

Beverley Minster



Rejoicing, Reflecting, Revealing

Sunday 11 February 2018

Sunday Next Before Lent

Welcome to Beverley Minster.

If this is your first time here do introduce yourself to one of the welcomers or service leaders – and sign our visitors' book. All are invited to refreshments in the South Transept (to the right of the Organ) after the service.

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) Quinquagesima
President & Preacher: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker
Readings p.82 of the BCP

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW)
President & Preacher: Revd Canon Peter Wadsworth
Readings: 2 Corinthians 4: 3-6; Mark 9: 2-9
Psalm: 50 vv 1-6
Hymns: 478, 490, 259, 501

5.30 pm Choral Evensong
Leader: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker
Readings: 1 Kings 19: 1-16; 2 Peter 1: 16-end
Hymns: 467, 90, 158

Breakfast @ God's. After the 8 am service, Breakfast is served in the Parish Hall. Butties, toast, coffee and juice are available until 9.30 am.

Around the Churches Today

9.00 am Holy Communion at St Leonard's, Molescroft

James Heale

10.30 am Morning Prayer at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey

David Jefferson

10.30 am Holy Communion at the Church in Tickton

Jonathan Baker

Don't forget: if you Gift Aid your offering by using the yellow envelope (and filling it in!) we can get the tax back - £2.50 for every £10 given. *giftaid it*

Follow the Minster on Twitter @Bev_Minster (1100 followers) and like the Minster on Facebook (over 1000 likes). Both are a good way to catch up and get the latest updates. The Minster website is www.beverleyminster.org.uk – Mervyn keeps it up to date, and you'll find sermons, notice sheets and more. Sign up for the monthly Minster email, you'll find it at the top right of every page.

This week at the Minster

Mon 12 February

9.15 am Morning Prayer in the Minster
Join the Minster Staff to pray for our mission and ministry

Tues 13 February

10.00 am Time Out for young children and their carers, in the Parish Hall

3.30 pm Messy Church in the Parish Hall

4.00 pm Funeral of Mike Nicholson

Wed 14 February – Ash Wednesday

10.00 am Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes

7.30 pm Sung Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes

7.30 pm Emmaus Youth in the Parish Hall

Sat 17 February

9.30 am Me and My Dad Breakfast in the Parish Hall

Sunday 18 February – Lent 1

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) Lent 1
President & Preacher: Revd James Heale
Readings p.86 of the BCP

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW)
President & Preacher: Revd Alisdair Laird
Readings: 1 Peter 3: 18-end; Mark 1: 9-15
Psalms: 25 vv1-9
Hymns: 145, 560, 287, 426

5.30 pm Choral Evensong
Leader: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker
Readings: Genesis 2: 15-17 – 3: 1-7; Romans 5: 12-19
Hymns: 437, 205, 15

Around the Parishes Today

9.00 am	Holy Communion at St Leonard's, Molescroft	Jonathan Baker
10.30 am	Holy Communion at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey	Jonathan Baker
10.30 am	All-Age at the Church in Tickton	AAW Team
6.30 pm	Evensong at All Saints', Routh	David Jefferson

A People of Prayer

Morning Prayer: *Mon 9.15am in the Minster; Tues – Fri 8.15 am in the Parish Centre.*

Evening Prayer: *Mon – Wed and Fri 5pm in the Parish Centre. Thurs 7.30 pm Choral Evensong in the Minster.*

This Week please pray for:

Mission Focus: Church Mission Society: Give thanks for the ministry of Nick and Catherine Drayson and all involved on missionary work across the world among women and families. Please pray for the development of AMARE (South American MU) and the training of women locally and further afield, which keeps Catherine very busy! They continue trying to help families disciple their own children and youth, alongside whatever ministry the churches provide.

Woodmansey: Please pray for the residents of Plaxton Bridge Road, Warton Drive and the Caravan site.

The Prayer Box: The Prayer Ministry Team offers a confidential 'Prayer Circle' for anyone wishing for prayer to be said for friends & family suffering illness or any other trouble. The box for such requests is situated on the Book Trolley in the Nave.

Prayer Ministry: More people are needed to do Prayer Ministry on a Sunday morning. Please contact Marjorie Neaum (887825) if this is something you could do.

Church Notices and News

The late Mike Nicholson: Mike's funeral has been confirmed and will take place in the Minster on Tuesday 13 February at 4pm. No flowers please, donations for Beverley Minster PCC. All enquires to Stephenson & Son, 01482 881367.

Ash Wednesday, 14 February: Lent begins this coming Wednesday and will be marked with two services of Holy Communion. At 10am the order will follow the Book of Common Prayer, and at 7.30pm it will follow Common Worship. Both services will include the Imposition of Ashes. This is a good opportunity to mark the beginning of the season of penitence, reflection and discipline, so do join us if you can.

