



# Worlington Pump

## June 2017

### Bird Talk

I hope that you have enjoyed the birds in May as much as I have. Everything in the countryside and our gardens comes alive in spring and in May nature starts producing – it is, in my view, the most exuberant month of the year.

This morning a very young blue tit landed briefly on the kitchen windowsill; fluffy feathers, colouring pale, curious, innocent, vulnerable and charming. When I go to replenish the feeders the birds fly away, usually to nearby trees or bushes, and return quickly when I have gone. But at this time of year the young ones tend to stay in the same bush hopping only a few branches away so I hope that they become street wise before a predator grabs them.



Thinking of predators, our regular jay has returned to the peanuts after a two and a half month absence. A nice bird to look at but its presence makes me nervous when young birds are about. What does not make me nervous is the wholly welcome return of the great spotted woodpecker which adds colour and style to the already colourful feeder population.

My travails with what to feed to the birds and what feeders to use continue. To provide more variety and to reduce the cost I added mixed seed without wheat to the menu. This has proved to be very popular with most of the birds so I put up a second feeder which means they eat double the amount in the same time. However, the amount of white and black sunflower seeds consumed has decreased.

My seed feeders all had platforms at the base to catch spilt seeds and prevent them falling to the ground. This was fine but the collared doves and the pigeons (!) worked out that if they land on the platform the seeds on the platform and some from within the feeder fall to the ground where they can gobble them up. My solution was to go to Wilkos and buy their excellent grain feeders (£7) that don't have platforms.

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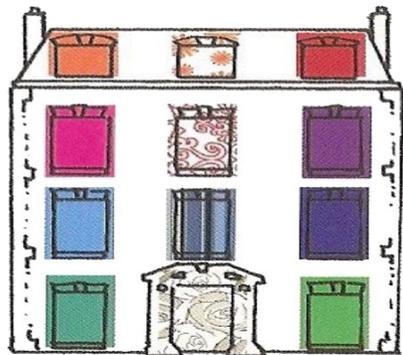


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Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 am	Holy Communion
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 am	Family Service with Baptism

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### Flowers

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs J. Barry
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs J. Barry
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs L. Osborn
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs L. Osborn

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This worked well but three weeks ago a new menace appeared – jackdaws. They are both smarter and more agile than pigeons and doves so they cling on to the side of the feeder whilst pecking at the access holes which, of course, deposits seeds on the ground. We have never had jackdaws on our feeders before and I have no idea why they have suddenly decided to attack us. This must be a common problem so any suggestions of what to do about it would be welcome – scaring them off lasts for about thirty seconds.

Not long after Chris Hall saw a red kite in his paddock David Goodman saw one on the Isleham road eating road kill, which is a favourite food source for them. At the end of April I saw six of them about five miles this side of Peterborough just off the four-lane A1. They were circling round just like they do at a feeding station but I couldn't see if there was actually a feeding station there. I hope this means that they are gradually spreading into Cambridgeshire and Suffolk.



There has been a bee's nest on the east side of the church tower for years. If you look at the tower from the east, coming from the cemetery, it is on the left (south) side half way between the window and the edge of the tower. If you look hard you can see them flying in and out; using binoculars you can see that there is a constant flow of bees. If you pause at the cotoneaster bush at the end of our house (pink cottage next to the church) you will probably see it is almost covered by bees. Even if the sun is not shining the continuous buzz of activity leaves one in no doubt that summer is here.

I am sure you will all have seen that the swifts are back in the village and round the church tower. On 18<sup>th</sup> May there were a pair of birds in three of the four CCTV boxes with an egg in box four.

*Don MacBean - 713710*



Date for copy for the next edition by: **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2017, this will be a combined July/August edition.**

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## Dear Friends

What do you see when you look in the mirror?

Miss Smithers, an elderly Sunday school teacher, had been busy explaining to the children that God had made each one of them. One little cherub, observing her wrinkled face and sparse white hair, piped up: "Miss Smithers, did God make you as well? 'Cos I think he is getting a lot better at it these days!"

As time goes by most of us notice at some point that our faces are starting to look more 'lived-in', and perhaps we feel a bit wistful about the appearance of crows' feet and saggy folds of skin. I certainly notice the effects of gravity myself when I look in the mirror these days. So I was glad to read these words from Deborah Meaden of 'yDragon's Den' fame: she responded to criticism of her appearance by saying, "Not sure what the problem is looking my age. Happy to - this face shows every laugh, frown, smile I've ever had - that's something to treasure."

It's amazing how much you can tell about a person by where their wrinkles end up as they get older: so what do you see in the mirror? Are you developing more laughter lines or worry furrows? Is sadness etched there, or peace, kindness and joy? Or perhaps a good mixture of all of the above.

Whatever you see, why not take a moment to give thanks and to treasure your unique character and the experiences (good and bad) which have made you who you are today.

*Love Sandie x*

## To the wonderful people of Worlington

I want to take this opportunity to thank all the lovely, caring friends & neighbours who spent the evening (and night) of Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April looking for my missing dog, Islay. Fortunately he was shut in a shed where he spent the night, safe and warm and none the worse for his incarceration.

Yours gratefully,

*Sally (and Islay)*

P.S I had a fall so was unable to assist, but am now fully recovered. Lucky me!



