



**Christ Church Walmersley
and
St John with St Mark Bury
in the United Benefice of Walmersley Road**



Earth's Beauty

June 2015



50p



REGULAR SERVICES

Sunday

8.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	St John w St Mark
9.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	Christ Church
10.30 a.m.	1 st Holy Communion 2 nd Family and Parade 3 rd Holy Communion 4 th Service of the Word 5 th Holy Communion	Christ Church
10.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist 2 nd Parade Service	St John w St Mark

First Tuesday

7.30 p.m.	Listening Prayer	150 Walmersley Road
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Wednesday

10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	St John w St Mark
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Thursday

2.00 p.m.	1 st First Thursday Prayer	Christ Church Hall
7.30 p.m.	Holy Communion	St John w St Mark

Saints days and other services as announced
Evening Prayer will be said in St John w St Mark's Church
Monday - Thursday at 5 p.m.

If you need transport to church please contact the wardens.



Both churches have the Child Friendly Church award

Both churches have Fairtrade status



DEAR FRIENDS

*This a précis of some of the Vicar's comments
at the recent Annual Parochial Church Meetings.*

My first full year as Vicar of the United Benefice of Walmersley Road has been a very enjoyable one with many twists and turns amidst the challenges in parish ministry of maintaining a Christian presence in the community.

I wish to reiterate the comments made at my first Sunday service in July 2013.

There remains NO AGENDA TO MERGE THE TWO PARISHES
NO PLANS TO CLOSE A CHURCH.

I firmly believe that one of the major strengths of the Church of England is the parish system which seeks to root ministry, worship and fellowship in a local context. As long as I am here I will seek to maintain the presence of two places of worship here in our benefice and maybe more.

As always I would like to thank you for your support which is very much appreciated. Later this year will see the arrival of a new Curate – please make her welcome in the same way Linda and I felt welcome two years ago. My thanks also to everyone who helps in any way, shape or form to keep the churches functioning and supporting me and the mission of the church.

One of the tasks that parishes have been asked by the Diocese to fulfil in the next few months is that of creating a Mission Action Plan. MAPs are designed to think about mission opportunities in the parish and putting them into practice. Both parishes have been thinking of this in recent months and we hope to be in a position to publish our MAPs very soon.

Central to our Mission Action Planning are three suppositions that should run through every part of our life as a Christian community.

The eternal message of the GOSPEL and our calling to teach and proclaim it at all times.

The pastoral nature of our MINISTRY which means that relationship is at the heart of all we do.

The need to engage in MISSION which is the main reason (together with worship) that the Christian Church exists.

I invite you to join with me and my fellow ministers to put these Mission Plans into Action - as by God's grace we aim to grow God's Kingdom here in our part of Bury.

Wishing you God's blessings

Dave

Thank you

I wish to express my thanks for the most wonderful celebration of my 100th birthday.

Thank you for the luncheon which you provided.

Thank you for the many presents and cards which I received.

The album was wonderful.

Thank you once again.

Arthur



BIBLE READINGS FOR JUNE

- 7 **First Sunday after Trinity**
Genesis 3: 8-15 2 Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1 Mark 3: 20-35
- 14 **Second Sunday after Trinity**
Ezekiel 17: 22-24 2 Corinthians 5: 6-17 Mark 4: 26-34
- 21 **Third Sunday after Trinity**
Job 38:1-11 2 Corinthians 6: 1-13 Mark 4: 35-41
- 28 **Fourth Sunday after Trinity**
Lamentations 3: 22-33 2 Corinthians 8: 7-15 Mark 5: 21-43



FROM THE REGISTERS

Baptisms

May 3 Dylan Denney

May 10 Daisy Wheildon, Ella Wheildon

“....in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit”

Wedding

April 25 Kevin McNulty and Charlotte Haydock

“Those who God has joined together let no one put asunder”

Funeral

April 23 Mary Batty

“ I am the resurrection and the life.....”

FROM THE VICARAGE

* Thanks to everyone who supported the events at Christ Church last month to celebrate Arthur's Smith's 100th birthday and his 80 years' service as the church organist. Thanks in particular to Margery Spencer for leading the service and coordinating the social activities in the hall afterwards. Both the Bishop of Bolton and Archdeacon of Bolton attended the lunch. Arthur has now retired as our organist and we plan to buy new hymn books and music books to recognise his remarkable achievement. Envelopes are still available to make a donation if you wish to do so.

On behalf of all the clergy who have led the services over the years, I would like to thank Arthur for his years of dedication and devotion.

