

# Ackworth Parish Magazine

from

THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. CUTHBERT  
High Ackworth

and

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Wakefield Road

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SEPTEMBER 1984

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## Editorial

The 8th of this month in the Alternative Service Book Calendar is the Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary. She is unique among the saints: it was her response to God's call that made the salvation of mankind possible; she gave Our Lord the love and protection a mother gives her child; she stood at the foot of the cross and saw her son suffer and die and she was with the first disciples at Pentecost. What can we learn from her example?

First, we learn that if we say "Yes" to God, he can use us to accomplish wonderful and amazing things. When the angel told Mary that she was to bear God Incarnate, her response was "Behold the handmaid of the Lord, be it unto me according to thy word". God is still calling men and women today to serve him. Sometimes the tasks he calls us to do are difficult and sometimes we do not understand why God is calling us to do a particular task. But if we respond as Mary did, if we say "Yes" to God, then he will take us and use us to do things more wonderful than we can imagine. Like Mary, we shall be privileged to share in God's work of redemption.

Secondly, we learn the cost of loving. When a baby is born, it is a time of great joy for all, especially the mother. A new human life brings so many hopes to be fulfilled, so much happiness to look forward to. But there will also be pain, disappointment and sorrow. When Mary and Joseph took the baby Jesus to the temple, Mary was told that a sword would pierce her heart. She saw her Son arrested as a common criminal and put to death in one of the most cruel and barbaric ways man has ever devised. All she could do to show her love of her Son at that time was to be there, and despite her own pain and sorrow she stood at the foot of the cross. Mary's love of Jesus brought her the joys of motherhood but brought her sorrow too.

If we love, whoever we love, it will bring us joy. But loving has a price, and the price is that we have to share in others' pain and suffering. If we truly love, a sword will pierce our hearts too.

Finally, Mary was part of the fellowship of the disciples. We sometimes hear it said that a person can be a good Christian without going to Church. But that is not so. St. Paul tells us that each of us is part of the body of Christ; and if part of the body is cut off, it dies. Mary's presence with the first disciples at Pentecost shows us the importance of fellowship with other Christians.

Mary is unique among the Saints. For many Christians, her example provides the inspiration they need in their attempt to follow Christ. May her example encourage us all to follow Jesus more closely.

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#### MOTHERS' UNION NOTICES

- Sept. 3rd: Wave of Prayer Service 9 am to 9.30 am at All Saints'. If you are unable to be present, please pray for our Linked Dioceses of Adelaide, The Murray, Willochra, Karamaja and Soriti, and the Mothers' Union worker, Irene Emula.
- Sept. 5th: Corporate Communion 9.15 am in All Saints' Church.
- Sept. 12th: Mothers' Union trip to the Yorkshire moors. Seats are still available, please contact Mrs. M.E. Hardy (Tel.No. Hemsworth 613085). A deposit of £2.00 will be asked for with each booking.
- Sept. 24th: Pontefract Deanery Festival Service 2.30 pm in St. Giles' Church, Pontefract. The speaker will be our Diocesan President, Mrs. Olive Bell.
- Sept. 27th: Service 7.15 pm in the Mission Room. Our Speaker afterwards will be Mrs. Ruth Marshall, Diocesan Literature Representative. Mothers' Union Literature will be on sale.
- Oct. 5th: Jumble Sale in the Mission Room. Please contact me if you have any jumble to collect.

Kitty Cooper.

## WEBB IVORY CHRISTMAS, GIFT CATALOGUES

Mrs. Barrow now has the Webb Ivory Catalogues for Christmas Gifts and Cards. She also has a wide range of cards for other occasions and gift wrappings. If you would like to see the catalogue or any of the goods in stock, please telephone her (Hemsworth 612115) and she will bring them to you. Mrs. Barrow has raised a considerable amount of money for Parish Funds by her hard work and we are very grateful.

## CONCERT

The Featherstone and District Male Voice Choir with Jane Hurst will be giving a concert in St. Cuthbert's on Friday, 21st September, at 7.15 p.m. Admission is £1, or 75p. for children and pensioners. Please see Ada Pritchard for tickets. Proceeds are in aid of the Communion Rail Kneeler Fund.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School re-opens after the Summer Holidays on Sunday, 16th September, at 9.15 am in the Mission Room.

