7.30 p.m. at Hill Cottage.**

Saturday June 21<sup>st</sup> and Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> at Baginton:

**Church Flower Festival and Open Gardens: Church open 2pm - 5pm**

Refreshments available. Details from Sue 76307255

**Bellringers' News:**

**Susan Sheen writes:**

'If you are out walking across the fields and (hopefully) enjoying some sunshine, then listen out for the bells on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 11.15. We have a group of ringers from Surrey who are coming to St Giles to ring a quarter peal.'

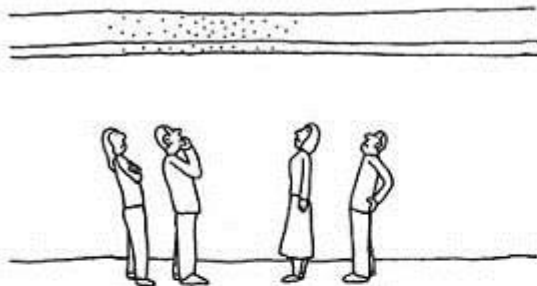
Sunday service ringing continues - all welcome.

Bubbenhall Bellringers' Practice night is Wednesday 7.30 – 9.00.

New ringers/visitors always welcome.

For further information on Rugby Deanery/Guild events, bells and/or learning to ring please contact Susan Sheen, tel. 02476 306339

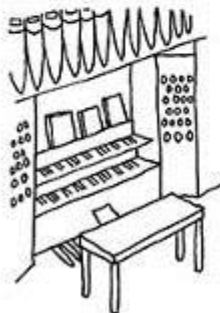
**TERRIBLE DISCOVERIES**



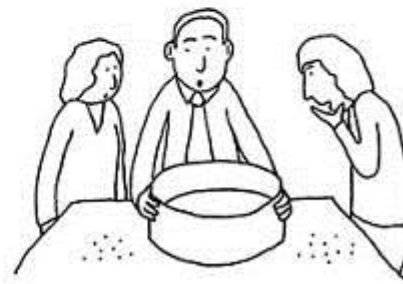
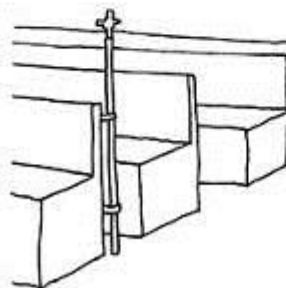
THE BEAMS ARE ROTTEN AND COULD COLLAPSE AT ANY MOMENT



OUR MOST PRECIOUS ARTEFACTS HAVE BEEN STOLEN



THE ORGANIST AND THE CHURCHWARDEN HAVE GONE MISSING SIMULTANEOUSLY



SOMEONE HAS EATEN ALL OF THE BISCUITS

## Lent jars in aid of Save the Children

If you have a Lent jar or other contribution to our fundraising effort for Save the Children, could you please return it to church as soon as possible, so that our collective donation can be sent off? Many thanks for the generous donations and Gift-Aid forms already received, and please continue to pray for the work of Save the Children, and for the children and families they help.

### From the Church Register

No entries during May.

## Thursday, June 19, 7.30 p.m. at Ryton: Corpus Christi service with Visiting Choir *Musica Sacra*



The visits of *Musica Sacra*, and of organist Tim Campain, to lead the singing at some of our services, are much enjoyed by the members of the congregation, who join enthusiastically in the rousing hymns. The choir enjoy the services too, and are very appreciative of the warm welcome that you always extend to them. There is much jolly socialising at the wine/ Buck's Fizz and cheese-scone party after the services too.

Encouraged by everyone's enjoyment of their efforts, the choir and organist are again coming to lead the singing at our **Corpus Christi service on Thursday, June 19.** Another wine/ Buck's Fizz party after the service! Everybody welcome- do come along and join in.

### Churchyard Team: Thank you very much!

Spring is here and the grass and weeds are growing fast, but our churchyard is looking at its best thanks to the efforts of the kind volunteers who give generously of their time and labour to keep it immaculate. Thank you all very much indeed.

If **you** would like to join the team, please contact one of our churchwardens.

