



**“For to us a child is born, to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his shoulders.
And he will be called Wonderful Counsellor,
Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”**

Isaiah 9:6

Christmas for all the family at Holy Trinity Church

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Letter from Andrew Housley

Dear Friends,



What a year! Brexit and the U.S. Presidential election had us on the edge of our seats and continues to fill our newspapers. Both Brexit and the U.S. Presidential election were binary events, which meant that some got what they voted for, while others didn't. 'You don't always get what you want', is a hard lesson to learn.



Christmas is a day of hope, when we expect to get what we want. Nice gifts, tasty food and good TV. A lot of time and expense is put into Christmas by our loved ones so that we have a day filled with treats.

The first Christmas day was not about God giving us what we did or didn't want, but a day when God gave us what we needed. The shepherds were considered the lowest of the low, but it was to them that the angels first appeared to announce the birth of Jesus. The Wise Men were foreigners from the east, but it would be these foreigners and not local dignitaries, who would be welcomed to present Jesus with gifts. Christ was sent so that we may all know the love of God, whether we are rich or poor, or from the North, South, East or West.

We continually need to be reminded that Jesus is not just for Christmas. His message of unconditional love and hope needs to be embraced for each new day.

On behalf of St Michael's Aughton and Holy Trinity, Bickerstaffe, may I wish you all a happy Christmas and Peaceful New Year.

Rev'd Andrew Housley

Bishop Paul's Christmas Message

Make a bigger difference this Christmas



Nearly everyone will utter, at some point over the festive season, the well-known phrase "It's the season for Goodwill". Most of us agree that Christmas, is a time to do something for

someone else. Something well meaning. Something that will bring, as they say, a bit of Christmas cheer.

And goodness knows there's nothing wrong with that. Jesus endorsed doing good things for others. He taught about it, spoke parables about it and modelled it in his own life. He showed, commanded and implored us all to look out for our neighbour, to speak up for justice and walk alongside those in need.

This is the "bigger difference" I have been talking about wherever I go. The real difference that Christians make across our area day in and day out. I applaud, commend and thank God for all of you who are doing that - who make a difference.

Because the real story of Christmas is a story of the difference that one child made to the world. A child who even in his birth taught the world about love, poverty, humility, grace and service. A child who was worshipped then as we worship the saviour now. This is the difference-making story that outlasts the Christmas baubles, tinsel and turkey. A difference that lasts for ever.

If we believe in that then we need to act. So I give the challenge to myself and I give it to you. What difference will you make this Christmas? And who will you make that difference for? Because our faith becomes attractive more through the deeds we do than the words

we utter. People are touched by kindness, compassion and love. That's what Jesus did. He healed and fed, often before he taught.


I have always said I want to see a bigger church. But why bother with that? Because the church we want to see is full of people who have felt the difference that knowing Jesus brings and who want to make a difference to others. This is the life-changing message that has echoed down the centuries from the nativity crib to the Calvary cross.

I shall be trying to make a bigger difference this Christmas. Will you try also? What difference will you aim to make?

Have a happy, peaceful, difference-making and grace-filled Christmas! God bless you.

+ Paul

Services in December

	St Michael Aughton	Holy Trinity Bickerstaffe
4th December <i>Advent 2</i> Purple Isaiah 11.1-10; Romans 15.4-13; Matthew 3.1-12	8.15am Andrew Holy Communion 10.30am Bill Matins 10.30am Hall Service 4pm Andrew Holy Communion	10.45am Andrew Holy Communion

11th December <i>Advent 3</i> Purple Isaiah 35.1-10; James 5.7-10; Matthew 11.2-11	8.15am Martin Holy Communion 10.30am Martin Family Communion	10.45am Andrew Christingle
18th December <i>Advent 4</i> Purple Isaiah 7.10-16; Romans 1.1-7; Matthew 1.18-25	8.15am Andrew Holy Communion 10.30am Andrew/Martin Christingle 4pm Andrew Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols	10.45am Mark Morning Praise 6.30pm Andrew Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols
24th December <i>Christmas Eve</i> Purple Micah 5.2-5a; Titus 3.3-7 Luke 2.1-14	4pm Chris Crib Service 11.30pm Andrew Midnight Communion	4pm Andrew Crib Service 11.30pm Judith Midnight Communion
25th December <i>Christmas Day</i> White Isaiah 63.7-9; Hebrews 2.10-18; Matthew 2.13-23	8.15am Martin Holy Communion 10.30am Judith Family Communion	10.45am Andrew Family Communion

Please come and join us! Everyone is welcome!



