

Halsall News

September 2015

Halsall St Cuthbert Hub website

A new website for Halsall's St Cuthbert Church community has been launched and can be viewed at: <http://www.halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk>

The aim of the site is to:

- Raise funds for the repair of St Cuthbert's Church spire – through volunteering and fundraising events
- Showcase archive church documents, school reports and the Halsall Parish Magazine/Halsall News which date back to 1800s and up to the present day
- Church service times and other news

For more information please contact Colin Throp 01704 841281 on or email: info@halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk

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THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST.CUTHBERT, HALSALL

Rector

The Revd Paul Robinson

The Rectory

Church Lane

Lydiate

L31 4HL

Phone: 0151 526 0512

Email: frpaul.robinson@btinternet.com

Parish Surgery: Anyone wishing to arrange a Baptism or Wedding should ring the Rector's Secretary to make an appointment. The phone number of the office is 0151 526 2292 and the office is staffed Monday-Wednesday 9.00am—1.00pm or you can email at:

stthomassteph@btinternet.com

The Sick: This parish is committed to the care of the sick. Names of those in need of this ministry, either at home or in hospital, should be given to Paul. The Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion) is reserved in church and can be taken to the housebound or ill. Holy Oil is also kept for the anointing of the sick.

The Dying: Paul can be contacted at any time of the day or night in order to minister to the dying.

WARDENS AND SIDESPERSONS

SEPTEMBER 2015



DATE	WARDEN	SIDESPERSIONS	
6th	Malcolm Serjeant	Beryl Sephton	Bill White
13th	Lynda Bramwell	Eileen Houlgrave	Ann Critchley
20th	Malcolm Serjeant	Eleanor Wroe	Stephanie Hilton
27th	Lynda Bramwell	Tina Roberts	David Jessop

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Rector

The Revd Paul Robinson.

Phone 0151 5260512 or Email: frpaul.robinson@btinternet.com

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Diane for all her hard work for the magazine in recent years and wish her well in the future.



**Halsall News can now be viewed online at
www.halsall-parish.com**

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

SEPTEMBER

3rd	Annie Smith (Birthday)
3rd	Ron Tillett
4th	Lawrence Baldwin (Birthday)
7th	Angela Hilton
14th	Margery Smith
16th	Raymond Lewis
16th	Annie Sutton
18th	Jennifer Kitching (Anniversary)
19th	Joe Balmer
20th	James Hilton (Remembrance)
21st	James Rimmer (Birthday)
22nd	Harry Core (Birthday)
29th	John Rynhart



The Rector Writes

I hope that you all had a great summer, and, even if you didn't get away, you managed to find time for some rest and relaxation and that your 'batteries' are charged and ready for the rush into Autumn.

September is of course, a bit like spring, in that it is, for many – especially the young - in our community, a time of new beginnings. And it is the children and young people and their 'new beginnings' that I want us to think about this month.

For some of the children and young people of our parish the summer months are an important time of waiting, decision-making and preparation for the future – an important time for new beginnings.

For the young people who have taken their GCSE's, 'AS' Level's and 'A' Levels this year, August was the month they got their results. These results are important for them as they make their decisions for the future and begin upon a path of new beginnings that will lead them to work, college and university.

For those children who were in Y6 – the final year - of our Primary Schools back in July and therefore the 'elders' of the school, there is a new beginning for them at their Secondary Schools. They will have to get used to the unfamiliar, to a larger school – both a bigger building and more pupils, to new teachers, other new students to a new timetable and a whole host of other things, and this can be quite daunting and unsettling. Those first few months in a new school are important for each child as they begin to settle down and get used to new ways.

And spare a thought for the 'little ones' the children who, after having been at nursery or home, now start school 'properly' as they join the Reception Class. What must be going through their minds during those first few weeks as they adjust to a new and different way of doing things! Going to school for the very first time can be hard and I know that for some there will be a few tears. I know that I cried for the first week or so because I didn't want to leave my mum – and no it wasn't when I was 30 it was when I was 5.

Even for the children and young people who are staying at the same school there are some new beginnings. New Classroom, new form teacher – are they really as strict as others have said?? – new and different challenges to face.

So over the next month please spare a thought and a prayer for the young people of our parish, for your own children and grand-children, as they settle down and adjust to life in school remembering that for some of them it is really a 'new beginning'.

