# Group News



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#### Dear Friends,

Recently I took an American friend, who had popped by to see us for 24 hours, on a ride into the moors. She had frequently read in classic English literature about the moors, but had not a clue as to what a moor was, nor what peat or heather or bracken were! These things had been up to now something her mind had had to make up images for whenever she read of these things. But now she wanted to see them for herself, and so, at the end of August, on a day that could be said to typify English summer weather, i.e. it was a touch foggy and rainy, we headed out into the moors for a ride in the car.

The weather meant that the skies were darkened, an overcast gloom hung over them, and I worried that my friend would get the wrong impression of the moors which I find so inspirational! At first sight, the moors looked more savage than normal, more isolated, wilder somehow, and the heather looked like a dark brown smudge on the hills, as the fields gave over to moorland, rather than the beautiful shades of purple that I know them to be. How could they look so different from the view of the moors in my mind? But once we stopped at an isolated spot up on the roof of the moors, we could stand and just enjoy a fantastic view.

The heather may have looked brown from a distance, but up close the colours began to become clear. Shades of pink and purple and orange began to stand out from the brown, and the fresh green of the bracken complimented them strikingly. The beauty of the moors was there after all, but we weren't ever going to have seen it by simply driving by.

Following this drive, I was led by God to contemplate my life, which this summer appears to have shot by at a great rate of knots. There has been so much happening this summer! First there was a break with the family in Normandy in France, then a week of busy preparations and a wedding, followed by leading the national youth camp which I organise each year down in the West Midlands, which Jade, from our Marton church, along with my Joshua and

Abigail, attended. Then on return from that, involvement in the ecumenical holiday club at Guisborough, a baptism, and a trip with the FAF club to Mini Monsterz in Whitby, for a game of Lasertag. No wonder the summer has gone by so quickly!

Stopping on the moors at that moment, in those few minutes life somehow regained its full colour and I was reminded, in my busyness, of the importance of every day taking time to be with God, so that God can show me, show us, the smallest details of life, the little things of faith that are so important, as we take time to enter into the presence of God and to pray. As we now approach harvest time, perhaps even getting held up on the roads by tractors and combine harvesters, may we use this time to stop, to give thanks, to receive from God what otherwise might pass us by. And as we stop, may we also take time to give our lives back to God in praise and thanks! God is always there for us, ready and waiting even as we strive to complete our housework, our daily work, caring for others etc. God is always there ready to inspire us afresh if we will just stop by the roadside of our journey through life, of our journeys of faith, to spend a moment seeing things in fresh new colour, seeing things as God does! After all, did Jesus praise Mary or Martha?

God bless as you see the colour of life and faith return, as you allow God to illuminate your life in those special moments with God!

Rev Catey Morrison

### F.A.F. Club

<u>F.A.F. Club</u> next meets on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September 6.30-8.30pm at the Lingdale Manse for all young people connected with our churches of roughly secondary school age! (Please ring Catey for information 01287 651926)

# Synod Trayers

This year's Prayer Diary takes as its theme the United Reformed Church's Vision 2020 mission strategy, focusing on each of the 10 statements during the year. For September the theme is 'Global Partnerships'.

1<sup>st</sup> Sept Presbyterian Church of Mozambique; Synod Moderator

Rev Ernesto Langa; Synod Council President Rev José

Tovela Jr

8<sup>th</sup> Sept St Mark's, Amble; Rev Alison Mills

15th Sept Redcar; Lingdale; Guisborough; St Andrew's, Nun-

thorpe & Marton; Rev Catey Morrison

22<sup>nd</sup> Sept St Paul's & St John's, South Shields; St Margaret's,

South Shields; St Andrew's, Hebburn

29<sup>th</sup> Sept Back to Church Sunday

# **Prayers for the IPM Church in Mozambique**

Pray for the ministers of the IPM who are working in parishes and engaged in the active ministry of the Church, together with appointed evangelists and youth workers; and pray too for its retired ministers.

# **Manse Prayers**

Tuesday morning 8.30am prayer meetings have been **temporarily suspended** as this goes to print. Please contact Catey to enquire whether they are currently being held on Tuesday mornings at 31, Oakley Close, Guisborough or elsewhere.

# Prayer Pointers for needs and inspiration across the Group:

Prayers for the week beginning...

