

**Brocklesby Park Group with Croxton and Ulceby
Church Services for December 2016**

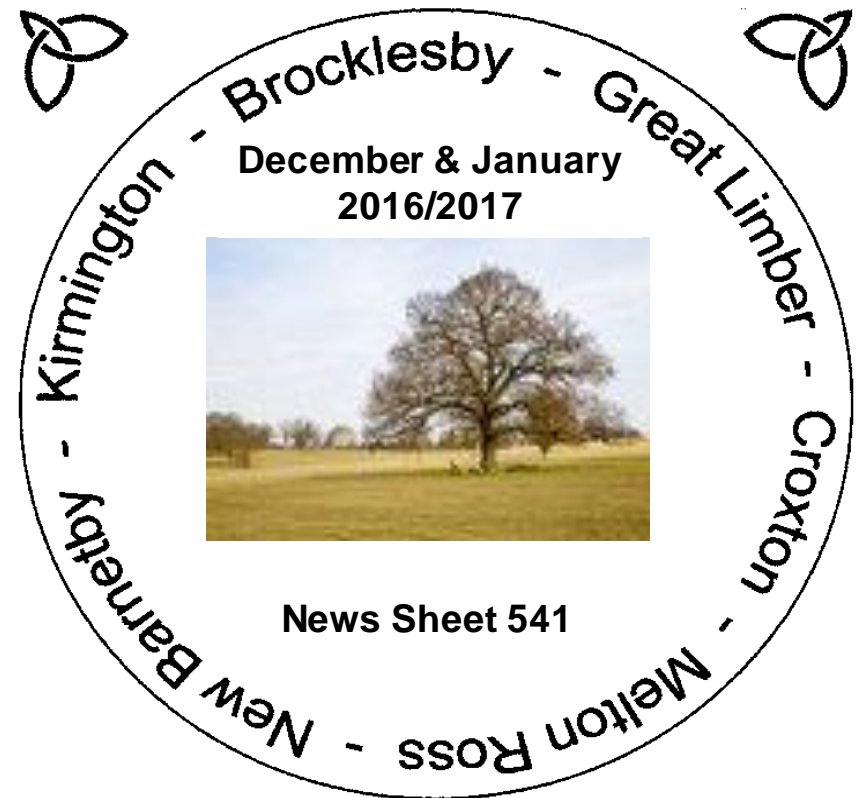
4 th Dec	Limber Ulceby	9:30 10:45	Holy Communion Holy Communion
8 th Dec	Kirmington	18:00	School Carol Service
11 th Dec	Croxton Ulceby Ulceby	9:30 10:45 15:30	Holy Communion (BCP) Service of the Word Christingle
16 th Dec	Kirmington	9:15	School Christingle
18 th Dec	Kirmington Ulceby Ulceby	9:30 10:45 15:00	Holy Communion Service of the Word Carol Service
20 th Dec	Kirmington	10:30 11:00	Coffee Break Praise Coffee
21 st Dec	Limber Brocklesby	18:00 19:00	Christingle Carol Service
24 th Dec	Kirmington	16:00	Carol Service
25 th Dec	Melton Ross Ulceby	9:30 10:45	Holy Communion Holy Communion

January 2017 services inside

Kirmington and Croxton Council website

<http://www.kirmington-croxton-parishcouncil.org.uk>

Any copy for the newsletter should be put through the letterbox of Glennys Isham, 25 St Helen's Cottages, Limber Road, Kirmington by 17th of the month. Thank you



**Coffee Break Praise
St Helena's Church Kirmington
Tuesday 20th December, 2016 10:30 am
Tuesday 24th January 2017 10:30 am**

**Come along for this short service followed by
Coffee, cakes and time to chat**

**Everyone welcome
If lifts needed please ring Nicky on 01652 688079**

Parish Website

<http://lincolnchurchweb.org.uk/brocklesby>

Great Limber Village Hall

Fashion Show

What a wonderful evening. With your support we raised £1324-00 for McMillan/St Andrews Palliative Care Team.

A big thank you to The Style Lounge, The Perfume Shop and to everyone who donated raffle prizes and came on the night.

The Christmas Party

Sunday December 18th 4.30pm. Traditional games – musical chairs, pass the parcel etc.

Please bring a plate of food to share. Father Christmas will be arriving at about 6.15pm.

Everybody welcome.

A December Calendar

21st December – St Thomas's Day

This day, being the shortest and the turning point of the year, has been an important festival since time immemorial. The festivities were linked to the fertility of the soil and the longed –for return of the sun.

