

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 23rd July : Trinity 6

Isaiah 44.6-8; Romans 8.12-25; Mathew 13.24-30, 36-43

Services & Meetings Today

St Nicholas, Dunnington

- 8.00 am Holy Communion
Revd Nick Bird
- 10.30 am Holy Communion
Revd Peter Moorhouse
- 6.30 pm Ignite (Youth Group)

Methodist Church, Dunnington

- 10.30 am Morning Worship
Preacher: Mrs Judith Hewitt

Holy Trinity, Stockton

- 10.30 am Holy Communion
Revd Nick Bird
- 12.30 pm Baptism of Heidi Smyth

St Mary's, Warthill

- 9.00 am Morning Prayer
Mr Malcolm Smith

Holy Trinity, Holtby

- 6.00 pm Evening Prayer
Revd Nick Bird

Parish Pilgrimage

Tuesday 1 August

The Revd Canon Dr Chris Collingwood, Chancellor of York Minster and Prebend of Dunnington, has invited us to join him for a Parish Pilgrimage at the Minster.

Anyone from churches across the benefice are more than welcome, including children. It will begin with Evensong at 5.15pm, followed by a private tour of the Minster (starting about 6.15pm, when everyone else has gone home), and will conclude with drinks and Night Prayer at Chris' home in Minster Court.

An indication of numbers would be useful. Please add your name to the sheet in your church, or contact Revd Nick Bird for further details (frnick.bird@btinternet.com 489349).

This Week : 24 - 30 July

Monday 24 July

- 7.30 pm Dunnington Community Choir : Methodist Ch, D

Tuesday 25 July

- 9.00 am Morning Prayer : St Nicholas, Dunnington
12 - 1.30 pm Lunch Stop : Methodist Church

Wednesday 26 July

- 9.00 am Holy Communion : St Nicholas, Dunnington
10.00 am Holy Communion : Holy Trinity, Stockton
10.00 am Fair Trade Coffee Stop : Methodist Church, Dunn
2.30 pm The Wednesday Fellowship : Methodist Ch, Dunn
7.30 pm Christian Meditation Group : St Nicholas, Dunn

Saturday 29 July

- 10.30 - 12 Warthill Coffee Morning : Mill House, Warthill
10.15 am Morning Coffee: Methodist Church, Dunnington

Sunday 30th July : Trinity 7

1 Kings 3.5-12; Romans 8.26-end; Matthew 13.31-33, 44-52

Methodist Church, Dunnington

- 10.30 am Morning Worship

UNITED BENEFICE COMMUNION

at St Mary's Church, Warthill

Sunday 30th July at 10.30 am

Come and worship together as a benefice.

There will be no other morning services in the Benefice



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St Nicholas Mother's Union Sweat

Shirt. There is a large size sweat shirt in the Tower Room, which is free to a good home. If you would like it please take and enjoy!

Wydale Weekend. There are still places if you would like to join us for the weekend. We would love to have your company. If you would like to come on Saturday that will be great. Fill in a form and let Judith have it as soon as possible, please.

July 2017

The Wednesday Fellowship. On **26th July** at 2.30pm Jocelyn Auton will be organising a musical quiz afternoon for us. Come and see if you can beat her at her own game! Everyone welcome to the quiz and to stay for tea.



Sunday 30th July Benefice Service. Come and worship together at St Mary's, Warthill, at 10.30 am. This will be the only service in the Benefice on that day.

August 2017

The Methodist Church will be closed for painting during the two weeks from **14th to 25th August**, however it WILL be open for Sunday worship on **August 20th**. Please note, this means **there will NOT be a Methodist Church Coffee Morning on Saturday 19 August**.

Further Afield

Volunteers needed! Help is needed **Wednesday 13th Sept** for the Action for Children fundraising event at St Crux, York. Can you help serve refreshments, bake cakes or donate bric-a-brac and books? Contact Elizabeth on 628043 or Caroline on 768088.

MWIB: Called to Proclaim. Induction of Janice Clark as district MWIB President, Trinity Norton Methodist Church, **Thursday 21st September**, 10.30am.

New Wine Inspire 2017 - 18-22 August in Thirsk, North Yorkshire

After last year's successful first Inspire conference, we're thrilled that it'll be happening again in August 2017!

Inspire is an exciting New Wine gathering, organised by churches in Yorkshire and the North East. It has a family feel, both for those who are young and those who are young at heart. It's the family of God from our region - gathering together, learning, sharing, having fun and worshipping Jesus.

Buy a ticket for Inspire and it'll allow you to camp in this beautiful part of north Yorkshire, at Hollybush Farm. There's space for well over 1000 people this year. Why not come and camp with people from your church or village or town? Otherwise you can travel in each day. There's a great programme not just for adults but for children and youth too.

You won't find everything at Inspire that you find at the larger New Wine National Gatherings, but the core things will be present: worship, teaching and ministry in the power of the Spirit. You'll get the New Wine values expressed in a smaller, more intimate setting.

We've booked some great speakers for 2017 including: Paul Harcourt, Miriam Swaffield, Ruth Perrin, John and Anne Coles and Ian Parkinson. Seminars will include both a discipleship and mission stream. Click here to see a list of speakers.

This year we're looking to extend the facilities available for all coming and have increased the capacity as so many wanted to attend in 2016 but weren't able to as bookings filled up quickly. This will include a cafe and marketplace and, if possible, a shop.

Inspire will take place from Friday 18th – Tuesday 22nd August, starting with a Friday night celebration and ending with a Tuesday morning celebration. There are also day tickets available.

Details and booking at www.newwineinspire.com/ [#inspire2017](https://twitter.com/inspire2017).

To find out more: go online, pick up a leaflet (available at the back of the Benefice churches), or speak to Rev. Debbie Coyne.



Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas

25 July: James the Apostle

26 July: Anne and Joachim, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

29 July: Mary, Martha and Lazarus, Companions of Our Lord

30 July: William Wilberforce, Social Reformer 1833; Olaudah Equiano and Thomas Clarkson, Anti-Slavery Campaigners, 1797 and 1846

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The next newsletter will cover Sundays **30 July & 6 August**. Items to grapevine.rey@gmail.com by **Thursday 27 July**