

## The Key Questions..... Catherine Ryecroft



### How old are you?

'As old as my tongue and a little older than my teeth' –that makes me 54!

### Where do you live?

St Michael's Close, Bickley

### Do other members of your family attend BPC?

Yes, my husband David. James and Hannah do not live in the area.

### What is your occupation?

Advisory Teacher of the Deaf

### Do you have any particular hobbies and interests?

Keeping fit to music and Pilates. I am a member of the Keep Fit Association  
Films and musical theatre  
Cycling on the flat and walking in the fells  
Flower arranging

### What are your musical tastes?

Motown and Soul when I want to reminisce or feel in the party mood  
'Easy listening'  
Michael Buble has that wow factor!

### Which radio station do you listen to?

Magic FM as I drive around the Borough  
Classic or Smooth FM as a stress buster in heavy traffic

Radio 4 for company whilst doing jobs around the house

### What are your favourite television programmes?

Documentaries about people and places, travel and the natural world.  
Mini series with gripping plots and thought provoking scripts, such as "55 degrees North" and "Hustler"

### Which famous living person would you like to meet and why?

Prince Hassan of Jordan – He is diplomatic, speaking with moderation, tolerance and integrity on world affairs, in particular issues relating to the Middle East and interfaith peace. Besides, he has a wonderful voice that lulls the listener or me anyway!

### How long have you been worshipping at BPC?

Approximately 10 years.

### Do you have a specific role at BPC?

I've taken my turn with coffee and crèche rotas. I have recently taken over the two separate roles of Parish Children's Representative and Disclosing Officer

### Which other churches have you worshipped at?

St Dunstan's Canterbury  
St John's Eden Park  
St Mary's Shortlands

### What were 'first impressions' when you began attending BPC?

It wasn't as "stuffy" as I'd anticipated  
It's a pity that, for us, attending BPC necessitates going through the Market Square area of town, a place I aim to avoid at any time.

### Is there any one aspect of the parish or worship you particularly find attractive at BPC?

Sunday Evensong on a summer evening