## JUMBLE SALE

There will be a Jumble Sale at 6 pm on Friday, 14th September, in the Mission Room in aid of Mission Room Funds. If anyone has any jumble they wish to have collected, please contact either Mrs. B. Branston (Hemsworth 610590) or Mrs. S. Field (Hemsworth 610015)

## GIFT DAYS

St. Cuthbert's Gift Day will be on Saturday, 6th October, and All Saints' Gift Day will be on Saturday, 20th October, this year. Members of the P.C.C. have agreed to be outside each church to receive gifts.

## MAGAZINE

Any material for the October Magazine should be in the hands of the editor, Paul Howarth, by Sunday, 16th September.



## BISHOP COLIN IN SAFE HANDS

*CONGRATULATIONS* to Mr Robert Seaton, the Bishop's Chauffeur, who came 1st in the Professional Class of a 'Driver of the Year' Competition on July 1st. The competition was organised by the Leeds Driving Instructors' Association. Mr Seaton holds a large shield for a year and was given a smaller one to keep.

## ARCHDEACON OF HALIFAX TO RETIRE

ARCHDEACON JOHN ALFORD will be retiring in the autumn and his departure will be a sad loss to the Diocese and the Cathedral. In the past 12 years his gifts of wise counsel and personal friendship, and his fine example as priest and teacher, have won for him a unique place in the affections of clergy and laity alike. The Readers, whose affairs he guided so well, hold him in special regard.

A diocesan presentation will be made to the Archdeacon at the Synod on Saturday, 6th October. Many individuals as well as the parishes will, I know, want to contribute to a gift. Cheques made payable to "The Archdeacon of Halifax Presentation Fund" should be sent to Mr John Roch, Church House, 1 South Parade, Wakefield WF1 1LP.  
C.W.

*WALKING IN THE LIGHT* is the theme of the 16th Anglo Catholic Charismatic Convention at Lamplugh House, Thwing, West Yorkshire on October 12th to 14th. Speakers are Fr Harold Ingamells, Vicar of Thurlstone in our Diocese; Sister Shirley, a Walsingham nun; Don Egan, a layman; and Myra Ashworth, a laywoman. Price £26.50. Details from Myra Ashworth, Bolton 61496. Closing date 12th September.



## AS SEEN ON TV

The parish of HOLMFIRTH is famous as the setting for 'Last of the Summer Wine' and now its neighbour UPPERTHONG is to be famous for its Vicar, Peter Dodson, who will appear last on a Sunday night. Peter has been to the Yorkshire Television studios recently to record three 'Five Minutes' programmes on Contemplative Prayer, which are to be shown at half past midnight on Sundays September 23 and 30 and October 7. There will be three more later in the year.

## WALKING ON WATER FOR 40 DAYS

AN INTERNATIONAL TEAM will be spending 40 days in September and early October visiting centres up and down the country in a celebration of mission. *Walking on Water* is a programme of events organised by USPG to celebrate the faith of the Church in Asia, Africa and the Caribbean. There are special services with drama, dance and music and a guest speaker - Bishop Dinis Sengulane from Mozambique. The team will be visiting SHEFFIELD on September 24. See 'What's On'.

## BISHOP'S CHORISTER AWARDS 1984

The Bishop of Wakefield will present the awards during Choral Evensong at the Cathedral on Thursday 27th September.

MATTHEW LOWE	Cathedral
PHILIP BULLOCK	Cathedral
CHRISTOPHER ABBOTT	South Elmsall
JASON SLACK	South Elmsall
JAMIE SANDERSON	Sandal
IAN MITCHELL	Halifax Parish Church
STEPHEN PERRY	Chapelthorpe
YAN TORDOFF	Thornhill
JUDITH YORK	Knottingley
PETER ANNEAR	St Paul, Morley
ROBERT STEWART	Mirfield Parish Church
NICHOLAS THURSTON	Honley
STEPHEN MUIR	Northowram

## JOHN ALFORD, ARCHDEACON OF HALIFAX, WRITES

**SEPTEMBER** begins in Bank Holiday week and ends with Michaelmas. It is the month that takes us from holidays into the full working season and signals a new cycle of activity for Church and Nation marked for the Church by Harvest, Dedication and Patronal Festivals. All of them are intensely parochial occasions, so maybe this is the moment for parishes to take stock of their activities for the coming months.

