

Some key dates mentioned

Anno Domini: the year of our Lord -

- 312 Roman Emperor Constantine converts
- 313 Christianity legalised in the Roman Empire
- 325 Council of Nicaea agrees date of Easter
- 410 The Roman legions leave Britain
- 450 The Anglo Saxons begin to arrive
- 580 Æthelberht of Kent marries Bertha a Frankish Christian.
- 597 The (re)birth of the English Church when Gregory sends Augustine and his team to evangelise Kent.
- 624 Edwin of Northumbria marries Christian Æthelburh of Kent.
- 673 Bede's earthly birthday
- 716 Boniface begins his mission on the continent
- 731 Bede writes *A History of the English Church and People*
- 735 Bede's heavenly birthday
- 793 First Viking raid on Lindisfarne
- 929 Æthelstan unites England
- 1022 Bede's bones moved to Durham

