



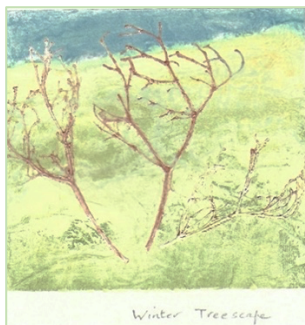
Manchester, Birmingham and Norwich; public buildings, including Eton College and the Royal Courts of Justice; royal residences at Hampton Court, Kensington Palace and Windsor Castle; cathedrals at Exeter, Southwark and Salisbury, and in countries as diverse as Canada, Australia, Muscat, South Africa and the Falklands.

Our clock is in esteemed and exceptional company, and we should be truly proud of its history. Following its restoration, made possible by a generous legacy from the late David White, we hope it continues to keep us all to time for many generations to come.

Cards - Cards - Cards

Carole Oldfield's bright and festive Christmas card designed especially for the HCCF was a huge success, raising over £300.

A range of other cards designed both by Carole and by Jonathan Bean are always available, with more new designs in the pipeline. Keep an eye on the website www.harbertonccf.org.uk or call Carole (864654) or email: carolefarthing@gmail.com to arrange viewing/collection.



Update from Sally Watson and Alicia Stolliday (Church Council)

Having completed work on the church windows and tower, the Church Council are now moving forward to investigate what needs to be done to the church ceiling and put in railings to make the church entrance safer and accessible for all.

The Church Council are delighted to announce the partial re-opening of the church building for "private reflection and prayer" every Wednesday, from 24 February onwards – 10am to 12 noon only. Covid precautions will be in place, so please remember your face mask. Continued thanks to Helen Sands and her group for keeping the little niche at the church entrance adorned with beautiful flowers providing visitors with a perfect place for reflection.

Hungry Harberton Success Story

The *Hungry Harberton* cookbook has virtually sold out of its first print run of 400 copies! Sales have raised over £2,100, after expenses. Our thanks to all those who supported it by buying copies – they have proved to be perfect gifts for friends and family during Covid-19. Here are a few comments from happy customers:

"Very professional"

"The cook book is just brilliant - the recipes, the illustrations, the design. All make it into a treasure of love and practicality. A wonderful illustration of William Morris' injunction to 'Have nothing in your house that you do not know to be useful, or believe to be beautiful.' You have achieved both."

"A superb production - beautifully presented and full of good ideas! We look forward to trying some of them."

Handy Hints



Jane Wynne

Number 1 tip!

Always keep knives sharp - a blunt knife is a dangerous knife.

Stock

Always start with cold water, the amount should be double that of the ingredients. Bring to the boil and skim, then simmer, don't stir or cover the pan.

Fish stock only takes half an hour, only use the fish frames from flat fish, not heads. Surplus can be frozen in an ice cube tray. Too much carrot will make the stock too sweet.

For vegetable stock, cover the veg in cold water, bring to the boil, simmer for 30 minutes, take off the heat and leave to infuse then strain discarding the vegetables.

Veal bones make a lighter brown stock than beef bones.

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Find out more about our lovely church at: www.harbertonccf.org.uk

Events Round-up

Festival of Light – Harberton Lit Up

This was a joyful way to end a very dark year and bring a smile to so many faces in Harberton! The Festival of Light ran every day from Saturday 12 December to 2 January 2021, with special emphasis on each of the Saturdays. It brought the village alive with candle-lit groups taking in the displays – small and large – in many homes and gardens. Plans are already underway for an even better event this year.

Looking forward to some HCCF events this Summer/Autumn – fingers crossed!

We are feeling very positive about the future and are starting to unveil plans for events this Spring/Summer – barring any further hiccups! Dates to be confirmed.

Spring/Summer (in conjunction with the Church Council)
Clock reinstatement celebrations, including chiming of the bells.

July (in conjunction with the Church Council)
Open Gardens and Plant Sale - so we would welcome your help to start planning your gardens and sowing seeds to donate to the plant sale! This has been a hugely popular event in the past, showcasing our beautiful village and finding those hidden gems. Who would have known there were so many talented green-fingered residents!

August/September
Village Art & Craft Show - outside, if possible.

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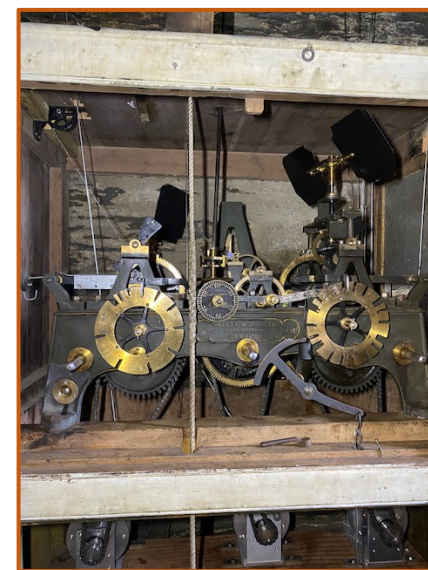
Helping Our Heritage in the Historic Heart of Harberton



Ding Dong Merrily on High - in Harberton the Clock is Chiming!

After St Andrew's Church clock being out of action for almost four years, it is finally back - keeping good time and the bells chiming reassuringly day and night again.

The clock has been fully restored by the Cumbria Clock Company and brought up to date with electrification, ending the onerous job of hand winding, required since it was installed in the 19th century. The clock was a gift to the Church from Sir Robert Harvey, which we now know was made in 1858 by internationally renowned clockmakers, Gillet and Johnston. Founded by Kent clockmaker, William Gillet, he opened his factory in Croydon in 1844, so our clock is one of his earliest timepieces. From 1884



to 1958 the company also made bells - but not the ones used in our church, which date from 1762!



Gillet and Johnston continue to make clocks that are to be found around the world and in some of the most iconic buildings, including town halls in

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