

Sunday 24 November 2019

Christ The King

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 24 November 2019

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) Sunday Next Before Advent
 President & Preacher: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker
Readings p.197 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 Choral Holy Communion (CW)
 Leader: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker Preacher: Revd Tim Kelly
Readings: Colossians 1: 11 – 20; Luke 23: 33 – 43
Hymns: 99, 393, 103, 33
Psalm: 46

2.30 pm Baptism of Martin Hunt *Officiant: Revd Wendy Wale*

5.30 pm Choral Evensong
 Leader & Preacher Revd Canon Jonathan Baker
Readings: 1 Samuel 8: 4 – 20; John 18: 33 – 37
Hymns: 296, 158, 13
Psalm: 72

7.15pm Sunday at Seven: Informal Worship, Teaching and Ministry
 Leader: Revd Wendy Wale

Around the Churches Today

9.15 am	Holy Communion at St Leonard's Church, Molescroft	David James
10.30 am	All-Age Worship at St Peter's Church, Woodmansey	Ben Merrell
10.30 am	Holy Communion at the Church in Tickton	Diane Finch

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 25 November

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

Tues 26 November

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

11am **Funeral of Alice Scott** in the Minster

12noon **Bible Study Group** in the Parish Hall

7pm **Taizé Service** in the Peter Harrison Room

Wed 27 November

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

Thurs 28 November

10am **Holy Communion (BCP)** President & Preacher: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker

7.30pm **Choral Evensong** Leader: Revd Tim Kelly

Saturday 30 November

10am – 12.30pm **Family Morning** in the Minster

7pm **East Riding County Choir Concert** in the Minster

Sunday 1 December 2019 – Advent Sunday

8.00 am **Holy Communion (BCP)**

First Sunday in Advent

President & Preacher: Revd Wendy Wale

Readings p.47 of the BCP

10.30 am **All-Age Worship**

Leader: Revd Wendy Wale Preacher: Revd Tim Kelly

Readings & Hymns: See Order of Service

6.30 pm **Advent Procession**

Leaders: Revd Canon Jonathan Baker & Revd Wendy Wale

Preacher: Revd Tim Kelly

Around the Churches Today

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

Irene Shaw

9.15 am **Holy Communion** at All Saints' Church, Routh

Jonathan Baker

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

Jonathan Baker

10.30 am **Morning Service** at the Church in Tickton

Peter Cross

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 Christian Service Unit Khamman India (formerly Christ For All): Please pray for the twenty-three people enrolled on the six months training in sewing and embroidery. Pray for the resources to continue this work, which provides the students with a livelihood.

Baptism: Martin Edmund Hunt is baptised today in the Minster. Please pray for Martin and his family and friends that they grow in the Christian faith.

Funeral: Please pray for the family and friends of those who mourn Alice Scott whose funeral takes place this week in the Minster.

Woodmansey: Please pray for residents of Kingsmead and King Street.

Church Notices and News

We are sad to announce that Rosemary Lewis passed away on Wednesday 20 November in Hull Royal Infirmary. Our thoughts and prayers are with her daughter Roz and the family at this sad time. We will post funeral arrangements as we know them.

Val Clarke: Val is now at home recovering and will be going back for her next round of treatment soon. Please, no visitors but she sends her love and thanks everyone for their prayers, kind wishes and cards.

Sunday at Seven: THIS EVENING in the Parish Hall with refreshments from 7pm, starting at 7.15pm. Our final session of the year is **'Encountering God in Drama'** and we will be hearing from Actor Nell Baker who will be speaking and performing for us. All are very welcome.

Following our visit from Dr Corine Watkins last Sunday to talk about the amazing work of St Joseph's Hospital in the Democratic Republic of Congo, there is an opportunity to donate directly to their work. Cheques should be made payable to Beverley Minster PCC and put in an envelope clearly marked ' For St Joseph's Hospital'. If you are eligible for Gift Aid, please use a Gift Aid Form. The money has to be sent in one lump sum as there is a large transfer charge- as such, please send cheques before the end of November.

