

St Laurence Church

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & FOOD FAIR

Saturday 25th November 12-3pm Appleton Village Hall Come for a delicious light lunch and tea

Stalls-

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Dear Friends,

Towards the end of our family holiday in Normandy this summer, we visited Lyons-la-Forêt, a small village (pop. around 750), listed as "one of the most beautiful in France." Especially noted for the half-timbered facades of its 18th century buildings, Lyons-la-Forêt was for a time the home of artist Paul-Emile Pissarro and of the composer Maurice Ravel. Further back in history (in 1135), King Henry I died there – apparently from food poisoning, after eating too many lampreys. (We just stuck with baguette and fromage for lunch!)

Picturesque as the houses undoubtedly are, the main purpose of our day-trip was actually to visit a particular site in the extensive beech forest by which the village is surrounded – it is called Lyons-la-Forêt for good reason. Our guide Olek, a half-French / half-Polish, London-born "local," with an extensive knowledge of (and passion for) the work of the French Resistance during WWII, met us as arranged and drove us to our destination. Parking at the side of a narrow farm-track, it was not difficult to find the spot where, on 10th June 1944, a Lancaster Bomber from the 49th Squadron crashed into the ground, killing all six crew members on board. One of the dead was Flying Officer Hilary Daniel Clark. Hilary was my wife's grandfather.

We had visited (and prayed and cried at) Hilary's grave in the Bayeux War Cemetery several years before. But being at the actual crash-site this summer brought things home to us in a new way: we could not help but picture the Lancaster's final descent into the trees, not least because four huge craters still bear testimony to where its huge Rolls Royce engines ploughed into the forest floor.

As Remembrance Sunday draws near, may I invite you to join with us in honouring all those who, like Hilary, have made the ultimate sacrifice in the defence of our nation, or in fighting for justice and freedom elsewhere. They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old; age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them*. Our short Remembrance Service at St Laurence Church will begin at 10 am on 12th November; we will then gather for an Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial from 10.45 am.

With my best wishes and prayers,

Revd. Ken

^{*}Robert Laurence Binyon (1869-1943).

Important Dates

Christmas Bazaar: Saturday 25th November, 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm at the Village Hall.

"Appleton's Handmade Christmas": Friday 1st December, 7:30 pm – 10:30 pm at the Village Hall. For enquiries and tickets contact Sara Gibson: stuartandsara@btinternet.com

Charity Concert: Friday 15th December, 7:30 pm at St Laurence Church.

All Age Services

Sunday 5th November 10:00 am - FIRE!

Remembrance Service: Sunday 12th November 10:00 am at the Church and 10.45 am at the War Memorial

Who to call

For Service information, Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals & Church Building enquiries, please contact:

Reverend Ken on 655737 or kencampbell@stlaurencechurchappleton.org

Remember to visit your Church website at: www.stlaurenceappleton.org

"Tea and Chat"

Every Monday in St. Laurence Church **2.30 - 4 pm.**

Need a lift? Ring: Margaret 862958 Pam 863207 Rosemary 864808



St Laurence Church Pastoral Support

We are here to listen and to offer compassionate support.

Please get in touch with: Lesley on 03330 147018 or Lucinda on 01865 864779

if you need someone to talk to if you would like someone to visit you at home if you are unwell or recovering from illness if you have recently lost someone dear to you or if you are just finding life challenging at the moment

Equally, if any of the above applies to a friend or neighbour, please ask their permission and contact us on their behalf.

Women's Breakfasts

First Saturday of every other month with various speakers!

4th November 6th January

8:30 am - 10:00 am

...more dates to follow!

St Laurence Church Contact Jennie Revell for more details: 863611

Appleton Society of Change Ringers



Remembrance Peal:11th November starting at 11.02 (the end of the 2 minutes silence) and will be half-muffled in memory of the fallen.

Polite Notice

It's very important that clear emergency access is always maintained to St Laurence Church. Such access – not least for emergency vehicles – is blocked when cars are parked close to either side of the gates mid-way down Church Lane.

The consequences of this if an emergency arose would be very serious and potentially life-threatening, besides totally invalidating Church insurances.

Thank you for sensible and considerate parking.



Community Café

First Thursday of every month!

2nd November

7th December

At St Laurence Church,

Appleton

10:30am – 11:30am Pop in -All Very Welcome!



Thank you...

So many thanks to you all for your wonderful generosity and compassion for sponsoring me for Dementia and Alzheimer Society, to do my paraglide at lastafter a long delay due to strong thermals and rain etc. I achieved my goal by spending an afternoon zooming around the White Horse above Warminster and enjoying the lovely countryside of Wiltshire.

