

The BROADSIDER

September & October 2014



Covering the Broadside Benefice parishes of
Ranworth with Panxworth, South Walsham and Upton, and Woodbastwick

The Curate writes,

Three years ago I was ordained to the post of Ordained Local minister in the Broadside group of parishes. It has been a huge privilege to minister alongside Nick and serve as a Curate. This has involved leading and preaching at services each week, conducting services of baptism, marriage and also the privilege of supporting the bereaved in preparing and leading funeral services. I have also continued to minister to children and families through Fairhaven Primary School and our monthly Sunday Plus activities.

Alongside this I have continued working as a Specialist Palliative Care Nurse based at Priscilla Bacon Lodge, covering the GP practices in a large area of north Norfolk in providing symptom management and psychological support.

Since my ordination I have had a sense of God's calling to a professional ministry and this has inevitably led me to explore the balance of my work life and the inevitability that I would need to cease nursing in order to pursue a full time career in ministry.

I began my nurse training in 1986, so the decision to leave this career and follow in a new direction has proved a challenging and testing time. I am absolutely delighted to report that in July of this year I was interviewed and successfully appointed to the position of Chaplain serving Priscilla Bacon Lodge and several other Community Hospitals. As this is a part-time post I am able to work in this role and continue my ministry alongside Nick in the Broadside Benefice.

The process of my appointment and various factors around the timing of the advertisement and interview have demonstrated to me the power and presence of God, who has been very faithful to me in this time of searching and transition.

I am really looking forward to starting my new role ministering to patients and staff within a range of health care environments whilst continuing my ministry amongst the people of these villages, but with the integrity of being a full-time minister.

On October 6th I commence this new role and on the 15th at 3pm I will be licensed by Bishop Jonathan to this new ministry. I appreciate your prayers as our family prepares for this new step.

My journey has been long and complex, at times the hurdles have felt too high and the way too narrow yet despite years of searching God has, as ever, demonstrated him (or her) self to be more powerful and present than we ever fully acknowledge.

My encouragement to each one of you is to stay faithful, set your heart on your goal and patiently listen and follow the one who forever calls and sustains us.

With my love and blessing, Helen Garrard

Sunday Plus

Sunday Plus begins again after our summer break on **Sunday 21st September** at St. Lawrence's, South Walsham, beginning at 10am. Our theme is '**Harvest**', as we gather in and welcome back everyone who's been away over the summer or anyone who's not been here for a while, before joining the Harvest Family Service in St. Mary's.

We offer a very warm welcome to all ages to join us for activities and crafts on biblical themes and worship, or why not join us for coffee and pastries or enjoy the Sunday Papers?

More Dates for this term:

November 9th 2.30pm
Peace Tea at Upton Village Hall

December 14th 10am
Instant Nativity at St. Lawrence's

For more information please contact Helen Garrard (01603 270769) or Julia Nelson (01603 270547) or for more details find us on:

Facebook  +SundayPlus

Ranworth Visitors' Centre

The Future Management of Ranworth VC

If you are concerned about the future of Ranworth Visitors' Centre then please come to an open meeting at the Centre on Saturday 13th September at 10.30am.

The level of attendance at this meeting will help us decide if there is enough interest to enable us to continue as we have for the last 21 years in providing an outreach, and valuable funds for the Broadside parishes. It is hoped that all members of our churches and PCCs will be able to attend as well.

A very big thank you . . .

For some fourteen years The Broadsider has been produced in the current A5 booklet format and during all of that time I have had the security of knowing that before it went to press it would be thoroughly read. Both content and grammar have been checked and corrected where necessary and I cannot remember an occasion where someone has come back and said ". . . well that was a bit of a bloomer!". Tony Potter has been the man undertaking this painstaking work and sadly, he is calling it a day. Thank you so much for your work Tony. **David Benham**

Rector: REVD. NICHOLAS GARRARD

Email: NickGarr39@aol.com

Asst. Curate: REVD. HELEN GARRARD

Email: broadsidecurate@aol.com

Benefice Administrative Assistant: CHRIS BOND

(usually available on Wednesday and Thursdays)

Email: broadsiderectory.chrisbond@gmail.com

**The Rectory, The Street,
South Walsham, Norfolk NR13 6DQ
Telephone 01603 270769**

Pastoral Care of Parishioners

If anyone requires visiting or wishes to make arrangements for a baptism, marriage or funeral, please inform Revd. Nick Garrard, Revd. Helen Garrard or one of your churchwardens listed below.



