

Sunday 18 February 2018 Lent 1

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) Lent 1

President & Preacher: Revd James Heale

Readings p.86 of the BCP

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.

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW) with Baptism of Daisy Willmoth

President & Preacher: Revd Alisdair Laird Readings: 1 Peter 3: 18-end; Mark 1: 9-15

Psalm: 25 vv 1-9

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 Churches Today

9.00 amHoly Communion at St Leonard's, MolescroftJonathan Baker10.30 amHoly Communion at St Peter's Church, WoodmanseyJonathan Baker10.30 amAll-Age at the Church in TicktonAAW Team6.30 pmEvensong at All Saints', RouthDavid Jefferson

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.

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 19 February

9.15 am Morning Prayer in the Minster

Join the Minster Staff to pray for our mission and ministry

Tues 20 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

Wed 21 February

7.30 pm Emmaus Youth in the Parish Hall

Thurs 22 February

10.00 am Holy Communion (CW) President & Preacher: Rt Revd David James

7.30 pm Choral Evensong Leader: Anne Almond

Sat 24 February

10.30 am Family Day 'The Snail and the Whale' in the Minster

Sunday 25 February – Lent 2

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) Lent 2

President & Preacher: TBA Readings p.88 of the BCP

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW)

President & Preacher: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker

Readings: Romans 4: 13-end; Mark 8: 31-end

Psalm: 22 vv 23-end Hymns: 110, 465, 54, 532

5.30 pm Choral Evensong

Leader: Mr David Jefferson

Readings: Genesis 12: 1-9; Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16

Hymns: 364, 117, 321

7.15 pm Sunday at Seven: Informal Worship, Teaching and Ministry

Leader: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker

Around the Parishes Today

9.00 am Holy Communion at St Leonard's, Molescroft
10.30 am All-Age at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey
10.30 am Holy Communion (MSB) at the Church in Tickton
Peter Clark

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: Please pray for Nick Drayson as he continues his work and leadership in Argentina, trying to find appropriate ways of handing over responsibilities to capable people in mission; training, administration and pastoral care – as well as continuing to give direction and vision.

Baptism: Daisy Willmoth is baptised today at the Minster. Please pray that Daisy and her family and friends will grow in the Christian Faith.

Woodmansey: Please pray for the residents of Hull Road (north of King Street) and Thearne Lane.

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

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).

Men's Monthly Meeting: Monday 26 February, 7.30pm at the Monk's Walk. For more details contact Tony Kelham: 01482 862899 or tony@kelham.karoo.co.uk.

Christ For All in Andhra Pradesh (CFA): Recently we have received the sad news of the sudden death of Rev John Mark, leader if the Christian Service Unit in Khammam. Whilst in hospital for the removal of a gallbladder, some complications developed, eventually leading to cardiac arrest. Please remember his daughter Evangeline in your prayers. It is anticipated that Franklin, who has deputised for John Mark in the leadership of the organisation for several years will become legal president of CFA. It is expected that Revd Paul Niroshima Rao will oversee the spiritual side of the work.

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!

Sunday Coffee Rota: Help is 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.

Food and Fellowship: Our next meal is on Tuesday 27 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.

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Christian Aid Lent Lunch Today: The Minster is hosting the first Christian Aid Lent Lunch today at 12 noon – helpers are urgently needed to set up, serve and wash up etc. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy delicious home made soup and good company (ring Meg Choules on 07968 332069).

Christian Aid Lent Lunches: 25 February at St Mary's Church; 4 March at Toll Gavel; 11 March – no lunch due to Mothering Sunday; 18 March at Norwood; 25 March at Friends Meeting House. All 12 noon until 1pm, everyone welcome.

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 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: I I.00am-3.00pm – Wedding Fair. Catwalk fashion shows at I2.30pm 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

Opening Event: Celebrate the opening of King's Church's new House of Prayer and Community rooms - Sunday 18 February at 2pm. Opening ceremony with the Mayor of Beverley, open house with coffee and cakes, activities for children, young people, and families. www.kingschurchbeverley.co.uk.

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.