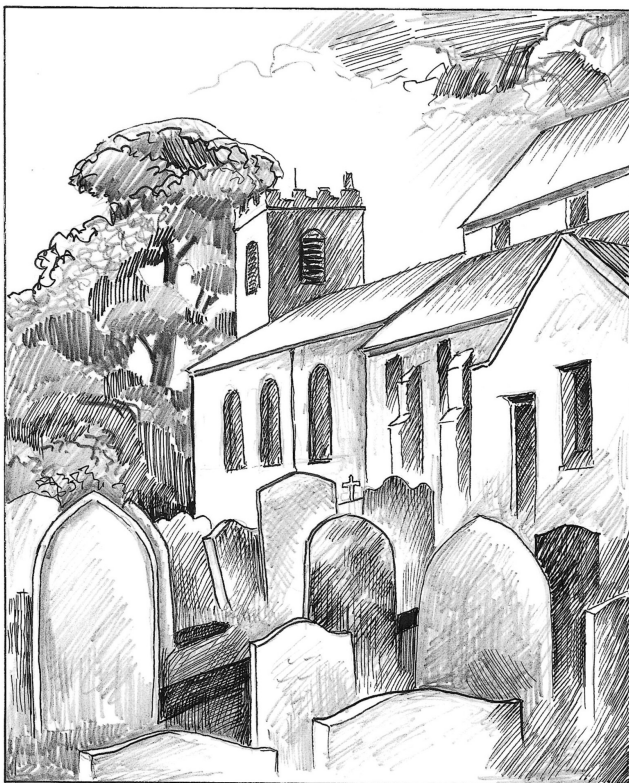


# **December '25 & January '26 Kirkby & Gt. Broughton parish newsletter**



St, Augustine's West View

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# December & January

## St Augustine's Kirkby Services



Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup> December	10.00 am	Holy Communion followed by Carols at the coffee morning in the Church Hall	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Holy Communion Service at Ingleby Greenhow NO SERVICE AT KIRKBY	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 am 7.30 pm	Holy Communion SONLAC	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
24 <sup>th</sup> Dec	4.00 pm 10.30 pm	Crib Service Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
25 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10.00 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup>	Jan	<b>No Thursday service</b>	
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	9.30 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Holy Communion followed by coffee morning in the Church Hall	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
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Sun 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>
Sun 25 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am <b>Note new time</b>	Benefice Service with Joey Chattaway. Holy Communion followed by refreshments in Church Hall. All welcome.	<i>Rev. Dr. Anne Heading</i>

**Enquiries: Rev. Dr. Anne Heading (710045), [anneheading8@gmail.com](mailto:anneheading8@gmail.com)**  
 Kirkby Church Hall is available for hire. Contact Sheila 712321

### From the Registers



22<sup>nd</sup> November Artie Emmerson

20<sup>th</sup> December Thea & Lincoln Rochester



25<sup>th</sup> October John Martin & Sarah Kelly



28<sup>th</sup> October Sylvia Bennett aged 89 years

### Thought for December

Behold a young woman shall conceive and bear a son and shall call his name Emmanuel (which means God with us.)

Isaiah 7:14 and Matthew 1:23

## St Augustine's Notices

### Crib Service

If you know a child who would like to take part in the Crib Service at 4pm on Christmas Eve, please let Anne Heading know. [anneheading8@gmail.com](mailto:anneheading8@gmail.com) or Sophie Joyce 07951680007 [sophiejoyce@gmail.com](mailto:sophiejoyce@gmail.com)

### A Prayer for Epiphany, celebrated on January 6th

Eternal God, when life seems a puzzle and faith can make no sense of it, lead us forward out of darkness into light, out of confusion into certainty, out of the storm into tranquillity. Put our minds at rest and our spirits at peace through Jesus Christ our Lord Amen.

### Christmas Music at St Augustine's - final details

The Erimus Singers, a well-established small choir based at Middlesbrough Town Hall, will give a concert of seasonal music in Church on Wed 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 7pm.

Tickets cost £12 and are available at the door.

The annual Service of Nine Lessons and Carols, with a full choir, will take place on Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 7.30 pm, followed by refreshments in the Church Hall.

Monthly- Thursday 'open house' **Coffee Mornings** . Kirkby Church Hall 10- 11.30am. Dec 4<sup>th</sup> All will be welcome at the church hall. As we approach Christmas there will be an opportunity to open the vocal chords and join in singing carols. Jan 8<sup>th</sup> Please note that the coffee morning will be on the second Thursday this month. A good opportunity to catch up with friends after the Christmas break.

