

# Churches in the Benefice of Rural East York

## Dunnington, Holtby, Stockton-on-the-Forest and Warthill

# NEWSLETTER



SUNDAY 8th June, 2025—Pentecost

Readings: Acts 2:1-21; John 14:25-27

### Sunday 8th June

- 8:00 am BCP Holy Communion, St. Nicholas,  
Dunnington
- 10:30 am Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Stockton
- 10:30 am Morning Worship, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

### Sunday: 15th June

- 10:30 am Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Stockton
- 10:30 am Holy Communion—Contemporary,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 7:00 pm Sunday@7, Tower Room, St. Nicholas,  
Dunnington

### Week Commencing 8th June:

#### Sunday 8th June:

- 4:00 pm Discussion about welcoming children in our  
Churches, 1 Woodlands, Warthill

#### Tuesday 10th June:

- 9:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill
- 1:45pm Little People Play and Praise, Tower Room,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 7:30 pm Dunnington PCC Meeting



#### Wednesday 11th June:

- 9:00 am Holy Communion followed by coffee,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 10:00 am BCP Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Stockton
- 7:00 pm Compline via Zoom

#### Thursday 12th June:

- Grapevine contribution deadline
- 7:00 pm Laudate Rehearsal, St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 7:30 pm Discussion about welcoming children in our  
Churches, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

#### Saturday 14th June:

- 10:00 am Community Café in the Tower Room,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 10:00 am Coffee Morning, Holy Trinity Church,  
Stockton



The next **Benefice Prayer Meeting** will be held on  
Tuesday 24th June at 7pm  
at Fair View, Warthill YO19 5XW.

All are welcome to come and join us in prayer for the  
Benefice and the world.

You are invited to

### Fun, Food and Fellowship

#### Thursday 19th June

Tower Room of St Nicholas Church

Arrive 12.00 for a soup and pudding lunch.

If you would like to join us, or can offer a pudding or  
cake, there is a list to sign in the Tower Room.

Our time together will conclude with Holy  
Communion at 3.00 if you would like to stay.

Please sign the list in the Tower Room if you would  
like to join us. We can arrange lifts.

For more information contact Judith, 488331



There will be no **House Group** this month.

We hope to meet again on  
Wed 16th July at 9 Lime Tree Mews, Dunnington  
YO19 5SD at 7.30pm.

On Monday evening, 16 June, all who are interested in the care of **churchyards** and the wildlife

are invited to join

**Derwent Deanery at St Thomas' Osbaldwick**

with Revd Jan Nobel (Diocesan Green Ambassador) when he talks to us about

**"Caring for God's Acre".**

Weather permitting we will spend time outdoors in the churchyard. The meeting begins at 7.30pm with refreshments available from 7.00pm.

**REY Holiday Club**

Rev. Kath and Yoyo will be running a holiday club from about 9.30-12.30 each day 21st -25th July in Holtby

Village Hall. More

details to follow, but if you can help, please let

Kath know ASAP.

Thanks!



**Lay Minister**

David's admission and licensing as a Lay Minister to our Benefice is due to take place at

**York Minster on Saturday 27th September.**

The time hasn't been confirmed yet, but last year's service was at 10.30am.

David is extremely grateful for all the support, prayers and encouragement that he's received during his training over the last couple of years, and would be thrilled to see anyone who might be able to attend his licensing.

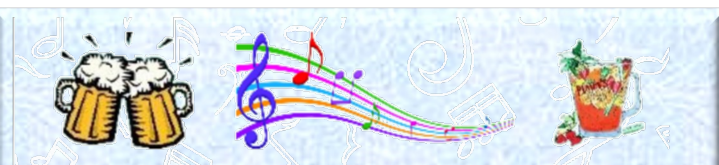
**Wydale Weekend**

Our speaker on Saturday will be Rev Jane Speck, the chaplain at York St John University.

Jane will have prayer, as her theme.

Do consider coming to join us either for the weekend, 12th to 14th September, or on Saturday only.

There are booking forms in all the churches.



**Beer 'n' Hymns 'n' Pimms**

Saturday 21st June 2025, 7.30 pm in the Tower Room, St Nicholas Church

Come along and enjoy an evening singing some favourite hymns whilst enjoying a glass of Beer or Pimms.

Alcohol-free "Pimms" or fruit juice also available.

Tickets £6.50 Under 18's £1

Available from: Judith 488331; Joan 481626 or Eve 07746 765274

**Benefice Safeguarding Team:**

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| Mary Murray -   | Benefice Safeguarding Adviser                |
| Joanne Muller - | Policies and Parish Dashboard                |
| Eve Scoreby -   | DBS Checks and Safeguarding Training Records |

- In the first instance, please contact Mary Murray – Tel: 01904 488441
- In her absence, please contact The Reverend Kath McBride -revkmbride@gmail.com 01904 489349

**Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas:**

8 June: Pentecost (Whit Sunday)

9 June: Columba, (Columcille) Abbot of Iona, Missionary 597

11 June: Barnabas, Apostle



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Next newsletter on Sunday 15th June. E-mail items to [grapevine@reychurches.org.uk](mailto:grapevine@reychurches.org.uk) by 9.00 am on Thursday 12th June.