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Dear Readers,

Many of you may know by now that Pamela and Malcolm Boura are leaving the village after many active years here and their involvement in village life will be greatly missed. On a later page, there is an appeal for someone to take over from Pamela in her role as Barton Miller magazine distribution organiser. A willing volunteer would be giving a valuable service to our community.

At the end of the month, David Butcher will be ordained priest after serving his year as deacon, and Caroline, his wife will be ordained as deacon on the same day. On 30th June (5th Sunday) there will be a special service at West Row with David and Caroline taking principle roles, followed by cream teas to which all are invited; they would appreciate your support.

**Copy for your July Barton Miller to me before 20th June please.**

Yours sincerely Joy Willis

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1st Jun/29th June/27th July

# Vicar's Letter

## Father's Day

We have all heard of Mothering Sunday. Most of us have taken the opportunity to buy cards and flowers to say "Thank You" to our mothers for the part they have played in our lives right from the moment we were born. What we hear much less about is Father's Day which is held on the third Sunday of June. The idea of a special day to honour fathers was introduced by Sonora Smart Dodd in the United States. It hasn't caught on like Mothering Sunday has but fathers do play a big part in our lives. Mothers decide to be mothers long before dads do. A mother carries her baby for nine months, giving her an opportunity to grow into being a mother. Dads, however, go about their daily routine, pretty much unaffected by what's going on inside the womb. He may be supportive but until baby is actually born he is pretty much just an observer.

At the birth of his new baby the father's world takes on new meaning. It is now, as he looks into the face of this new life that he has to make the decision to *become* a father. It is a decision that will alter his life, schedule, direction, and priorities, as he chooses to be the good father to the tiny life in his arms. Fathering a child is, for most people, not difficult - being a father is.

I heard the story once of a man who had promised his son that he would come and watch him play in a special ball game his team was playing in. He was so looking forward to his dad coming to watch and talked about it endlessly. Then his dad received an invitation from the President of the United States to attend a special function at the White House, on the same day as his son's ball game. Well, the White House got on just fine without him. His son, on the other hand, was the proudest boy on the field as he played with the voice of his father cheering him on from the sidelines. Now that is being a role model and that is being a father. Most of it is not about doing special things or about doing anything unusual. It is just about doing the one thing that is most important and that is simply being there.

Gordon



## St Mary's Church Barton Mills.

**Parish Priest in Charge:** Rev. Sandie Barton.

6 The Street, Freckenham. IP28 8HZ . Tel 01638-720770

Email - revsandiebarton@gmail.com

### Your Church Representatives:

**Churchwardens:** **Dave Traher**, 25 Church Lane Close, Barton Mills. Tel 718328; **Alan Butcher**, 3 Church Lane, Barton Mills. Tel 713534

**Vergers:** Davina Peachey, 24 Church Lane Close, Barton Mills. Tel 716265

**Elders:** Colin Brotherton; Glynn East and Dave Traher.

### St Mary's Parochial Church Elected Council Members

**Secretary:** Diana Knight, The Manor, Barton Mills, IP28 6BL. Tel 711274. To whom all correspondence should be addressed.

**Treasurer:** Steve Hills.

**Deanery Synod Representatives:** Nora Shipley and Rodney Knight.

**Other PCC Members :** Davina Peachey, Jo Traher; Sandra Woollard and Peter Alder.

There are also sub-groups to help with various aspects of church life. Sign up sheet at the back of the church.

### Mothers Union

This months meeting will be held on  
Monday 17th June 2019 Beck Row Church Room



There is also a **Prayer Chain** for anyone needing prayers for themselves or others. Please ring **Colin Brotherton 713440**.

### COFFEE MORNINGS

Every Thursday 10.00 - noon in the Church Rooms.

ALL VERY WELCOME



## **BARTON MILLS CHURCH SERVICES**

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm Ascension Day Group Holy Communion

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 9.30am: Holy Communion with Revd Gill Anderson

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June

8am: Early Holy Communion with Revd Sandie Barton - simple form in contemporary language

9.30am: Messy Church – children and adults together enjoy informal activities and worship, everyone welcome.

5pm: Healing Service

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am: Holy Communion by extension with Revd David Butcher.

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 9.30am: Sunday Celebration with Glynn East

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June: Ordination of Caroline Butcher as Deacon and David Butcher as Priest at St Edmundsbury Cathedral (ticket only).  
7pm Celebration BBQ at West Row Village hall.

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June 10am: Joint Group Holy Communion at West Row, followed by Celebration Cream Teas

Families are welcome at all the services. Children can play in the children's corner and are welcome at the altar rail for a blessing at Communion Services.

