



Sunday 12 January 2020

Baptism of Christ

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 served at the west end of the Minster after the service.

Sunday 12 January 2020

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) *First Sunday after Epiphany*
 President & Preacher: Revd Wendy Wale
Readings p.67 of the BCP

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

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW) *Sung by the Choir of St Hild & St Bede College, Durham*
 President: Revd Wendy Wale Preacher: Clare Nelson (Compassion UK)
Readings: Isaiah 42: 1 – 9; Matthew 3: 13 – end
Hymns: 115, 514, 317, 193
Psalm: 29

5.30 pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Choir of St Hild & St Bede College, Durham*
 Leader: Revd Tim Kelly
Readings: Joshua 3: 1 – 8, 14 – end; Hebrews 1: 1 – 12
Hymns: 172, 82, 33
Psalm: 46

Around the Churches Today

9.15 am	Holy Communion at St Leonard's Church, Molescroft	Jonathan Baker
10.30 am	Morning Prayer at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey	David Jefferson
4 pm	Informal 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 a link at the bottom of the homepage.

Prayer Ministry: The Prayer Ministry offers confidential prayer in the Choir stalls during Communion services each Sunday morning. This is available for any kind of need. Also, there is a box situated on the book trolley in the Nave for such requests.

This Week at the Minster

Mon 13 January

9.15am **Holy Communion** in St Katherine's Chapel

Tues 14 January

10am **Time Out** in the Parish Hall

3.30pm **Messy Church** in the Parish Hall

7.30pm **START Course** in the Peter Harrison Room

Wed 15 January

3.30pm **Oasis Drop-In** in the Parish Hall

Thurs 16 January

10am **Holy Communion (CW)** President & Preacher: Revd Canon Peter Wadsworth

7.30pm **Choral Evensong** Leader: Mrs Diana Watkins

Saturday 18 January

9.30am **Me and My Dad Breakfast** in the Parish Hall

Sunday 19 January 2020 – Second Sunday of Epiphany

8.00 am **Holy Communion (BCP)**

Second Sunday after Epiphany

President: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker Preacher: Lois Beynon

Readings p.69 of the BCP

10.30 am **Holy Communion (CW)**

President & Preacher: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker

Readings: 1 Corinthians 1: 1 – 9; John 1: 29 – 42

Hymns: 174, 214, 259, 564

Psalm: 40 w 1 – 12

3.00 pm **Baptism of Iris Jean Mary Myatt**

Officiant: Revd Wendy Wale

5.30 pm **Choral Evensong**

Leader: Revd Wendy Wale

Readings: Ezekiel 2: 1 – 3: 4; Galatians 1: 11 – end

Hymns: 368, 266, 277

Psalm: 96

Around the Churches Today

9.15 am **Holy Communion** at St Leonard's Church, Molescroft

Wendy Wale

10.30 am **Holy Communion** at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey

Wendy Wale

10.30 am **All-Age Worship** at the Church in Tickton

AAW Team

A People of Prayer

Mon 9.15am Holy Communion in St Katherine's Chapel; Tues – Fri 8.15am Morning Prayer in the Minster.

Mon - Wed 5pm Evening Prayer in the Parish Centre. Thurs 7.30pm Choral Evensong in the Minster.

This Week please pray for:

Mission Focus on Jacob's Well: Please pray for the Jacob's Well educational project – Remote Areas Hotspot for Education and Learning (RACHEL). Second hand computers have programmes installed on them containing a mass of health, agricultural and education information. Also pray that people continue to sponsor children through the Education Sponsor.

Woodmansey: Please pray for residents of Scholefield Avenue and Queensmead.

Church Notices and News

Val Clarke: We are sad to announce the death of Revd Val Clarke on Boxing Day following a short battle with acute myeloid leukaemia. Val was a much-loved Minister and friend to many at Beverley Minster. She will be sadly missed. All are welcome to a service of Thanksgiving for her life (following family committal in the morning) on Friday 17 January at 2.30pm in Bradford Cathedral, conducted by Revd Jeremy Fletcher. There is a coach leaving at 12noon from the Minster but there are very few spaces left. If you would like a space please get in contact with Deena Sharples (01482 679220) or the Parish Centre (01482 868540) by Monday 13 January.