With all good wishes

Paul

CHURCH CLEANING ROTA FOR September 2015



13 September	N Harbinson L Wilkinson	M Webster C Meehan	E Parry D Backhouse	E Banks
27th September	A Critchley K Orrit	P Waterworth	S Waterworth	K Twist
11th October	P Carr J Showering	E Houlgrave S Lloyd	E Carr	A Grimshaw

Chalice Rota September 2015



6 th September	Beryl Sephton	David Jessop
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20 th September	Ann Cushion	Malcolm Sergeant
27 th September	Tara Kenyon	Stephanie Hilton

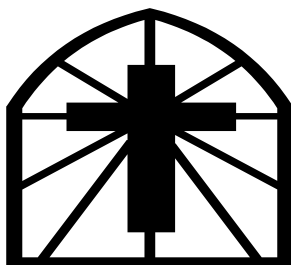
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Sunday 6th September – Trinity 14

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9.30am	BCP Holy Communion & Hymns	St Cuthbert's
11.15am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

Sunday 13th September – Trinity 15

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.15am	Parade Service	St Thomas'

Sunday 20th September – Trinity 16

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	BCP Holy Communion & Hymns	St Cuthbert's
11.15am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

Sunday 27th September – Trinity 17

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	Family Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.15am	Family Eucharist	St Thomas'

Mid-Week Communion Services

Due to The Rector's Holidays & Appointments he has at Diocesan Meetings
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Harvest Festival at St Cuthbert's

Sunday 11th October 2015

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Admission is free. Donations to the Spire Fund are requested.

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Meetings are held in Haskayne Village Hall 109 School Lane with public participation.

For information and the latest news visit:

<http://www.lancashire.police.uk/neighbourhood/halsall>

PARKING

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Parish Council Meetings

The Annual Parish Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday 9th September 2015 at 7.30 p.m. at the Memorial Hall, Halsall Road, Halsall.

Please note: If you wish to make audio or video recording, or take photographs of the meeting please phone Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090 or email davebondhpc@aol.com in advance of the meeting so that this can be arranged in an organised manner in order to minimise any disruption.

Contact Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090 or email davebondhpc@aol.com in advance of the meeting to seek permission.

A full list of Councillors and contact numbers can be found toward the front of the magazine.

The Parish Council Website www.halsallparish.com includes agendas and minutes of previous meetings.

St Cuthbert's Harvest Supper

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Warrington Archdeaconry

Family Fun Day

"The Challenge of Change"

October 31st 2015

10.00 am - 3.00 pm

at Liverpool Cathedral

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1. Celebrate the life of the Archdeaconry – family fun and fellowship.
2. Commit ourselves to the challenges and changes that lay ahead.
3. Worship together with an Archdeaconry Eucharist with Bishop Richard as our preacher
4. Say farewell to Archdeacon Peter and Pat as Peter retires as Archdeacon.

The day will include activities such as a climbing wall, caving, Brass Band, birds of prey, crafts, Farmer's Market and much, much more with opportunities for all of us to look at, and share, what has changed in our parishes, our churches, our schools, our families and our faith since WACATTACK 2009 as well committing ourselves to those challenges and changes that lay ahead.

Parishes and schools will have a range of opportunities to get involved in activities and show what you are doing locally. So you can

- Bring a banner
- Bring a display, article or 5 minute video showing how you are responding to the challenge of change
- Enter our great "selfie" competition - me and my church
- Enter the bowling competition

So we can plan these great events - please complete our form to let us know what you will do.

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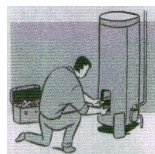
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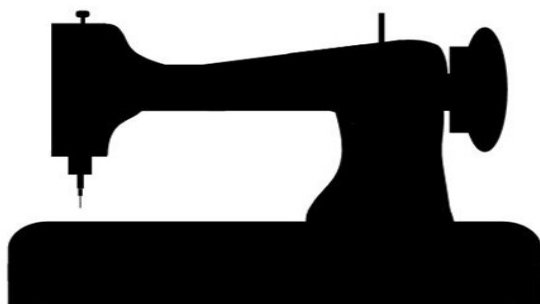
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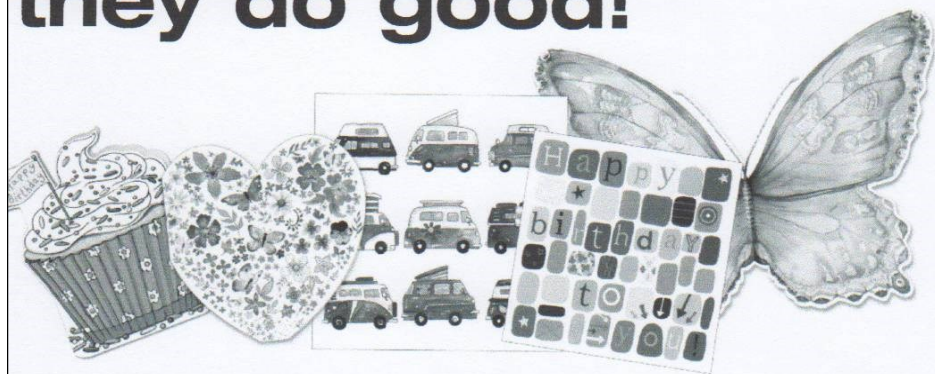
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In September our Sunday school will have their first meeting on the 13th at 9.30am.