One concern is going to be with work of evangelism. The Diocesan Synod will be discussing it at its October meeting and in that same month the Diocesan Adviser on Evangelism, the Revd Chris Edmondson, is organising a one-day Conference on 'Evangelism in the Local Church' at which the main speaker will be the Revd John Morison. That will be on the 27 October at the Cathedral Middle School in Wakefield. No doubt many parishes will wish to send representatives, and even for those who cannot do so, it helps to focus attention on this aspect of our mission. We have become increasingly aware of the significance of shared ministry in recent years and the task of evangelism is one of the first tasks that this new tool can begin to embrace. The manifold changes that have taken place in our society and in our thinking in past decades have inevitably raised many questions for Christians and caused many to fall away. Now it is our task to show them what it means to be a Christian in this age, to help them to renew faith and find a coherent way of life; and this is a task to which local congregations and the local Church needs increasingly to be exploring in the months ahead.

The other prime concern of the weeks leading up to Christmas will be our consideration of the Tiller Report — "A Strategy for the Church's Ministry". The Report was commissioned by the Advisory Council for the Church's Ministry in order to be able to advise the General Synod on the development of a strategy for ministry in the next two or three decades, so as to help us to meet the circumstances arising from the changing circumstances of our time. Canon Tiller's Report has been considered by General Synod and has been sent to the Dioceses for their consideration. During this coming Autumn there will be a series of consultations in various parts of



the Diocese to enable parishes to consider his proposals and to consider the issues which confront us as we seek to make adequate provision for ministry in the years ahead. The implications for parishes are far-reaching so it is important that each parish should send its representatives to the consultations which will take place at the end of October and in early November.

As with the work of Evangelism, the consideration of Canon Tiller's recommendations is a part of the energetic outreach of the Church in the eighties. The spiritual welfare of the Nation and of our own children is the prime consideration.

## PEOPLE AND PLACES

**The Rev DAVID CATON**, Vicar of St Thomas, Hamwell, in London Diocese, is to be Vicar of Staincross.

**The Rev DAVID CALVIN-THOMAS**, formerly Chaplain of Malosa Secondary School, Malawi, is to be Vicar of St Matthew's, Rastrick.

**The Rev DAVID MARTINEAU**, Team Rector of Jarrow Team Ministry in Durham Diocese, is to be Vicar of Gildersome.

**The Rev GEORGE MOFFAT**, Assistant Curate of St Leonard-with-All Saints, Heston, in London Diocese, is to be Vicar of South Elmsall.

**The Rev PETER HICKS**, Vicar of Stanley, is to be Vicar of Calow and Sutton-cum-Duckmanton in Derby Diocese.

**The Rev PETER CALVERT**, Vicar of Todmorden and Priest-in-Charge of Cross Stone, is to be Rural Dean of Calder Valley.

The Rev John Bunker will be Instituted at **ST AUGUSTINE'S, HALIFAX**, on September 23rd by the Bishop of Wakefield.

The Rev Ralph Godsall will be Instituted at **HEBDEN BRIDGE** on 26th by the Bishop of Wakefield.

**ORDINATION** by the Bishop of Wakefield in the Cathedral on September 30th at 11.00 am.

**STEVEN MITCHELL** — Ovenden  
**MALCOLM JAMES** — Ripponden NSM  
**DAVID KENT** — Hudd'sfield St Peter NSM  
**GEORGE MIDDLEY** — Drighlington NSM  
**PETER ROLLS** — Meltham Mills NSM