## DIARY FOR December & January

**GBVH = Gt Broughton Village Hall. KCH = Kirkby Church Hall, IGVH = Ingleby Village Hall**

Mon		9.30 – 11.30 U3A KCH
Mon		10 -11 am Yoga. £5 Alex 07919 416359 GBVH
Mon		1.30 – 2.30 Chair Yoga & Exercise Course, KCH Aimee 07774 600440
Tues		10am- 12pm Upholstery (Peter: 07811 773212) KCH
Tues		2.00pm – 4pm Short Mat Bowls in KCH every week Sheila 712321
Tues		5.45pm-6.45pm Ballet Nic 07940933667 GBVH
Tues		6.15 -7.15 Circuit Training KCH Lisa 07769 227734
Tues		7.00pm Lucy Lee Pilates GBVH. Contact on 07552 109006 or 713256.
Tues		7.30pm - 9.30pm Hokuto: Philip Henderson 01542 313979 KCH
Wed		9.20am Zumba £5 Alex 07919 416359 GBVH
Thurs		2.00pm – 4pm Short Mat Bowls in KCH every week Sheila 712321
Thurs		7.00-8.00pm Ballet Nic 0794093367 GBVH
Fri		1pm – 2.30pm. Playgroup, mums+tots, in KCH, Chloe 07961212023
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dec	3,30 School Christmas Fayre All Welcome in school
Thur 4 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	10-11.30 Coffee Kirkby Church Hall
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	12- 2.00 pm GBVH Community Soup Lunch
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	7pm Gt Broughton Parish Council Meeting GBVH
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	6pm KGB Ladies Gr Christmas Party, 3 Hill Yard. Pooled Supper
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	7pm Christmas Music- Erimus Singers in St Augustine's £12
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	7pm KGBIG Local History Christmas Social KCH
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	Sports Club Christmas Party featuring 'Beer Pigs.'
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	3pm (change of date) WI Festive Table Decoration GBVH
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	10.30 Keep Fit Coffee & Mince Pies in Sports Club
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	Dec	11am School Carol service in Church
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	Dec	7.30 Service Of Nine Lessons & Carols in Church
Thur 8 <sup>th</sup>	Jan	10-11.30 Coffee Kirkby Church Hall (NB not 1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday this month)
Tue 20 <sup>th</sup>	Jan	10.30 Coffee Catch-up. Wainstones. Hotel All welcome



To keep in touch with what's happening in school our website address is <http://www.kirkbyandgreatbroughtonschool.co.uk/latest-news/>.

### **Newsflash!**

It's been all go here at Kirkby and Great Broughton Primary School. We have just celebrated interfaith week where we had Kirtida from the Hindu temple in Newcastle and Sohail from the Islamic Diversity Society, it was very interesting, and the children learned a lot about these faiths. One child said "It was very educating, yet exciting and helped us with our RE."

Reception have been celebrating Diwali, the festival of light. They have also made a poppy wreath together and learned about Remembrance Day. For Children in Need, they have enjoyed decorating biscuits!

**Year 1** have been looking at how animals survive, grow and stay healthy. They have been learning about the gunpowder plot and bonfire night too.

**Year 2** have been learning about the first Christmas and the Christmas story – Christmas is soon approaching which is very exciting, they have also been making moving toys in DT.

Year 1 and 2 have had a fantastic time at the Mosque in Newcastle and at the Centre for Life – what a fabulous day out!

**Years 3 & 4** enjoyed a visit from Jo a local dentist who helped them with their learning about teeth. They have looked at the shell of an egg; it is like the enamel of our teeth. They left the eggs in different drinks to see which ones are bad for our teeth. The worst drink was Fanta as the shell peeled off and the Coca Cola was also bad; the shell was all sugary and it turned brown.

**Year 3, 4 & 5** have been on an exciting trip to the Dorman's Museum in Middlesbrough, this tied in with their learning about The Ancient Egyptians and the process of turning into a mummy!

Some children from **Years 5 & 6** have participated in a rugby match which was enjoyed by all.

**Year 6** have been to Carlton Lodge Activity Centre to undertake the Crucial Crew activities such as safety in the home, online safety and water safety to name a few! Did we tell you we are also learning to play the trumpet and looking forward to our Christmas concert!

### **In other school news:**

Many children took part in the Remembrance service in Stokesley, shining brightly in our community, this was followed up by a visit for **Reception & Year 6**, to look at the poppies in Kirkby in the churchyard as well as taking part in special activities in school.

We are looking forward to our younger children who will perform in **Christmas performances** before Christmas and Year 6 will lead a **Christingle service** in school. We are also looking forward to getting our Christmas tree and all the classes will be involved in decorating it. Children will also enjoy a Christmas dinner with Christmassy tablecloths and Christmas crackers – what fun! Our bring to the bake sale raised a whopping £90 for **Christian Aid** many thanks to Mrs Taylor for getting involved with the sale of scrumptious cakes. Once again, we would like to say a big thank you to all the volunteers who have supported us over the past half term, if you would like to volunteer in our school, please get in touch.

