

# The Parish of Burham & Wouldham

July/August 2010



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Dear Friends



**Jennie writes on the June tragedy in Whitehaven .....**

Yesterday, the Wednesday of the June school holiday, the sun shone on families relaxing and having fun. I was amongst them and perhaps you too. Then news came of how that same sunny Wednesday had been instead, a day of terror, horror and tragedy for the people of Whitehaven, caused by the actions of an unbalanced man lose with a pair of guns. It was hard to hold those two days, their day and my day, side by side and see them as the same day. It was impossible to feel as they must feel, those people in Whitehaven who had been so cruelly bereaved or so needlessly injured.

In such an awful tragedy anger and bitterness, depression and a new nervousness inevitably speak the harsh reality of the deep emotional injuries that people have sustained. What great care they will need if those raw wounds are to heal over into scars, healed scars of forgiveness of a acceptance, of hope and regained confidence.

Many in Whitehaven laid bunches of flowers as expressions of their care and sympathy, and friends, family and professionals will bring a variety of caring skills as helpful medicine. And we too can be a part of that care, even at this distance and even as strangers, by bringing our prayer to the site of this tragedy. Tell your Father God of your concern for those who suffer in this or any other such catastrophe, using your own words or if helpful the words below.

Father God, you have shown us that nothing, however terrible, can separate us from our love. Come with helping, mending love to all for whom great tragedy has happened in Whitehaven:

Heal those who have been hurt in body or heart,

Take into your heavenly home those who have died,

Strengthen all who serve in the emergency services, and everyone who brings aid and comfort, protect the bereaved with a shield of love, give a light of hope to any near despair, and let each know that they are held tenderly in the palm of your hand; in Jesus' name. Amen

Yours, Jennie

Join the sponsored  
**WALK FOR THE CHILDREN OF ZIMBABWE**  
**Saturday 10th July**

In support of the Just Children Foundation (UK) -  
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Walks will converge on Rochester Cathedral for a service at 5.30pm  
The main starting point for the Saturday walk is at Aylesford (9miles). Others  
include Medway Bridges (1½ Miles), Wouldham (4 miles), Cobham (6  
miles), Yalding (18 miles) and Orpington (21 miles) -  
something for everyone.

Details, routes and registration at: **[www.justchildren.org.uk](http://www.justchildren.org.uk)**

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**This is an exciting moment in the Church with lots of  
developments, both in the Church itself and its activities.**

- 1) The position of P.C.C. Secretary (Parochial Church Council Secretary) will become vacant next March owing to the retirement of the present occupant, Mrs. Heather Lloyd,.  
The Council is seeking a replacement for Heather in good time for the AG.M. (Annual General Meeting) next Spring. The post is voluntary and requires a person with at least some secretarial ability and I.T. skills. It involves taking minutes, preparing paperwork for meetings and dealing with correspondence. Anyone who feels they would like to serve the church in this way is invited to contact Heather (01634-863345 or email [j.t.lloyd@btinternet.com](mailto:j.t.lloyd@btinternet.com)) or contact the Rector (01634-666962 or email [jenniebradshaw@mypostoffice.co.uk](mailto:jenniebradshaw@mypostoffice.co.uk)).
- 2) A volunteer is required to assist and eventually take over from John Lloyd in the work of allocating locations for grave plots in Wouldham Churchyard and in Burham St. Mary's Churchyard. This work is not particularly demanding of time but involves some record keeping and contact with bereaved families and Funeral Directors. If you are interested, the first contact should be made to the Rector (details as above).

Both are rewarding posts and involve the life of the villages and its people.

# **JULY**

## **Church of England Services**



### **Thursday 1st July**

3.15pm Thursday Church

Wouldham School

### **Sunday 4th July**

10.30am Family Service

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Sunday 11th July**

10.30am Said Holy Communion

All Saints, Wouldham

4.30pm 'Songs of Praise'

Old St Mary's, Burham

### **Thursday 15th July**

11.00am Holy Communion

Winchester House

2.45pm Family Time Puppet Service

Burham School

### **Friday 16th July**

9.15am Wouldham School 'End of Term Assembly' All Saints, Wouldham

### **Sunday 18th July**

10.30am 'Messy Church'