**Fun for all ages at Village Worship (Second Sunday in every month),  
and Family Service (Fourth Sunday in every month).**

***Both services begin at 9.30 a.m. in RYTON Church.***

***All welcome- bring the family and enjoy these friendly services***



Pictures taken at Family Service for Rogation Sunday (May 25) : we walked round our beautiful churchyard and asked God's blessing on the crops, the animals, and our village community.



## Thought for the month: Where's the piccolo?

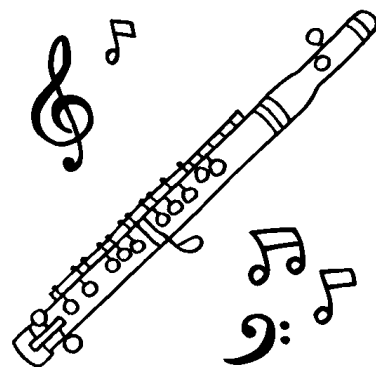
Sir Michael Costa was a great orchestral conductor of the 19th Century. It is said that one day he was conducting a rehearsal in which a full orchestra was joined by a great choir.

About halfway through the session, with trumpets blaring, drums rolling, and violins singing their rich melody, the piccolo player muttered to himself, "What good am I doing? I might just as well not be playing. Nobody can hear me anyway."

So he kept the instrument to his mouth, but he made no sound. Within moments, the conductor cried, "Stop! Stop! Where's the piccolo?"

What's happened to the piccolo?"

It was missed by the ear of the most important person of all.



We may sometimes feel like that piccolo player – that we don't have much to offer, that if we stopped whatever we do in life, no one would notice anyway.

Surrounded by people we think are more talented or more competent than us, we may feel insignificant and useless and we may be tempted in our weak moments just to settle back and let somebody else do the work. We reason that what we have to offer won't make much difference anyway.

Yet the Great Conductor notices, and needs us to complete his orchestral masterpiece! Each of us has something important to offer to serve God and our fellow human beings. Let's not forget the truth suggested by Jesus' use of five loaves and two small fish to feed a huge crowd. (John 6:1-14).

*A Prayer: Lord, take whatever I have to offer and use it for your purposes. AMEN*

### Ryton History Group

June 27<sup>th</sup> Talk on 11 century Coventry by Steve Garrett.

June 28<sup>th</sup> Church Fête.

July 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Severn valley railway- set in the 1940's.

July 25<sup>th</sup> Sheila Wolf talks about Cordelia Leigh's War Diary.

Our meetings are held in The Village Hall from **7-30pm to 9.30pm** on the fourth Friday of every month. Please come and join us. We meet from 7.30-9.30pm in the Village Hall.

Subscription: £20.00 per year or £2.50 per meeting

**We are now on the council website for you to get more information.**

[www.rytonondunsmore.org](http://www.rytonondunsmore.org) or **Steve Garrett 76639228 Ann 76302695**

## TWIRLS – Women's Institute

Meet every Third Thursday of the month at Ryton Church Centre. 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Further details from Committee members:

Tracey Miller – 45 Church Road Tel: 07899 773373

Sue Roberts-Smith – 10 Cedar Ave. Tel: 07966 184282

Clair Henry – 27 Holly Drive Tel: 07974 679891

Tracey Cairns – 10 Poplar Grove Tel: 02476 303304

Sam Sharpe – 12 Church Road Tel: 07854 002931

### Tailpiece: ...



A man went to see his doctor for advice about being cured of snoring. The doctor asked, "Does your snoring disturb your wife?"

The patient replied, "Does it disturb my wife? Why, it disturbs the entire congregation."

*Have a good month: Love from Rosemary*

**Contributions for the July/ August Newsletter by June 20<sup>th</sup> please.**

**Please note that the next Newsletter will be a joint issue for July and August.**

**Please encourage others to ask to receive the Newsletter by email: the email version contains more news than there is room for in the paper version, and sometimes cartoons, pictures and jokes.**

**Just contact Rosemary on [rbking007@btinternet.com](mailto:rbking007@btinternet.com) and ask to be added to the list. No charge!**