Christmas for all the family at Holy Trinity, Bickerstaffe

Sunday 11th December 10.45am Christingle



An opportunity to raise funds for the Children's Society, while lighting our Christingles to remind us of Christ bringing his light into the world. If you have a Christmas jumper, then you are welcome to wear it.

Sunday 18st December 6.30pm Lessons and Carols

We sing traditional carols while listening to the story of Christmas told by bible readings.

Christmas Eve 4pm Crib Service

A wonderful service for children of all ages. Make this service part of your family tradition before returning home to hang the stockings!

Christmas Eve at 11.30pm Midnight Communion



A mystical time when we welcome the Christ child and Christmas begins.

Christmas Day Family Communion at 10.45am



The most anticipated of days, we celebrate by singing carols. Children are invited to bring one of their new toys to show everyone.

Worship & Learning



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4th December: Radical Transformation

Matthew 3.1-12

- John tells the crowd that the kingdom of justice and peace is coming.
- He says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.'
- He also warns them to bear fruit worthy of repentance.

A personal prayer

Lord, I will go where you lead;
and if you call me into the wilderness
to face myself and my own failings,
then be at my back, and my front, and all around me;
for then I shall not fear.
Amen.

11th December: Setting people free

Matthew 11.2-11

- John, now in prison, is filled with doubts.
- Jesus confirms that prophecy is being fulfilled.
- The kingdom has drawn near, and the world is changing now.

A personal prayer

I dream of a better world, Lord,
then shrink away from the real world.
There is too much to cope with.
How can I make any difference?
Yet with dreams and faith combined, I just might.
Revive my soul, O Lord; let your dream for humanity be mine,
and enable my hands, my tongue, all that I am,
to work and witness for you. Amen.

18th December: God with us

Matthew 1.18-25

- Joseph, a righteous man, seeks to divorce Mary quietly.
- In a dream, an angel tells Joseph that Mary's baby is conceived from the Holy Spirit.
- The baby is to be named Jesus, and will be known as 'Emmanuel' – God with us.

A personal prayer

God with us, be with me.
When I am called like Mary, help me to obey.
When I am tested like Joseph, help me to trust.
Let me be like the magi, reading the signs of the times.
Let me be like an angel, a messenger for you. Amen.

25th December: Word made flesh – hope made real

A prayer of adoration

Baby of Bethlehem, we worship and adore you.
Child of Nazareth, we praise your obedience.
Young man, we give thanks for your carpenter's skills.
Mature man, we praise your vision and mission.
Christ on the cross, we worship and adore you. Amen.

A personal prayer

Let me not be blinded by starlight and angel-light, Lord.
Let not tales of sweet-smelling hay carry me away.
You were born amidst the dirt and stench of animals,
and in the cold hard light of the morning, your family had to flee.
Let me not forget that the first Christmas Day was not festive,
as I sit down to feast with my loved ones.
Amen.

Benefice News

Communion in the Community



The Holy Communion Services in Stockley Crescent, St Michael's Hall and Bickerstaffe School are a wonderful opportunity for outreach. Please invite friends!! For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes." 1 Corinthians 11:26.

- Stockley Crescent: Tuesday 13th December at 1pm with carols and mince pies.
- St Michael's Hall: Wednesday 14th at 11am (with soup lunch).

Men's Breakfast



The next breakfast will be Saturday 28th January at St Michael's Hall. If you would be able to help with the cooking, please speak to Andrew. New members welcome!

If you have good quality men's clothes, then please bring them to be taken to the Salvation Army in Bootle. Thank you.

Charity Collections

If you plan to sort through your children's wardrobes, we would be grateful to receive good quality **children's clothes** and other school items such as football boots, and goggles, which will be donated to Litherland Moss School.

We continue to collect **men's clothes** for Bootle Salvation Army, and the Skelmersdale Food Bank remains as important as ever during the Christmas holiday when there are no free school meals available to needy families. Non-perishable **food items** are therefore very much appreciated. Please leave any items at the back of church. Thank you so much in advance.

Curious?

Curious? is a contemporary youth service for young people. It meets on fourth Sunday of each month at Cottage Lane Mission at 6.30pm. It is a wonderful opportunity for the young people from the Ormskirk area to meet in friendship and also to grow in their faith.