Burham Community Centre

### **Thursday 22nd July**

10.00am Burham School 'Moving on Service' Burham Methodist Church

### **Sunday 25th July**

10.30pm Holy Communion,

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Saturday 31st July**

1.30pm Wedding

All Saints, Wouldham

### **COFFEE MORNING**

**10.30am, Friday, 30th July**  
**All Saints Church, Wouldham**



# MEN'S SUPPER

7.30pm, Wednesday 4th August,  
Brassey Centre, Aylesford



**Speaker: Mr Clarkson Webb**

To talk on ecological matters relating to climate change

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*Contact Doreen & Malcolm Northover: 01634 864139*

## **CHURCH BOOK CLUB**

**7:30pm, Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> August**  
**To meet at All Saints, Wouldham**

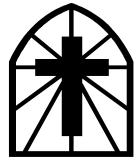


The group meet on alternate months usually on or around the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, for a pleasant social evening discussing the book we have all read. New members are made most welcome.

Contact Rebecca Scott Tel: 01634 668693

# **AUGUST**

## **Church of England Services**



### **Sunday 1st August**

10.30am Family Service

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Saturday 7th August**

2.00pm Wedding

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Sunday 8th August**

10.30am Holy Communion

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Sunday 15th August**

10.30am 'Messy Church'

Burham Community Centre

### **Thursday 19th August**

11.00am Holy Communion

Winchester House

### **Friday 27th August**

10.30am Coffee Morning

All Saints, Wouldham

### **Sunday 29th August**

10.30pm Holy Communion,

1.00pm Baptism

All Saints, Wouldham

## **'TIME-LORD'**

### **Children's Christian Holiday Club**

**Wednesday 25th, Thursday 26th August,  
& Friday 27th August**

**10.00am—12.00 noon**

**Burham Community Centre**

# BURHAM CHURCH (Methodist) Church St, Burham

## SERVICES FOR JULY

<b>Sunday July 4<sup>th</sup></b>	4.30pm	Evening Worship led by David Newell
<b>Sunday July 11<sup>th</sup></b>	4.30pm	United Service with the Anglican Church to be held in Burham Old Church led by Rev. Gary Watt and Rev. J Bradshaw
<b>Sunday July 18<sup>th</sup></b>	No Service in Burham but there will be a Circuit Service at Union Street Methodist Church when a presentation will be made to Rev. Chris Esgate as he leaves his position as Circuit Superintendent.	
<b>Sunday July 25<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30am	Morning Worship led by Don Brand

## SERVICES FOR AUGUST

<b>Sunday August 1<sup>st</sup></b>	4.30pm	Evening Worship led by Colin Wolf
<b>Sunday August 8<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30am	Holy Communion led by Rev. Sheila Foreman
<b>Sunday August 15<sup>th</sup></b>	4.30pm	Evening Worship (Own arrangements)
<b>Sunday August 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	10.30am	Morning Worship led by Richard Vincent
<b>Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup></b>	10.45am	Circuit Service

It is hoped that this Service will take place on the Recreation Ground at Eccles. Further details will be in the Burham and Wouldham Village news in the Kent Messenger.

Everyone is most welcome at our Services, some of which are formal especially when we have Holy Communion. Others are more informal when we worship using some modern songs and hymns. We have coffee and tea after each Service when we have the opportunity of chatting and getting to know each other. Transport is available if necessary for all services and other activities.

Please phone Trevor on 867022 if you need a lift. Or come to the weekly Afternoon Tea each Tuesday at 3.0pm or the monthly Country Lunch (to be held on Thursday July 15<sup>th</sup> and August 12<sup>th</sup>) ***Why not come and join us!!!!!!***

It is almost a year since the Local Ecumenical Partnership between the Methodists and Anglicans ended and since then The Church in Burham has become well established as a Church in its own right. We have welcomed back some members and have a stable number of people who attend regularly. Some have taken the option of having dual membership of the Methodist Church while retaining membership of another denomination. We hope that we shall shortly be able to set up our own Church Council. We are grateful for all the support during a period of uncertainty but are now confident that The Church in Burham will continue to be a place of worship in Burham for some time to come.