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept Pray for children returning to school this week after the long summer holiday. Pray for ministers and schools workers going into schools across the area, for their work in sharing and nurturing an enthusiasm for faith in the children and young people in our region's schools.
- 9<sup>th</sup> Sept Pray for our Lingdale church as this week they hold their first Boys Brigade meetings within the village for boys and girls age 5-11. Pray that this will be met with enthusiasm, following on from the successful launch day in July where 12 helpers signed up, as well as 20 children. Pray that they all still want to be involved and through it grow the faith of the children.
- Pray for all students on the move to universities and colleges across the country, especially praying for young people known to us, as they set out into independent life. Pray for students moving into our area, right across Teesside, especially that young Christians may find a warm welcome in our churches should any come our way.
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept Pray for our Guisborough and Marton churches as they seek to invite friends to come 'Back to Church' this Sunday, taking part in this national initiative.
- 30<sup>th</sup> Sept Pray for all those in our churches who are not well at this time, and those who have family members facing particular crises and struggles. May they all be aware of our ever present God who is there for all.

#### Modern

Being forced to work, and forced to do our best, will breed in you temperance, self-control, diligence, strength of will, content, and a hundred other virtues which the idle never know.

Charles Kingsley English clergyman and novelist (19th Century)

# An invitation to Afternoon Tea

(or coffee or chocolate or juice!)

**6** homemade cake

mith

# The Moderator of General Assembly Revd Dr Michael Jagessar



Stockton United Reformed Church's Café Church.

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October from 2.30pm Queens Park URC Alma Street, Stockton on Tees, TS18 2AP

#### **General Assembly Moderators**



The moderators of General Assembly are the national figureheads for the United Reformed Church both internally and in the wider world; they chair major meetings, visit churches at home and abroad, and seek to provide worship, teaching and pastoral care.

A minister and an elder, serve alongside one another for two years. Currently the Moderators are Revd Dr Michael Jagessar and Mr. John Ellis

Michael was ordained in Guyana, and has studied and served in Jamaica, Grenada, Curacao, Switzerland and the Netherlands. In the 1990s he was inducted to a Local Ecumenical Partnership in Birmingham.

He is the URC's secretary for racial justice and multicultural ministry based in Church House in London. Outside of work he enjoys photography, working with wood, watching films, reading, listening to music, and being led on walks by Lucky – the family's Border terrier! Michael is married to Leonora Visser't Hooft (also a minister of the United Reformed Church) and has two adult children.

### Moderator's Farewell Service Roker URC on 8th August

I was so glad that I went. My only hesitation had been the venue as it is so easy to get lost in Sunderland, which is what happened, but fortunately Ken had allowed plenty of time. There were six of us from the Group and the great affection and regard in which Rowena was held was in evidence as the Church was full. We were welcomed by he Minister, Rev David Whiting. The singing was led by a Singing Group Jubilate and the first hymn 'Great God your love has called us here' was sung to Erik Routley's flowing tune Abingdon.

It was a bittersweet occasion in many ways. The tribute from the former Synod Clerk,

Rev John Durell and the words from the Bishop Frank White on behalf of the other faith leaders made clear the great gap that Rowena will leave. Rowena herself briefly mentioned the 'betrayal of the flawed Review process' (which has left so many of us bewildered) and spoke of the changes she has been able to bring to frui-

#### **Directions to Queen's Park URC**

**FROM A19 coming South:** Leave A19 at the exit for A1046 Stockton. At bottom of slip road Right at the roundabout. This is Portrack Lane (Retail sheds etc) Straight ahead at 1st roundabout.

At second roundabout take 3<sup>rd</sup> exit ... road veers left at Portrack Baptist Church. At traffic light turn right (signed A177 Durham) This is Maritime Road (A1305). At the roundabout turn left. Get into the right hand lane. Through traffic lights, take filter lane RIGHT. At T junction turn right into Alma Street. Queen's Park Church is at the end on the right.

From the A66: Take the exit signed Stockton West and Yarm. Take exit for A135 Stockton. Follow signs for A135 Stockton Centre. At the T junction turn right into Yarm Lane. (St Andrew & St George is on your left) At the Roundabout turn left (signed Billingham, Norton & Hospital). Stay on this road until you pass KFC and Wellington Square Shopping centre on your right. Straight ahead at the traffic lights then first left. At T junction turn right into Alma Street. Queen's Park Church is at the end on the right.

tion while acknowledging the help of so many others in the Synod. She thanked the office staff and is confident that the Synod is in a good place from which to move on.