Fusion Youth Events for the 11plus



Aims –

1. To bring together teenagers (11-18 years old) from all churches in Ormskirk & surrounding areas for encouragement, fun & friendship;
2. To give opportunities for young people to invite friends to join in;
3. To encourage and give opportunities for Youth Leaders whose numbers are small;
4. To periodically introduce meaningful Christian input.

Saturday 10th December: Youth Club Night Christmas party event at Christ Church.

Holy Trinity Dates & News

Dates for your diary

10th January Parochial Church Council

28th January Men's Breakfast

8th February Friends of HTB coffee morning from 10am

9th February SMT Chair: Jon Worship: Paul

Visiting Parishioners

If you know if anyone who would appreciate a home visit please contact the Vicar or Church Wardens, details in the church magazine or online www.holytrinitybickerstaffe.co.uk/contact.

The Harvest Project: Compassion UK

A couple of years ago, both Holy Trinity Church and Bickerstaffe School raised funds to support a child living in Bangladesh through the charity Compassion UK. His name is Dipok. More information can be found on the website www.compassionuk.org. If you would like to contribute to this important work, please contact either Mrs Hall at Bickerstaffe School or pass your donation to Stan. Thank you.

Christmas Fair with Christmas Tree Festival



A **big** 'thank you' to all who worked hard at this year's Christmas Fair, and thank you to those who supported it.

The Christmas Tree Festival was a beautiful addition, and a big 'thank you' to the groups who provided the trees. The winner will be awarded a trophy at the Christingle service on Sunday 11th December.

Thank you Edward!

In recent months Edward McCarthy has managed to acquire grant money from various funds so that work could be carried out at both Four Lane Ends Mission and the church. A big 'thank you' to Edward for all his efforts.

Andrew

Churchyard extension

Merrick has worked hard this year, managing the extension to the churchyard. Merrick's hard work will benefit Bickerstaffe parishioners for many years to come and so a big 'thank you' to him for all his work. If you would like to give towards the cost of the work then please pass your donation to the Wardens or the Treasurer.

Andrew

Bickerstaffe Church Carol Singing

Carol Singing at the Stanley Gate

We will be carol singing at the Stanley Gate on Sunday 11th December at 6.30pm. If you would like to join us then please sign up at the back of church. Thank you.

Bickerstaffe Carol Singers



We will be at Booths Supermarket, Burscough on Saturday 17th December 10.30am until 11.45am. We will collect for **Twinkle House**. Please come and sing and/or listen! Thank you.

Edward McCarthy

Singing for the Cystic Fibrosis Trust



Do you enjoy singing Christmas Carols? Why not come along to one or more of the sessions below at Morrisons Supermarket in Ormskirk. We will be singing in aid of the **Cystic Fibrosis Trust** and if you can spare an hour or so it would be much appreciated. Monday 12th December from 6pm; Tuesday 13th from 6pm; Friday 16th from 10am until 4pm; and Monday 19th from 6pm. Further details from Margaret Ellams – mobile 07753801345 or email mfellams@hotmail.com. Thank you.

Rhoda Critchley's Art Exhibition

We would like to thank the many friends and relatives who came to see the exhibition of Rhoda's paintings at the Four Lane Ends Mission in October. We were overwhelmed by the wonderful turnout over the two days, and also by the extremely generous donations totalling £1,962.40 given to the church.

Many people commented of the quality, quantity and variety of the artwork on display. Rhoda would have been humbled, yet proud and pleased that so many enjoyed the exhibition. With our thanks.

Tom, Susan and Judith

Thank you



Malcolm would like to thank his family and his friends for the cards and gifts. Also for all the many ways they helped to celebrate his 80th Birthday.

Christmas Bingo



This wonderful social event will be on Friday 9th December at Four Lane Ends Mission from 7.30pm. Please pay on the evening, and tea and cakes are included. Please bring any other drinks and your own glasses. A super raffle will also be held. Do come and join us for a really fun evening.

Queen's 90th Birthday Celebration Lunch

The Big Lottery Award have kindly agreed to fund our free Christmas meal to celebrate the Queen's Birthday. This will be on Saturday 17th December at 6 30pm for 7pm in the Four Lane Ends Mission. Please sign the list for names in Church.

Funding News

During the year we have received funding from the All Churches Trust £1100, Crowdfunder £120 and the Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund £750 all to go towards the funding of the Church Graveyard extension.