## JULY & AUGUST ACTIVITIES

Every Thursday July 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th . August 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th	10.30 - 12 noon	Thursday Community Club  *Hi Kent Hearing Aid Clinic on 15th July & 19th August	Old School Community Centre Burham
Every Tuesday July 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th . August 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st	3.00— 4.30 pm	Join us every Tuesday afternoon for a cup of tea, cake, a quiz and friendship	Burham Methodist Church Hall
Wednesday 7th July	7.30pm	Parochial Church Council Meeting	All Saints Wouldham
Thursday 15th July 12th August	1.00pm	Country Lunch Anyone is welcome to come for good company, a simple meal of soup, bread, cheese followed by fruit pie, coffee & tea. Cost £2	Burham Methodist Church Hall
Friday 9th July Friday 13th August	3.30pm	House Group	12 Trafalgar Close
Tuesday 20th July	7.30pm	WI Meeting Birthday Party. John & Thelma Burgess: A Victorian Magic Lantern show. Competition—photo of grandparents	Burham Village Hall
Friday 30th July & 27th August	10.30- 11.30am	Coffee Morning	All Saints Wouldham

### Parish Council Meetings:

**Wouldham** Tuesday 6th July, 7.30pm. Village Hall..

**Burham** Monday 26th July, 7.30pm, Old School Community Centre.

## BURHAM CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

As many will already know, Mr. Ken Jones will be retiring at the end of this term. He has spent all of his teaching career in Burham, firstly teaching at the Junior School which has now been demolished. He moved to the new building in Bell Lane and remained with the school when it was amalgamated with the Infant's School. Six years ago he was made Acting Headteacher when the current Headteacher was seconded to another post for two years. He was then appointed as Headteacher permanently four years ago.

Having been in Burham for so many years, he has taught hundreds of children and many, who are now adults, still live here. He has been a wonderful and inspirational teacher to many, many children and we know that he is fondly remembered for his devotion and commitment. Burham School will miss him greatly and we expect that many will want to remember all that he has done for the School. Mr. Jones has always been keen on sporting activities and Burham School's achievements in competitions with other schools are well-known. We shall be welcoming Ms. Michelle Grima as the new Headteacher in September. She is currently a Deputy Headteacher in a larger school in another area of Kent and we believe that she will be keen to keep up the traditions and attainments that have been so much part of our successful school.. If anyone wishes for any information about the school, please feel free to contact me c/o

Burham Church of England Primary School.

*Eileen Smith, Chair to the Governing Body*

### WOULDHAM PHOTO EXHIBITION

There is going to be  
another exhibition  
of old photographs of Wouldham

**4th & 5th September,  
Wouldham Village Hall.**

If anyone has any further photographs to include or any relevant information regarding any of the old photographs on the Parish Council's website:

([www.wouldhampc.kentparishes.gov.uk](http://www.wouldhampc.kentparishes.gov.uk),

Please contact: Cllr Jenny Head -  
Tel 01634 668347.

## Burham School Summer Fair

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July.  
10-3pm**

**Fun and games including:**

**Grand Draw,**

**Burham's Got Talent,**

**Mr Jones in the stocks!**

**Bouncy Castle**

**+ many more exciting events.**

## WOULDHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

This month it was reported at the Council meeting that there was criminal damage, a dent to a front door, and rear door removed from frame in Hall Road. There were 12 shrubs dug up and stolen from a front garden in Garden Court.

We would like to welcome the new PCSO Julie Stoner to our village. Mobile 07772226237

At our parish Council meeting, we discussed at length the cutting of verges around the village. We are concerned that at T junctions the weeds grow so quickly that it can obstruct the view. Due to the economic climate, we must plan effectively and check the work of the companies instructed to carry out the verge trimming.

A lot of hard work is in progress planning the village leaflet and the "Interpretation Panels" for the Valley of Visions. The sculpture near the start of one of the walks has been started. One copy of the village leaflet will be delivered to every household.

WPC are aware and concerned about the issue of Yellow Lines in the village. We are in discussion with Highways to keep these to a minimum, and we are also working very hard on the village's behalf to progress plans for alternative car parking. There are plans to develop a car park for the Church and any other spare pieces of land are being discussed.

There are allotments available, see village notice boards. *(see page 16)*

Happy gardening. Now is the time for eating asparagus. It takes 3 years to get a bed established and Kentish asparagus is famous for its taste.

We have vacancies for new Parish Councillors, if you would like to know more please contact our Parish Clerk

If you have any items you would like the parish Council to discuss email the Parish clerk, Sarah: [wouldham.pc@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:wouldham.pc@hotmail.co.uk) or come along to the monthly meetings normally held the first Tuesday of the month. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 6th July, 7.30pm at the village hall.

