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Great Ayton & Newton under Roseberry Parishes



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- 3 **Sat** 9.30am Eco Church Meeting at All Saints Church.
- 4 **Sun** **Trinity Sunday** 8am Holy Communion; 9.15am Parish Communion; **11am Holy Communion at Saint Oswald's; 6pm Taize Service in All Saints.**
- 5 **Mon** 2pm Coffee Lounge Communion.
- 6 **Tues** 7.30pm Deanery Synod Meeting.
- 11 **Sun** **St Barnabas the Apostle** 8am Holy Communion; 9.15am Parade Service; 4.30pm Cafe Church in Hall preceded by coffee and cake.
- 16 **Fri** 1.45pm Christ Church Visitors.
- 17 **Sat** 7.30pm Michael & Friends at the Musicals Concert in Church
- 18 **Sun** **Trinity 2** Father's Day (Foodbank Sunday) 8am Holy Communion; 9.15am Parish Communion; **11am All Age Service at St Oswald's; 4pm Choral Evensong.**
- 19 **Mon** 3pm Fry Court Service.
- 21 **Wed** 7.30pm All Saints Committee.
- 22 **Thurs** Archdeacon's Service to swear in all Churchwardens at Stokesley Church at 7pm.
- 25 **Sun** **Trinity 3 Jane's last Sunday** 8am Holy Communion; 9.15am Parish Communion; **11.15am Holy Baptism; 4.30pm Cafe Church in Hall preceded by coffee and cake.**

Regular activities on back page
Items in Magenta all take place at
St Oswald's Church at Newton.

Prayer For The Day
Every Weekday at 8.45am on
Zoom & Facebook Live.
Same link for Sundays too.
Daily Morning Worship ID: 895
1102 4740 **Password: 450872**

Milestones on the Way

This last couple of months have seen me notching up several milestones on the way - something that happens the longer you live.

In May I qualified for my old age pension, so many thanks to those on the door at the GADS production who even asked if I was a concessionary over 60! (Can I just say that it was one of the most enjoyable performances I have seen with two very different one act plays very well done. Good to see many people there the night I went.)



Helen presenting Paul with Gardening Gift Vouchers for £100 to mark his 30 years as Vicar and 40 years as a priest

On the 13th May I formally reached 30 years as the Vicar of Great Ayton and Newton under Roseberry as that was when I was Inducted on the 3rd attempt, due to health issues in the family preventing the first two - me the first time and David the second time. It feels too late as I took my first Service on 24th March, several days before the 2nd attempt at an Induction. Bishop Gordon, suffering from a very bad back, came along on the 13th May for 3rd time lucky to get me legal as they couldn't appoint to St Martin's until I was installed here. We whistled through the Induction Service in 20 minutes with just the bare essentials, as Bishop Gordon couldn't stand for long. Karen never saw that service as she was in Newcastle with David.

Monday 26th June marks the 40th Anniversary of me being ordained a Priest in York Minster. (That's me 40 years ago on the day) Some clergy see the Priesting as the big event, but for me it was the transition to becoming a Reverend the previous year when I was made a Deacon. I had a great time as a Curate, and a very busy one too. In the May of my first year, my first Training Incumbent moved to go to St Anne's in Manchester, so I was left as a Deacon with a Parish that had 60+ weddings and a similar number of Christenings, and double that amount of Funerals at least. My feet hardly touched the ground, but it was great fun and a wonderful experience. Some clergy celebrate such anniversaries with concelebrated Masses and Parties. I



chose last year to go to York Minster for the 8am Service of Holy Communion and sat quietly in the pews in the very area we had robed on both occasions, remembering those I shared those occasions with who never made 40 years - and there were quite a few - and giving thanks for the privilege I have had over these years. If I can get cover for Prayer for the Day this year I will likely do this again.

It's not just me who has anniversaries, though, for Geoff will have been ordained Priest 25 years this June, and Jon 15 years in May, as they moved priestings forward to Trinity Sunday. Pictured are the three of us at Jon's Deaconing , along with Bishop Matthias from Ho in Ghana.