We also received funding from the Celebrate – Big Lottery Fund for £640 for two celebration meals. We also have received £5000 from the Big Lottery Fund for new church internal doors and additional heaters. On behalf of the Church I would like to thank our funders for their generous donations, it makes a huge difference.

Edward McCarthy

Finance News

Income & Expenditure Account For the 10 months ended 31 October 2016

Collection	15099.38	DBF Quota	22690.80
Donations & Gift Day	4261.00	Fees assigned	54.00
Fees	4353.00	Vicar's expenses	685.01
Fundraising events	3065.65	Water & Electricity	993.66
In lieu of flowers	1927.00	Organ Maintenance	199.00
Dividends & Interest	303.91	Insurance & Council Tax	6210.09
Gift Aid Tax Refund	5008.10	Maintenance	3799.28
Churchyard maintenance	1030.00	Printing	223.96
Church Magazine	20.84	Web fees	60.19
Friends of Bickerstaffe	1525.00	Sundries	83.10
		Maintenance current	
Churchyard extension	2901.46	c'yard	748.00
Grant	640.00	Churchyard Extension	8470.00

Total Income **40135.34**

Deficit year to date **4081.75**

Total Expenditure **44217.09**

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Fund raising events

March Coffee morning	510.00
Attic Sale FLE	58.40
Ukulele Band	538.00
Park Praise	153.65
Summer Fayre	1202.30
Photo Exhibition	35.00
Bickerstock Tea Stall	546.30
Hotpot lunch	22.00

Total **3065.65**

Churchyard Extension Project

Donation for hedge	200.00
Duchy of Lancaster	750.00
Earl of Derby	750.00
Grant	1000.00
Donation	100.00
Crowd Funding	101.46
Total Income	2901.46
Entrance costs	-480.00
Development costs	-7990.00
Deficit for the year	-5088.54

I have shown the year to date Income & Expenditure account for the churchyard extension. We still need to raise an additional £5,088 in order to break even. Thanks go to Edward McCarthy for his fund raising activities to date, and the local businesses who contributed materials free of charge. The cost of the extension has been kept down thanks to the tireless efforts of volunteers who have given their time and energy in assisting with the landscape work.

From 1st January 2017 the cost of the magazine will be 50p per month or £6 per year. The total cost for mailing the magazine is £16 per year, which includes second class postage and envelopes. Stan Barnes

Website News

Four Lane Ends Mission now has its own page on the website detailing all the weekly activities/events. To book Four Lane Ends Mission visit www.holytrinitybickerstaffe.co.uk/mission-bookings or call Sheila Prentice on 01695 727613.

Used Postage Stamps

Thank you to everyone who collects used postage stamps for me throughout the year. These are put to good use by charity organisations and can be left in the box at the back of Church. Please remember to save your Christmas card stamps. *Thank you very much.* Fred Tyrer

Happy Christmas days, and days and days...



*Remember while December brings
the only Christmas Day in the year
let there be Christmas in the things you do and say;
Wouldn't life be worth living,
wouldn't dreams be coming true
If we kept the Christmas spirit all the whole year through?*

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Prayer Time



A Christmas Time Prayer for Country Living

Lord Jesus Christ, when,
on a winter's night I look up
through the clear air at the stars,
I can be very close to You
and to Your native Bethlehem.
It was at night that You first came to this earth.
It was under the same stars
that now gleam in this night sky
that Mary first held You in her arms.
It was by the faint light of these stars
still shining tonight
that the shepherds found their way to the stable,
and discovered You,
as the angels had said they would,
lying in a manger.

Dear Christ,
it is especially at Christmas time
that I see and understand how close You are
to those who live on the land.
We have so many reminders of You!
The stars and moon at night and the sun by day,
the same stars under which You were born;
the same moon that shone that night on Bethlehem;
the same sun that brightened Your first days on earth.
The stable, and the farm animals
that shared their quarters and their warmth with You,
their creator.
The sheep and the shepherds that came to adore You,

rough men, but good, truthful, honest, and sincere.
O Jesus, Son of the everlasting God,
You are so wonderfully made one of us
at Christmas time!
You are our God,
but You are our Brother, too.
You are our King,
but You come as a helpless little baby,
longing for our love.