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Badminton Club Over 16's	Thursday 7.30pm St Cuthbert's School	Margaret 01704 840305 Jim 01704 840908
Bootcamp	Monday 6.30-7.15 Wednesday 6.30-7.15 Halsall Memorial Hall	Rachel Pimblett 07875 483733
Halsall Community Group	Various	Louise 07734452323 Facebook. The Official Halsall Village Community
Halsall West End Cricket Club Junior Coaching Boys and Girls Year 3 to Year 6		John Kershaw (Junior Players Coordinator) 07718433492
Crown Green Bowling Club	Saracen's Head Halsall	Carole Toal 01695 577920 Charles Nason 01695 574073
Halsall Environment Group	Various working parties around the village.	Eleanor Wroe 01704 841216 Or Enid Banks 01704 567654
Shirdley Hill Roadside Environment Workers SHREW	Various	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
Halsall Football Club	Memorial Playing Field Halsall	Paul Williams

Club/Group	Meetings	Contact
Karate 7 years and over	Monday 6pm-8pm St Aiden's Hall Shirdley Hill	Graham Parsons 0151 531 7598
Luncheon Club	St Aiden's Hall Shirdley Hill	Sylvia Corfield 01704 840705
Meditation Monthly Meetings	Sunday St Aiden's Shirdley Hill	Jenny Pearce 01704 840117
Pilates	Monday 7.30-8.30pm Halsall Memorial Hall	Rachel Pimblett 07875 483733
Shirdley Hill Residents Association	Various See Halsall News	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
	Scouting	
Beavers	Tuesday 6.30-7,30pm St Cuthbert's School	Barbara Threlfall 07817 382221
Cub Scouts	Monday 6-7.30pm St Cuthbert's School	Tracy Berkley 07531 603290
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Snooker Club	Halsall Memorial Hall Playing Field	Gerald Neale 01704 841275 Or Jason Neale 07968228173
Sunshine Club Over 60's	Various See Halsall News for Details.	Eleanor Wroe 01704841216 Betty Knowles 01704840611

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Not so long ago, September was the end of the season – time to put the garden to bed- but not anymore. Mild autumns allow us to continue growing plants that slot into the summer border to give you another month or two of colour & interest.

Happy Gardening.

General Tasks

Keep watering, feeding & deadheading – it does pay off!

Cut back any perennial stems that have finished flowering –like Iris Sibirica- to tidy garden.

Get the compost going – clearing generates a huge amount of waste.

Repair broken lawn edges, bumps & hollows.

Make new lawns from seed but delay laying turf till October.

Plant or move evergreens so the roots can establish before the first frosts.

Clip hornbeam, beech, Leyland cypress & thuja hedges before the middle of the month.

Cut slow growing yew & box hedges now if you only want to do the job once each year.

Plant spring flowering bulbs.

Replace summer bedding as it comes to an end with plants for winter & spring interest.

Deadhead & protect dahlias- but allow them to blacken with the first frost before lifting.

Collect seed from perennials.

Walk round the garden & move any perennials or shrubs that need a different position.

Watch out for early frosts & move any tender plants under cover.

Plant spring cabbage.

Cut down asparagus foliage once it has turned yellow or buff (it may occur next month)

Pot up herbs such as chives, mint, basil, coriander & parsley.

Continue harvesting blackberries, early apple varieties – pears at the end of the month.

Reduce the watering & feeding of all greenhouse plants.

Continue to feed fish until the weather breaks.

Give a final light thinning-out of oxygenating plants, but only if necessary.

Plants in their Prime

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