14th – 28th December – Halcyon Days.

Birthstone: Turquoise or Lapis Lazuli

Flower: Narcissus or Holly

25th December is the fourth of the traditional quarter days, and was a focus for winter solstice celebrations before it was fixed as Christmas Day.

St Peter's Church Great Limber

There will be a CHRISTINGLE SERVICE in St Peter's Church, Limber on 21st DECEMBER at 6pm.

A beautiful service for the young and the young at heart. Followed by refreshments. We look forward to seeing you there.

Kirmington Church 100 Club

Sep 2016

1 st prize	R&J Brumby	£12
2 nd Prize	A Hackford	£10
3 rd prize	G Czartowski	£8
4 th prize	A Cassidy	£4
5 th prize	M Dawson	£4

Oct 2016

1 st prize	R Metcalf	£12
2 nd Prize	M Willis	£10
3 rd prize	N L'Angellier	£8
4 th prize	R&A Hannigan	£4
5 th prize	K Collen	£4

Nov 2016

1 st prize	J Smith	£12
2 nd Prize	S Holmes	£10
3 rd prize	A Bruford	£8
4 th prize	J Jackson	£4
5 th prize	A Hackford	£4

St Helena's Church Kirmington

60's Night

The 60's Night was a great success. The supper was pie and peas followed by apple crumble which all enjoyed.

November 11th

It was good to see so many local people and the schoolchildren participating in the act of remembrance on Armistice Day led by Mary Vickers. So many more people this year to lay wreaths. The school provided refreshments afterwards.

Dates for your diary

December 15th 6.30pm Switch on of Tower Flood Lights and Christmas Tree Lights and sing carols round the tree. Afterwards come for a drink at the Marrowbone and Cleaver.

Coffee Break Praise Will be 20th December at 10.30am. after a short act of worship there will be coffee, mince pies etc. please come along. Children will be welcome as it is holiday time.

Coffee Break Praise will be January 24th 2017.

Carol Service 24th December 4pm. This will hopefully involve local people and children. There will be refreshments after the service and the Christmas raffle will be drawn. Julie will be looking for children to take part and I will be asking for readers.

Warning! Carol singers will be out on Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th December. If you would like to join the carol singers, meet at the post box at 6.30pm.

These events are for you so please support them.

Items suitable for Christmas hampers and other raffle prizes will be very gratefully received. Please bring to 15 East End or give to anyone with church connections.

As the year draws to a close once again many thanks to all the volunteers who keep the Church going..... event's organisers, gardeners, cleaners, V.C.C. and P.C.C. members and anyone involved in getting this News Letter to your door.

Parish Council

The web site for the Parish council is;

www.kirmington-croxtonparishcouncil.org.uk

CROXTON St John the Evangelist

On Sunday 11th December there will be the usual service of Holy Communion BCP at 9.30am. this will be the third Sunday of Advent. All welcome. This will be the last service of 2016 as there is no service on Christmas Day. The Christmas day service of Holy Communion will be at Melton Ross at 9.30am.

Special Occasion

On Sunday 6th November Arabella Jean Allison was baptised by Canon Ian Robinson at St John's. Arabella is the daughter of Christopher and Vanessa and special sister of Eleanor and Camilla. Eleanor, aged 6 years, welcomed everyone to her sister's Christening. It was a joy to see the children stand at the front to sing "Sing Hosanna". They stood round the font where Canon Ian joined them with the baptism. He told them that members of the Church have an invisible cross on their foreheads. Arabella was good as gold. Arabella's mother, sister's and Grandfather (the late David Pickering), were all baptised at Croxton.

The first service of 2017 will be on Sunday 8th January at 9.30am.

"God is working His purpose out
As year succeeds to year,
God is working His purpose out
And the time is drawing near;
Nearer and nearer draws the time,
The time that shall surely surely be,
When the Earth shall be filled
With the Glory of God as the
Waters cover the sea".

A.C. Ainger



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Come and have a bit of fun and a chat over a cuppa. A game of dominoes or whist, join in with a game of bingo, or a go on the name card, or raffle.

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Albert and his family would like to thank all the people who have sent their condolences.

We know lots of people, over the years, made Christeen's life a little brighter and happier – may she be remembered with fondness not sadness

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	Ulceby	10:45	Service of the word
24 th Jan	Kirmington	10:30	Coffee Break Praise
		11:00	Coffee
29 th Jan	Brocklesby	9:30	Holy Communion
	Ulceby	10:45	Service of the word
5 th Feb	Limber	9:30	Holy Communion
	Ulceby	10:45	Holy Communion

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