

# OTHER NOTICES

The new **Traidcraft** catalogue has arrived, including the Christmas ranges of gifts, cards etc. Please take a catalogue from the Fair Trade stall to browse. Orders can be placed through the stall which helps the church, means you don't pay delivery charges and you don't pay until the goods arrive (usually a couple of weeks).

**Please do pray for the folk at Traidcraft** as they may have to cease trading at the end of 2018 unless a solution can be found in the coming months to end the recent poor trading figures after the pound fell after the Brexit decision and Traidcraft took the decision to honour the prices already published for the goods sold. All their 68 staff based in Gateshead are facing redundancy. The Chief Executive wants people to get in touch with ideas for a future for Traidcraft at [lovetraidcraft@traidcraft.co.uk](mailto:lovetraidcraft@traidcraft.co.uk)

## Could you help at Little Lambs on Thursday mornings?

We have had some wonderful help up to now at our weekly group, but due to illness and other commitments, we are now needing a special someone to prepare simple snacks for the children, serve teas and coffees, and chat to folk. (No setting up or clearing away of the main equipment required.) Please speak to Anna if you are interested.



The Circuit are encouraging churches to hold more **Own Arrangement services** to ease the demand on preachers and our next ones are on 7th October; 4th November and Christmas Day. It is a great opportunity for us to think outside the box, and encourage more people to participate. **If you would like to contribute to these services in any way however small, please speak to Rosamond, Heather, or Ian Hill, or come to one of the planning meetings (see diary).**

**Harvest**—our Harvest Festival is next Sunday, 30th September, and we would love you to help us decorate the church the day before. So please come armed with fresh fruit, veg, potted plants or flowers, and/or things from the **Carecent** Needs list on the church notice-board, on **Saturday 29th September from 9.30am** and join in with others to make the church look beautiful. **There are some photocopied sheets of Carecent items required (and those not required!) so you can take them home if you can't see the sheet in the Notices section of the church website.** Also, there are envelopes available today for you to make a contribution on Harvest Sunday to the **All We Can** charity.

If you'd like to join in a choir or orchestra to perform Graham Kendrick's **The Gift** at Holgate Methodist on Sunday 2nd December (practice in afternoon, tea, then performance at 6.30pm) **please let Adrian Rodaway know by Sunday 14th October.** 07970 070525. Music will be provided. See the full notice on the church notice board.

**In return for a free trip to Nunnington Hall, including transport,** Ryevitalise (partnership scheme supported by Heritage Lottery Fund, North York Moors National Park Authority and partners) would like some of your time while there to get some feedback. Further details from Roger Newton 07875 124590. **The trip is next Saturday, 29th September and places are limited.**

## A Yorkshire Lord's Prayer (by Arnold Kellett)

Ahr Father, 'oo art in 'Eaven, Let thy name bi shown respect; Let thy Kingdom come abaht an' what tha wants doin, Lord, Let it be done 'Ere on earth same as up yonder; Gi' us each day summat to eyt an' summat to sup; An' let us off, Lord, if we've offended thee bi doin' owt wrong an' 'elp us not to 'owd grudges agen other fowk if the've done owt to offend us; An' keep us aht o' t'rooad o' temptation, an'aht o' t'clutches of owd Nick. Fer it's all thine is t'Kingdom, Lord, an' all t'Pahr, an' all t'Glooyar, Fer ivver an' ivver..... Aye! It is that!



**We still need more poppies!!** The wonderful Craft and Chat folk have already been attaching the poppies done so far to netting which will be fixed to the large outside cross in the week leading up our service on 11th November. **Please could we ask you to make as many as you can in the next month** as it will be wonderful to see the cross completely covered. Please do bring in what you have as soon as they are done, as they can be attached in advance and we can see how many more are needed. **The deadline for bringing poppies to church is Sunday 28th October.** *Further details or help from Helen.*

## 2018

**Saturday 29th September** Please meet from 9.30am to help decorate the church for Harvest  
**Sunday 30th September** Harvest Celebration Service 10.30am

**Tuesday 2nd October**  
**Saturday 6th October**  
**Wednesday 10th October**  
**Monday 15th October**  
**Sunday 21st October**

Property Meeting 7.30pm  
Pastoral Visitors' Trng, Clifton Methodist, 10.30am-3.30pm, take own lunch  
Church Council 7.30pm  
Planning meeting for 4th November Own Arrangements Service 7.30pm  
Chapel Anniversary with Rev'd Gavin and Tracy Hume, followed by shared lunch

**Sunday 11th November**  
**Saturday 24th November**  
Thursday 29th November

Service of Remembrance 10.30am  
**Lidgett Christmas Fair**—Please reserve the date—details to follow later  
Stewards 7pm and Leadership 7.30pm Meetings

**Monday 3rd December**  
**Tuesday 4th December**  
**Saturday 15th December**  
**Sunday 16th December**  
**Sunday 23rd December**  
**Monday 24th December**  
**Tuesday 25th December**

Worship Meeting (re next Plan) and Planning Mtg for Christmas Day service 7.30pm  
Circuit Advent Service 10.00am for 10.30am Stamford Bridge  
A Quiet Christmas, service for bereaved and others who find Christmas hard, 11am  
Scratch Nativity  
Carols Service  
Crib Service at Poppleton Methodist, 4pm  
Christmas Day service at 10.00am

## 2019

**Thursday 31st January**  
**18th-20th October**

Stewards 7pm and Leadership 7.30pm Meetings  
District Weekend in Scarborough