Geoff Stokes has taken over as the new organist. Anyone who is interested in becoming a member of our choir should speak to Geoff or Tricia Stokes.

* Visitors to Westminster Abbey in London are normally charged £20 for entry into the building unless attending worship. However we have obtained a Parish Pass that entitles up to 4 people free entry up to six times during a 12 month period. If anyone would like to make use of this concession please have a word with me. Many thanks to Nigel & Barbara for obtaining this pass for our use.



* The Community Knit & Natter group – that meets on a Tuesday afternoon in the St.John with St.Mark Church Hall – is in need of wool, any type, size or colour. A lot of its work is preparing for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. If you have any wool, please contact Rosemarie Ashworth or Tricia Stokes.

* Ian Banks has now taken over the running of the St.John with St.Mark website. Thanks to John Lyssejko for his work over the past few years. If you have any information for the website, please have a word with Ian.

* Please consider supporting the Revd. Paul Sanderson and Charles Whalley in the 2015 Snowdon Challenge in aid of the Emseni House of Grace Project. This aims to raise funds for this project in Swaziland to extend a home for orphaned, abused and neglected children. Paul and Chas are planning to walk up Snowdon on Saturday 13 June. Sponsor forms are available at the back of each church.



* Please pray for our new Assistant Curate Gill Barnett who is to be ordained in Manchester Cathedral on Sunday 28 June. Gill will be moving into the area around that time. Please pray for her as she begins her ministry within the benefice.

* The Ministry Team consisting of all the Clergy, Licensed Readers and our Authorised Lay Minister meet every month – usually on the first Monday evening. If you have an issue that you would like us to discuss, please have a word with me

* This year marks the 50th anniversary of the closure of Christ Church CE School and the subsequent opening of Springside Primary School. Springside would like any former pupils from the last 50 years to get in touch. If you have any memories you can share, please contact the school on 764 2348. They are staging a Decades Week in the week beginning Monday 6 July at which an assembly will be held each day from 9-9.30am focusing on a different year of the school's existence.

* Four members of our congregations will be getting confirmed on Sunday 7 June at St.Mary the Virgin Church, Bury, beginning at 10.30am. Please pray for Jack, Jason, Lucas & Alicia on this special occasion.

* During the final hymn of each Sunday morning service at both churches in the benefice, we encourage contributions towards the copper collection as part of our mission giving. This is an easy way of spreading the good news of Jesus Christ. The children from our Sunday School & Junior Church help with the collections and are also involved in determining which organisations should receive this donation. If you have any suggestions for a suitable charity that we can support, please contact one of the Sunday School / Junior Church leaders.

* As you will probably be aware a short service of Evening Prayer is held every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at St.John with St.Mark Church at 5.00pm. It is good that people join me on those occasions. Everyone is very welcome.



FLOWERS AT CHRIST CHURCH

- 7 In memory of Margaret Dutton
- 14 Mr & Mrs N Silvester
- 21 Mrs J Wood
- 28 Vacant

FROM THE COUNCILS

CHRIST CHURCH: YOUR PCC

Following the Annual Parochial Church Meeting in April, this is the full list of the elected Parochial Church Council for Christ Church.

The Revd. Dave Thompson (*Chairman*)
The Revd. Paul Sanderson
The Revd. Janet Lyssejko
The Revd. Don Altham
Margery Spencer – *Reader Representative*
Brian Crow - *Church Warden*
Jennifer Wood – *Church Warden*
Barbara Taylor - *Deanery Synod*
Shelagh Beetson – *Deanery Synod*
Cath Hilton – *Diocesan Synod*
Sybil Fryer Ian Riddick
Geoff Hamilton Julie Tyrer
Pam Hoyle Vanessa Lay
Anne Nuttall David Peters
Geoff Stokes Patricia Stokes

If you would like any matter to be raised at a meeting of your Parochial Church Council, please contact any of the above.

The Vicar's letter contains much of the information from the APCM. Reports from the organisations were available and can be seen at the back of church. Thanks were given to Nigel Silvester for his hard work and diligence as treasurer over the last ten years. The Electoral Roll now stands at 104. Officers and members of PCC were elected and these can be seen in the list above.

FROM THE COUNCILS

ST.JOHN with ST.MARK: YOUR PCC

Following the Annual Parochial Church Meeting in April, this is the full list of the elected Parochial Church Council for St.John with St.Mark's.