We raised £20,680 which hopefully will be put towards the intense research being carried out to try to pinpoint the reason and perhaps stepstowards alleviating that so cruel and unkind affliction.

Trish Wagstaff



GARDENING CLUB



Flushed with the success of this year's Appleton Show in September, the Club's Show sub-committee has been at work with the early stages of planning the 2018 event. As a result, I can reveal next year's subjects in the Photography classes, which are to be:

- Close-up
- Early light or shot at dawn
- What are you wearing?
- Good order
- Face to face
- Cyclist(s).

So you now have the best part of 12 months to get snapping in order to be able to compete! And, if you favour the Cookery classes, you may like to know that there will again be an orange marmalade class and one for a fruit-flavoured liqueur. Make them now, to give time for them to mature.

The first lecture of the Club's winter series took place 11th October, when our speaker's title was 'Death in the Garden'. Michael Brown described many of the poisonous plants that we have here in the UK, some of the myths and legends that surround them, and some of the murders in which they have been implicated. It was also a salutary lesson in the value of wearing gardening gloves and other protective clothing when handling garden waste.

November's lecture will be on Wednesday 8th November, when Brian Fisher will talk on 'Edibles in the ornamental garden' at 7.30 pm in Appleton School Hall. Visitors are welcome to the lectures for a £2 charge, but membership for the whole year is only a fiver!

Hon. Secretary Diana Gordon 01865 864536

Evergreen Club

Our November meeting is on Friday 10th at 1.30pm. Quizzes, Number of items in a match box. Raffles. Teas. New members welcomed.

Trish Wagstaff

Appleton School and the World's Biggest Coffee Morning

Last month, Appleton School played host to a Macmillan Coffee Morning, opening its doors to parents, friends and members of the Comminity.

Pupils helped serve coffee and home made cakes, which went down well with the large numbers who came to support this event. Some members of the village Tennis Club enjoyed coming to the school for welcome refreshments after their match!

Over £700 was raised for Macmillan Cancer Support

Amy Carnell, Headteacher of Appleton School said:

'It was a very happy and successful event and lovely to see so many members of the local community at our school. The pupils really enjoyed helping run the morning and raising money for such a good cause

BESSELSLEIGH WOODS

Probably most people in Appleton walk in Besselsleigh Woods, especially now that access to the lock road is so restricted. It is a different sort of walking – country rather than paved road – so in the summer the growth of bracken and bramble, not to mention the invasive Himalayan balsam, tend to encroach on the paths, and in the winter everything gets a bit muddy!

The woods are owned by the Vale of White Horse District Council, but when local authority expenditure became a problem a few years ago the Vale handed over management of the woods to a voluntary group set up for that purpose. So the reason that the paths are still walkable in the summer without your being snared by brambles, and the reason some attempt is made to overcome the mud-onfootpaths problem, is that a small - very small - group of volunteers spend time trying to ensure that the woods remain accessible. But it's hard work, and not many people are doing it. The Besselsleigh Wood Group would love to persuade a few of the people who enjoy the woods to put a little time into maintaining them for the good of everybody. In the summer we hope to get people along on a Thursday evening. In the winter this isn't possible, so we are planning a few hours of weekend winter work.

From 1.30 pm until about 3.30 pm, depending on the light, we are hoping to try to do some work on the paths on two days this winter – Saturday the 11th of November and Sunday the 26th November. And after Christmas we plan to extend the hedging which we have been planting over the years on the eastern boundary of the woods. The dates for this work will be Saturday 13th January and Sunday 28th January.

If you value the woods, and have a couple of

hours to spare, please try to come along. We are not only a small group, but an ageing one, and we need some help to prevent the woods from becoming too wild to be walkable.

John Page is Chairman of the Wood Group – 01865 864808. You can just turn up on the day (at the Besselsleigh entrance to the woods), or give John a ring. We would be delighted to see you or to hear from you.

Charles Moorley

Don't miss out – Working parents of 3 & 4 year olds

Working parents of 3 & 4 year old children may be entitled to 30 hours free childcare per week. This includes those who are self-employed and some parents on zero hours contracts.

To find out if you are eligible visit

https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/.

To join those already benefiting apply by the beginning of December for a January start.

The Family Information Service has information about childcare providers in your area. Visit fisd.oxfordshire.gov.uk

Sue Brown

Children, Education and Families Directorate Oxfordshire County Council

Wheelchair is now available to borrow. Apply Jennie Revell 863611 jennie.revell@gmail.com

APPLETON W.I.