CHURCHWARDENS

**RANWORTH with
PANXWORTH**

Mark Cator

John Ley
01603 270158

WOODBASTWICK

Alby Cator
01603 721050

Kit Cator
01603 720276

SOUTH WALSHAM

Margaret Mallett
margaret.mallett@btinternet.com

Trevor Nelson
01603 270547

UPTON

James Chaplin

Bill Monument
01493 751597

Woodbastwick Fete

The Woodbastwick village fete on July 26th raised £2,131 allowing much needed funds to be given to both village hall and church for general purposes. Very many thanks to everyone who helped, donated, and came - it was a splendid result much helped by lovely sunshine!

FROM THE REGISTERS

BAPTISMS

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
June 15th

Lennon Isaac Coke

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
June 29th

Oliver James Angel Molina

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
July 6th

Francesca Michêlê Denny Wright

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
July 20th

Ella Louise Stone

Faye Elizabeth Stone

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
July 30th

Shannon May Everson

❖ at St Helen's, Ranworth ❖
August 10th

Ella Jayne Wyatt

WEDDINGS

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
June 28th

Paul Tharston &

Amy Johnson

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
July 27th

Jonathan Adamson &

Poppy Buttolph

A big thank you . . .

...to everyone who supported this year's Summer BBQ in July. A good time was had by all and £311 was raised for Year 6 Leavers' Bibles and Books for Reception pupils from our local church schools.

...to the organisers and all who supported the Woodbastwick Fete that raised £2,131 for church funds.

Nick Garrard

Heritage Open Weekend Events

Ranworth Church is participating in this year's Heritage weekend, including two talks on Sunday September 14th. At 11am, the Christian author Henry Vyner-Brooks, will give a reading from his new historical thriller, 'The Heretic', based around Ranworth at the Reformation and featuring the monk Pacificus in a new light. Signed copies of his book will be on sale. In the afternoon, Nick will give a talk, 'Introducing the Ranworth Rood Screen' at 2.30pm. Both events are free admission.

FUNERALS

❖ at St Mary's, South Walsham ❖
June 23rd

Lilian Frosdick

❖ at St Margaret's, Upton ❖
Great Yarmouth Crematorium
June 30th

Dina Smith

❖ at St Helen's, Ranworth ❖
St Faith's Crematorium
August 4th

Hans-Peter Wörner

❖ at St Margaret's, Upton ❖
August 6th

Elizabeth Bridget Babington Painter

INTERMENT OF ASHES

❖ at SS. Fabian & Sebastian, Woodbastwick ❖
June 21st

Dorothy Alice Wood

FAIRHAVEN C OF E VA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

What a busy end of term it has been. We sent a team of children to the Acle Cluster Sports competition which was held at the UEA. The children were incredibly enthusiastic thriving on the opportunity to use the excellent facilities. All the children supported each other extremely well and put in 100% effort when competing. They won numerous gold, silver and bronze medals, achieving 2nd place overall! The same week we took part in the Cluster swimming gala, eight children took part in eight races, in total they won four gold medals, one silver and one bronze medal highlighting their brilliant performances.

Both our Year 5's and Year 6 children have undertaken cycling proficiency training. The Year 5 training took place on the school playground whilst the Year 6's cycled around the village, learning how to be aware of traffic, how to signal and turn correctly. We are pleased to say that all of the children who undertook the training passed the test.

On 16th July we have our annual Sports Day decathlon. The sun shone and everyone was smiling. Lots of parents came along to support the children and were very encouraging which helped to create a lovely atmosphere. The overall winners this year were the Yellow team. When this was announced, they received a sportsman like cheer from all their opponents. Sports Day was followed by a special picnic lunch which the parents joined in with.