Pastoral Reorganisation – Legal Notice: “A Notice giving details of proposed pastoral reorganisation affecting this parish has been or will be displayed near the main door and on the Church of England website. The Notice includes the last date by which representations regarding the proposed reorganisation may be made to the Church Commissioners.”

The reorganisation concerns the creation of a United Benefice of Beverley Minster and Routh, which will allow the lifting of the suspended patronage of All Saints', Routh, and the confirmation of the Vicar of Beverley Minster as also Vicar of Routh. This will bring to an end the temporary suspension of the patronage of Routh, which has lasted for over 50 years!

Please note: There will be temporary road closures of Minster Yard North and Highgate, including the suspension of parking bays, on Thursday 23 and Friday 24 January due to filming taking place at the Minster and along Highgate.

Weekly Giving envelopes for 2020 are available for collection at the back of church. Any queries to Graham Bolt (872576).

Sanctuary Project: The National Lottery Heritage Fund has issued 'permission to start' our Sanctuary Project. We have had a positive and constructive pre-start meeting with the successful building contractor. A consultant has been appointed by the NLHF to support us with the Interpretation element of the project. A Learning and Engagement Officer will be appointed in due course and a revised grant expiry date of 30 April 2022 has been agreed due to our decision to condense that employment from three years into two years. Tim Carlisle.

Audio Sermons and Transcripts: We now have transcripts available for most of the audio sermons on the website. We also have transcripts for two of Jonathan's sermons pre-audio. To find them on the website: **Home>Worship and Music>Worship>Audio Sermons**. We are also in need of extra people to help record sermons for each service. If you could help with this either speak to Libby Naylor (Virger – Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday) or contact the Parish Centre, 01482 868540.

As an aid to our care of each other: if you know a member of our congregation who is ill or in need, in hospital or at home, please do notify the clergy via the Parish Centre (868540), having gained the permission of the individual to do so. All information will be treated confidentially. As well as the clergy there are members of our congregation who can visit, take communion or help in other ways.

Minster Walkers: We meet each Wednesday. For more details contact Roger Dent – 880947.

Events At The Minster

Sunday at Seven: On Sunday 26 January there will be NO Sunday at Seven due to the Churches Together in Beverley joint service at St Nicholas Church.

Life after Christmas? If you would like to explore the relevance of the birth of Christ after the tinsel has come down, there will be an opportunity to discover and discuss Christianity in six small group evening sessions in the Peter Harrison room (opposite the Minster north side). Feel free to come along on 14 January to see if this is something that would interest you. For details, see www.beverleyminster.org.uk/start , call 01482 868540 or email curate@beverleyminster.org.uk. Open to all who are baffled by church, those who want to reconnect with faith, those who are jaded, those who want to take a first step and those who just want to go deeper.

Please join us for Sunday Lunch: We will be returning to the Monks Walk for Sunday lunch at 12.30pm on 19 January. All are very welcome to join us - there are roast dinners and vegetarian/vegan options on offer from £8 - £12 depending on size, plus delicious puddings. It's a great way to meet new people, invite new people, especially from the daughter churches. Please let Wendy Wale (wendy@beverleyminster.org.uk) or Gill Pickford (07971 652531) know if you are able to join us so that the pub can prepare enough room/food for us all.

Calling All Singers: If you would like to join a choir to help us lead the 10.30am service on Sunday 26 January please meet in the song room in the parish hall at 9.45am. Any questions please contact Robert Poyser (Director of Music) on 01482 868540 or music@beverleyminster.org.uk.

Events Around and About

Food and Fellowship: Our next meal is at 7pm on Tuesday 14 January. If you live on your own please think about coming along, you will be made very welcome. For further details please contact Deena Sharples, 01482 679220.

More Tea Vicar? A New Year date for your diary... Jonathan, Wendy and Tim (together with their families) would like to invite you round for tea and cake on Saturday 1 February from 10am - 12noon or 2pm - 4pm. The Vicarage (The Bakers), 23 Outer Trinities (The Kellys) and 28 Newton Drive (The Wales). Everyone is welcome to visit any or all of the homes for a cup of tea and biscuit/cake- but please respect the time boundaries. Please do not bring any gifts- there will be a donation box in each home for the work of the Children's Society.