The November meeting will be held on Thursday, 16th November at 7.30pm in the village hall.

The speaker will be Tracey Bowden who will tell us about Chrissie's Owls.

The competition will be something beginning with O.

Visitors are alwayswelcome at any of our meetings.

Our Christmas lunch this year will be on Tuesday, 12th December,at The Chequers at Charney Bassett. We meet at 12 for 12.30. I look forward to seeing you there.

We have booked a 5 day holiday in Llandudno on April, 21st, 2018. Anyone wishing to join us would be very welcome. If you are interested, please phone Ann Biles on 01865 863658. The next pub lunch will be at the Fox at Denchworth on 12th September. Please meet there at 12.00 for 12.30.

Elaine Flint 01865 861838

Save the Date!

Appleton Children's Party

Saturday 16th December

Appleton Village Hall

For all village children between 4 and 11

Look out for ticket application with the school newsletter or in the box in the village shop

APPLETON ST LAURENCE HERITAGE TRUST launches

The Living Advent Calendar: Christmas 2017

Forget the chocolate advent calendars this year, ASLHT is launching the first Living Advent Calendar in Appleton. Every evening from the 1st to the 24th of December, a different home (or village business) will unveil its very own individual advent window. A new house will be added each day, and on Christmas Eve the Church will unveil the final window.

We are looking for volunteers from throughout the village – with one important criteria: your window or display must be visible from the footpath / road. Once we have 24 agreed venues, we will produce a map and diary. The big switch on will probably be at 6pm every evening on weekdays and 5pm on Saturdays and Sundays.

Interested? Think your window would be perfect? Ideas for the design? To volunteer, please either phone Mary Carey on 07812 354496 or email her on marymcarey @btinternet.com

To see examples of advent windows Google 'living advent calendar' or check out http:// bit.ly/2xAxOgV

Hoping we can create something very special in the village!

Mary Carey

Appleton website is now

www.Appleton-eaton.org appletonandeaton@gmail.com

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19,951

21,748

23,878

22.150

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20,511

19,404

19,831

17,788

17,233

19.656

Sunday: 8.30am-12noon

MONTHLY TURNOVER

2015/16

21,435

23,407

24,487

21.479

20.524

20,635

19,981

18,393

17,434

17,916

19.430

18.271

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9am-1pm

May

June

July

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2017/18

20,267

22,795

23,809

20.750

19.963

Get Ready for Christmas and Shop in Appleton

This year you will be able to order all your special Christmas food requirements directly from the shop, ready for the festive season.

Order forms will be available from the shop.

We will be taking orders for:

Fresh and smoked whole sides

Peachcroft Farm free range bronze turkeys and free range geese in various weights

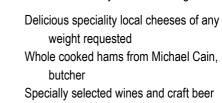


14.742 of salmon from Haymans Fisheries, Oxford and their Osney smokehouse



Remember Remember the Fifth of November!

And visit the shop to buy your sausages, burgers, soup and rolls, ready for Guy Fawkes Night.



weight requested Whole cooked hams from Michael Cain.

You can also order any of the following:

Specially selected wines and craft beer Fresh fruit and vegetables from local suppliers

And for all our loyal Volunteers...

As the festive season approaches, we are looking forward to inviting all shop volunteers to a gathering to celebrate another successful year for the shop and to thank everyone for their continued hard work that makes the whole thing possible. We'll ensure the date is announced well in advance as it would be lovely to see as many volunteers as possible at the event.

Wanted: people to join the bank of those willing to serve behind the till to help out when a regular volunteer is away.

If you don't have much time to commit but would be happy to give help if needed, we'd love to hear from you. Training can be provided.

NB Remember you can use the Post Office to withdraw money using your bank card.

And Finally... Save the Date for your Christmas Diaries

Friday 8th December- Christmas Night Market at the Village Hall

Take a look at the Community Shop home page on the village website at:

Shop Website

www.Appleton-eaton.org

And Follow us on Facebook

www.facebook.com/appletoncommunityshop



Comet Minibus Service

Just a reminder that there is a Comet minibus that runs from the village on Mondays and Wednesdays, available to anyone who wants to use it.

The Monday minibus goes from Appleton to Abingdon leaving the village at 10.10 and the return journey departs from Abingdon at 1pm (prompt). Always confirm the pick-up point with the driver.