## WHAT'S ON IN SEPTEMBER

- 1 & 8 TWO SPONSORED MUSIC DAYS** at St Philip's, Birchencliffe, in aid of Organ Fund. Richard Stead will play for 5 hours each day, 10-12, 2-4pm, 6-7pm. Evening sessions 'sing-in'. Potential sponsors please contact Mr Stead (Hudds 651681) or Rev Michael Whawell (Elland 72679) or simply turn up for the event.
- 1 ORGAN RECITAL** - Peter Gould Musical Evening in St Giles Church, Pontefract at 7.30 pm.
- 2 ROYSTON 750th ANNIVERSARY.** Bishop of Wakefield will preside and preach at Parish Mass, 9.30am, followed by **PARISH LUNCH** in C.E. School Hall, Vicarage Lane.
- 14-17 FLOWER FESTIVAL** at ROYSTON. Theme: 'The Life of Christ'. Also **EXHIBITION OF HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS** in the School Hall. Morning coffee and afternoon teas Saturday and Sunday.
- 15 ARTS & CRAFTS FAYRE** at Scissett Church School, 10am-5pm. Refreshments, Craft Stalls and Demonstrations, Slide Show of Scissett's history, Children's Art and Craft Competition. 50p adults, 25p children.
- 15 CATHEDRAL OPEN DAY** 9.30am-4.30pm Various exhibits, recitals, sideshows, bell-tower open, ploughmans lunches. Holy Communion 9.30am. Choral Evensong 4.30pm.
- 15,16 DARRINGTON FESTIVAL WEEKEND.** Saturday 10.30am-6pm Gift Day, 7.30pm Queen Elizabeth Singers in Church. Sunday 6.30pm Songs of Praise.
- 17 ORGAN DEMONSTRATION.** Wyvern ST60 Electronic Organ in Birchencliffe Parish Church, 7.30pm. Organist - John Ram.
- 19 EARLY HISTORY OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.** A course in early Church history to answer some modern problems of Christian belief. Organised by Huddersfield W.E.A., 7-9pm in Hudds Central Library. Further details of fees etc from Mrs Vera Greenwood, 29 Cleveland Road, Hudds (38494).
- 21 THE LEEDS CONFERENCE.** Bishop Michael Baughen on Renewal. For Ministers & Laity. 10.30-3pm at St George's, Leeds (next to General Infirmary). Own lunch, drinks provided. Retiring collection.
- 21-23 FLOWER FESTIVAL** at St Saviour's Church, Ravensthorpe - 'Saints of the North'. Friday 7.30pm Feast of Dedication (120 years) Parish Mass, Preacher Archdeacon of Halifax. Saturday 7.30pm 'In Concert' with Organist and Choir of Wakefield Cathedral. Sunday 10.30 Parish Mass; 6.30pm Evening Service, Preacher Fr John Hudson.
- 22 ORGAN RECITAL AT HEPTONSTALL** by Francis Jackson, 8pm. (Francis Jackson gave the first recital on the present organ when the church was opened in 1964).

- 24 WALKING ON WATER,** USPG Yorkshire Celebration at the Octagon Centre, Sheffield University, 7pm for 7.30 start. Tickets 50p each from Mrs Brenda Frost, 11 Great North Rd, Woodlands, Doncaster DN6 7RE (722474). Further details from Rev Leslie Brooks, Ossett 260168.
- 28 YOUTH SPECIAL** at Norwood Green U.R.C., near Halifax, 7.30pm. Tea and biscuit reception 7pm. Drama & Praise. Speaker - Philip Jump, Liverpool.
- 28-30 ART & CRAFT EXHIBITION** and **HARVEST FESTIVAL** at St Mark's, Dewsbury. Opens 2pm on Friday by Mayor & Mayoress of Kirklees. Musical items Fri & Sat. Sunday - special services with Canon T. Roe & Bishop of Wakefield.
- 29 ROYSTON ANNIVERSARY** - Wakefield Cathedral Choir, 7.30pm in Church.
- 29 MICHAELMAS CONCERT** in Halifax Parish Church by Halifax Male Voice Choir and choir of Rishworth School, St Jude's, and Parish Church, conducted by Paul Iredale. Piano solo by Mr Christopher Moulds. 7.30pm in aid of Deanery Pastoral Funds.
- 29,30 GREGORIAN CHANT WEEKEND** led by Dr Mary Berry at St Peter's Convent. Saturday - day of singing Gregorian Chant. Sunday - Singing Pilgrimage to Lastingham. Details from Guest Sister, St Peter's Convent, Dovecote Lane, Horbury, WF4 6BB.

### FURTHER EDUCATION COURSES IN ASSOCIATION WITH WAKEFIELD DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF EDUCATION

Each course runs from Wednesday Sept 19 to Wednesday Nov 28 in the Treacy Hall, 7-9pm.

Course A: **ROOTS OF SOCIETY.** General Development in Society with particular reference to West Yorkshire (1815-1984). Canon J.T. Roe.

Course B: **IN THE BEGINNING...** A Biblical course for those interested in the Bible, but who have not studied it systematically. Mr P. Unwin.

Course C: **LEARNING TO LISTEN.** An examination of pastoral counselling using the Bible and Prayer as sources of reference. Mrs E Allen & The Rev Dr R. Grainger.

Each Wednesday Oct 31-Nov 28 in the Treacy Hall, 7-9pm.

Course D: **THEOLOGY - THE SPICE OF LIFE.** An introduction to theology for those interested in the subject, but who have not studied it systematically. The Rev Dr D. Peat.

### THE BIBLE - FOUNTAIN AND WELL OF TRUTH

Mondays October 1, 8, 15 & 22. 7-9pm in Barnsley Civic Library.

Speakers: Canon D. Woodhouse, Canon J.T. Roe, Dr J. Addy.