Ministry 40 years ago was very different to many parishes today as you were the natural port of call for people in your Parish to mark the life events of baptisms, weddings and funerals. Over the years with the introduction of weddings at venues and Civil Celebrants for funerals, this has changed in many parishes, with a subsequent decrease in these services. At Christ Church and Saint Oswald's we have bucked the trend and people in our communities still look to the Church at such times. To welcome little children into the family of God, to share the joy of weddings, as in Cana of Galilee, and to come to the aid of widows and orphans in their distress, is a Biblical calling and privilege. If the local Church chooses to do such things well and with a welcome it can have a very positive effect on the community. Turn people away, and you bake the ground hard so the seed of God won't enter.

Over the last 40 years Churches have really opened up to be more welcoming, accepting and lively, but society has also moved considerably too, so we are always playing catchup. At least today all the people in Church in Sundays have chosen to be there. They haven't come because they are afraid of what people will say if they don't, and unlike 40 years ago, there many other things to do on Sundays.

If we want to be successful in bringing and keeping people in our Church communities as we Live Christ's Story, then to me the key has always been Relationships. It's the friendship, care and concern that we all offer to one another that makes the difference. When I think back as to who made the difference for me, it wasn't the clergy but the ordinary folk in Church who loved me and encouraged me. We can and should all do that as we Live Christ's Story.

Paul

CORONATION MEMORIES



Did you enjoy the Coronation? The British certainly know how to put on a show with great pomp and ceremony and in just 7 months did so twice with the Queen's funeral & the King's Coronation.

The Procession to and from the Abbey went so smoothly, and the service inside was extremely moving.

We even noticed that Graham Usher, a former Curate of Nunthorpe was one of Queen Camilla's assisting Bishops.

On the Sunday, we celebrated in a beautifully decorated Church with a special service with our own King and Queen for the day.

At the end of the service we invited Peter Titchmarsh to cut the cake and make the Loyal Toast, as he had been due to meet the Queen on Maundy Thursday 2020 in Westminster Abbey , but it was cancelled due to Covid, and his Maundy Money came by post instead.

The Parish Staff decided to wear the colours red, white and blue for the day. No liturgical significance whatsoever! A good Day



Thank You and Good Luck to Jane



It's amazing how quickly the last 3 years have gone by. Jane joined us as our Curate in the midst of Lockdowns and restrictions with only 6 people allowed to support her at her Ordination as a Deacon in York Minster.

We managed a few more the following year when she was Priested at Christ Church in a very atmospheric service when the heavens sang their praises too.

Jane's warmth, faith and good humour has endeared her to many as she has learnt many new things with us. As well as worship, leading groups, taking baptisms, weddings and funerals and keeping all the right records, Jane also had to master many new IT skills of streaming services online. Here she is pictured ready for a Funeral where as well as taking the service, she was playing the music by bluetooth, doing a slideshow in PowerPoint, streaming the service in Zoom and also recording it - all whilst balancing a baby on her head! Talk about multi tasking!!

We will say our farewells to Jane at the 9.15am Service on 25th June. If you wish to contribute to a leaving gift, hand a donation to Ken or the Churchwardens, or you can also pay direct into the Church account Great Ayton Parochial Church Council Sort code: 09-01-55 Account No: 37616705 with Jane's Gift as a reference.

Jane's Induction Service to Kirkleatham Parish will take place on Sunday 16th July at 3pm. There will be a list to sign at the back of Church of those going, to help them plan. Our love and prayers go with you, Jane.

Thy Kingdom Come

Once again we took part in the worldwide initiative of Thy Kingdom Come, praying each day between Ascension Day to Pentecost for God's Kingdom to become a reality in the lives of people we know.



Each day began with Prayer for the



Day live from All Saints. At Midday there was a chance for music and reflection in our ancient Church, and people were invited to tie Prayer

Ribbons on Suggets Railings, or join in a Prayer walk around the village..

Thanks to Geoff for organising and to all who helped.



Refreshments Bring cash!

Tickets £5
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Michael & Friends

At The Musicals

Saturday 17th June, 2023 7pm

Christ Church, Great Ayton

Fundraising for Michael to take part in the National Youth Music Theatre production of Kiss Me, Kate

Cakes Raffle

Photo with Photoedit.com

Looking Back with Malcolm Race

From the Darlington & Stockton Times, 1942

Off Parade. Drills, fatigues, guards and all the arduous routine of the Services was temporarily forgotten in the merry atmosphere of one of the most successful parties ever held at Great Ayton.