Help us today and always to see You
in all those with whom we come in contact.
Let us never forget Your own instruction,
that whatever we do for the least of those around us,
we do for You.
Help us always to serve You in the generous,
selfless spirit of this season,
and we shall then be real Christians,
more and more like You, other Christs.
Amen.

Source: www.catholic.org/prayers

Prayer Request



Please continue to pray for little Olivia Phillips, her parents Lou and Jon, Barbara and all the family. We continue to give thanks for the work of the NHS, and for all generous organ donors and their families.

Peter Stanley Esquire By Owen Taylor

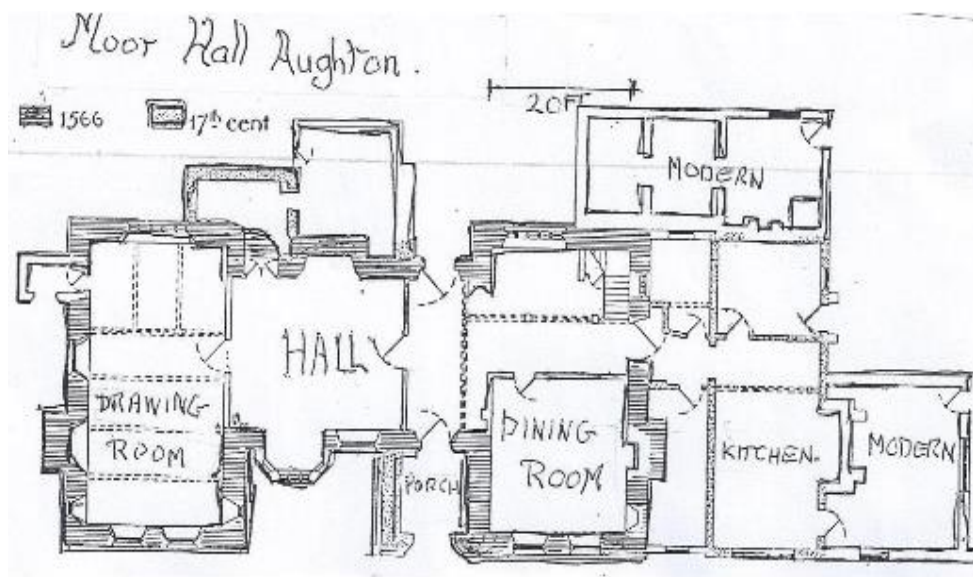
Possession of the Manor of Bickerstaffe passed to the House of Stanley in 1538, when Peter Stanley- second son of Sir William Stanley of Hooton and direct descendant of William de Stanley, first Lord of Stanley- married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of James Scarisbrick. The influence of this rich landowner soon became apparent when he started to acquire land in neighbouring villages.

After the death of his wife in 1560, he married Cecily Tarleton. He left Bickerstaffe four years later when his only daughter Margaret, married Henry Stanley of Crosshall and moved to his newly-built residence at Moor Hall, Aughton. Still preserved over the main doorway is the following inscription, 'Pray ye for the good estate of Peter Stanley and Cecily his wif, with their children who caused this work to be made in the year of Our Lord, MCCCCCLXVI' (1566).



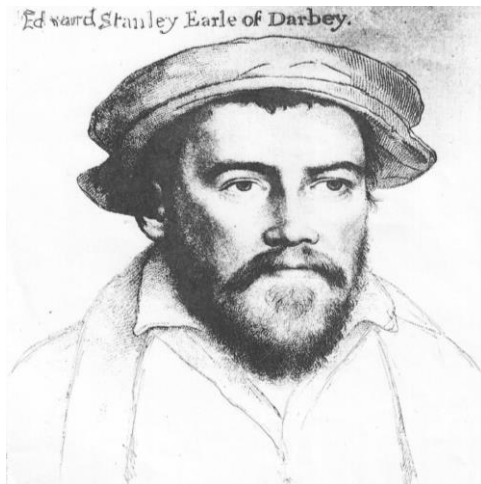
Moor Hall, photographed August 1981

Prior to this purchase, Moor Hall was in the possession of Thomas Bradshagh, an endowment handed down from former kinsmen such as the prominent Ince De Aughton families. Moor Hall was first mentioned in 1428 after the owner Henry de Ince, died. At that time, the estate comprised of 120 acres of land and a messuage (dwelling), usually appropriated to the benefit of the household.