For our school trip this year we took advantage of Fairhaven Gardens' hospitality. They kindly arranged lots of different activities for the children to take part in. They had a trip on a boat, made dens, decorated clay pots and made bug homes. The children (and staff) had a wonderful day.

The very end of term saw our musicians putting on a short concert to show what they have been learning. We even had some of Class 3 playing the ukuleles that they have been learning this year courtesy of a grant from The Ranworth Trust. Class 4 put on a production of Joseph as part of the leavers assembly and Classes 1 & 2 showed off their acting skills with "A trip around the World". This relates to the topic they have been learning about this term.

It was an emotional goodbye to our Year 6s who have left us to move up to their new schools. We would like to

Ranworth Rood Screen Appeal

On 17th September 2013 the PCC received a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund for a total of £155,000 that represents 76% of the total project costs of £203,766. This is a key date as within one month's time [17th September 2014] it is necessary to prove to the HLF that the project can be financed as a whole.

As of 15th August 2014 the total funds raised stands at £194,450. This leaves a shortfall of £9,316. There is one more major fund raising event covering 11th – 14th September and there are current grant applications to trusts and charities that await a decision. There are also facilities available for taking out a bridging loan to cover any temporary shortfall. In all events the Ranworth Rood Screen Project will go ahead as planned.

To date the development stage is all but complete. This stage incorporates the investigative work and monitoring prior to the start of the delivery stage that is the main body of the project, dealing with the re-leading of the nave roof, repair of the rainwater disposal systems and upgrading of the overall drainage. This will take place during the winter of 2014/15 and be completed by the following summer.

Over the days of 11th – 14th September I will be around to answer any questions and discuss all aspects of the project and accompanying reports. In the meantime my thanks to everyone for the continued drive and enthusiasm that has underpinned this entire project, it has been truly amazing.

Mark Cator, Churchwarden.

wish them luck for the future. We know they will do well.

Finally, we would like to say thank you to everyone who has helped us during the year, without their support we would not be able to provide some of the many wonderful experiences for our children. We would also like to say thank you to Fairhaven Gardens for their support and The Ship Inn for letting us use their car park for park and stride.



*"Harvest & Poppies"
an arrangement in Ranworth Church*



Come to A Cabaret Evening

Upton Village Hall

Saturday 20th September at 7.45 pm

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AND LICENSED BAR

Tickets £7.50 from

Limited number so for Advance Booking ring

01493 752237 or 01493 751419

*Proceeds for
Friends of St. Margaret's Church, Upton*

HARVEST QUIZ WITH SUPPER

AT SOUTH WALSHAM VILLAGE HALL

SATURDAY OCTOBER 4th

7.00 for 7.30pm

In aid of St Mary's, South Walsham,

St Margaret's, Upton,

& the Gt Yarmouth Foodbank

TEAMS OF UP TO 6

£8.50/PERSON

TICKET INCLUDES TWO COURSE SUPPER

For full details contact:

Gill Hood at: gillhood@hood-online.co.uk

01603 270397

or Wendy Sully at: wendy@sully.ac

01603 270786

Fruit and Veg

Do you have fruit trees in your garden? Do you grow vegetables, or possibly own an allotment? Do you make jams or chutneys? Does it look like you're going to have a bumper crop this year?

If you are about to pick more than you need, perhaps you would consider donating some produce to the Great Yarmouth Foodbank (www.greatyarmouthfoodbank.co.uk). The Foodbank supports individuals or families in crisis by providing food parcels or a hot meal at their centre called "The Well".

The Broadside Parish already has a collection box in each church (Ranworth, Woodbastwick, South Walsham, Upton) and a small team of us deliver your donations to the Foodbank on a regular basis.