Promoted and organised by Mrs Ridsdale and Miss Mabel Tweddell, the event was held in the Parochial Hall. Although the sombre khaki of the Army predominated, it was relieved by the touch of the blue worn by a representative of the Navy, Mr Bob Comforth and by the lighter shade of blue of the Royal Air Force men.

How those boys entered into the spirit of the party. They waltzed and tangoed, Palais glided and fox-trotted, hunted the fox with the ardour of Jorrocks, they marched up hill and down dale with a legendary Duke of York, they chose their loves from the East and from the West from among the galaxy of pretty girls who partnered them and who coyly but not very strenuously resisted their efforts to bestow a chaste if boisterous salute.

Sgt Rose, as MC, kept his men up to the scratch in their social duties with the same efficiency as they perform their sterner duties. The active participation in dancing and games demanded breath-regaining interludes and these were utilised by local artists, including Gunner Block with his ukulele, Mr G Tweddell who dexterously manipulated the bones and the members of Mr T Whitebread's party.

Supper was served for upwards of 300 guests and a large Christmas cake, baked by Mrs W Featherstone was distributed among them. Lemonade and cigarettes were provided. Mr G Smith, his wife and Miss Edna Briggs provided music for the dancing.

They don't write them like this anymore - M.R.

PCC JOTTINGS

PCC Secretary Christ Church PCC welcomed Celia Wilson to take over the role as PCC Secretary. Celia was formerly head teacher at Marwood School and then also jointly with Kirkby and Great Broughton School, before moving to be an Advisor with the Diocese. Now part time, she has kindly offered to support Christ Church as PCC Secretary, where she attends with her husband Iain.



Safeguarding The Diocese is undertaking a Safeguarding Audit of all Parishes below Level 3. Mary Mason, our Safeguarding Officer and Church Terrier is encouraging all to do their training, as well as the PCC passing all the necessary Policies, Action Plans and Risk Assessments. We are a whisker away. Saint Oswald's have gained Level 3 already as they don't have any extra activities associated with the Church outside of worship.

Church Officers As well as welcoming Celia as PCC Secretary, we also welcomed back Robin as Vice Chairman and Ken Taylor as Hon. Treasurer. Mary Mason was also confirmed in role as Safeguarding Officer for a further year - at least!

Living Christ's Story Whilst we are all in some part already living Christ's Story, we are looking for ways to engage more with the younger folk and to co-ordinate better between baptisms, Little Fishes, Sunday School, Confirmation Class, Cafe Church etc., and also to encourage the children in bell ringing, serving and choir. Andrew Prunty kindly offered to arrange a get-together for those confirmed last year for their first anniversary. A Meeting of the LCS Group has been organised on Wednesday 5th July at 7.30pm.

The Eco Service at All Saints has moved to 4pm on Sunday 3rd September as it clashed with Jane's Induction at Kirkleatham. Geoff also reported on the visit to St Oswald's and all that is happening in the Deanery.

Christ Church The floor beneath the very back pew has been fixed, the cellar window frame has been replaced, and the front door of the Church has been draft proofed.

Eucharistic Minister The PCC agreed that permission be sought to add Celia to the team of Eucharistic Ministers.

Treasurer The Meeting ended with us wishing Ken Taylor a very happy 80th Birthday at the weekend and presenting him with a card and a wee dram.

A Green Church

Saint Oswald's church is 900 years old. Within the grounds there is evidence of Christian worship since the Anglo Saxon period, however the main body of the church is Norman with later additions of the Chancel in the mid nineteenth century and the Temple Moore Tower and vestry which were added at the beginning of 1900. The Lych Gate was added in the 1930's by the family of Margaret Carney , in memory of her being the first lady churchwarden in the country.



The church grounds are ecologically managed to support and enhance opportunities for the natural world. Grass cutting takes place about 12 times a year by our contracted gardener. Areas of grass are mown, but there are areas of the grounds that are left to increase the variety and spread of flora and fauna. The grass cutting programme is carried out following regular consultations with the church eco team.

There are several trees of different ages within the grounds, the oldest being three large horse chestnuts, in addition there is a large sycamore, yew, ash, a row of prunus, a weeping pear and flowering cherry. Also along the main entrance path on both sides is a collection of golden yew. The boundary hedge also contains five species of tree including hawthorn, hazel and holly.