**POST CONFIRMATION EUCHARIST** in the Cathedral on Saturday September 22nd at 10.30am

## OBITUARIES

**Bishop Cashmore.** The death of Bishop Cashmore, reported towards the end of July, despite his great age of 94, came as something of a shock, as will be well appreciated to those who knew him best. Physically, he was a vast, lumbering man, with an apparently endless store of energy and good humour. He spent the early years of his ministry in the Wakefield diocese — first as Vicar of Holmfirth, then as Vicar of Brighouse, and later still as Canon Missioner. In each of the parishes he is well-remembered, as indeed he is in the many parishes in the diocese where he conducted his vigorous missions. In his early years he had spent some years in India, as an architect, and while he was in the Wakefield diocese he maintained his concern with the work of the Church overseas. It was manifested, unexpectedly, in a deep interest in International Rotary. He travelled widely and frequently on their behalf while he was in the diocese, and afterwards when he went to the diocese of St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich as Suffragan Bishop of Dunwick to serve with his old friend, Bishop Harold Morris.

After his retirement in 1967 he extended this ministry even more widely. And always he was a faithful witness to Christ. Moreover, his efforts were sustained by his wife, who matched his exuberance with a profound serenity. The Cashmores are two very great figures out of the past of the diocese.

JRA

**The Rev DEREK DE LACY HOLMES,** Curate of Lightcliffe 1930-33, Todmorden 1933-36, Vicar of St Andrew's Huddersfield 1936-43, Cragg Vale 1943-49, Barkisland 1949-55.

## Miss PAMELA KEILY

Pamela Keily died peacefully on August 3rd. The last word she spoke in this world was "Amen", spoken out of apparent unconsciousness, the response to the blessing. And no ending could be more fitting than this, for it marked the completion of a remarkable career, by a remarkable lady.

She has been widely known in the diocese and in the neighbouring dioceses of Sheffield, Manchester and Ripon, and indeed far beyond, for her tireless work on behalf of religious drama. She was convinced that drama is a crucial means of conveying the truths of the Gospel. She was equally convinced that the Church of England was making disastrously poor use of this tool. Her response was two-fold — to search for and encourage Christian playwrights to produce worthwhile drama and to encourage amateur actors to perform them worthily. To this end she worked for many years, travelling by train and bus, all over the north, to parish halls, churches, and the widest possible variety of locations. Her standards were high, and the demands she made on the casts of her plays were relentless. But it was worth it — the MBE that she was awarded a year or so ago was the public mark of the work she had done.

It was not done without cost — but she paid willingly, for the work was rooted in a deep spirituality, which gave her great wisdom, great insight, and constantly enlarged her vision — the vision of God in all his works which she sought and increasingly found to the very end of her life.

JRA

## SITUATIONS VACANT

*The Diocesan Communications Officer wants to make two new appointments. The pay will be non-existent but will be doubled annually.*

**DIOCESAN GRAPHIC DESIGNER** to pay attention to Diocesan literature and to offer advice to parishes.

**DIOCESAN CARTOONIST** to help us laugh at ourselves a bit more. Apply by submitting a series of cartoons on our church characters — a chance to have a go at your Vicar, a Bishop or two ... or anybody

For a crack at either task, ring the DCO, Roy Clements, Wakefield 275274, or write to St Mary's Vicarage, Millfield Rd, Horbury Junction, Wakefield WF4 5DU.

## MARKET PLACE

### INTERESTING KNEELERS WANTED FOR EXHIBITION.

A weekend exhibition of hand-worked Church Kneelers is being mounted as part of Christian Heritage Year at Cragg Vale, near Hebden Bridge, 26-28 October. The organisers would like to hear from any Church who can loan any interesting old, new or decorative kneelers for incorporation in the exhibition to demonstrate the breadth of variety in this unrecognised part of our Church heritage. Contact Hugh Morgan, Halifax RB3008.

**WANTED** 2 copies of Devotional Calendar for Catholics. Printed by Talbot & Co, 1950, 43rd year issue. Contact Pam Kent, Huddersfield 654058.

## BOOKS

**DAYLIGHT and GUIDELINES** are to be published this autumn by the Bible Reading Fellowship to replace 'Awake to the Word' and 'Brief Notes' in January.

**EVERYONE NEEDS A BIBLE** in their own language. More than 3000 languages have not ONE SINGLE BOOK of the Bible translated. You can help by sending a donation to the Bible Society, 146 Queen Victoria St, London EC4B 4BL.

