## Shorter Walks Group 26th February

## Report by Sue Overton

Our happy band of 18 walkers met in the centre of the village of Ingleton. We detoured south past the village hall and traversed the recreation field – good place to bring grandchildren but also has a cricket pitch and sturdy outdoor gym equipment though nobody in the group was tempted to have a go!

A brief walk along the road before crossing a rather boggy field and over a relatively easy stile before heading down to Killerby Beck – a short, steep descent, but well signed and not difficult to negotiate.

The path now became a long ascent through fields until reaching the minor road which runs from Morton Tinmouth to Hilton. Here we took a left turn heading towards Hilton until we reached the Way of Life route, part of the Northern Saints Trail.

The views from this point were magnificent – would have been even better with less cloud – and made the walk back south to Ingleton very rewarding. The final trickier stile due to high fencing was a bit of a challenge but did not phase group members whose varied styles of mounting /dismounting were both impressive and entertaining!

Our next walk will be on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March

Contact Convenor, Liz Colley, 01833 695197 if you would like to join us