Additional trees were planted to mark the Platinum Jubilee of The Queen, these were three rowan, three silver birch and three hazel. This planting took place on Bluebell Sunday 2022 involving the congregation and our Archdeacon. This year on Bluebell Sunday, following the service the congregation scattered wild flower seeds on our newly designed wild flower bank to attract insects, particularly bees.



During the last three years ten bird boxes have been built and installed using reclaimed timber, as well as four bat boxes. We also have three brash piles (large collections of sticks) that have been introduced to attract invertebrates and small mammals (bank voles and field mice). Adjacent to the south wall of the church there is a bug hotel which was introduced this year, again from locally sourced materials.

There are seating areas within the grounds, there is double sandstone seating under the canopy of the Lych Gate, often used by passing hikers, as well as a wooden bench seat, facing south, next to the Anglo Saxon stone coffin.



The overall management of the churchyard is undertaken by myself, with support from members of the PCC. and the congregation. As the village has no schools within it, we are planning to invite local schools to visit the church and grounds as part of their environmental studies. In addition an interpretation board is being considered to share information for visitors to our church grounds.

The church is a member of the Stokesley Deanery environmental group along with other local churches. We usually meet on-line however we have met together in-person, including one recent session that took place at St. Oswald's to share and develop ideas for enhancing the natural environment within our church grounds.

John Stinson



The Angrove Singers Summer Concert

Christ Church Great Ayton TS9 6AA

The Angrove Singers invite you to their Summer Concert

Music from the Movies



Our programme includes favourites from The Lion King, Lord of the Rings, The Greatest Showman, Breakfast at Tiffany's, Rent and many more.

Sunday 2nd July, at 3pm, in Christ Church

With musical director Jeremy Harbottle and accompanist Jenny Hesford.

Tickets are £10 adults and £5 under 18s and students, from Thompson's Hardware, The Discovery Centre, choir members, or tel Barbara on 01642 941732, or you can pay on the door.

Please join us in Christ Church Hall after the concert for free tea, coffee and cakes.

Deanery News

We are delighted to hear that the Rev'd Laura Wild, Curate of Nunthorpe, has been appointed as Vicar of the Brookfield, Hilton, Hemlington and Stainton Group of Parishes. Our prayers go with Laura and the Parishes for the challenge ahead. Just 10 years ago there were two and a half vicars in that patch, so it's important that expectations meet a new reality.



Come along and experience the peace of Taize style worship in All Saints Church, Low Green

On Sunday 4th June at 6pm

Linda King has kindly volunteered to lead the music & singing.

MAY 2023 Winners

£20	25 Anne Stewart
£20	38 Karen Peverell
£20	78 Cath Thomas
£10	5 Jancie Brown
£10	30 Linda Zellweger

CHURCH HALL 200 Club

If you would like to join the Church Hall 200 Club, and maybe become a lucky winner as well as helping raise funds for improvements and equipment, its only £24 a year.
Contact either Julie Bourke juliebourke@hotmail.com or Karen Peverell karen.peverell@btinternet.com to subscribe.

A Community Event

Some 70 years ago there was an annual village event in Great Ayton - Fete and Sports day. A fancy dress parade assembled on the Low Green and after the 67 bus had gone down the high Street the parade set off to "Fry's Field"



Fry's field is now where Fry Court is and the village Community met to have an afternoon of sporting events – three legged, sack races and others featured like the slow bicycle race. All of this was organised by the Village Postman Mr Maurice Stockdale and a Mr Jim Hunter who worked in the Chemist shop. Sir John Fry presented the prizes and a good time was had by all.

Over the years the annual fete continued and celebrated jubilees and the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. The memorable event of this occasion was the procurement of a horse drawn milk float which was converted into a representation of the Coronation Coach with tinsel, gold paint and much use of red white and blue bunting. A "Queen" – Susan Whitworth, was chosen and the ensemble complete with booted foot soldiers paraded around the village. The coach was even "exported" to Guisborough to be part of their coronation celebrations.