The Wednesday service runs from Appleton to Oxford leaving Appleton at 10.10 and returning at 1pm (prompt). Again, always confirm the pick-up point with the driver

Donations

We ask that all users make a contribution towards the service by donating £2.50 per return journey. There is a money box by the Post Office Counter in the village shop.

Thank you for your support

Appleton Village Hall

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Appleton with Eaton Tennis Club



Our new Family Session is on the 1st Sunday of every month and on 5th November we have a free "Monster Smash" Benenden Tennis Festival! Come along to the courts - Tots from 10 - 11am and Years 3-6 from 11 - 12noon - for some great fun. There will be competitions, prizes and Monster Smash Snacks. Parents/ carers are invited to join in too. You don't have to be a member to join in the fun!

Our usual Family Session is from 10-11am

Our usual Family Session is from 10-11am and costs £2.50 per child or £5 for a family of up to 4 members.

Visitors are very welcome to come along to any of our club sessions and if you want to use the courts on your own, you can rent the key from Appleton Village Shop (deposit required). Indoor tennis will start again this month - 1st Wednesday of the month at the Tennis Centre from 8 - 10pm - £6 per person.

Our Christmas Dinner will be on 15th December at The Plough - see the Netcall for more details

If you would like to join the club, see our page on the village website and download the membership forms. We have lots of opportunities for social and match play - adults and juniors - we are a friendly bunch so pop along to any club session and join us!

Our regular club sessions are open to all members (plus potential new members or guests) except where indicated:

Tuesday Club Session 1.30 - 3.30pm

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Tuesday Men's Team Practice 7 - 9pm
Wednesday Cardio Session 9.30 - 10.30
am £6 members, £7 non-members - open to
all

Wednesday Club Session 6 - 9pm at the courts

Wednesday Indoor at the Tennis Centre 8 - 10pm on the 1st Wednesday of the month £6 Thursday from 1.30 - 3.30pm

Friday 9.15 - 11am (Ladies Only)
Saturday 9.30am - 12 noon
1st Sunday of the month 10 - 11am (Family Club Morning)

Members are reminded that play MUST NOT continue beyond 9.30pm at any time of the year and people leaving the court should be quiet and not disturb our neighbours. For more information or to contact the club please email appletonwitheatontennisclub@gmail.com www.facebook.com/
AppletonwithEatonTennisClub/

Meriel Lewis

Appleton with Eaton History Group

Wells



Margaret Hauser



Find out more about holy and ancient wells, including Appleton's own Badswell

Thursday 9th November at 7.30pm in Appleton School Hall

admission £3 wine and nibbles

Everyone welcome!

For more information, contact John Page 01865 864808 or Roger Gilkes rhgilkes@gmail.com



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Solo Ladies

Everyone who is alone is very welcome to join us at our monthly pub lunch. The November luncheon will be at The Plough in Appleton at 12:30 on Tuesday 14 November. The dates for the next two months are:

Tuesday 14 November - The Plough at Appleton-

Friday 15 December - The Eight Bells at Eaton We look forward to seeing you on 14 November at The Plough

Carol (863759, carolbateman59@gmail.com - (new email address)
Barbara (863262,

barbara.kimsey@outlook.com)

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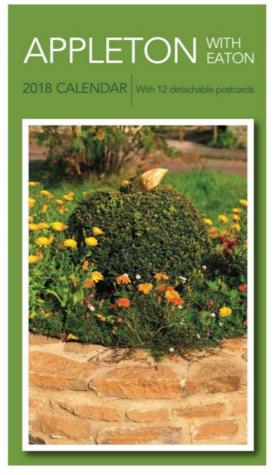
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Please give two weeks notice if you wish to borrow any items. It will then be ready for collection from the Barn on Tuesday and/or Friday mornings up to 11a.m.

C. Harris

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Church Services November 2017

ST LAURENCE, APPLETON

Sunday 5th 8 am Communion Service (BCP)

10 am All Age Service—FIRE!

NO EVENSONG

Sunday 12th 8 am Communion Service (BCP)

Remembrance 10 am Remembrance Service

10.50 am Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial

Sunday 19th 10 am Communion Service (CW)

6 pm Evensong

Saturday 25th 12.30 pm Wedding

Sunday 26th 10 am Communion Service (CW)

Morning Prayer on Thursday mornings at 9.15 am.

Who to call:

For service information, Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, Church Building enquiries please contact Reverend Ken at Appleton Rectory on 655737 or kencampbell@stlaurencechurchappleton.org

Church Website: www.stlaurenceappleton.org

(BCP) Book of Common Prayer (CW) Common Worship