Anthea Parnell, Parish Councillor

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## **BURHAM PARISH COUNCIL**

Lots of news to report this month.....

At the May meeting Councillor Dalton was re-elected as Chairman, with Councillor Stead as Vice-chairman.

As you are probably aware, PCSO Allan Newby has now retired. Kent Police have forced Allan to retire on age grounds, and it will be our loss. Over many months, Allan was the face of policing within Burham and the surrounding area. We would like to wish Allan all the best for the future. We are not without a PCSO; Julie Stoner is Allan's replacement. Her contact number remains the same: 0777 222 6237.

As you are aware, the Fleur de Lys has now been sold to Blue Ribbon Development Ltd. Unfortunately, the Parish Council's request to have the building listed was declined. The intentions of Blue Ribbon Development are unknown. No doubt local residents will probably find out before the Parish Council.

The hanging baskets have now been installed and are being maintained by a local landscape gardener.

All the problem drains have now been addressed. Obviously these need to be monitored in the coming months to ensure that the problems are fully solved. If you spot a problem, please let me know.

There is no update available regarding the moving of the "children crossing" stencil in Rochester Road.

Headlands have now planted all the trees (Kent men of Tree, the KM trees and others) along the pathway from the Village Hall to the recreation ground and along the dividing line. Feedback has been positive.

You should have all received "Walkabout in Burham – Guided walks and workshops" leaflet. This outlines all the activities taking place. Places are being booked fast but there are still places available for some of the activities. Please contact Wendy Neath on 01634 861339/07802 676 896, email: [wendy.neath@btinternet.com](mailto:wendy.neath@btinternet.com).

All allotment plots for 2010/2011 have been allocated to local residents.

The island area at the pedestrian entrance to the recreation ground (opposite Jill & Jims Shop) will be getting a mini make-over.

If you have any items that you would like the Parish Council to discuss, just give me a call on 01622 609324, e-mail me on [pam@burhampc.co.uk](mailto:pam@burhampc.co.uk) or come along to the monthly meetings, normally held the last Monday of the month.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday 26 July 2010, 7.30 pm in the Old School Community Centre, Corner of Rochester Road/Bell Lane.

*Pam Saunders, Parish Clerk*

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# Wouldham All Saints Church of England Primary School

Last month has seemed very short but has been hectic with very many things happening. We started the term with a day of maths and class and team photographs – not particularly related unless you measure shutter exposure times and count people!

We also had the School Marathon and a ‘red and white’ day to mark this year’s World Cup being held in South Africa (and very nearly all over!) The juniors enjoyed a day out in London which included the Science Museum as well as a tour of main sites of interest.

As well as cricket and football matches we have also enjoyed working with the Valley of Visions artists to celebrate our village. This culminated in a special performance in the middle of the month and we are sure you enjoyed being part of this.

July is hectic as ever and the end of term will be here before we know it. This means we say goodbye to our Year 6 pupils as they move into secondary education. We shall miss you all but know that you will do well whichever school you go to. Work hard and remember to come back and visit when you get a chance!

Events and activities to note are World Cup team challenge on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July, reports sent home on 13<sup>th</sup> and Sports Day on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:30. We also have an open session on the afternoon of Monday 19<sup>th</sup> and Shining Stars on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> at 9:15. The Year 6 leaver’s assembly will be on the last day of term – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:15 with our now traditional water fight commencing at 1pm. The new term starts on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

We hope everyone has a safe and very enjoyable summer break and we look forward to welcoming our new children in September!

## **Dates for your diary**

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> July

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Thursday Church

World Cup Challenge

Reports sent home

Sports Day from 9:30

Open session from 1:15 until 5:30pm

Shining Stars Presentations 9:15am

Year 6 trip

Leavers Assembly at 9:15

See you September 2nd!

Visit [www.wouldham.kent.sch.uk](http://www.wouldham.kent.sch.uk) or call 861434 for more information

# PARISH NEWS

## Blessing

30th May. Oli Lampard



## Choir Practice

Practices are held on  
Thursdays at

Wouldham Church.

New juniors 7pm

Juniors 7pm—8pm

Seniors 7.30pm—9pm.