The Revd. Dave Thompson (*Chairman*)

The Revd. Paul Sanderson

The Revd. Janet Lyssejko

Darren Dunn – *Licensed Reader*

Ray Smith - *Church Warden*

Rosemarie Ashworth – *Church Warden*

June Banks – *Deputy Warden & Deanery Synod*

Keith Duckworth – *Deputy Warden*

Ian Banks – *Deanery Synod*

Helen Mallinson – *Deanery Synod*

David Robinson – *Deanery Synod*

David Andrew

Stuart Ashworth

John Brennan

Margaret Brennan

Debbie Cooper

Nickie Kelley

Mary Howarth

Jane Gorton

John Peat

Vicky Senior

Marjorie Evans

If you would like any matter to be raised at a meeting of your Parochial Church Council, please contact any of the above.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 18 June.



ST JOHN WITH ST MARK PCC MEETING OF APRIL

The Architect has visited again to consider the proposals for the West Window. It would appear that we may be able to go ahead with just blocking up the bottom row of panes. He has taken photographs and the matter will be referred back to the DAC at their next meeting in May. There is still some way to go with this issue and the possibility of planning permission from the council may even have to be sought.

An engineer has looked at the Chapel heating and has advised that we will require further advice as the heater is commercial (industrial) and therefore he cannot touch this himself.

A volunteer has agreed to take on the running of the Website and possible volunteers have agreed to be the Child Protection Co-Ordinator and also a school governor at our day school.

Rosemarie again appealed for a group of people to organise the Firework party in November. As previously reported this event has been cancelled at the last minute for 2 years running, and we aim to stop this happening again.

A new lock and security system has been installed on the inner hall door. The PCC received instructions on how to use this.

At our PCC away day in January, it was suggested that a questionnaire be given to all members of our Electoral Roll to discover what they would like from their Church. A discussion followed. as to what questions could be included The Vicar also outlined our mission action plan (MAP) and advised that the 5 topics of our plan would form the basis of our discussions over the coming months.

We have been invited to send a PCC member to attend a presentation in June of the work of Church Housing.

The Treasurer informed us that he is attending a meeting in May regarding changes to how the Parish Share is calculated.

Vanessa Lay has now joined our organ rota for the fourth Sunday of each month

FOR QUIET MOMENTS

Week One

A Song of Reassurance – Psalm 121

I lift my eyes to the hills-
Where does my help come from?
My help comes from the Lord,
The Maker of heaven and earth.



He will not let your foot slip –
He who watches over you will not slumber;
Indeed, he who watches over Israel
Will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord watches over you –
The Lord is your shade at your right hand;
The sun will not harm you by day
Nor the moon by night.

The Lord will keep you from all harm -
He will watch over your life;
The Lord will watch over your coming and going
Both now and evermore.

Week Two

As we learn about the devastation caused by the earthquakes in Nepal, we pray for those who have lost family members, friends and colleagues. We remember those who have lost their homes and their livelihoods. We pray for those responsible for giving support and bringing aid and for those whose task will be to bring renewal to the area. Grant that we who live in safety may be generous in our aid.

Week Three

This prayer was used in church at the celebration of Arthur Smith's 80 years of service. The theme for the day was giving one's life in service.

Lord Jesus,
Help me to lay down my life for my friends and be available;
To lay down my gifts and be generous;
To lay down my needs and be supportive;
To lay down my wants and be undemanding;
To lay down my barriers and be vulnerable;
To lay down my noise and be silent;
To lay down my home and be welcoming;
To lay down my life and be loving.

Week Four

The Word of God
a prayer from a Mothers' Union anthology
"Even Angels tread softly".

Brighter than a star,
Deeper than the sea,
Gentler than a dove,
Higher than heaven,
Quicker than light,
Sharper than flint,
Stronger than steel,
Sweeter than honey,
Wider than the ocean,
That is the word of God to me!

Lagos Diocese Nigeria



'United in prayer - and worship, and in love and service reach out as your hands across the world' is our theme for this year. Take a moment to consider how you can be a part of this.

Join Us!

Mothers' Union unites Christians of all ages across the world. Through praying, campaigning and volunteering, members strengthen marriage and family life and bring about positive changes in their communities.

Whether you are looking for support, fellowship, or simply a place to meet like-minded individuals, Mothers' Union is the place for you. Membership is open to anyone who has been baptised and who will support our aims and objectives. You don't have to be a mother, you just have to believe in the importance of strengthening family life within society.

Local membership offers you a chance to engage with like-minded people, reach out to the community where you live, have fun and share new experiences. Our group meets twice a month to pray together, support each other and get involved with local, national and international social outreach and campaigns. If you haven't been to a branch meeting recently or even at all, please come and meet us.

