



Easter Sunday



Sunday 20th April 2025

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.

Sunday 20th April 2025 – Easter Sunday

- 8am** **Holy Communion (BCP)**
in the Minster Quire
- 10.30am** **Joint Holy Communion Service**
in the Minster
- 4pm** **Festal Evensong with Procession**
in the Nave
- 7.30pm** **Encounter Service**
in the Nave

Around the Churches:

- 9.15am** **Holy Communion** at All Saints', Routh
- 9.30pm** **Holy Communion** at St Leonard's, Molescroft
- 10.30am** **Holy Communion** at St Paul's, Tickton
- 10.30am** **Holy Communion** at St Peter's, Woodmansey

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

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No Breakfast @ God's this week. It will return on Sunday 27th April.

Children at Beverley Minster

We have groups during our @9.15 and 11am services:

- During the @9.15 and 11am services there is a creche area with toys and books
- @9.15 – during the service there is a children's table with activities led by our team.
- 11am – children can leave the service during the first hymn and return for The Peace to join age groups at the East End of the Minster led by our team.

For more info, contact our Youth and Children's Minister, Ben:
ben@beverleyminster.org.uk

Ways To Keep Up With The Minster Online:

- www.beverleyminster.org.uk for news, service information, sermons and more. Sign up to the newsletter too: link on the homepage.
- Facebook: @BevMinI for news, updates and livestreams
- Twitter: @Bev_Minster for news and events
- Instagram: @beverleyminsterofficial for pictures of what we're up to
- YouTube: @BeverleyMinsterI for videos and livestreams
- Use the QR code to the right to see our weekly sermons

Sermons



This Week at the Minster

Monday 21st April

11am **Roof Tour** *in the Minster*

2pm **Roof Tour** *in the Minster*

Tuesday 22nd April

9.30am **Minster Tots** *in the Parish Hall*

Wednesday 23rd April

11am **Exploring Beverley Minster Tour** *in the Minster*

1pm **Roof Tour** *in the Minster*

Thursday 24th April

10am **Holy Communion (CW)** *in the Minster Quire*

1.30pm **Table Tennis** *in the Parish Hall*

7.30pm **No Choral Evensong this week**

Saturday 26th April

10am **Stone Carving Workshop** *in the Parish Hall*

11am **Roof Tour** *in the Minster*

1pm **Exploring Beverley Minster Tour** *in the Minster*

2pm **Roof Tour** *in the Minster*

Sunday 27th April 2025

8am **Holy Communion (BCP)**
in the Minster Quire

9.15am **@9.15 Service**
at the West End of the Minster

11am **Choral Holy Communion (CW)**
in the Minster

5.30pm **Choral Evensong**
in the Minster

Around the Churches:

9.30pm **Holy Communion** *at St Leonard's, Molescroft*

10.30am **Methodist Service** *at St Paul's, Tickton*

Parish Centre Opening Times:

Please note that the Administration Manager will be away from Friday 25th April until Monday 12th May, returning Tuesday 13th May. This will mean that the Parish Centre opening hours may vary from usual. Please also note that the Director of Operations will be away on Jury Service from 14th April for a minimum of two weeks and may be unable to respond to emails.

Church Notices and News

Parish Hall Repairs: Roofing works will start Friday 25th April. We estimate that the work will take up to 2 weeks so the pavement will be closed and the front door unusable until 9th May.

Christian Aid Lent Lunch: Many thanks to all who supported the Lent lunch last week - helpers and diners - we raised £305 for Christian Aid.

St Leonard's, Molescroft: Andrew Hancock wishes to thank everyone from St Leonard's and the Minster for their prayer, support and cards during his recent stay in Hull Royal Infirmary. He really does appreciate your kindness.

Holy Communion: We are currently administering Holy Communion in two forms whilst there is still some uncertainty about Covid. If you are comfortable receiving wine from the shared cup (which is now normal in Cathedrals as there is no evidence of a higher risk of infection) please go to the team distributing bread and wine on the right hand (south) side of the altar where two chalices are available. If you would prefer to receive a wafer already dipped in wine, please go to the team on the left hand (north) side of the altar – but please do not try to take the wafer from the fingers of the minister, as that will increase the risk of infecting everyone! Gluten-free wafers are available from both stations. Our intention is to return to sharing the common cup as the usual option as soon as possible. Thank you for your co-operation.

Making your Offering: Most people now make their regular offering through the Parish Giving Scheme or standing order, for which the PCC is most grateful. If you would like to still be able to place something in the offertory plate as it comes around there are now yellow tokens which can be used as a symbol of our giving. These can be picked up on your way into the Minster before the service.