If anyone has a working lamp or a standard lamp they are looking to donate or get rid of, please get in touch as we are looking for some in our classrooms to make cosy corners and reduce bright lights.

By Year 5 Team Reporters: J, J, & J (extra help from E.)

### **School Carol Service**

**11am Wednesday**

**December 17<sup>th</sup>**

**in St Augustine's Church**

### **Christmas Fayre**

Please join us in school on

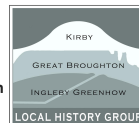
**Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec from 3.30pm**

Happy Christmas

& Happy New Year

to you all from everyone

in the school community.



## Kirby, Great Broughton & Ingleby Greenhow Local History Gr

Our Christmas event this year will be in Kirby Church Hall on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December** entitled '**Christmas in Wonderland**' when Chris Lloyd will give a talk '**Lewis Carroll: Curious and Curiouser**'. Buffet meal to follow after the talk. Tickets £25 per person; contact Arline on 07585089107 or Jackie on 01642 712618. Attendees should arrive at 7:00pm.

On **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January** the History Group will hold our **Annual General Meeting** before a talk by Robin Daniels and Brian Barker entitled; 'Report on the Geophysical Survey of the Deserted **Medieval Village of Little Broughton**' accompanied by a brief history of the old Manor of Little Broughton. Join us at 7:30pm in Great Broughton Village Hall for our AGM and presentation on Little Broughton. Tea/Coffee and biscuits available after the talk. All are welcome. Free for members, £5 for visitors



**Christian Aid** Many thanks to all who have contributed to the Christmas Greetings fundraiser, whether by placing greetings in the joint Christmas Card or donating anonymously. Your generosity towards the poorest people

who really need our help is amazing. The amount raised will be published in Church and on the Broughton Kirkby Facebook page and in due course in the February Newsletter.

Thanks must also go to those who are supporting our Wine and Cheese evening at the end of November. There will be a report on the total raised in the February Newsletter.

### Great Broughton & Kirby Sports Club

**Junior Football, Bridge** continue throughout the winter months.

The last **Keep Fit** session is 9.30 15<sup>th</sup> Dec, restarting Jan 5<sup>th</sup>

The **tennis** section is looking for players (new or old!!) to play in team matches which will start again next year (ladies, gents, mixed, veterans). Practice and coaching available for anyone wanting to get back into tennis. Please contact Susan on [07913 700004](tel:07913700004).



Girls **Wildcats football** training will continue on Friday after school (floodlit!!), Anyone interested please contact [c.edwards90@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:c.edwards90@hotmail.co.uk)

Sports Club **Christmas Party** tickets are now available to purchase. **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December 7pm**, featuring Live music from The Beer Pigs, includes Festive Hotdogs plus mince pie Tickets £16 members, £18.50 non-members.

For tickets email [bkscl@outlook.com](mailto:bkscl@outlook.com) or message Karl on 07711796699.

## Great Broughton Village Hall 'WHAT'S ON' this month:

Mon Dec 8<sup>th</sup> ~ Festive Community Soup Lunch & Tombola ~ 12 Noon - 2pm

Everyone welcome, as GB Village Hall hosts this annual event  
with food home-made by VH Committee & Volunteers.

Meet your neighbours & friends and enjoy their company.

No booking required. Just turn up and enjoy:

A bowl of home-made soup & roll, mince pie, shortbread, tea or coffee.

Donations only: suggested donation £5 per person.

\*All monies raised go to GBVH maintenance\*

## Neighbourhood Watch

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**The police number for non urgent matters - 101**

Local Co-ordinators - Kirkby - David Chadwick 712105

Gt. Broughton - position Vacant

<https://www.northyorkshire.police.uk/contact/af/contact-us/>

<https://www.facebook.com/stokesleypolice>



## Community Speed Watch

Community Speed Watch has been operating in the villages of Kirkby and Great Broughton for one year. Volunteers from each village have set up the speed checks a total of 44 times and in general drivers through the villages are keeping within the speed limit. However a total of 32 vehicles were detected exceeding the speed limit and the vehicle details for each offence were forwarded to North Yorkshire Police for further action.

The speed checks will continue throughout the festive period and all through 2026. Any one interested in supporting the scheme and joining the volunteers, as little or often as you wish, please contact Dave Smith on

[Dave522smith@gmail.com](mailto:Dave522smith@gmail.com).

Safe Driving and Happy Christmas from the Community Speed Watch volunteers.