Pray with us

Following the massive earthquake in Nepal, which has devastated both the country and areas of North India and Bangladesh; we are calling for urgent prayers for:

- **Comfort** for all of the bereaved families
- **Shelter** for those who are internally displaced
- **Protection** for the one million or more that are now at risk of disease from lack of fresh water and shelter.

The Mothers' Union President in North India, Neerja Prasad, writes that Bihar, where the Mothers' Union was due to hold its Synodical level programme next month, has been affected as well as the communities in the Indian dioceses of Chotanagpur and Patna. Nepal, she writes, has been "devastated".

As Mothers' Union have no staff or members in Nepal, we are not at this time requesting Relief Funding. However should India's Mothers' Union be in a position to respond and reach people affected both in India and close to the border, we will immediately let our supporters know.

Burundi

Currently, there are reports of police using live ammunition to disperse protesters in Burundi after President Pierre Nkurunziza launched a bid for a third term in office. At present, two protesters have been killed and there is great unrest and fear that the hard won peace deal of 2005 which ended 12 years of civil war, is under threat.

People are fleeing the conflict area in Bujumbura and our President, Mathilde writes that powerful prayers are needed. She has already taken in seven children evacuated from the Rainbow Centre where the foster families are living in the danger zones, with other members doing likewise. Please pray for a return to peace for Bujumbura and Burundi.



Support us -Turning our Christian Values into Action

This year our summer Wheels Appeal is bigger than ever!

Will you help us raise money to make our vital work happen, wherever and whenever it's needed?

Let's all get together, bake some scrumptious cakes, invite everyone, and catch-up over a cuppa while raising money to help people around the world.

This year the money we raise for the Big Wheels Appeal will help people both at home and abroad, who are refugees, survivors of abuse or living in poverty.

By coming together and putting our values into action we can make a positive difference to people's lives.

Together we can all have a lovely time catching up with friends while raising money over cake and a cuppa. The cakes sold and donations given will transform people's lives at home and abroad.

Watch out for more information about when and how we will be supporting this.

Dates for the diary:

June 3rd Service of Holy Communion in the hall followed by our Strawberry Sparkle

June 17th June 'Reaching out as your hands' - creating a visual representation of our hands for the Summer Celebration to be held at the Royal College of Music on 30th September (Do you have your ticket yet?)

Kathryn Bailey

Branch Leader



CELEBRATION

It was a double celebration – Arthur Smith celebrated his one hundredth birthday and eighty years as organist at Christ Church.

He has hung up his “organ playing” shoes after playing thousands of hymns, chivvyng hundreds of choristers and enriching untold weddings. In addition he has accompanied gang shows, pantomimes, participated in several “Last Night of the Proms” and played throughout many Flower Festivals.

At the service on May 10th Arthur chose the hymns and a large congregation gave him a standing ovation when he emerged from the organ loft. In typical Arthur fashion he recalled instances of happy times with the choir and thanked everyone for their support over his time as organist.

After the service a lunch was held in the church hall – when in true Walmersley fashion there was enough food to feed 5000. The Bishop of Bolton attended and thanked Arthur for his dedication, commitment, example and service, commenting that he had outlasted more than 30 prime ministers and four monarchs.

Arthur received many cards including one from the Bishop of Manchester and one from Bury Football Club signed by all the team.

Arthur was presented with a photo book depicting his time as organist.

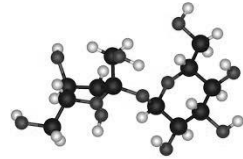
Our thanks go to Arthur for his dedicated service.



THE OPEN GROUP

On 13th May, the Open Group welcomed fellow member David Andrew to present his illustrated talk 'Atoms & Aunts'. A rather curious subject to which members were given an interesting insight - into the creation of atoms and their importance in our very existence and everyday lives from both a scientific and religious viewpoint.

As an introduction and background to his talk, David explained that prior to the 20th Century scientists generally believed that our universe never had a beginning and that biblical accounts of creation from 'nothing to everything' were unscientific and not possible. However the dawn of the 20th Century saw the greatest scientific minds progressively having cause, through experimentations, to rethink the origin of our universe in discovering such elements of matter, energy, space and time itself had a beginning. That a parallel existed between the beginnings of the World (The Big Bang) as an event, and the Christian notion of 'Creation from Nothing' being an act of God.