Plan of Moor Hall, drawn from V.C.H Vol 3

Throughout his life he had always remained a great friend of Edward, third Earl of Derby and first Lord Lieutenant of Lancashire. At the Earl's lavish funeral in December, 1572, Peter Stanley was Chief Standard Bearer and witnessed the Earl being 'laid to rest' in his newly erected 'Derby Chapel', in Ormskirk Church. Like many of his peers, Peter Stanley was a dissenter and adhered to the old religion, stigmatizing him as a recusant.



*Edward Stanley, 3rd Earl of Derby, 1509 – 1572.
Married 3 times. and lived life to the full.*

Consequently, in 1584, he was ordered to put to readiness the following effects for the Queen's service in Ireland: One Light Horseman; two Pykes; Long Boes; Almon Ryvetts; Sheffe Arrows; and Steel Caps, (probably a forerunner to the Tin helmet). Besides this equipment, two Corsletts, a Culiver and Morrian had to be provided. A Corslett was a defensive leather body-covering jacket and a morrian, an open helmet, without visor.

Peter Stanley died in 1592 and was buried at St. Michael's Church, Aughton. His Will was proved on August 7th 1592. An old deed reveals that Barrow Nook was still held by Edward Stanley, Great Grandson of Peter, in 1688.

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Angela Chaderton

Owen Taylor

Bickerstaffe Mothers' Union



Our November meeting was a talk by the Vicar. Andrew brought his clerical scarves and explained about the Church seasons and the special occasions that he wears each one. Members visited Melling Tithebarn on 9th November for an afternoon of Friendship and Fellowship and was enjoyed by all who went. Next month we are collecting items for a food hamper and members are invited to bring a gift to go in the hamper.

Irene McCarthy

The Women's Institute



The next meeting of the W.I. is on Monday, 5th December. This is the Christmas party which starts at 7.00pm with a buffet. As usual, this will take place at Four Lane Ends Mission.

Margaret Fairclough 01695 729161

Church Cleaning Rota



2nd Dec	Team 1	E Short, B Bell, F Brownbill
9th Dec	Team 2	I McCarthy, M Johnson
16th Dec	Team 3	A Banks, G Banks, N Rimmer
23rd Dec	Team 4	Barbara Fairclough, B Winstanley
30th Dec	Team 5	F Brownbill, S Prentice, M Prentice
6th Jan	Team 6	M Clarke, V Heyes, B Morris

Flower Rota



4th December	Vacant
11th December	Mrs Barbara Bell
18th December	Vacant
25th December	Mrs Sheila Prentice
17th January	Flowers remain
8th January	Mrs Phyllis Walton

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- To help with the cost of repairs.
- To help towards the cost of the replacement of major items.
- To raise funds for the above purposes.
- To help with the maintenance costs and upkeep of the churchyard.

Funds raised will be held in a designated fund within the PCC accounts and will be spent on the above.

If you joined the Friends of Holy Trinity last year, then it is time to renew your subscription. If you would like to become a new member then please complete the enrolment form.

The annual cost of joining the friends of Holy Trinity Bickerstaffe is £20 per year. You can give by completing the bankers order or sending a cheque to Hilary Rosbotham, the membership Secretary.

The Membership Secretary, Friends of Holy Trinity Bickerstaffe, Lyelake Farm, Lyelake Lane, Bickerstaffe, L39 0EY

We very much appreciate your ongoing support.

Friends of Holy Trinity Coffee Morning

Wednesday 8th February from 10am – 12pm in the North Aisle of the church. All welcome.

Enrolment Form

(Please delete/amend as appropriate)

I/We wish to join the Friends of Holy Trinity Bickerstaffe as Ordinary / Corporate members.

I/We enclose a cheque for £..... (Payable to PCC Holy Trinity Bickerstaffe) in payment of my/our subscription.

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On theday of.....20.....

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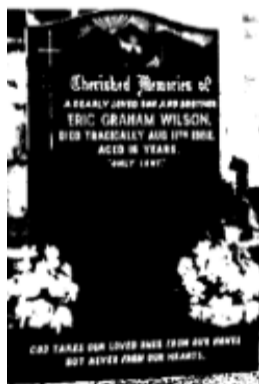
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1st Sunday 10.45^{am} Holy Communion



**2nd Sunday 8^{am} Holy Communion
10.45^{am} Family Service**

3rd Sunday 10.45^{am} Morning Prayer

4th Sunday 10.45^{am} Holy Communion

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