I would be happy to collect any autumn produce you might wish to donate to the Foodbank. Just give me a call (01603270138) or send me an email: thebeamesfamily@yahoo.co.uk and I'll deliver your donations to The Well. Thank you

Mike Beames

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 13th & 14th
2 – 5pm EACH DAY**

**THE OLD HOUSE
RANWORTH
WOODLAND WALKS
& GARDENS
OVERLOOKING RANWORTH BROAD
OPEN**

**TOGETHER WITH
THE VILLAGE HALL
EXHIBITION & SALE
OF LOCAL TALENTS**

Dogs allowed on leads in the woodland walks only

**In aid of Ranworth Church, Nave Roof Fund
in order to preserve the Historic Rood Screen**

BENEFICE PRAYERS

SEPTEMBER

Collect for Holy Cross Day

Almighty God,
who in the passion of your blessed Son
made an instrument of painful death
to be for us the means of life and peace:
grant us so to glory in the cross of Christ
that we may gladly suffer for his sake;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

— **Amen**

OCTOBER

A Farming Prayer

Almighty God, we thank you
for making the fruitful earth
produce what is needed for life.
Bless those who work in the fields;
give us favourable weather;
and grant that all may share the fruits
of the earth, rejoicing in your goodness;
through your son Jesus Christ our Lord.

— **Amen**

The Anglican Church of Canada

SUNDAY BY SUNDAY PRAYERS

September 7th

Pray for sidespersons and all who help keep the church and grounds clean and in good repair. For our Fabric Committees, patrons and benefactors.

September 14th

Pray for Village Halls and their committees, and for the groups who use them.

September 21st

Pray for the work of the Great Yarmouth Foodbank and our local collectors. For those who are homeless or living in poverty and for any who sleep rough in this area.

September 28th

Pray for St. Lawrence's Centre, its committee, supporters and 'Friends'. For the promotion of the arts, spirituality and community events.

October 5th

Pray for and Richard Dewing, Reader. All who read, lead prayers and assist in our worship, eucharistic ministers and servers. For the Ministry Team and for more people to offer themselves for Reader or Ordained ministry.

October 12th

Pray for The work of Christian Aid, and a fairer sharing of the earth's resources among its people. For our environmental policies.

October 19th

Pray for our local hospitals, their staff, chaplains and patients.

October 26th

Give thanks for the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Pray for all in our parishes who are lonely, or troubled in mind or body, or bereaved. For all who have difficulties in their relationships, or struggle to find faith.

November 2nd

Pray for Steven Betts, Archdeacon of Norfolk, Nick Garrard our Rural Dean, Keith Gerrard, Lay Chair and our Deanery Synod representatives.



CHURCH SERVICES

BC = Benefice Choir
#= Children's Activities

Sunday, September 7th *Trinity 12*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Upton _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Morning Prayer
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Fishley _____	3.00pm	Harvest Festival
South Walsham _____	3.00pm	Holy Baptism

Sunday, September 14th *Trinity 13 Holy Cross Day*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	Family Service
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Family Service

Saturday, September 20th

South Walsham _____	2.30pm	Marriage Blessing
---------------------	--------	-------------------

Sunday, September 21st *Trinity 14 St Matthew*

Ranworth _____	8.00am	Holy Communion
Ranworth _____	9.30am	Family Service
Fishley _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
South Walsham, St Lawrence's _____	10.00am	Sunday Plus #
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Harvest Festival BC
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Morning Prayer
Upton _____	6.00pm	Harvest Festival BC

Sunday, September 28th *Trinity 15*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Harvest Festival BC <i>with the Acle St Edmund Youth Orchestra</i>
Upton _____	9.30am	Morning Prayer
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Holy Communion

Sunday, October 5th *Trinity 16*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Upton _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Morning Prayer
Woodbastwick _____		To be announced
Fishley _____	3.00pm	Harvest Festival

Sunday, October 12th *Trinity 17*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	Family Service
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	3.30pm	Harvest Festival BC

Sunday, October 19th *Trinity 18*

Ranworth _____	8.00am	Holy Communion
Ranworth _____	9.30am	Family Service
Fishley _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Family Service
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Upton _____	6.00pm	Evensong