**HOPE AND SUFFERING** by Bishop Desmond Tutu, a Fount Original, £1.75. Sermons and speeches. 'The authentic voice of Christian prophecy in our day... Thank God for this book and for each word in it!' (Trévor Huddleston, C.R.)

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THE PARISH REGISTERS

HOLY BAPTISM

- July 1 James Andrew Spears, 4 Rainsborough Avenue,  
Knottingley.  
1 Kelly Louise Brown, 140 Leatham Crescent,  
Purston.  
1 Rebecca Kay Cookman, 8 Walton Royd,  
Doncaster Road.  
1 Marc Russell Green, 12 Langdale Drive.  
1 Thomas Joseph Grindel, 30 Wakefield Road.  
1 Helen Louise Jones, 32 Langdale Drive.  
1 Gary Macken, 9 Coltsfoot Close, Carleton  
Glen.  
1 Carly Frances Sjöstedt, Sweden.  
1 Amy Jane Wright, 52 Millgate.  
July 8 Adrian Stephen Beverley, 40 Banks Avenue.  
8 Rebecca Mary Susan Harvey, 31 School Road,  
Pontefract.  
8 Matthew David Swales, 10 Cleveland Lodge.  
8 Steven Mark Freer, 37 Bell Lane.  
Aug. 5 Gemma Marie Nock, 17 Cricketers Close.  
5 James Richard Barnett, 81 Millgate.  
Aug. 12 Richard Michael Boyle, 10 Langdale Drive.  
12 Sophie Ellen Fowler, 97 Wakefield Road.  
12 Gemma Lajbrok, 7 Windsor Avenue.

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HOLY MATRIMONY

- June 30 Andrew Paul Pickering and Angela Jones  
July 20 Ashley Hugh Barber and Rachel Louise Copley

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CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Service at All Saints'

- July 6 Lucy Hodgkinson, aged 80 years.  
11 Evelyn Cooper, aged 80 years.  
19 Mary Greenall, aged 79 years.

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READERS AT ST. CUTHBERT'S ON SUNDAYS at 11 a.m.

SEPTEMBER

2.	Mrs. K. Lunt.	Acts 17: 22-end.
9.	Mr. J. Kidson.	Acts 20: 17-35.
16.	Miss Jill Barrow.	Ephesians 3: 14-end.
23.	Mr. S. McDougall.	1 Timothy 2: 1-7.
30.	Mrs. D. White.	1 John 4: 15-end.

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7.	Mr. W.J. Jarrett.	Deuteronomy 26: 1-11.
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BRASS CLEANING

September: Mrs. Markey.

October: Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Tyler.

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ALL SAINTS' FLOWERS

September 2nd:	Mrs. Camplin.
September 9th:	Mrs. Flanagan.
September 16th:	E.M. Smith & M. Walker.
September 23rd:	Mrs. Turton.
September 30th:	Mrs. Rhodes.

LETTER FROM THE REVEREND COURTLEY

The Rectory,  
Church Street,  
Farnworth.

My dear Friends,

I should like to thank you very much for the generous gift you gave me when I left Ackworth. I greatly appreciate it. I shall use the money to buy something special that I shall always have as a further reminder of the happy years I had at Ackworth and of the kindness I always received there.

We miss you all very much but we are grateful for your part in our lives and we shall continue to give thanks upon every remembrance of you.

Yours sincerely,

Alec Courtley.

DIARY FOR SEPTEMBER

2. PENTECOST 12 (Trinity 11)

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion  
3 pm Holy Baptism

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon

3. Mon. 7.45 pm P.C.C. Meeting at the  
Howard School.

4. Tues. 9.15 am Holy Communion  
(St. Cuthbert's)

5. Wed. 9.15 am Holy Communion  
(All Saints')

9. PENTECOST 13 (Trinity 12)

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon

11. Tues. 9.15 am Holy Communion (SC)

12. Wed. 9.15 am Holy Communion (ASS)

16. PENTECOST 14 (Trinity 13)

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon

18. Tues. 9.15 am Holy Communion (SC)

19. Wed. 9.15 am Holy Communion (ASS)

23. PENTECOST 15 (Trinity 14)

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon

25. Tues. 9.15 am Holy Communion (SC)

26. Wed. 9.15 am Holy Communion (ASS)

30. PENTECOST 16 (Trinity 15)

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon

OCTOBER 7. HARVEST THANKSGIVING

St. Cuthbert's: 11 am Parish Communion

All Saints': 9.15 am Parish Communion  
6.30 pm Evensong and Sermon