Help Needed: We need Stewards and people to serve refreshments on 30 November for the County Choir Concert. Concert at 7pm but help required from 6.30pm. Sign up at the back of church or speak to Eleanor (Lead Virger).

Do you have any left-over Christmas Cards? We are planning to recycle them to make decorations for the prayer tree for the Christmas Tree Festival on 5 – 8 December. Please bring any cards you have to the office- and if you'd like to help make some decorations, please chat to Lauren as she has templates!

Do you like playing Board Games? We are thinking about setting up a monthly board games afternoon at the Monks Walk in the new year. If you'd be interested in such a group please contact Tim Kelly (curate@beverleyminster.org.uk or 07539 429945). We are also interested in any board game suggestions you might have, and if anyone would like to help run the group.

Christmas Cards: Beverley Minster official Christmas cards are now available from the Minster shop. £4.50 for a pack of five and all proceeds go to the Minster.

Taizé Service: We have started a monthly Taizé Service on Tuesdays from 7pm - 7.45pm. All are welcome to this contemplative worship space with music, candles, silence, images and prayer. The next Taizé service will be on Tuesday 26 November (Peter Harrison Room).

Did you know that Beverley Minster partners with a number of organisations locally and around the world to share God's love? There is a variety of organisations, including Open Doors, who work with refugees in Hull and St Joseph's Hospital in the Democratic Republic of Congo. If you would like to find out more and how to get involved, we have just updated our website and there is a link from the home page: www.beverleyminster.org.uk.

Events At The Minster

East Riding County Choir Concert: Handel's Messiah is performed in the Minster on Saturday 30 November at 7pm. Tickets are £17.50 and £10.00, available online at www.eastridingcountychoir.org and on the door.

Family Morning in Beverley Minster: Saturday 30 November, 10am-12.30pm. Our theme this time is Stick Man and all under 11s are welcome with their families. A morning of story, craft, fun and snacks- something for everyone! We'd love some new helpers who are willing to come along and help supervise craft, make drinks or chat to families- if you wish to know more or are able to volunteer, please contact Ben@beverleyminster.org.uk.

The Christmas Trees Are Coming! We need your help again:

- On 25 November the two large twenty-one-foot Christmas trees arrive at midday.
- On 3 December 93 trees for this year's Christmas Tree Festival arrive about 8.30am. It takes a couple of hours to unload the lorry and erect all the magnificent trees.

Bacon sandwiches and a hot drink supplied. If you can come please let Peter Mounstephen know on 07963 230645.

 **Parish Christmas Lunch** 

Sunday 1 December at 12 noon. Tickets for this year's Christmas Parish Lunch are now available from the Parish Centre. £9 for adults, children are free. **Please make sure you book before Monday 25 November.** There is of course a nut roast option for vegetarians.

St Peter's Carol Singing around Woodmansey village: Join us on Tuesday 3 December for the annual carol singing around the village. All are welcome to come and sing. Please meet at The Warton Arms to start the fun at 6.30pm. Any donations collected will be given to The Emmaus Charity.

Mothers' Union: Tuesday 3 December, 12noon for 12.30pm – Christmas lunch at the Queen's Head, Wednesday Market. Contact Daphne Kemp (01964 550701) for details and the menu. Booking essential, £5 deposit.

Carols at The Old School House, New Walkergate (opposite the bus station): Tuesday 10 December, 2pm. Come along and join the regular team for a special Christmas sing. All welcome, of course.

An Opportunity to Join a Choir for Christmas! If you would like to take part in a choir that will help lead our Churches Together in Beverley carol service this year please get in touch. Rehearsals are at Beverley Minster Parish Hall on Monday 2 December at 6.30pm and Sunday 8 December at 4pm, in preparation for the service itself on the 15 December at 6.30pm. The choir will be led by Louise and Rod McPhee. Contact music@beverleyminster.org.uk to register your interest (including an indication of what part you sing) or to find out more.

St Peter's 'Carols and Cheer' evening: Join us on Tuesday 17 December, 7pm at The Warton Arms. Enjoy this fun evening of communal carol singing with Family and Friends, while enjoying a cup of Christmas cheer and a cracker joke or two. A collection will be held on the evening in support of The Emmaus Charity. All welcome.