## ***Tuesday Coffee Morning*** ***All Saints' Church, Worlington***

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June  
10:30am - 12:00pm

*Join us for home-made biscuits  
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## ***Worlington Village Hall***

Worlie Cafe - The Worlie cafe is now closed for the season. A big thank you from the team to all of those that have supported us over the past 9 months. The cafe will re-open in the autumn so keep your eyes open for the menu.

**Many thanks.**

Football Goalposts - Just in time for the summer! The Parish Council have purchased a football goal which has been placed in the bottom corner of the recreation ground, near the play area. We hope that you will all enjoy it.

*For more information on events, or hiring the hall for your own function, please visit [worlington.onesuffolk.net](http://worlington.onesuffolk.net).*



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The outdoor season is now in full swing, and after a generally dry but cold start to the season the weather is beginning to pick up.

At the time of writing, the 1st XI have made a strong start to their Division One campaign, winning their opening three matches before suffering their first reversal at the hands of visiting Wivenhoe who themselves are historically a strong outfit and likely to be fighting for a top three finish come the end of the year.

The 2nd XI are two from two, with straightforward victories over West Mersea and Tendring, and their aim of promotion back to Division Five is on track at this early stage.

The Sunday Academy team, having gained promotion to Division Three, are more than holding their own at this higher level with a top-half position following two wins and a single defeat.

The club's National Village Cup campaign came to a somewhat surprising end, in the second round, at the hands of Great Waltham CC. No doubt, they'll be back in 2018 ready to push for a successful cup run once again.

All of the club's junior sides are now taking part in competitive matches with several victories making it a highly positive start to 2017 for Worlington CC

Club news including fixtures and results are available on the website at [www.worlingtoncricketclub.co.uk](http://www.worlingtoncricketclub.co.uk) and the club is always more than happy to welcome home support so feel free to pop down to the ground for a relaxing afternoon of cricketing action.

The Worlington Annual Beer Festival shall be returning over the course of the August Bank Holiday weekend (Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th August). Again, money raised from the event shall be split between the club's youth program and the East Anglian Air Ambulance, which I'm sure everyone will agree, is a truly worthwhile cause.

The club received nothing but hugely positive feedback following last year's event and organisers are looking to make it bigger and better still this time around. Further details shall be made available in the next edition of the Parish Pump so please watch this space

*Shaun, on behalf of Worlington CC*

**Robert William Lucas**  
*a tribute by Ken Lucas*

On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May the Church was full with a huge congregation. There was a joint choir, one from Clare Robert's own choir, and Trevor Nicholls choir from Eriswell led by Trevor. The Reverends Stuart Mitchell from Clare and Sandie Barton led the Service.

Robert was born in Worlington in 1947 to Cecil and Jean Lucas, the eldest of four children Ken, Catherine and Michael. He attended the Village School and then went to Mildenhall Secondary Modern.

He started taking piano lessons from Mrs. Morley in Mildenhall. On leaving school he trained to be a hairdresser, but he lived for his music, piano and organ. Madeleine Mortlock was Worlington organist at that time and encouraged him to play. Robert was very involved in Worlington Church helping with fund raising, Flower Festivals etc.

Robert went to college to study music and became a music teacher spending most of his career at Castle Hill Middle School in Haverhill which was no easy easy place for a quiet gentle person to teach a subject many of the children had difficulty appreciating. He revitalised the curriculum and introduced many modern themes to gain their interest.

Upon leaving school life he continued giving private lessons. Some of his pupils passed through to very high standards. He was the Organist at Clare Church for 38 years and played at many churches in the area.

Robert loved his holidays with his friends and travelled to many places.

Although Robert was at Clare Church he never lost interest in Worlington All Saints and the Church Organ!

I have visited Clare Church and Clare Priory and they have all shown their appreciation of his music performed for them.

I have so many letters sent to me to say that he played for their Wedding or taught them to play the piano.

All through his illness he never lost his sense of humour. He was a man of great faith and this sustained him to the end. His untimely death has left a big gap in the heart of Family and friends and the Church Community.

May he rest in peace.

An Evensong with Choirs will be dedicated to Robert and held in Clare Church on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 6.30pm.

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**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 7pm , Cash Bingo,** eyes down 7.30pm. £1 a game, bar and snacks available.

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 7:30pm - Lion**

**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July / Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July, Church Flower Festival**

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**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October**

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**

**Worlington Village Hall**

**7.30pm**



**Save the dates**

**Thank You**

All Saints Church held another fish and chip quiz night on 28<sup>th</sup> April.

Once again, our thanks to everyone who supports this fund raising event. We are lucky enough to have found Handy Plaice who arrive in good form and ready to cook our now famous suppers. Hard to believe that these evenings started over 20 years ago!

Brian Cole, who has been our quiz master for many years now, sets really challenging and interesting questions and we appreciate all he does for us. Thank you Brian!

Thank you to Linda, Kenny and Ellen for much appreciated help with making the evening go so well.

We had brilliant raffle prizes and all donated, thank you everyone.

The amount of £345 was made on the night and in aid of All Saints Church, Worlington.

*Val McClure, on behalf of All Saints PCC*



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