Sunday, October 26th *Trinity 19 Bible Sunday*

Ranworth _____	9.30am	Holy Communion
Upton _____	9.30am	Morning Prayer
South Walsham _____	11.00am	Holy Communion
Woodbastwick _____	11.00am	Morning Prayer

MEETINGS & VILLAGE ACTIVITIES

September

- 2nd Tuesday 2.30pm **Womens' Fellowship** – Upton Village Hall
7.30pm **Woodbastwick Ladies Club** – “The History of Colman’s Mustard” with Nick Cook – Woodbastwick Village Hall
- 3rd Wednesday 10.30am **Holy Communion** – Broadlands Park, Upton
7.30pm **South Walsham W.I.** – South Walsham Village Hall
- 3rd Thursday 7.45pm **South Walsham & Upton PCC** – St Margaret’s, Upton
- 8th Monday 7.45pm **Ministry Team** – The Rectory
- 11th Thursday 10.30am **Upton Organ Committee** – The Rectory
- 13th Saturday 9am-5pm **Norfolk Churches Sponsored Cycle Ride**
10.30am **Visitors' Centre Planning Meeting** – Ranworth Visitors' Centre
2-5pm **The Old House Ranworth Open Garden & Exhibition of local Talent in the Village Hall** (*Two day event in aid of Ranworth Church Nave Roof Fund*)
- 14th Sunday 11.00am **Talk & Book Signing by Henry Vyner-Brooks** – Ranworth Church
2-5pm **The Old House Ranworth Open Garden & Exhibition of local Talent in the Village Hall** (*Two day event in aid of Ranworth Church Nave Roof Fund*)
2.30pm **“Introducing the Rood Screen”** a talk by Nick Garrard – Ranworth Church
- 16th Tuesday 7.30pm **Ranworth Ladies Group** – “Bridge of Love” with Else Hopp.
For further information contact Sue Hitchcock. Tel 01603 270212
7.45pm **Tuesday Group Planning Evening** – The Rectory
- 17th Wednesday 7.30pm **Deanery Synod Meeting** – St Peter’s, Lingwood
- 20th Saturday 7.45pm **Upton Friends Cabaret Evening** – Upton Village Hall. *See Page 5*
- 22nd Monday 7.30pm **Ranworth PCC** – Ranworth Visitors' Centre
- 25th Thursday 7.45pm **Woodbastwick PCC** – Copperhole, Woodbastwick
- 29th Saturday 7.45pm **St Lawrence's Committee** – The Rectory

October

- 1st Wednesday 10.30am **Hymn Singing** – Broadlands Park, Upton
7.30pm **South Walsham W.I.** – South Walsham Village Hall
7.45pm **Benefice Advisory Council** – Ranworth Visitors' Centre
- 4th Saturday 7.30pm **Harvest Quiz & Supper** – South Walsham Village Hall. *See Page 5*
- 6th Monday 7.45pm **Ministry Team** – The Rectory
- 7th Tuesday 2.30pm **Womens' Fellowship** – Upton Village Hall
7.30pm **Woodbastwick Ladies Club** – “The Holly, Ivy and Mistletoe” with Charlotte Philcox – Woodbastwick Village Hall
- 15th Wednesday **Licensing of Revd. Helen Garrard as Hospital Chaplain** – Priscilla Bacon Lodge, Norwich
- 18th Saturday 10am-4pm **Help Tibet Sale** – St Lawrence’s Centre, South Walsham
7.00pm **Concert: Acle St Edmund Youth Orchestra** – St Margaret’s, Upton
7.30pm **Concert: I Musicanti** – St Lawrence’s, South Walsham
- 21st Tuesday 7.30pm **Ranworth Ladies Group** – “Coast Watch” with Revd. Hugh Edgell.
For further information contact Sue Hitchcock. Tel 01603 270212

**EVENT
ORGANISERS
PLEASE NOTE**

The next issue of **Broadsider** covers **NOVEMBER**

Deadline: Friday, October 10th

Please send your copy to **David Benham**

david@benham.eclipse.co.uk