New members are always welcome:

Roger Pick – 01634 842360



## Halls for Hire

*(Please do not telephone after 8.0pm)*

**Burham Methodist Church Hall –**

01634 864139

**Burham Old School Community  
Centre – 01634 863322**

**Burham Village Hall –**

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**Wouldham Village Hall –**

01634 867452

**Burham Scout Hut (for youth) -**

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## Prescriptions

If you are unable to collect your  
prescriptions and live in the Parish  
of Burham & Wouldham, the  
Church offers a collection service.  
Contact Heather Lloyd; 01634  
863345

*Volunteers collecting these  
prescriptions need a minimum of  
24 hours notice*

## Bulky Refuse Collection

*TMBC Helpline 01732 876147 or:*

*[www.tmbc.gov.uk](http://www.tmbc.gov.uk)*

**Wouldham - 3rd July & 7th August**

Village Car Park, Knowle Rd,  
8.0am – 9.0am.

**Burham – 10th July & 14th August**

Village Hall Car Park,  
8.0am – 9.0am

**Eccles – 3rd & 17th July**

**7th & 21st August**

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<b>WOULDHAM SCHOOL</b>	<b>Every Thursday</b>	<b>9.40am—11.00am</b>

For further information please contact the Children's Centre: 01732 874086

**A date for your diary..... INDOOR BOOT FAIR**

**Saturday 23rd October, 10.00am—3.00pm**

**Burham Village Hall**

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### **Thank You**

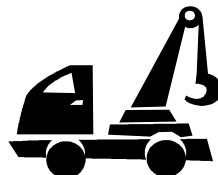
Joyce Boguez thanks her friends for their kind greetings and cards which have been a source of great encouragement during her long stay in Maidstone Hospital. She's glad to report that she is now much stronger and before long hopes to move on to St Barts Hospital for rehabilitation and then home to Burham. How she looks forward to seeing you all again at the Community Centre coffee mornings.

### **Thank You**

All those who attended the Photo Exhibition in Wouldham would like to thank Wouldham Parish Council for putting together this wonderful exhibition and for providing refreshments also. Thank you so much. It was a really enjoyable day.

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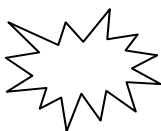
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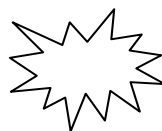
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## **Crime reduction advice from PC Jackie Wilkinson**

Would you leave a pile of £10 notes on the dashboard of your car in full view of anyone who happens to pass by? Probably not – so I would urge vehicle owners to take the same common sense approach towards all of their valuables, particularly sat navs.

Thefts from vehicles are often opportunistic crimes so you can help by being careful not to leave anything of value in your car and to make sure that sun roofs and windows are closed and all doors locked when you leave your vehicle. Don't give anyone the opportunity to see you putting your valuables in the boot or the glove box, as there are no real hiding places.

Here is some advice that could help to keep your vehicle and property safe:

- If your sat nav is portable keep it safe by taking it, together with the support cradle and suction pads, with you when you leave the car.
- Wipe away any suction pad marks left on the windscreen or dashboard, as thieves will look for these signs.
- Mark your sat nav system with your postcode and house number, your vehicle registration number or other unique number, using the special security markers widely available. Property that is marked is less desirable to a thief as it is harder for them to sell on. Also, if your property is stolen and it is marked there is a greater chance that you will get it back. Finally, if a criminal is arrested with property that is marked it is easier for the police to prove that the property is stolen and charge the offender.
- Make a note of the make, model and serial number of your sat nav and keep this information somewhere safe i.e. not in your car!
- Don't leave any valuables on view in your car.
- Never leave the keys in the ignition when the car is unattended, even when you are merely paying for petrol or visiting a recycling centre.

The simple rule is – if you value it take it with you.

