

News Letter December 2013

Christmas Craft Market

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Craft Market on Saturday and to all who donated goods for the stalls and raffle. We are particularly grateful to the people who helped clear up at the end and also those who left the kitchen tidy and clean. Our thanks also go to Kathy Wilkinson for once again maintaining a high standard and variety of stalls.

I am pleased to say that although numbers attending were slightly down we have still made a grand total of over £1,964 to date which is similar to last year (There are always slight alterations as the days go on, usually upwards.)

The tombola (£173.40) and raffle (£445) which we targeted for improvement last year, both maintained or slightly increased their profit. The targets for this year were Father Christmas (£99) and the Cake Raffle (£116) both of which showed a tremendous improvement --- Thank you and well done to the people responsible!!

The Christmas Stall was divided this year with the cakes making £137.50 and the gifts (£229.36) a total of £366.86 also an improvement as was the refreshments total £439.80.

BURNS NIGHT – 25th January Church Room 7.15 for 7.30 this is not as far away as we think, so if you intend to come could you let me know before Christmas if possible – I still have a few tickets available at £22 per head (3 courses)

One Non –Friends related item.

St Lawrence Church Christmas tree

After many years of receiving a Christmas tree as a gift, St Lawrence Church is this year having to buy one for the back of the church. The tree is enjoyed by young and old over the Christmas period, so if you would like to help with the purchase of the tree this year, please put your contributions in the pot at Church with the Christmas Tree on top or pass to Sue Reeve, Barbara Coe or Norma Barrow. Thank you

Thank you for your continued support. We hope to make progress with news on the windows in the New Year.

Wishing you all a Happy Christmas

Norma Barrow