So with this in mind, we turn to David's topic of atoms and their place in the World. David asked searching questions – Who created the atom? Was it in fact the result of the 'Big Bang' or that of a creator? How do people know that atoms exist as no one has really seen an atom? After all humans like to see something before they believe it.

David explained the purpose and content of atoms by illustrated diagrams. Interestingly, members questioned how it was possible for a chance cosmic explosion (Big Bang) to create such a complex and precise element such as an atom? Unless of course it was precisely engineered by a designer?; Hence a creator? Food for thought!

Members remembered their past schooldays in Chemistry class and were able to identify important elements of the atom, such as protons, neutrons and electrons and their particular purposes and uses in everyday life.

In conclusion, David was thanked for his input which gave members a lot to think about. It left a message that for all its wonderful innovations and creations, Science so far has not been able to answer fully questions about God and the purpose of life. For Christians however, and as David commented throughout, the Bible's message about 'Creation from Nothing' is indeed trustworthy regarding God, life and purpose. In essence might we ask has Science begun to discover God? Our learning of the atom this evening might suggest so.

Our next meeting ~ Wednesday 10th June
at 7.30pm in the Library

'Wainwright's Coast to Coast Walk'
Led by Reverend Paul Sanderson

**Remember, the Open Group is just that, open to all.
Please join us for our meetings**

Please also remember our stall at the Summer Fair on Saturday 13th June. If you have any items, please bring them to the meeting on 10th June, or hand to a member of the Open Group committee prior to the Fair. Thank You

SATURDAY WALKING GROUP

On Saturday 6th June, the Reverend Paul Sanderson and Geoff Hamilton will lead us on a **'Breweries Stagger'**, taking in 3 Breweries in our local area.



We will meet at the Lychgate at Christ Church at 11.00am, and aim to finish at the Lord Raglan, Nangreaves about 5.00pm.

The whole walk is approximately 10-12 miles and everybody is welcome to come along.

Please bring a packed lunch,
sensible footwear and waterproofs.

If you would like further information please speak to Paul, Geoff or David Robinson.

The Walking Group now has its own page on the St. John with St. Mark Website. Please have a look at what we have been up to and what we have planned for 2015.

BENFICE QUIZ Update

I am grateful to Kath Parkinson who tells me that the building opposite the top of Taylor Street that I thought was possibly a Congregational Chapel was actually the Sunday School for Walmersley Road Methodist Church. She remembers, as a teenager, going to see a play performed there which was about the Bronté family.

Alison Fewtrell

LONDON MARATHON

On April 26th our elder son James ran the London Marathon. He completed the course in 3 hours 33 mins and raised just over £1300 for Cancer Research UK. He would like to thank everyone who sponsored him and sent their best wishes.

We were there with Richard, our younger son, to cheer him on. 37,000 runners took part from all corners of the UK and many other countries. We saw Paula Radcliffe, Jenson Button and James Cracknell along with a cactus, several Batmen and Spidermen, angels, fairies and men in tutus. Even a mankini - not a pretty sight!

However, the day was about much more than personal bests, completing a race or dressing up.

A large number of charities were represented, both large and small. A huge amount of money must have been raised.

We were struck by the incredible atmosphere and camaraderie.

Every runner was cheered on by the crowd as they passed by and especially those who were struggling towards the end. There were shouts of encouragement in an attempt to raise their spirits and carry them over the finish line. We noticed other runners touching those in trouble as they passed in a show of support and solidarity.

In all, an inspiring occasion.

Many thanks again,

David and Margaret Peters



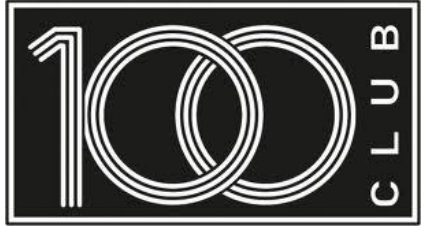
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APRIL 2015 WINNERS

1st Prize ~ Vicky Senior

2nd Prize ~ Kelly Watson

3rd Prize ~ Roy Nuttall



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL

'Little Voice' Stamps



The response to the appeal for used stamps, both old and new, British and foreign, continues to be magnificent!

All stamps are collected and then sorted and sold to raise funds to support a charity called 'Little Voice', which aids a project working with children who live on the streets of Addis Ababa in Ethiopia. A small school and a home for children who have known only the streets as their home has been set up to provide food, clothing, health care, a basic education and recreational activities for them.

Please keep collecting and removing any stamps from your post (leaving one cm. or half an inch of envelope around them). Also, search out any stamps you may have tucked away in a drawer or even in old albums.

