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# FEBRUARY - MAY



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Welcome to the Spring edition of *What's On* at Beverley Minster. Prayers have been said on this site since John, Bishop of York, founded a monastery here. He retired to this place and died in 712. Visit his tomb in the Minster and follow in the footsteps of the thousands of pilgrims who came to Beverley to venerate Saint John.

Whether you visit as a tourist to see one of the most beautiful Gothic churches in Europe, come to a service, attend a concert or visit an exhibition, you will be made most welcome.



### **Events** Calendar

# February

Sunday 4 10.30 - 11.30 All-Age Christingle Service

#### **Tuesday 13**

15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

#### Wednesday 14 - Good Friday (March 30)

09.00 - 16.00 (Sundays 12.00 - 17.00) Art Installation for Lent Mervyn King presents 'The Temptation of Jesus' in St Katherine's Chapel

#### Wednesday 14

**† Ash Wednesday** Both services will include the imposition of ashes
 10.00 Holy Communion
 19.30 Sung Holy Communion

#### Saturday 17

09.30 - 11.00 Me & My Dad in the Parish Hall

#### Saturday 24

10.00 - 12.30 **"Snail & the Whale" Family Day** in the Minster for craft activities, films, stories, games and refreshments for all the family.

#### Sunday 25

19.15 Sunday @ 7 Speaker: Chris Gates (Christians Against Poverty)

#### **Tuesday 27**

15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

#### SERVICES

**First Sunday of the month** 08.00 Holy Communion 10.30 All-Age Service 17.30 Parish Communion

**Other Sundays** 08.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion 17.30 Choral Evensong

#### Thursdays

10.00 Holy Communion 19.30 Choral Evensong (Except during school holidays)

Morning and Evening Prayer is said on most weekdays. See website or notices for details.



Services are subject to change over the Easter period

Events are in the Minster unless otherwise stated

Please check our website for up to date information: www.beverleyminster.org.uk

# March

#### Saturday 3

11.00 - 15.00 Wedding Fair Catwalk fashion shows at 12.30 and 14.00 Refreshments. FREE entry. *E: ask@daltonspire.co.uk* 

#### Sunday 4

15.00 Bereavement Service For anyone remembering a loved one

Sunday 11 10.30 - 11.30 Mothering Sunday All-Age Worship

Tuesday 13 15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

**Saturday 17** 09.30 - 11.00 **Me & My Dad** in the Parish Hall

#### Saturday 17

18.00 Organ Recital Come and hear our young organists Harry Hainsworth-Staples and Luca Myers present an evening of organ music. Both learn as part of the Young Organ Scholars Trust (YOST). Free admission with retiring collection.

#### Monday 19

19.30 for 20.00 CAMEO in the Emmaus Room

#### Sunday 25 † Palm Sunday

10.30 Holy Communion with the Blessing of the Palms

#### 17.30 Stainer's *Crucifixion* Sung by the Minster Choir. Free admission. Retiring collection.

#### Monday 26 - Wednesday 28

21.00 Compline An atmospheric service of night prayer sung by the adults of the Minster choir

#### Monday 26 – Thursday 29

12.45 Holy Week Lunchtime Prayer A simple service of reflection and prayer, lasting 20 minutes.

#### Tuesday 27

15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

#### Thursday 29 † Maundy Thursday

- 10.00 Holy Communion
- 19.30 Sung Holy Communion

#### Friday 30

#### **†** Good Friday

- 09.30 Choral Matins and the Litany in procession
- 12.00 14.00 At the cross: prayer and reflection 14.00 - 15.00 The Last Hour

## **Events** Calendar

# April

#### Sunday 1 † Easter Day

08.00 Holy Communion
10.30 Sung Holy Communion
16.00 Choral Evensong (with procession to the Easter Garden)

Monday 2 – Sunday 8 New Paths Music 2018 See events on page 8

Sunday 15 10.30 - 11.30 All-Age Worship

**Saturday 21** 09.30 - 11.00 **Me & My Dad** in the Parish Hall

Tuesday 24 15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

Saturday 28 10.00 - 15.30 Vintage/Retro and Handmade Fair E: ask@daltonspire.co.uk

Sunday 29 19.15 Sunday at 7 in the Parish Hall Easter in Art 1: The resurrection according to Matthew and Piero della Francesca



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# May

Saturday 5 10.00 - 16.30 Friends of Beverley Minster Study Day See details on page 11

#### Saturday 5

10.00 - 12.30 Family Day in the Minster for craft activities, films, stories, games and refreshments for all the family.

#### Saturday 5

19.30 **East Riding County Choir Concert** Vivaldi *Gloria* and Goodall *Eternal Light* Ticket information: *eastridingcountychoir.org* 

Sunday 6 10.30 - 11.30 All-Age Worship

Tuesday 8 15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

#### Sunday 13 14.30 St John of Beverley Civic Service with the Archbishop of York

Saturday 19 09.30 - 11.00 Me & My Dad in the Parish Hall

Tuesday 22 15.30 - 17.30 Messy Church in the Parish Hall

Friday 25 and Sunday 27 Beverley & East Riding Early Music Festival See page 9 for details

#### Sunday 27 19.15 Sunday at 7 in the Parish Hall Easter in Art 2: The resurrection according to Mark and Bartolomeo Schedoni



### **NEW PATHS MUSIC April 2 - 8**

Details of all events: www.newpathsmusic.com

#### Monday 2

10.30 -17.00 The Easter Sing

Come and join singers from across Yorkshire and beyond in a day of celebratory Easter singing, led by the charismatic **Joanna Tomlinson**. Repertoire will include choruses from Handel's *Messiah* and music from Vaughan Williams and Wesley to gospel. Held in memory of Alan Spedding and raising funds for the Alan Spedding Memorial Fund. Free to take part (suggested donation £10); sign up *admin@newpathsmusic.com* 

Concluding performance at 16.00 free and open to all.