## Kirkby-in-Cleveland Parish Council

Diary for December 25 and January 26

Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 7pm Kirkby **PC Festive Get-Together**, 7.30pm **PC Meeting** KCH

Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 7.30pm Kirkby Parish Council Meeting KCH

**WI December Meeting.** 3pm GBVH Annual Meeting Festive Table Decoration  
President Liz Perry contact 01642 712731

## Great & Little Broughton Parish Council

Amongst other activities we would like to highlight the following-Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 2025 -putting up of the **Christmas Tree & lights** on the village green - all welcome! The work on **Broughton Beck** has been completed - please take a look along the Holme as we look forward to the planting coming to life in 2026. The **play park** on Kirkby Lane continues to attract locals & visitors and to ensure this continued enjoyment a series of upgrades will be made over the coming weeks. A Merry Christmas from the Parish Council.



## Coffee Catch-Up

The Wainstones have invited this informal group, which is open to all villagers, from 10.30 until 11.30 on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January.

This is a trial to find out if it is still a popular event for locals and for the Wainstones to work out how it fits around their other commitments. So if you have enjoyed attending to chat with friends old and new then this is your opportunity to show you would like it to continue. Thank you Wainstones.

**A & P Bilsdale Catering**, Traditional Buffet Style catering for all occasions. Village Hall weddings our speciality. We can also arrange venue & funeral teas. Freshly prepared using local suppliers & British produce wherever possible. Your local catering business.

A friendly smile & realistic price.

Contact Audrey 01439798964 /07570911368 or Pat 01642 711914

## GBK Oil Club

Wishes all its customers a Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

Next Oil order deadlines:

Jan 5<sup>th</sup> for del mid-end Jan 2026

March 5<sup>th</sup> for del mid -end March

May 5<sup>th</sup> for del mid-end May

Min order: 500 ltrs Contact:

Joe/Gordon Read 01642 711495

Davis Storry's son Richard has sent a long interesting Eulogy for his father David from which I have taken brief notes.

**David Henry Storry** born 12<sup>th</sup> May 1933, in Stockton on Tees.

He was most upset at being born in Stockton and not Yorkshire as this meant he could not play cricket for Yorkshire. He was a tall thin gentleman with a very distinctive laugh. I would like to summarise his life with the 3 'F's!

**Fast cars!** He always liked driving with fast cars, but his style was understated cars, nothing shouty or loud. Trying to be understated & stealthy at 100mph in the outside lane, was always going to be a tough ask!!

**Fast boats!** In 1958 He became Tees rowing club captain, a post he held for 4 years. Sculler Kat Copland who was selected to represent GB at the 2012 London Olympics in the lightweight women's double sculls was supported by David in her early years at the Tees Rowing Club. For recompense Kat invited David to the Dorney Lake, Olympic Event. He subsequently had many fast sailing and motor boats.

**Fine wine!** He developed his own wine knowledge and collection whilst undertaking professional valuations and twice yearly wine auctions. He travelled and bought directly from famous French vineyards and built wine cellars in several homes he owned.

It is safe to say that throughout his life he had many amazing experiences both professionally and socially. A life very well lived.

### **Stokesley Town Hall Coffee Morning**

Raising funds for St Augustine's church

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Please give items for the Tombola to Gill Sockett

01642 712 432

# Seasons Greetings

From the Newsletter Team

1 Technical template wizard

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90 Volunteers happy to serve our local community with  
up to date information – long may it continue.

If you'd like to be involved please respond to:

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## CLAIMING DATES

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Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Feb	7:30pm, KGBIG Local Hist Gr, talk by Dave Dean on 'The Hidden North East' GBVH
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	March	Christian Aid Brains of Broughton Quiz KCH

If you have any claiming dates or any notices for the community for the next newsletter please email - [kgbchurchnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:kgbchurchnewsletter@gmail.com) before 17<sup>th</sup> January. Written requests may also be left with Anne Heading but the deadline is 21<sup>st</sup> January to ensure inclusion.

### **Bin Collection Dates for Kirkby and Gt Broughton**

Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Recycling
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Household Waste
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Recycling

NYCC have not published more collection dates. Green bin collections have now finished. You can find dates for January by checking online at

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/bin-calendar/Hambleton>

### **The Post Office Van**

The PO van now visits on a Tuesday 11:05- 12:05 at The Wainstones Hotel or outside No 29 High St. The post office has cut from two to one day per week as few people use it. If more don't it is likely that we will lose it all together. Please encourage your friends and neighbours to 'use it or lose it'!

Access village information at

**[www.kirkby-in-cleveland.org.uk](http://www.kirkby-in-cleveland.org.uk) & [www.greatbroughton.org.uk](http://www.greatbroughton.org.uk)**

**<https://www.staugustineskic.org.uk/>**

**facebook: St Augustine's Church Kirkby in Cleveland**



CAUTION SLOW down for  
Pedestrians and animals on  
roads