### **FELLOWSHIP MEALS**

Fellowship meals are held in the church room each month, usually on the fourth Friday of each month at 6pm, and the June meal will be on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June. Each meal is informal with a varied menu – and good company – all welcome! Please contact Debbie Hills on 01842 861149, e mail [debbiehills@btinternet.com](mailto:debbiehills@btinternet.com) so that numbers are known for catering.

### **CHURCH OPEN**

Barton Mills church is open every day and visitors are always welcome to come in and relax in the calm and peaceful surroundings.



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**SUMMER GARDEN**  
**PARTY**  
**SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> JULY**

*GAMES, CREAM TEAS,  
MUSIC, BBQ, BAR*

**COME ON SATURDAY 6th JULY**

**to the lawn in front of Barton Mills church**

from 2.30pm, where there will be cream teas, Pimms, all sorts of games, and a classic MG sports car that kids of all ages can sit in for photos. 'Anglian Accents', Ladies Harmony Chorus, will be giving an early evening concert, to be followed at 8pm by a BBQ with a bar. The bar will be open before the concert also. So please come, bring your children, and get your friends to come along too.

Entry to the Party is free, but the event will help to raise funds for the Church Preservation Trust.

**SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> JULY, 6.30pm**

# **Anglian Accents**



**Ladies Harmony Chorus,  
will be giving an early  
evening concert in  
Barton Mills church**

Tickets for the concert are £5 each,  
(children 16 and under free)

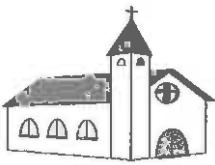
from Nancy Higgins (01638 515215),  
nancy@bartonmills.com

Frances Lewis (01638 713155),  
franceslewis35@gmail.com or at the door

Then there will be a BBQ, on the church lawn,  
starting at 8pm with delicious specially made burgers  
and bangers. And the bar will be open too!  
Do come along, for a sociable summer evening.

**CREAM TEAS AND PIMMS in the afternoon  
MUSIC, BBQ, BAR in the evening**

All at Barton Mills Parish Church  
on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July.



## BARTON MILLS BAPTIST CHURCH



Last year I was unable to visit my friends in Florida for Thanksgiving, the first time in 16 years. Sadly, they experienced a **terrible hurricane**, rarely experienced in that part of the US. They have had their roof replaced, but are still waiting for repairs to the interior to be accomplished. **At the height of one of these storms the strong winds can reach 150 miles an hour and can be devastating yet no one on earth has ever seen the wind that causes this destruction and inconvenience.**

During Jesus earthly ministry He had known each of His disciples intimately, they were only human and when He was crucified they must have been devastated. After three days He rose from the dead and appeared to them on several occasions. They must have wanted **these visits to continue indefinitely** – but this was not to be, however, He had told them in Acts 1 v 5 “...ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence” and in John 14 v 16, He said “I will pray the Father and He will give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever”. As He promised in Acts 2 v 1 – 4, we read “Now when the Day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. Suddenly there came from Heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. “And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost” – this was Pentecost. Those who experienced that wind didn’t see it, but as a result of it, were never the same again. Their lives changed dramatically –they went forth victoriously proclaiming the good news that a resurrected Saviour was offering salvation to every repentant sinner. We may not experience a “mighty rushing wind”, and we no longer have a holiday to remind us of it, but Christians all over the world will remember it as Whit Sunday, this year the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, the Day of Pentecost.

We get frustrated and spiritually exhausted when we try to work things out on our own terms. We fail to draw on the power of the Holy Spirit who lives within us yet His presence can become real and powerful when we rely on Him. The great news is that this Power of Pentecost is not reserved for the highly gifted, it is available to all believers in Christ who want to serve Him. The early disciples were only humble men yet God saw fit to bestow on them this great Gift which would be to them a Comforter. Today we too can receive that gift if we will only believe His word and put our complete trust in Him. The Holy Spirit is not some mystical force but a personal Being who lives within every follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. This Whitsuntide let us reflect on that day when the Holy Spirit came to indwell all believers. Jesus can’t be in two places at once, but the Holy Spirit can.

Our services remain the same: Bible Study at 7.30p.m. on Thursdays (Call 01638-713892 for Location) and Sunday School and Bible Study on Sundays at 11 a.m., or the Worship Services at 3 and 6.30p.m. Why not join us, you will be most welcome.

F. A. RUTTERFORD



## **Would you like to join the Barton Miller team?**

We need a new volunteer to organise the distribution of this magazine ten times each year towards the end of the month.

About 600 magazines would be delivered to you. These need to be sorted into bundles and then delivered to the house-to-house delivery team.

The role also involves recruiting new distributors when required and arranging cover if a regular distributor is unavailable.

