CHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD OF CHURCH BELL RINGERS (Chester Branch)

WALK AND RING 2019



- The big event in our annual calendar will soon be with us. It's time to think again: about spending a day with fellow ringers, enjoying the views and ringing on some nice bells.
- We are in Lancashire this year, out in the country and in a delightful part of the red-rose county.
- It's the usual date once more: Spring Bank Holiday Monday (27th May).
- It's always a popular event in our calendar, and once again we look forward to seeing good numbers of you.

The route has been carefully researched and walked by Roger Boultbee. Thanks again, Roger. Below are the details, as supplied by him. As last year, we have not booked lunch for you, but leave it up to you to choose somewhere in the village of Croston (above).

It is important you let us know soon whether you will be coming on the walk, and I'll start collecting names at the beginning of May. I should certainly like to know definite numbers by Sunday 19th May.

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- > 10.00. Meet at Leyland (PR26 7SH). It is just over an hour's drive from most places in the Branch. There is a car park behind the church, via Glebe Way.
- 10.00 10.45. Ringing at Leyland, St James, Moss Side (6 bells; tenor 9-1-19 in F#; T).
- ➤ 10.45 12.15. Walk to Croston, St Michael and All Angels (PR 26 9HA). About one hour 30 minutes.
- ➤ 12.15 13.45. Lunch own arrangements. See note 1 below.
- ➤ 13.45 14.30. Ring at Croston (8 bells, tenor 15-3-9 in F; GF, T). See note 2.
- ➤ 14.30 15.15. Walk to Eccleston (PR7 6LZ). 45 minutes.
- > 15.15 16.00. Ringing at Eccleston St Mary the Virgin (6 bells, tenor 11-0-7 in A; GF).
- ➤ 16.00 17.15. Walk back to Leyland. About one hour 15 minutes. See note 3.
- > 17.30. Depart Leyland.
- > Total distance: about eight miles.



- **Note** 1. Croston is well served with good food pubs (The Wheatsheaf and Lord Nelson); Italian and Indian restaurants; a tea shop; picnic places beyond the church.
- Note 2. Croston has car parking for those not walking.
- **Note 3**. Eccleston has a car park opposite the church for those who might want to 'double shuffle' cars to avoid the walk back to Leyland.