The address was given by Rev Nigel Goodfellow who holds a senior Hospital Chaplaincy post. Just as we all changed, he said, whenever we go into hospital, because we have had a new experience, so we have been changed by walking alongside Rowena for the past seven years. We are different people because we have known her and worked with her and learned to appreciate her gifts and skills.

The quilt consisting of a panel designed by each of the Synod churches and made for her Induction in 2006 was on display. Towards the end of the Service, this was taken down, and folded up to mark the end of the era with the words: 'Scripture tells us that endings are only new beginnings. Go now and do God's will. As you have been a blessing to us, go to be a blessing to others'

Rowena with her husband, Alan, who is very unwell, leaves to take up a pastorate in Somerset. Everyone I have spoken to has echoed my sentiment, that we will miss her.

Jane Tomlin

Part of a hymn written specially for the service by Rowena's husband:

We meet as a company reaching its parting Sharing the memories our story enshrines Not knowing which seeds are still waiting to flourish, 'Successes' and 'failures' are God's to define.

The threads of our journeys we leave in God's keeping Trusting her weaving to find them a place The tapestry shown at the time of God's choosing Will fill all our promise and show our true face.

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# Redcar

# Redcar Singing Group Wednesday 11am and 12 noon.

We are a group of people who enjoy singing. We work hard learning new worship songs but we like to sing traditional hymns too. We also have a lot of fun learning songs from the musicals and anything

else we think may bring a smile to the residents of a residential care home where we sing on a regular basis.

We are growing in strength (currently we have fourteen members) and we like to think in voice. We recommence meetings this month. New people are always welcome.

#### **Commitment for Life**

Commitment for Life envelopes for Israel and the Occupied Territories will be available on 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> October.

### **Redcar Calendar**

Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> Sep 2.00pm Craft and Chatter

Thu 12<sup>th</sup> Sep 2.00pm Churches Together in Redcar at St.

Peter's Church

Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Sep 3.00pm Wedding of Claire and Antony

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> Sep 11.45am Church Meeting

Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> Sep 10.45am United Service at Newcommen Methodist Church -

Harvest Service with Parade

### Weekly

Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Sep

Wednesday 11.00-12noon Singing Group

Thursday 9.30am Prayers

10.00-11.30am Pop-in Centre

# Guisborough

A god for all seasons

The month of September is the time schools begin again for a new year, and for some young people it means a move into further education at college or university. Life never stays the same, and the next stage is always before us. Holidays for many will be over (though for some, still to come), they become memories of the past, and we each face things to come.

A number of years ago, the people in the church in Guisborough made a decision to work with the residents in the home at Belmont. Many friendships have been formed in spite of the difficulties in the lives of the people who live there, and much has been learned about the problems of growing old living and longer, and dealing with those suffering from Alzheimer's. Many people in our churches are their needs. Training is impor- prayers over the last few weeks. tant and is available, and it is crucial that we learn as much as

we can in our work of helping such people.

The farewell service for our Moderator and Sunderland was a very good service, and a number of people in our partnership attended. For Rowena it is a difficult time, and it was good to be able to say, 'thank-you' for her work and witness over the past seven years.

The seasons move on: Summer we leave behind and creation moves into Autumn, the season of harvest; a reminder about our responsibility to creation alongside that of the whole of humankind. The Creator God is the God of all seasons and behind the whole of life's journeys. May God be with all whose lives are in the process of great change, and may they come to know that God is with through all the changing scenes of life

elderly, so the worship and pas- Dorothy and I wish to thank all toral care we offer does meet or friends for their concern and

Ken Harris

# **Guisborough Calendar**

17<sup>th</sup> Sep 2.30pm Belmont View service at with Rev Ken Harris

7.15pm Church Meeting.

19<sup>th</sup> Sep 7.30pm Group Elders meeting in the Hall

29<sup>th</sup> Sep Harvest and 'Back to Church' Sun-

day.

### Weekly

Thursdays 9.30am – 11.30am Market Day Coffee Morning
Thursdays 11.30am Quiet Time – prayers and re-

flections with Ken, Catey,

Norma and others.

