

Churches in the Benefice of Rural East York
Dunnington, Holtby, Stockton-on-the-Forest and Warthill

NEWSLETTER



SUNDAY 3rd August, 2025

Readings: Col 3:1-12; Luke 12:13-21

Sunday 3rd August

9:00 am BCP Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Holtby
10:30 am Morning Worship, Holy Trinity, Stockton
10:30 am Traditional Holy Communion,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
12:30 pm Baptism, St. Nicholas, Dunnington
7:00 pm Sunday@7, Tower Room, St, Nicholas,
Dunnington

Week Commencing 3rd August:

Tuesday 5th August:

9:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill
2:00 pm Irene Astley's funeral, St. Nicholas,
Dunnington

Wednesday 6th August:

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

Saturday 9th August:

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



Compline

Our weekly reflective evening service each Wednesday,
except on the 4th Wednesday of the month as a rule,
at 7.00pm, via Zoom.

Please contact Judith for the link, if you would like to
join us:
judithmhewitt@btinternet.com

Sunday: 10th August

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
12:30 pm Holy Communion, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

DISCOVER

NEW BEGINNINGS

Thursday 28th August 2025

10am - noon

St Nicholas Church, Dunnington

Join us for a fun-filled time of
creativity, learning, and celebration.

Match Bible characters with the new
things they did – can you get them
all right?

Explore new crafts and play exciting
games.

Visit our Ice Cream Bar and invent
a brand-new combination.

Gather with Reverend Kath for a
short worship time, including a
special blessing for the new school
year.

Children of all ages are welcome accompanied by an
adult. There is no need to book a place or pay.



BLESSED

St Nicholas Sunday Coffee

There is a new list for the next three months waiting for volunteers to offer to serve coffee. Please sign your name on a convenient Sunday, or two. Thank you



Little People Play and Praise

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

From Tuesday September 9th

'LITTLE PEOPLE ' will meet on

TUESDAY MORNINGS

when we recommence after the Summer break.

This change follows a survey of those who attend and hopefully will avoid clashing with babies' and toddlers' sleep times.

Term-time Tuesday mornings

10:00 am—11:30 am

Tower Room, St Nicholas Church

£1 per session

For pre-school children and their carer. Come along for play, craft, singing and Bible story time.

Hot drinks are available for carers and cold drinks for our little people. No need to book!

Do tell any families who live near you about this group for pre-school children and a carer.

Holiday Club Thank You:

Shipwrecked Holiday Club - we had a brilliant time last week learning about Jonah and listening to God. Thanks to all the volunteers who cared for the children, prepared resources, tidied, donated cakes and prayed for us. We're planning to be back next year!



Benefice Safeguarding Team:

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 -revkmcbride@gmail.com 01904 489349

Wydale Weekend

The Rev Jane Speck, chaplain at York St John University, is leading the Saturday on the theme of Prayer.

We still have some spaces, **which we really need to fill**, for all the weekend, (12th to 14th September) or for the Saturday only.

There are booking forms in all our churches.

Do consider coming to join us.

Come and Join Us for a Roast Dinner

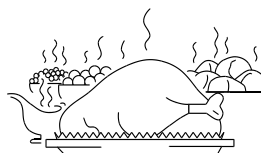
Sunday 10th August

Tower Room

12:30 Communion Service

1:00 pm Lunch

The list is in the Tower Room

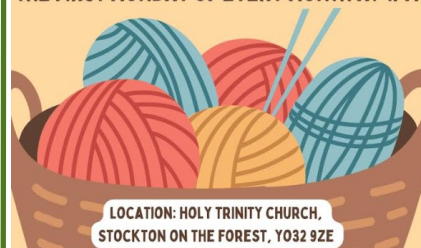


Stockton on the Forest Craft Group

Come and join us for tea, biscuits and friendship.

Free to attend, just come along and bring your crafts or learn new ones!

THE FIRST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 1PM



LOCATION: HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, STOCKTON ON THE FOREST, YO32 9ZE

The Monthly House Group

will meet at Fair View , Warthill YO19 5XW

at 7.30pm on Wednesday 20th August

for a social evening and bring and share meal.



Sunday @7.00

Please note there will be no Service on Sunday 17th August.



Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas:

5 August: Oswald, King of Northumbria, Martyr 642

6 August: The Transfiguration of Our Lord

8 August: Dominic, Priest, Founder of the Order of Preachers 1221

9 August: Mary Sumner, Founder of the Mothers' Union 1921



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To receive the Methodist Circuit News, please contact the office by e-mail—yorkcircuitoffice@gmail.com or phone 07984 019995.

Next newsletter on Sunday 10th August. E-mail items to grapevine@reychurches.org.uk by 9.00 am on Thursday 7th August.