#### Thursday 5

17.00 - 18.00 Choral Evensong

The Choir of Jesus College, Cambridge, sings services during the festival, directed by **Richard Pinel.** 

#### Saturday 7

12.30 -13.00 Organists Entertain

Three resident festival organ students, highly talented young players who have been

selected from Oundle for Organists courses, give informal performances in the Minster. Free. Followed by a ploughman's lunch in the Parish Hall (£5).

#### **Saturday 7**

17.00 - 18.00 A Jorvik Evensong

A tribute to the abundant musical heritage of York Minster in a service of music stemming from that magnificent place. Sung by the choir of Jesus College, Cambridge.

#### Sunday 8

10.30 -12.00 Eucharist

The Choir of Jesus College, Cambridge, concludes its residency at the Minster by leading the Sunday morning worship. They will be joined by a brass consort of elite students from the East Riding Schools Music.

#### Sunday 8

12.30 -13.00 Organ Recital

Gunnar Idenstam, world-class concert organist, composer and folk musician renowned for his playing of Bach and also for jamming with Bennie from Abba. £8. Tickets from East Riding Theatre Box Office or on the door.



Details of all events: www.ncem.co.uk/bemf

#### Friday 25 13.00 – c.14.00 The 24 directed by Robert Hollingworth



Join us in the Nave of Beverley Minster to hear the University of York's acclaimed vocal ensemble The 24. They celebrate the rich German choral traditions of Schütz, Schein and Mendelssohn: formal, daring and beautifully crafted – presented here alongside the rarely heard English Tudor masterpiece John Sheppard's 'Media vita' – a glorious sound-scape which could have been purposefully designed to celebrate this magnificent building. Tickets £14.00 (concessions £12.00, under 35s £5.00)

#### Saturday 26

#### 10.00 - 13.00 The Revolutionary Recorder

A workshop for advanced recorder players directed by Piers Adams in the Minster Parish Hall

For detailed information, please access: www.ncem.co.uk/recorderworkshop18

#### Sunday 27

14.00 – 15.00 in the Quire of Beverley Minster **Ashley Solomon - flute** 



#### Father, Son and Godfather

Ashley Solomon explores repertoire for unaccompanied flute by three giants of the baroque era.

Six Fantasias by Telemann are performed either side of works by Johann Sebastian Bach and his most famous son Carl Phillip Emmanuel who was inspired to write for the flute by his employer King Frederick the Great of Prussia. All three composers were very closely linked, with Telemann being CPE Bach's Godfather.

All twelve Fantasias have recently been recorded by Ashley Solomon for Channel Classics on a number of flutes, including two unique instruments both built in 1760. One is an ivory flute by the English maker Cahusac, the other belongs to the Royal Collection Trust and is believed to have been owned and played by King George III.

Tickets £15.00 (concessions £13.00, under 35s £5.00)

Tickets available from Beverley TIC, Treasure House; via *www.ncem.co.uk/bemf* or on the door if available.

### Children, Youth and Families

See listings for: Family Days, Messy Church and Me & My Dad Breakfast

**Time Out** (babies and toddlers) every Tuesday 10.00-11.30 in the Parish Hall (except April 3)

**Emmaus Youth Group** (Y7-Y11) every Wednesday (*term time*) 19.30-21.00 in the Parish Hall

more details:

ben@beverleyminster.org.uk 01482 868540 @bevminyouth Facebook: Minster Youth & Children



### Keep in touch

Register online for the Minster's free enewsletter and follow us on social media



www.beverleyminster.org.uk



# STUDY DAY

### SATURDAY 5 MAY 10.00 – 16.30 in the Peter Harrison Room

Speaker: Jon Cannon (lecturer, author, researcher, BBC TV presenter) 'A Thousand Years of History: Medieval Cathedrals as Time Machines'

Includes morning coffee, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and pastries. Cost: £38 (£34 for Friends) Further details in the Friends of Beverley Minster Newsletter (February) and on the Minster website

# **ROOF TOURS**



Every Saturday at 11.00 Please book in advance. T&Cs apply. See website for details.

### Plan your visit



#### Beverley Minster, Minster Yard North Beverley, East Riding of Yorkshire, HU17 0DP T: 01482 868540 E: minster@beverleyminster.org.uk W: www.beverleyminster.org.uk

#### By car:

Use SatNav **HU17 0DP**. There is free parking opposite the Minster entrance (30 spaces) and timelimited free parking in Highgate (1 hour) and Minster Yard North (2 hours). There is a multi-storey car park in the Flemingate Shopping Centre.

#### By bus or train:

Walking distance from the bus station is about 15 minutes and from the train station is about 10 minutes.

#### By air:

Nearest airports are Humberside (22 miles) and Doncaster (50 miles).

Visitors are always welcome at services. See page 4 for details.

#### Admission to the Minster is free.

#### **Opening hours**

**Weekdays** April – October **9.00 – 17.30** (doors close 17.15)

November – March 9.00 – 16.00 (doors close 15.45)

**Sundays** 12 noon – 17.00

#### **Access and facilities**

- There is level, step free access at the accessible entrance door, which opens automatically. The entrance is signed from the main entrance.
- Wheelchair accessible toilets are available in the Parish Hall. Please ask one of the Welcomers or Virgers on duty in the Minster if you require this facility.
- There are two parking spaces for blue badge holders in the Minster car park opposite the main entrance at the end of Highgate.
- Guide dogs, hearing dogs and assistance dogs are welcome in the Minster at all times.