I recently sent a huge envelope full of our stamps, plus those I received from Bury Bridge Club, to the coordinator in London who sent a prompt email back to ask me to thank you all for your efforts. The box to put them in is, as usual, at the back of Christ Church.

Many thanks again,

David Peters

VOLUNTEERING ON THE INCREASE

A recent survey has shown that the number of people working in community projects through their church has risen by almost 60% in the past four years. The National Church and Social Action Survey in 2014 indicate that 1.1 - 1.4 million volunteers participated in church-based social action in the UK in 2014, touching millions of people through various initiatives such as community building (e.g. parents and toddlers); compassion ministries (e.g. caring for the elderly); crisis intervention (e.g. debt advice); and education (e.g. school assemblies).

Churches in the United Kingdom have increased the average number of volunteer hours on social action to 114.8m per annum. This is an increase of 16.8% compared with two years earlier and 59.4% compared with four years ago.

The top 10 social based activities of churches in the 2014 sample are:

1. Food distribution
2. Parents and toddlers groups
3. Schools assemblies/RE work
4. Festivals/fun days
5. Children's clubs – up to age 11
6. Caring for elderly
7. Debt counselling
8. Youth work – 12-18
9. Cafe open to public
10. Marriage counselling/courses



ST. JOHN WITH ST. MARK SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 13TH JUNE 2015
11am to 2pm in the Church Hall

Tombolas

Traidcraft

Books

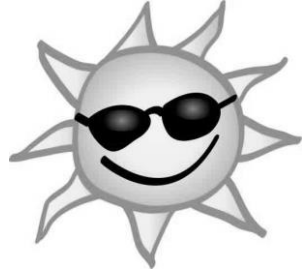
White Elephant

Cakes

Knitted & Household Goods

Cards & Gifts

Jigsaws Raffle & much more



LUNCHES ALSO AVAILABLE

Please come along and support this event
and enjoy our friendship.

If you have any new ideas for stalls or attractions please speak to the
wardens or clergy in advance.

Christ Church Fundraising



Thursday 25th June

Body Shop Evening

7.30pm in the church hall

Tickets £3 available from Julie Tyrer or pay on the night

Tea and coffee will be served

NEWS FROM THE PORCH BOX PROJECT



Porch Boxes has been helping needy families in Bury and the surrounding regions since 2001. At the AGM last month it was reported that there had been a significant increase in usage during 2014. 4,733 parcels were distributed last year – the highest total in the charity’s history. Of the people helped in 2014, 35% stated that they required help due to benefit sanctions, suspensions or disallowances. Another 20% required assistance due to delays in receiving benefits.

The food parcels include enough food for two days and some basic toiletries. (Porch Boxes also provide different types of boxes depending on need including: baby packs, family 7 day boxes, Christmas boxes, street packs for people living rough and home starter packs for people moving on from hostels).

Staff from local agencies (e.g. Social Services, health centres, Children’s Centres, etc.) contact Porch Boxes if they come across a person or family in need and someone from the project delivers a parcel to the agency who then pass it on to the person. Referrals also come from other charities, schools or people supporting people in crisis.

Porch Boxes relies on donations of food and toiletries, and a number of groups, churches and primary schools support the work with donations throughout the year. The food donated in churches and schools for instance - at Harvest time - is collected, sorted and stored ready for use throughout the year.

Both our churches’ congregations collect items with a box sited at the back of both buildings. This is of course as well as the Porch collection point at Moorside Library. Please continue to support this worthy charity.

WHAT'S ON IN JUNE

3	7.30 pm	Mothers' Union(CC) Holy Communion and Strawberry Sparkle
6	11.00 am	Walking Group Meet Lych Gate at Christ Church
7		First Sunday after Trinity Services as usual
10	7.30 pm	Open Group (SJM) Wainwrights Coast to Coast Walk Rev Paul Sanderson
13	11.00 am	Summer Fair (SJM) Snowdon Challenge
14		Second Sunday after Trinity Services as usual
17	7.30 pm	Mothers' Union (CC) Reaching out as Your Hands
18	8.05 pm	PCC (SJM)
21		Third Sunday after Trinity Services as usual
25	7.30 pm	"Body Shop" Evening (CC)
28		Fourth Sunday after Trinity Services as usual (SJM) Ordination of Gill Barnett Cathedral

PLEASE let us know of activities which have a place in our calendar wrub@live.co.uk



We celebrate
with
Arthur Smith

who hands over to
Geoff Stokes