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Pamela on 510504 or email [pamela@boura.org](mailto:pamela@boura.org).

Thank you.

**Saturday 15 June 2019 at 7.30pm**

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### All Over 50s Welcome

**Wed 5th June:** At 2 pm in the Village Hall, Fiona Lucraft will present "A History of Cookery Books". Please bring your favourite /old cookery books along. Refreshments to follow.

**Sat 15th June:** See "The Grand Duke" by Gilbert and Sullivan performed in a barn at Swaffham Bulbeck. We will travel in shared cars departing at 1.40 pm. £10 members, £11.50 non-members.

**Wed 17<sup>th</sup> July:** Guided visit to Chippenham Fen Nature Reserve. We will travel in shared cars leaving at 2 pm. £5 members or £6 non-members.

*Enquiries to Pamela on 510504 [pamela@boura.org](mailto:pamela@boura.org)*

**Meetings in the Village Hall: £2 members, £3 non-members**

**New members welcome: £5 for the rest of 2019**



## Barton Mills & District Gardening Club

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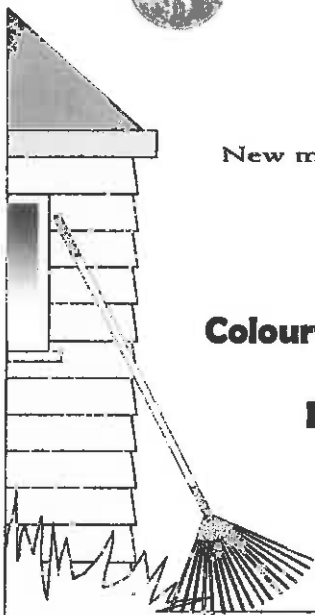
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New members and friends welcome as paying visitors

**25th June 2019**

**Colourful Summer Flowers—John Hewson**

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Ian Anderson. Tel 515741.**



# BARTON MILLS PARISH COUNCIL

## SID (SPEED INDICATOR DEVICE)

The SID is a great tool to prevent speeding vehicles in the village. The Parish Council rely on a few volunteers to move the SID between Church Lane, Mildenhall Road and Worlington Road in Barton Mills but more volunteers are required. If you could occasionally spare half an hour at a weekend and would like to help please contact the clerk for further information.

## LOCAL ELECTIONS 2ND MAY 2019

The Parish Council have been informed that there was confusion in regards to the recent elections for both the Parish Council and the District Council. As there were not more candidates nominated than seats available the elections were uncontested and therefore no poll/vote was held.

## LITTER IN THE VILLAGE

The Parish Council have been informed of an increase in litter in the village especially on the footpath to Mildenhall. Therefore, we would like to remind everyone to dispose of rubbish responsibly and take care not to leave litter.

## FOOTPATHS

The Parish Council are continuing to ensure footpaths are kept clear and accessible. If you have any trees, bushes or plants encroaching onto the public footpaths please trim these to allow pedestrians to use the footpaths as intended.

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## Next Parish Council Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting will be on Tuesday 4th June 2019 at 7:30pm in the Village Hall.

*The Public are welcome to attend Parish Council Meetings and will be offered the opportunity to speak at the beginning of the meeting or at the Chairman's discretion. To raise an item at any meeting please contact the Clerk at least 7 days prior to the meeting date.*

**Chairman:** Amin Harji, 01638 510251

**Clerk:** Jadi Coe, clerk@bartonmills.net 07724 737841

**Website:** www.bartonmills.net

Find us on **Facebook:** Barton Mills Parish Council

**May 19**

Our evening started with the business of the month, our AGM. All our committee were re-elected for another year & Resolutions were voted on.

We then welcomed our speaker, Shelby from our local delicatessen, The Barleycorn. As well as giving a very informative talk on healthy eating - we should try to mimic the rainbow on our plates to maximise our nutritional intake - Shelby brought a selection of delicious nibbles for us to try including locally produced bread, butter, Brie & coleslaw.

Our sale in aid of ACWW was held, followed by our raffle. A busy but thoroughly enjoyable evening.



Our next meeting will be on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June where we will join Beck Row for a joint meeting.

**Take a look at our website -**

**[www.wibartonmills.weebly.com](http://www.wibartonmills.weebly.com)**

# BARTON MILLS 100 CLUB



The purpose of the Barton Mills 100 Club is to raise funds by operation of lotteries and draws to contribute to projects and/or organisations within the parish of Barton Mills for the general benefit of the people of Barton Mills.

## May 2019 Winners

£30	18	S Spurling
£20	212	K Bruce
£10	99	J Stirges
£10	142	D Peachey

**If you would like to become a member please contact our Treasurer:**

**Janette Miller - 49 The Street. Tel 712843**

**IF YOU WANT TO WIN, YOU HAVE TO BE IN !!**

Prizes of £30, £15, £10 and £5 monthly and twice a year additional prizes of £150.