### **Guisborough Choral Society.**

After the remarkable sell-out success of its summer concert 'Midsummer Melodies', Guisborough Choral Society is throwing open its doors and holding an 'Open Rehearsal' next month. Keen to recruit new members and give all local people the chance to sing with this long-established choir, it's inviting anyone who wants to have a go to come to Sunnyfield House in Westgate, Guisborough at 7.30pm on 11<sup>th</sup> September. You'll be sure of a warm welcome, and will be able to join in with a varied selection of choral music. All ages and abilities are invited, and there'll be a chance to chat with current members to find out what's involved in singing with the choir.

At 'Midsummer Melodies' on 22<sup>nd</sup> June at Guisborough's St. Nicholas Church Hall, a standing-room-only audience enthusiastically enjoyed a variety of songs from around the world. A rousing Rodgers and Hammerstein medley closed the concert, before strawberries and cream and a glass of wine made a perfect end to the evening.

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	Vestry	Communion	Door	Flowers
1st Sep	D Moore	D Beattie	J Basham	D Cross
8th Sep	B Ward		D Cross	D Collins
15th Sep	R Tunnicliffe		P Etwell	E Dale
22nd Sep	J Reynolds		M Burrows	B Ward
29th Sep	D Cross		D Beattie	S Verrill

# Lingdale

#### **Harvest**

# **Boys Brigade**

Our Harvest Pie & Pea supper Begins on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Sepwith Quiz will take place on 27<sup>th</sup> tember with Anchors (aged 5 – September from 7.00pm with 8's) at 5.30 – 6.30 and Juniors our Harvest Service taking place (aged 8 – 11) at 7-8. Don't forget on 29<sup>th</sup> September at 5.30pm. Boys Brigade is for girls too!

# Lingdale Calendar

#### **Craft & Conversation**

Every other Wednesday 1.30 - 3.30.

#### **Community Café**

re-opens on 3<sup>rd</sup> September 10.30 – 12 noon.

#### Fun & Faith Club

starts again on  $15^{th}$  September 6.30 - 8.30.

# Weekly

Tuesday 10.00am – 10.30am Prayers for our Community

10.30am – 12noon Community Café

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month5.30pm Family Service followed by a

Youth Meeting at the Manse

#### Flower Rota

#### **Book Club**

1st Sep 8th Sep 15th Sep 22nd Sep	Mrs H Dunstan Mrs P Griffiths Miss S Griffiths Mrs J Coulthard	The next of September will be of teenth Tale
29th Sep	Mr B Dove	icenin Tui

The next meeting will be on 3<sup>rd</sup> September at 7.00pm when we will be discussing *The Thirteenth Tale* by Diane Setterfield.

# A wedding, a funeral and a baptism!

Last month was an unusual month for our church in Lingdale. Three separate services of a special nature took place within a period of just over two weeks. Firstly there was a wedding on August 9th. This was the wedding of Kat and Jonny from Guisborough, who had decided to get married in a United Reformed Church after happening to get to know me first on other business, but then needed a church bigger than our Guisborough church for their wedding, and so ended up coming here to Lingdale. It was a real joy to get to know them and to celebrate with them both, and all their family and friends, as we saw them off on their journey into married life together. After a joy-filled service followed by pictures in the church, the wedding party then proceeded to take over half the road outside the church, as the guests spilled out of the church to see the happy couple be sent off in a cream camper van to the wedding reception. It was a lot of joy-filled commotion for our little village!

However, the following Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, the church was in a more reflective and sombre mood, when long-standing church member and church stalwart, Alan Thompson, made his final journey to the church, following his peaceful passing away 10 days earlier. Alan had, in his day, been church treasurer as well as church elder, and had been up on the roof in younger days inspecting the condition of the building and arranging repairs etc. Alan was also well known for his beautiful singing in church services, as well as singing in the choir in earlier years. Despite the fact that