Lent Resources: Lent is a good opportunity to reflect upon our Christian journey and to grow closer to God. To help us do this, the Archbishops are recommending the booklet 'Live Lent' which provides a brief daily reading, reflection and prayers based on John's Gospel. Copies are available after the 10.30am Sunday service, cost £3, and thereafter from the shop. If enough of us take advantage of this resource, it will help us to listen to God as we consider where he may be leading us as a parish.

Lent Discussion : Valuing Our Vision. On Wednesday evenings between 21 February and 21 March the Vicar will be leading a series of discussions based on the five headings of the Minster's Vision Statement (see the website if this is unfamiliar!). This is intended to help us think about what it means to be part of Christ's church in this place, and to reflect on the challenges and opportunities we face at this time. Meetings will be at 7.30pm in either the Parish Hall or the Peter Harrison Room; please sign up on the sheet at the Highgate entrance if you are thinking of coming.

Lent boxes: Please take a box and fill it during Lent and return it at Easter or soon after. This is for the valuable work of the Church Mission Society (CMS).

We need Volunteers and Cakes: Wedding Fair Saturday 3 March. Volunteers are needed to help serve refreshments for this event. There will be a grid at the back of the church, please see if you are able to help and fill in your availability. The more the merrier!

Harpham Church: Shrove Tuesday 13 February, 10am – 10pm, Pancake Event in aid of Harpham Church. Mrs Anslow, Old Blacksmith's shop, Harpham. Do come if you can. Telephone 01262 490452.

Sunday Coffee Rota: Help is needed on the second Sunday of the month, on alternate months, starting on 8 April. One person is required to help the existing team. Help is also needed on the third Sunday of the month, four times a year (April, July, October and January), starting on 15 April. Two people are required to form a team with the new leader. If you enjoy this time of fellowship, please consider offering to serve the Minster family in this way. Contact Janet Simpson at coffee or by calling 01482 871564.

Women's World Day of Prayer: Friday 2 March, Toll Gavel United Church at 2pm. 'All God's Creation is Very Good', a service prepared by the women of Suriname. Several women from the Minster are taking part. Please join us. All welcome.

Woodmansey CE Primary recently had an OFSTED inspection. Please pray for Staff, Governors and pupils as they respond to the initial feedback.

Church Notices and News

Christian Aid Lent Lunch: The Minster is hosting the first Christian Aid Lent Lunch this year on 18 February at 12 noon – helpers urgently needed to make soup, set up, serve, wash up etc. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy delicious home made soup and good company (ring Meg Choules on 07986 332069).

Food and Fellowship: Our next meal is on Tuesday 17 February at 7pm. If you live on your own you will certainly be made very welcome. For further details contact Deena Sharples on 01482 679220.

Penny Lynch: Thank you to everyone at St Leonard's, Molescroft for their support and prayers during her illness. She continues to make good progress and hopes to return to church soon. Special thanks to Revd Ros Merryweather for her administration of Holy Communion in hospital.

Call for participants – The Hidden Face of Dementia: We are interested in finding out about how people with dementia are remembered. This includes finding out from people with dementia how they would like their loved ones to be commemorated. We hope to do this research to raise awareness and increase understanding of a topic which is often taboo in our society. We will be holding a focus group in March 2018. Please get in touch, email: rememberme@hull.ac.uk; Tel: 01482 466376 (Yvonne Inall, Project Research Office); Website: www.hull.ac.uk/rememberme.

Events At the Minster

Wednesday 14 February – 30 March (Good Friday): 9.00am-4.00pm – Art Installation for Lent. Mervyn King presents 'The Temptation of Jesus' in St Katherine's Chapel.

Saturday 3 March: 11.00am-3.00pm – Wedding Fair. Catwalk fashion shows at 12.30 and 2.00pm. Refreshments are available. FREE entry and all welcome. For more details email: ask@daltonspire.co.uk.

Saturday 17 March: 6.00pm – Organ Recital. Come and hear two of our young organists give a concert. Luca Myers and Harry Hainsworth-Staples learn with the generous support of YOST (Young Organ Scholars Trust). Free admission.

Events Around and About

Cosmic Chemistry: Do Science and God mix? Tuesday 13 March 2018, 7.30pm-9pm in the Allam Lecture Theatre, Esk Building (Business School), University of Hull. Professor John Lennox from Oxford University will speak. Free admission but entry by ticket only. Book tickets at: JohnLennoxHull2018.EventBrite.com.

York Minster Pilgrimage Walks: To celebrate the completion of the Great East window and the revealing of the restored East End for the first time in 10 years, the chapter of York and the York Minster Fund invite pilgrims from across the Diocese and beyond, to join us for a reception and celebratory Evensong on **Saturday 12 May 2018**. Some pilgrims may choose to walk for a week or to cycle for a day. Some may also wish to use the opportunity to collect sponsorship and raise money for charities such as Christian Aid. All are welcome.