## MILDENHALL & DISTRICT MUSEUM AND MUSEUM SOCIETY

**MILDENHALL MUSEUM** - From **June 4th** for a month there will be a temporary display in the Museum prepared by members of the **Stirling Association**, marking ten years since Dame Vera Lynn unveiled their memorial plaque. Upstairs, beneath the plaque there is now a new model of a Stirling aircraft prepared by a museum volunteer.

The Museum Society's meeting on **Thurs. 6th at 7.30** will be a talk by **Richard Mann** entitled **THE MYSTERY OF THE TITANIC** and will last about one hour, a little longer than our usual meetings. Members pay £2, Non-members £4.

**NEW MEMBERS WELCOME.**

**For more information regarding the museum do visit**

**[www.mildenhallmuseum.co.uk](http://www.mildenhallmuseum.co.uk)**

**A RARE OPPORTUNITY** for agile folk. On **FRI. JUNE 21ST** the tower of **St. Mary's Church, Mildenhall** will be open for visitors to ascend the tower, either all the way to the top to gain amazing views or to stop part-way at the bell ringing chamber. Adults £5 10-16 years £2-50. Groups of 8 will begin the ascent at 5.30, 6.10, 6.50, 7.30, 8.10 and 8.50 and begin the descent from the top after 30mins.

BARTON MILLS Wednesday Club

The Committee have just learned that Pamela will be leaving for her new home at the end of June/July. We thought it might be nice to have a 'thank you' tea party for her to which you are all invited.

**WEDNESDAY 12 June**

**4.00pm to 5.00pm  
in the Village Hall**

Please bring a small plate of something savoury, sandwiches or cakes to share. We will be presenting Pamela with a gift during the afternoon. This will be purchased from club funds

**RSVP**

Thank you and we look forward to hearing from you.

**Ann Jacobs 01638 510008**

**Mobile 07899 923425 phone or text**

**Email: [mikeannjacobs@btinternet.com](mailto:mikeannjacobs@btinternet.com)**

**What's on in Freckenham June**

**Sat 1<sup>st</sup> June – Eastern Angles Spring Tour – The Tide Jetty.** Set along the banks of Breydon Water, Norfolk. Doors & bar open 7pm performance starts 7.30pm. Tickets £10 under 18's £8 please try and prebook as it is sure to be popular 01638 720118 or 07542 198 933. [www.easternangles.co.uk](http://www.easternangles.co.uk)

**Friday Film Night 6<sup>th</sup> June - The Favourite.**

**Monthly Farmers & Crafts Market Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June -** Stalls to be confirmed but likely to include fruit & veg who also does weekly veg box deliveries

[www.Poundsworth.co.uk](http://www.Poundsworth.co.uk), TFM Butchers of Isleham meat, The Pie Kitchen, Barleycorn Deli cheese, olives & more, bread, honey, eggs, Chocolates, WI preserves & pickles, herbs & planters, bedding, veg & perennial plants, fresh cut flowers, cards plus crafts including knitting, bead & wire jewellery. Free entry. Cuppa, cakes & bacon rolls. Market then takes a summer break but back to last Saturday of the month from 28<sup>th</sup> September. After the Farmers Market on 29<sup>th</sup> June, **Cash Bingo** doors & bar open 7pm eyes down 7.30pm. £1 a game all the money goes back into the prize pot! Fun night for all ages, great number game for children!

**Friday Film Night 5<sup>th</sup> July – The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society.** No need to book just turn up £5 a person. Doors & Bar open 7pm film starts 7.30pm

**Date for the diary** St Andrew's Church Flower Festival 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> September theme - My Favourite Book. 1pm – 5pm, hymns 4pm on the Sunday. Free entry but donations appreciated to Church Funds. Refreshments including homemade cakes available too.

Check the village website [www.freckenham.suffolk.cloud](http://www.freckenham.suffolk.cloud) for updates and details of weekly activities. Contact the tutor if you are new or attending after a break. Connect with us on Facebook and Twitter @FreckenhamVH.



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<b>Easter Monday</b>	COMPLETED		
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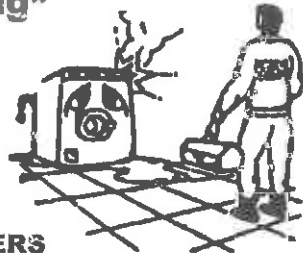


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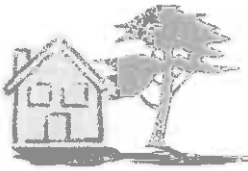
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