Alan had required an oxygen tank for the last couple of years of his life in order to support his breathing, he continued to sing in church, a passion that had been recently revived by the purchase of a Karaoke machine. How someone who struggled to walk with a walker without becoming breathless, managed to sing while connected up to an oxygen tank that he used to wheel into church, I will never really know?! But he did, and he did it beautifully! Alan had not managed to make it along to church so frequently in these last few months due to varying health problems, and so it had been a few months since we had heard him sing. His lilting voice had previously mesmerised us with good old Christian hymns often sung in a country and western style. Quite a combination! So before I went on holiday, after we shared communion together at his home, a date was set for Alan to sing again for us - Sunday 4th August, and so I went away on holiday leaving Alan with large print words and music for 'How great thou art' and 'Blessed Assurance' - Alan's choices of course! On Friday evening on the 2<sup>nd</sup> August, the final carer of the day came to Alan's house and found that Alan had fallen asleep in his chair that evening and simply passed peacefully away where he sat. He had received his blessed assurance and was now with God. But for those of us who listen up, we can still hear Alan singing along in a lilting tune, singing of his desire, which has now come true, for a closer walk with God and with his beloved wife Joan.

And then finally, on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August, a service to celebrate a new beginning, as we helped Hannah and Kevin Parkin celebrate the birth of their second son, bringing him before God to be baptised, giving thanks for his life, and the road ahead of them as parents.

Certainly those few weeks have made us think a little more about life, and the need still for those sometimes outside the church to share their lives with us, alongside those who have been with us all their lives.

Rev Catey

### Alan Thompson

a lot of time with, walking for named Jubilee! miles all over the moors and listening to his Granddad's stories.

5 miles to work in the morning good natter. but a long trip home up hill at night! He also worked at Kilton Alan and Joan were also infinally Blackett Hutton foundry along with both his brothers.

slight second to Joan! and Robert topped the Up North Spurs and England.

Alan was born in Lingdale, the Combine. This was a prestigious eldest of his brothers Les and race in which their pigeon was Robert. Alan had very fond the first of 1,376 birds to fly memories of his childhood and back from Beauvais in France. would often reminisce about his That year was a double celebra-Granddad Booth whom he spent tion and the winning pigeon was

When eventually Alan retired from his pigeons he spent many Alan's working life began as a times visiting his friend Barry's young boy working for Watsons pigeon loft. He always took Garage in Saltburn which is great interest in Barry's success probably the most enjoyable job and their friendship continued he had, cleaning and polishing when Alan could no longer walk cars until they were pristine down there. Barry visited Alan along with many other jobs. He daily and kept him up to date cycled there daily. It was an easy with the latest pigeon results and

Pit, Lackenby steel works and volved in numerous activities in the village all of their married life, whether it was organising, running or simply helping out or Most of his spare time was spent participating. Alan had many with the love of his life – his pi- stories to tell of his time with geons, or should say they came a Lingdale football club which The was run from his allotment at Thompson Brothers won many one point. As everyone knows pigeon races and one of their he loved to tell how he played proudest moments was in 1977, football with the great Bobby the year of the Jubilee when he Smith and followed his career at

Alan was also a church elder, played a big part in his life especaretaker and treasurer. A keen cially after Joan's death, it was indoor bowler, dancer, wine- both comfort and company for maker and artist. Whilst Alan him. More recently he sang a was making all kinds of wine, few solos at chapel and he really his family would think nothing looked forward to it. of going off together picking which ever fruit was in season and it would drive Joan mad having bottles and wine demijohns all over the place, one time he'd left a lot of bottles on the kitchen cupboard in Dixon street and they all exploded in the middle of the night scaring them all death! This unfortunately wasn't the only time - it happened once again in Cedarhurst drive when one of the demijohns exploded in the airing cupboard!

An activity that both Alan and Joan shared was their sequence dancing. For many years they have been regulars at the community centre as they waltzed round the hall with their friends. Alan provided all the music and would introduce the dances from a recording of his voice on his tape recorder. I'm sure many of asked to print some lyrics or find a song somewhere among his many tapes, cd's or on his com-

Alan loved art and painting, over the years he went to classes in both Guisborough and Lingdale. This was something else which filled the house with paintings in every corner which also drove Joan mad. He was though a very good watercolour artist, painting local scenes from photographs, horses and even the Queen!

Alan also used to enjoy going shopping every Saturday while he was up and about and was quite able to get around with his shopping trolley until fairly recently, it was his highlight of the week as we all know he loved shopping and browsing.

Whitby was one of his favourite places to visit and he'd spent a lot of time there with Joan. In recent visits he enjoyed having a go in the 2p slot machines with you will have at some time been his grandchildren and he could manage this himself, it gave him a bit of pleasure and a good chuckle. Another of his favourite puter! Alan's love of music spots was Lockwood Beck as he

spent a lot of time up there as a a huge thank you to his carers, youngster. He used to just like we couldn't have asked for being there sitting and trying to nicer, more caring ladies to look make out the fishing boats and after him because not only did the birds.

