

# NORHAM NEWSROUND

## MAY 2014

### Forthcoming Events.

Thursday 1st May : **W.I. Meeting** at 2pm in the Village Hall.

Thursday 8th : **Parish Walk**. Meet on the Green at 9.30am.

Saturday 10th : **Concert in Church**; 7.30pm. See below.

Monday 12th : **Mothers' Union** at Branxton Village Hall; 2pm.

**Village Hall AGM** in the Hall at 6pm. All welcome.

Monday 19th : **Annual Parish Meeting** in the Village Hall  
(Parish Council)

Monday 26th : **Car boot sale** on the Village Green from 9am.

**SINCERE CONDOLENCES** to the friends and family

of Jack Aird who died on 17th April;

also of Doreen Binnie who died on 13th.

**MOTHERS' UNION** At the May meeting Leslie Drummer will speak on St Paul's and Me.

**W.I.** The May meeting (Thursday 1st) M Johnston will talk about Life on a Tea Plantation.

**CAR BOOT SALE** - Monday 26th May; 9am start on Norham Village Green. £5.00 a car in aid of 1st Norham Rainbows, Brownies and Guides.

**VILLAGE HALL DRAW** Thank you to all who support the monthly Draw and the weekly Bonus Ball Draw. The former raised over £200 and the latter over £400 for Hall funds in the last financial year.

**HOSPICE CARE** We are delighted to announce our HospiceCare open garden dates for this year.

Glanton Pyke- Sunday 8th June

Mindrum House- Sunday 22nd June

Blagdon Hall- Sunday 29th June

Acton House - Saturday 5th July

Shawdon Hall- Sunday 13th July

Lilburn Tower- Sunday 27th July

**CONCERT IN CHURCH** by the Lyra Vocal Ensemble from St Petersburg. Russian Orthodox church music and Russian folksongs.

Saturday 10th May at 7.30pm. Entry £7 at the door, including a glass of wine or a soft drink.

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**DOING OUR BIT!** The parasite *Neospora caninum* is the commonest cause of abortion in cattle in the UK. Horses sheep and goats also can pick up this parasite. Dogs become infected by eating infected meat and pass it on through faeces which is picked up by grazing animals. The parasite causes abortion in adult animals and is passed on through later generations.

**We can all do our bit to minimise these risks by simply picking up after our dogs have fouled. The effects of not doing so can be dramatic and devastating to farming livelihoods.**

David Knight

Renton Swan

### NOTES ON SERVICES

**FIRST SUNDAY SERVICE** on 4th May the theme of the service will be the appearances of the risen Christ.

**SUNDAY 11th.** The sermon will be on the theme of Ministry Development at Norham Church. Please come to find out more.

### ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH PCC

The following changes took place at the annual parochial church meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> April:

David Howell, Alistair McPhee, David Osman and Peter Thoday stood down, having each served for 3 years.

Ken Budge, Jane Howell, Louise Innes and Margaret McPhee were elected onto the PCC as new members, and will join continuing PCC members Eileen and Raymond Chalk.

Churchwardens William Jackson and Ian McCreath were each re-elected to serve for the coming year, and Terry Harris was re-elected as Treasurer.

Alistair McPhee was co-opted as secretary to the PCC, and will sit alongside fellow co-opted member Herbert Mole, who has had a long and loyal association with St Cuthbert's.

The important contribution of past and present members of the PCC to running of this ancient church is hugely appreciated.

### ITEMS FOR JUNE NEWSROUND

Any contributions should be given to Josephine Harris (382363) before Wednesday 28th May.