**If you would like further crime reduction advice, or to talk about any local policing issues, why not come along to one of our regular neighbourhood meetings?**

**Next :**

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22:00hrs	Monday 02 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Tuesday 03 August 2010
22:00hrs	Thursday 05 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Friday 06 August 2010
22:00hrs	Monday 09 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Tuesday 10 August 2010
22:00hrs	Thursday 12 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Friday 13 August 2010

### The dates and times for Station Road closures:

22:00hrs	Tuesday 03 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Wednesday 04 August 2010
22:00hrs	Wednesday 04 August 2010	to	05:00hrs	Thursday 05 August 2010
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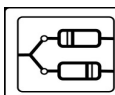


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## The miraculous catch of fish

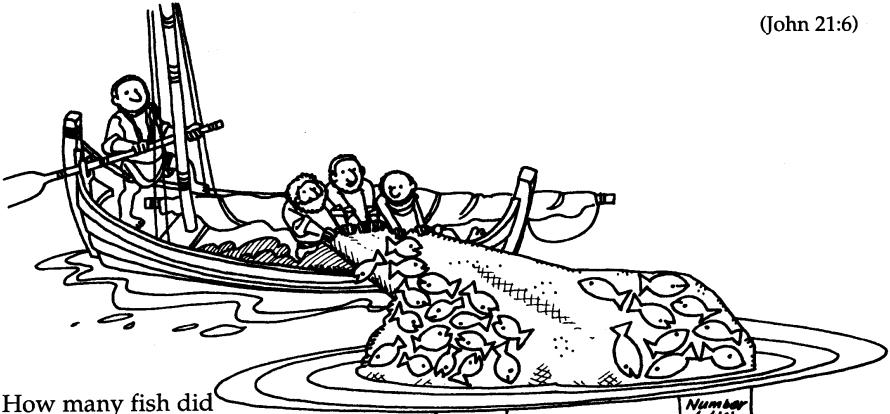
Read John 21:1-14

Some of Jesus' disciples spent all night fishing on the sea of Galilee, but by the morning they hadn't caught a thing.

Who did they see on the shore? \_\_\_\_\_ (John 21:4)

What did he say to them? \_\_\_\_\_

(John 21:6)



How many fish did they catch after they had done what Jesus said?



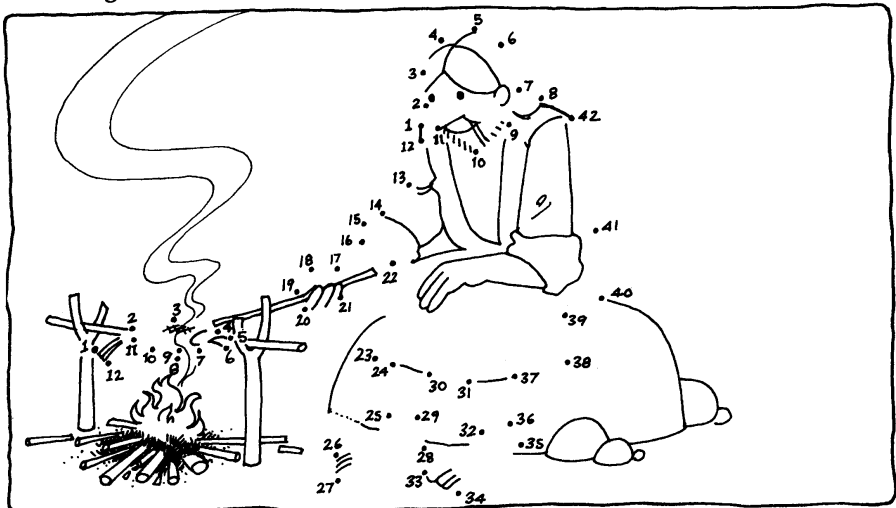

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(John 21:11)

Join the dots to find out what Jesus was doing on the beach



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### **Burham Senior Youth**

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### **Burham Mothers and Toddlers Group**

Tuesdays from 9.30am – 11.30 at Burham Community Centre. All children from 0-5 years of age with parent are welcome. Come along for a friendly play, chat and a weekly craft activity. Refreshments are provided. The cost is £1 per session for 1 parent and child and 50p per extra child. Contact Mrs Sharon Laker, 191 Rochester Rd, Burham. Tel. 660301.

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### **Jelly Beans Pre-School, Wouldham Village Hall.**

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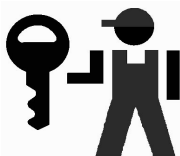
### **Wouldham Mother & Toddler Group**

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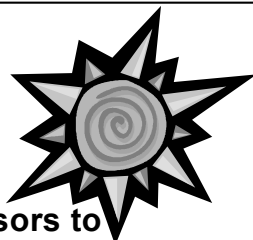
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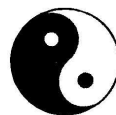
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