Under the local Government act of 1972 the village went into high dudgeon when the government of the day decided Great Ayton should be in Cleveland County. A massive protest erupted with a committee led by Cllr. June Imeson. A visit to London, letters to the Times and an enormous procession of vehicles leaving the village for the County Town of Northallerton. The protest ended in success - Great Ayton is still in North Yorkshire thanks to hundreds of the community making their presence known.

In 1977 the Silver Jubilee of her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was celebrated in great style. Committees' were convened, events planned and the village fete organised over the Jubilee weekend. The souvenir programme records no less than 32 organisations were involved, directed by a general committee of 13.. Significant events included liberation of pigeons on Low Green, bonfires on Easby Moor by the Captain Cook Monument and the fancy dress parade. The number of businesses

who made a contribution to the celebration fills two pages of the programme. The village Community of Great Ayton really stood up to the plate!

The village fete morphed into a bi annual event. Floats were assembled in the barns of Farmers Lesley Martin, Charlie Phalp and others. Farm trailers became old Mother Hubbard's shoe, oil rigs, James Cook's Endeavour and memorably the Royal Yacht Britannia. The royal yacht was in fact not a farm trailer but one of the enormous steel carrying wagons of the village's Stevens Haulage business Fancy dress was sewn up by many mums in the village, Fathers wielded hammers and paint brushes. The result was a truly magnificent community effort.



On the day of the Village Fete, Low Green hosted the Conservative Club children's sports. Tables for the many village charities to hold fund raising tombolas and the like were set out on High Green. A band stand was erected and Peter Greenwell set up the loud speakers. The Parish Council set out to welcome the local Member of Parliament to open the Fete. On one occasion William Hague and his friend Seb Coe flew into the village in a helicopter. It landed in the grounds of Cleveland Lodge guided in, like they do at Heathrow, by two Parish Councillors waving Royal Oak Hotel menu cards

On Low Green the Parade was assembled – not a mean feat, as floats, bandmen, uniformed organisations and fancy dress competitors waited for the service bus to exit the High Street on its way to Stokesley. A Parish Councillor stepped out onto the stone bridge to stop the traffic, Ray Pinder – parade master for many years, takes a deep breath and “PARADE By the right, quick march” rings out, followed by three thumps of the pace drum – What a moment!



The brass band, flags of the British Legion, Union Jack and the village Banner are followed by the floats, the occasional steam engine “Village Queen” and uniformed organisations, Scouts and Guides. Half the village seems to be on parade with the other half watching and cheering from the High Street pavement. Welcomed onto the High Green by Mike Mutter and latterly by Rev Paul Peverell, floats and fancy dress are judged. For many years William Hague MP for Richmond formally opened the fete and the village community celebrated the occasion, buying tombola tickets, ice creams and delicious homemade cakes from the WI stall

It didn't always go to plan. The parade was once gridlocked on Low Green by an unfortunately parked car. The parade was once misled the wrong way onto the High Green. William Hague's helicopter landed in the wrong place- the land owner had unbeknown to the Parish Council had constructed a helipad complete with wind sock on an adjacent field.

All good things come to an end. Elf and safety declared the High Street had to be closed – at cost of thousands of pounds to the Parish Council, It is apparently illegal to stop traffic on the County roads without permission. Persons riding on open trailers had to have a fence to stop them falling off. Red diesel was banned for use on the highway by farm tractors needed to pull the floats.



Notwithstanding the various upsets the Great Ayton bi annual Village Fete with a marching band, fancy dress, floats and uniformed organisations was a **real Community Event** involving nearly everyone in the village.



Never the less the village likes an occasion and the Coronation of Charles III provided an excuse to have a picnic on High Green attended by hundreds of folks who ate drank and listened to the music of *Crash Bang Wallop* on the stage. A Great Ayton 2023 Community Event.....

John Fletcher

EXHIBITION



of Paintings and Sculpture

by Local Artists

Pam Scott, Anthony Cox, Jim Miller, Paul Brown,
and Susan Thomas.
will be held in

Great Ayton Village Hall (Nr Suggits)
High Street
Great Ayton,
North Yorkshire TS9 6NF
on
Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th June
10am onwards

Antiques Valuations
Monday 12th June,
10am-1pm

Christ Church Hall,
Great Ayton

Elstob Auctioneers hold a free Valuation Event at Christ Church Hall, Guisborough Road, Great Ayton, TS9 6AA. At this event, our specialists will be on hand to talk about your antiques, jewellery and fine art and give you a free auction estimate for items you'd like to sell.

