

On the first day, God created the dog and said, "Sit all day by the door of your house and bark at anyone who comes in or walks past. For this, I will give you a life span of twenty years." The dog said, "That's a long time to be barking. How about only ten years and I'll give you back the other ten?"

And God saw it was good.

On the second day, God created the monkey and said, "Entertain people, do tricks, and make them laugh. For this, I'll give you a twenty-year life span." The monkey said, "Monkey tricks for twenty years? That's a pretty long time to perform. How about I give you back ten like the dog did?"

And God, again saw it was good.

On the third day, God created the cow and said, "You must go into the field with the farmer all day long and suffer under the sun, have calves and give milk to support the farmer's family. For this, I will give you a life span of sixty years." The cow said, "That's kind of a tough life you want me to live for sixty years. How about twenty and I'll give back the other forty?"

And God agreed it was good.

On the fourth day, God created humans and said, "Eat, sleep, play, marry and enjoy your life. For this, I'll give you twenty years." But the human said, "Only twenty years? Could you possibly give me my twenty, the forty

the cow gave back,
the ten the monkey gave back,
and the ten the dog gave back; that makes eighty,
okay?"
"Okay," said God, "You asked for it."

So that is why for our first twenty years, we eat, sleep, play and enjoy ourselves.
For the next forty years, we slave in the sun to support our family.
For the next ten years, we do monkey tricks to entertain the grandchildren. And for the last ten years, we sit on the front porch and bark at everyone.
Life has now been explained to you.

There is no need to thank me for this valuable information.
I'm doing it as a public service.
If you are looking for me I will be on the front porch.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Once again again we will be having a Christmas Greeting section in our December issue. If anyone would like to have a greeting included, please could you hand to me or Anne Marie by Sunday 3rd December, for the edition available Sunday 10th December.

Once again your monetary donations will go towards supporting our Messy Church

Thankyou - Graeme Scott



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SUNDAY 3rd DECEMBER
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Flowers for our Holiness Table this Month have been given by

November 5th – Jane Lane
 November 12th – Joyce Odell
 November 19th - Graeme Scott
 November 26th – Maureen Jackson

If anyone wants to have a special Sunday date for next year flower list, please see Joyce or Lorraine. We thank both of them for their flower arranging each Sunday.



Quiz Night
 Thursday 30th November - 7pm
 In Sally Ann's Cafe
 £4 per person

If anyone can help in making cakes for this event please see Velma. Your help would be most appreciated

Many Thanks Karl Scott



If anyone can help in collecting this year during the carolling programme please see Anne Marie – your help would be most appreciated. Thankyou.

Corps Christmas Meal

Following on from last year, we have arranged another. This really does help support our Sally Ann's Cafe.

Friday 8th December – 7pm

Choice of Starters

Sweet potato & pepper soup
 Breaded mushrooms with garlic mayo & mixed salad
 Prawn cocktail with wholemeal roll

Choice of mains

Roast turkey with all the trimmings
 Roast gammon with parsley sauce
 Creamy vegetable pasta bake
 With garlic bread & salad

Choice of deserts

Christmas pudding with cream, custard or ice cream
 Forest fruit crumble with, custard or ice cream
 Red velvet gateaux

Tea, coffee & complimentary mince pie will be served at the end of the meal

£16.50

All monies to be handed in to Anne Marie at time of booking please.