Generous Living: Following the recent sermons by Jan Grey, the Diocesan Generous Giving Officer, please return your response forms to the Parish Centre or to the postbox provided in the Minster. If you did not hear the sermons, please take one of the envelopes by the Highgate Entrance which contains more information. If you are not signing up for PGS online, the postal address for applications is on the form.

Have you heard of the White Ribbon? The White Ribbon is the globally recognised symbol to end harassment, abuse and violence against women and girls. Beverley Minster has recently signed up as a White Ribbon Organisation and I am looking for a small team who would be interested in working with me to raise awareness etc. If you would like to find out more, please contact: eileen@beverleyminster.org.uk or 01482 868540 Ext 209.

Eco Tips – April 2025: Help the Hedgehogs in April! Can you save newspapers and donate small tins of wet dog/cat food (not fish flavours) to help save hedgehogs? Please leave in the labelled box by the level access entrance in the Minster. Beverley Minster Eco Church are partnering with Beverley Minster school to build a hedgehog house for the school and to support the charity Lucky Hedgehog Rescue. For more information contact June Grady via the Parish Office.

New Electoral Roll: If you wish to be on the roll you must complete an application form. **Names from the old roll will not be automatically transferred to the new roll.** Further details are available on the table by the Highgate Porch where application forms can be found and a post box for completed forms. The process closes on Monday 28th April after which names cannot be added until after the APCM on 19th May 2025.

Beverley Minster and Daughter Churches External Mission Partners: We have 12 key partners. During the month of April please pray for the work of Christ Church, Norris Green. The church has been working with other churches across the West Derby Deanery to become a larger single parish of Christ Our Hope Liverpool. Please also pray for Helen Bennet as the Team Rector.

The Lions Need You! There has been a Lions Club in Beverley since the 1960s, during which time the members of the club have devoted thousands of hours to the service of the town. The events they have organised include the fireworks on Westwood, Father Christmas and his sleigh at Christmas, and more recently the Christmas tree on the Market Cross last year. They also raise money to alleviate natural and man-made disasters. There is an upcoming bucket collection for Myanmar.

The Beverley Lions Club is sadly suffering a recruitment crisis. The Club meets once a month (next meeting: 6pm on 5th May at the Tiger Inn on Lairgate). Please come along if you are interested, we'll buy you a drink! Any inquiries, please email Mike Wilson at: mw697102@gmail.com

Church Events

Taizé: The next Taizé service will be on Monday 28th April at 7pm. Come and enjoy 50 minutes of gentle, contemplative worship by candlelight in the Minster Quire.

Prayer Ministry Meeting: Our next Prayer Ministry Team Meeting will be on Monday 28th April at 2pm in the Parish Hall.

History Talk: 'Is Easter Still Allowed? Protestants and Catholics in Beverley 1575-1662', a talk by Marcus Ramshaw on Wednesday 30th April from 7pm until 9pm in Beverley Minster Nave. The talk includes a discussion of Beverley's involvement in the gunpowder plot on 5th November and Guy Fawkes of York and Thomas Percy of Beverley attempting to blow up parliament. All welcome. Admission free with a £5 suggested donation. All profits to Beverley Minster.

ALPHA Is Returning On 30th April! Alpha is a place to freely explore the important questions of life in an open, friendly environment. Everyone is welcome, no matter their background or beliefs. Each session will involve food, a film (30 minutes long) and opportunities to break into small groups to discuss the topic (or just listen). Our course runs for 8 weeks. To register your interest please email us at alpha@beverleyminster.org.uk. Do think and pray about who you might bring along to Alpha. You might be surprised who says, "Yes"! See more information on the Minster website or speak to Eileen or Sandra.

Food and Fellowship: Our next meal is Tuesday 6th May. Meeting at 6.45pm so that we can order out meals together at 7pm. You will be made very welcome. Further details from Deena 01482 679220

Poets and Pilgrims: Our next meeting is in the upstairs room of the Monk's Walk Inn from 7pm to 9.30pm on Wednesday 7th May when we will look at "The Wife of Bath's Tale – A Story of Five Husbands. Admission free with a £5 suggested donation. All profits to Beverley Minster.

Spirituality Group: The group next meets at 11am - 12noon on Saturday 10th May in the St Katherine's Chapel when it will be led by Eric Doyle talking about Spirituality and The Bible. All welcome.

Organ Concert Summer Series: This year's series begins on 20th June at 7pm in the Minster with Sam Bristow (Chelmsford Cathedral) performing.