Appointments not necessary

CHORAL EVENSONG

Join us on Sunday 18th June at 4pm in Christ Church



Christ Church Choir & Friends will lead us in worship in a Service of Choral Evensong. If you enjoy beautiful music, well sung, why not join us. Jane will sing the Office of Evensong & Paul will preach.

From the Registers

Holy Baptism

7 May	Oliver Harry Adam Robertson
7 May	Tilley Sue Mitchell
21 May	James Harrison McMahon

Funerals & Memorial Services

12 May	Elsa Smith
18 May	Peter Fletcher
24 May	Colin Johnson
31 May	Lester Hodgson

Services in Magenta took place at Saint Oswald's, Newton under Roseberry.

A Time to Move

I don't think this is a verse from Ecclesiastes 3, but it's true nonetheless. This month Karen and I will be moving out of the Vicarage, which has been our wonderful family home for 30 years, and moving to our own home 12 Rookwood Road, Nunthorpe, Middlesbrough TS9 0BN. We are not retiring as yet, but this is a step towards it as the right home came up for our family needs, so last year at the tender age of 65 I became a first time buyer!

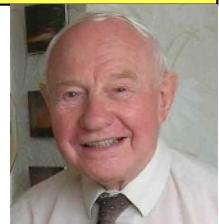
We can't take our telephone number with us, and to be honest the landline rings less and less, and usually with someone telling me my computer is playing up. More people ring my mobile, text or email me, so we have decided not to get a landline when we move. My mobile number is on the back of Spire and on the Church website, but I don't answer when visiting or taking services, so please leave a message, or if not urgent, either email revpev@btinternet.com or leave a message with Mandy in the Office 01642 722665 gapol1876@outlook.com.

Leaving a home with so many happy memories will be hard, but it was going to happen sooner or later. At least we are not saying goodbye to all our friends at the same time. You will still see us around for a while to come. I haven't decided a retirement date yet, but have promised couples getting married August 2024 that I will still be the Vicar - God willing. **Paul & Karen**

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A Church Near You	www.acny.org.uk

Malcolm's Musings

Obituaries can have their lighter moments. When Lady Baker, wife of a field marshal and keen sportswoman died some years ago, it was recalled that dinner parties at the Bakers' would sometimes conclude with the hostess firing her air rifle at a target at the end of the corridor in their London flat, with her back to the target and taking aim through a mirror - and scoring a bulls-eye over her shoulder.



When her husband was chief of staff in Cyprus during the Emergency, he was sometimes threatened but she never was - possibly because she carried a small pistol in her handbag - and knew how to use it.

A couple and their three-year-old daughter were taking a country break and visited the local church on the Sunday. There was no organ music or flowers because it was Lent. The daughter in a shrill voice, asked: "Why is the organ not playing?" Daddy whispered: "Because it's Lent." Came back the small voice: "who to?"

Sign on a church door: "This is the House of God. This is the Gate of Heaven. (This door is locked during the school holidays.)"

A court report: "The accused could not provide his driving license because it had been put in a washing machine. The clerk said it was clean."

Report of a council meeting in Wales: "The chief technical officer has carried out a survey to see what life is left in the burial grounds in the district."

Sign on the back of a large van carrying farm eggs: "In case of fire, frying pan is under the driver's seat."

War time headline: "General MacArthur flies back to front."

Malcolm Race

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The Parishes of Great Ayton with Easby and Newton under Roseberry

Services

Christ Church, Great Ayton

Sunday	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.15am	Parish Communion Live on Zoom & Facebook.
	4.30pm	Cafe Church (2nd & 4th Sundays of month)
Tuesday	9.45am	Little Fishes Toddler Service (School Term time only)
Wednesday	10.00am	Holy Communion Book of Common Prayer - every week

At Saint Oswald's, Newton under Roseberry

Sunday 11.00am Holy Communion on 1st & 5th Sundays of the month
All Age Service on 3rd Sunday of the month
(No Service on 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month)
Contact the Vicar for Baptisms & Weddings

Baptisms, Bans and Weddings can be arranged
by emailing the Vicar, Paul Peverell at revpev@btinternet.com

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