In the last couple of years for a lot of these trips Alan was in his wheelchair. This time could be quite humorous when as soon as he arrived to his destination he would say 'toilet', his daughters told him he was like the guy from little Briton in the wheelchair, Alan thought this was very funny and would mention it every time he was in the wheelchair

Alan had many friends throughout his life and would always look forward to seeing them and never lost touch. He used to take a good walk to see and catch up with his old mate Ralf whom Alan often talked of and was very proud of. And of course his close friend Gordon whom he thought so much of and felt at ease with and he cherished their friendship...

Alan's family would like to give

they look after him, they listened and talked to him on a personal level and he thought a lot about them all

A big Thank you!

Sue? Where do we start and where would we be without Sue? She is a most wonderful person who cared so much for Alan – she was like a daughter to him and we are so grateful and forever in your debt. Thank you to church members for helping Alan with his computer – we know he kept you busy too and also for all of the lifts too and from Chapel.

This eulogy to Alan could not end without mentioning his love for his family, friends and 'their' families and everyone he knew, he was a worrier, he worried about the world and everyone in it because he cared

Norma Johnson

#### Ancient

We do the works, but God works in us the doing of them Augustine of Hippo (5th Century)

# St Andrew's

### **Ladies Fellowship**

The Ladies' Fellowship will meet on Wednesday 4th September at 7.30pm for a shared supper. We will be discussing the programme for our new session.

Please do come along and join us.

# **Coffee for Charity**

14th July	Rosemary Fund	£13.10
21st July	Rosemary Fund	£14.50
28th July	Zoe's Place	£20.00
4th Aug	Teesside Hospice	£15.00
11th Aug	Riding for Disabled	£10.00
18th Aug	RNLI	£17.00



# St Andrew's Calendar

Thu 19 Sept 7.30pm Group Elder's at Guisborough

Weekly

Wednesday 9.30am Midweek Informal Worship &

Prayers – All welcome

Sunday After Worship Traid Craft Stall (Last Sunday

in month)

Boys Brigade Details available from ministers

and church elders

#### **Knit 'n Natter**

In each issue for the past year or so you have read 4th Wednesday in the month - *Knit 'n Natter*. Maybe it's time to report on what has been achieved. Firstly one regular has learned to knit and has a number of mini-teddies to her credit!! Others have contributed to a number of tabards to Loving Hands Appeal or woollen hats to Missions to Seafarers. Some are knitting hats in readiness for Samaritans Purse Christmas boxes for needy children and a quantity of personal family knitting has also been achieved. It may be we will choose to knit for Shawl Ministry in the future.

What else? A general exchange of tips, contacts and some patterns and wools are shared with several new friends from outside the URC who join us occasionally or on a regular basis. Remember it could include you with or without neighbours or friends!

Dates for the next two Knit 'n Natters will be held on Wednesday from 1.00pm to -3.00pm on 25th September and 30th October.

#### **Advance Notices**

### **Coffee Morning**

This will take place on Thurs. Oct. 10th at 8 Towthorpe 10.30a.m. - Noon. There will be a raffle and bring and buy stall.

Tickets £2.00 available soon.

Proceeds in aid of church funds.

#### **Annual Bazaar**

This takes place on Saturday 16th November 11.30am to 1.30pm. There will be the usual stalls - cake, bric-a-brac, raffle, tombola etc plus teas, coffees and soup.

We will be needing donations and volunteers to help to make this event successful. Please see Sheila, Doreen or Joan Swan if you can help. Thank you. Proceeds are in aid of our church funds.

# **Treachers**

Lingdale 5.30pm K Harris	Redcar 11.00am	Guisbo 9.30am K Harris	Marton 10.00a	
n K Harris	m Communion	n K Harris Communion	10.00am MartonWT Church Meet	1-Sep
C Morrison Parade	R Taylor	L Bustard	C Morrison Parade	8-Sep
C Morrison K Harris	K Harris	B Sandford	C Morrison Communion	15-Sep
K Harris	C Morrison United	B Sandford C Morrison C Morrisor Harvest	K Harris	22-Sep
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