ST ANDREW'S @ ST NINIAN'S NEWSLETTER AUG/SEPT 2024

CHURCH SERVICES AUGUST/ SEPTEMBER 2024

St Ninian's Harlow Green

Sundays @ 10am Holy Communion August 11th, 25th, September 8th, 22nd.

St Andrew's Lamesley

Sundays @ 10am Holy Communion August 4th, 18th.

<u>September</u> 1st, 15th, 29th. (We have a speaker from Fairtrade joining us on the 15th September)

Every Wednesday @ 10.45am Holy Communion with short bible study.

Refreshments are available after every service; everyone is welcome to join us.

LITTER PICKING DATES The next two dates for litter picking will be Thursday 8th August and Thursday 19th September. Meet 10.15am at St Andrew's Church. GARDENING GROUP We have a small group of volunteers working in Lamesley graveyard. If you would like join us the next dates are August 12th and 28th and September 9th and 25th. 1pm - 3pm. For more details Contact Joan 07957871375.

A TALK ABOUT THE ARTWORK FROM "COME VIEW MY ART GALLERY"

BY BRIAN RANKIN

AT ST ANDREW'S CHURCH HALL, LAMESLEY, WEDNESDAY 18th SEPTEMBER AT 7 PM

Art work includes pictures and images of the well-known late local artist Charlie Rodgers.

Entry Fee £3 Light refreshments are included.

To make a reservation or for more information contact Jean, 07909596984.

GLORIFYING GODS CREATION

Galatians 2:20 "And it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave me for himself for me."

On July 23rd it was a joyful experience to see people across the Gateshead Deanery being confirmed by Bishop Frank White at St Albans Church, Windy Nook, one of which was Carl Walsh from St Andrew's They were sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit and strengthened for service to Christ and the Church. This bible verse reflects the life-transforming impact of being a disciple of Christ. It emphasises that through faith believers are united with Christ.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW CHURCH MEMBERS

Aria Millie Clark baptised 9th June, Dylan Alexander Conn baptised 7th July and Flynn Chester Duggan baptised 21st July. All baptised at St Andrew's Lamesley.

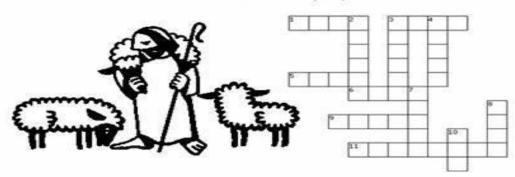
A HUGE THANK YOU TO COSTAIN VOLUNTEERS

As we say goodbye to the amazing volunteers who have worked alongside us tidying the graveyard at St Andrew's since March 2024, we would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone of them for all of their hard work over the last five months. We really appreciate the kind donation for the purchase of equipment and all of the help you have given us, we will miss you all.

A LITTLE PUZZLE FOR OUR YOUNGER READERS.

The Good Shepherd

John 10:11-18 (NIV)



ACROSS

- Wild animal that looks like a dog and hunts in packs
- The period from birth to death
- A strong feeling of affection
- 6. Goes faster than walking
- 9. What we use to speak
- One who takes care of the sheep

DOWN

- 2. The male parent
- To hear or pay attention to something
- A group of sheep herded together
- Wooly animals which are similar to goats
- 8. The opposite of bad
- A small place where animals are kept

Words Used			
good	sheep	runs	listen
shepherd	wolf	father	pen
good shepherd life	flock	voice	love

Durham Cathedral Peace Doves.

A mass-participation artwork by Peter Walker, it is made up of fifteen thousand paper doves created by schools, visitors, local groups, and church communities with a message of peace, hope, love, and friendship. The artwork is suspended above the Cathedral's historic Nave and is set to music by composer David Harper. On display now until Sept 4th, no admission charge although donations are welcome.

For more events and further information contact durhamcathedral.co.uk

Thank you once again to Cardinal Hume Students who helped to organise and set up the church hall for our summer fair. Your help is gratefully appreciated.

The Olympic Games- "Unity Among Nations."

If sport can play a role in society today, it is in strengthening the areas of cooperation for peace between nations. In this way sport can give all of us, and especially young people everywhere, hope for a better and more peaceful future.

Goodbye and Good Luck to Kibblesworth Academy year 6 students who had their Leavers Service at the Methodist Church for the very last time. It was a very emotional day for all, we heard some awesome testimonials. Your teachers must be so proud of everyone who took part. We wish you all success for the future in your new schools.