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

## **NEWSLETTER**

PLANT TO STAND

SUNDAY 12th October, 2025

Readings: 2 Kings 5:1-3,7-15; Luke 17:11-19 Harvest: Phil 4:4-9; John 6:25-35

#### **Sunday 12th October:**

8:00 am BCP Holy Communion,

St. Nicholas, Dunnington

10:30 am Holy Communion & Harvest,

Holy Trinity, Stockton

10:30 am Morning Worship,

St. Nicholas, Dunnington

#### **Sunday 19th October: (York Marathon)**

10:30 am Contemporary Holy Communion

St. Nicholas, Dunnington

10:30 am Morning Prayer, Holy Trinity, Stockton

7:00 pm Sunday@7, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

### Week Commencing 12th October:

#### **Tuesday 14th October:**

9:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill 10:00 am Little People, Tower Room, St.

**Nicholas** 



#### **Stockton Harvest Service**

**Sunday 12th October** 

10:30 am at Holy Trinity Church

### Wednesday 15th October:

9:00 am Holy Communion, followed by coffee,

St. Nicholas, Dunnington

10:00 am BCP Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Stockton

7:30 pm Monthly House Group, Fair View, Warthill

#### Thursday 16th October:

9:00 am Warthill School Harvest Service,

St. Mary, Warthill

Deadline for items for November Grapevine

#### Saturday 18th October:

10:00 am Community Café, Tower Room,

St. Nicholas , Dunnington

6:00 pm Deanery St. Luke's Day Service,

St. Helen's Wheldrake

Coffee after Worship at St Nicholas. Do please consider going on the rota to serve coffee after the 10.30 service. Chatting over coffee is an important time for fellowship after worship.

The Monthly House group will meet on Wednesday 15th October at Fair View, Warthill York YO19 5XW at 7.30pm.



We will commence a new Bible study on Ephesians. This week: Ephesians Chapter 1 verses 1- 14.

Sunday 19 th October. Today is Marathon Sunday and access to some of our villages, and to York, will be limited. There will be a 10.30 Contemporary Communion Service in Dunnington and Morning Worship in Stockton. Refreshments will be available from the Tower Room until about 1.00pm

Derwent Deanery will celebrate St Luke's Day with a live-streamed service on Saturday 18th October from St Helen's Wheldrake at 6.00pm. Do come and participate in the Eucharist and Service of Healing led by Rev Jan from Osbaldwick. Refreshments and fellowship afterwards in Church Cottage.

The next Benefice Prayer Meeting will be on

Tuesday 21st October at 7pm
at Fair View, Warthill YO19 5XW

Everyone is most welcome to come and join us in prayer.

**Memorial Service** on Sunday 2nd November, 4.00pm at St Nicholas Church.

We will remember our loved ones who are no longer with us. If you come to the service, you can have their name read out, light a candle, and take comfort from the words we say, hear and sing.

Tombola and Raffle Prizes. Please start looking for items that will make prizes at St Nicholas Church Christmas Fayre on Saturday 22nd November. There will be a box for them in the Tower Room from November 1st.



#### **FUN, FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP**

Our next event is on Thursday 23rd October, and will have a Harvest Theme.

Sign the list in the Tower Room if you would like to join us.



There will be a Communion Service at 3.00pm for anyone who would like to come.

If you can make a cake or a pudding, please write your name on the list or tell Judith.

#### Adults DISCOVER ......

- Would you like to discover more about faith in Jesus through bible study and prayer with others?
- Would you like friends to share your questions, concerns, blessings and faith with?

Our small group uses prayer and bible study apps as we support each other to focus on Jesus.

We meet on alternate Thursday mornings 9.30-11am Everyone is welcome to join us, babies/ toddlers can come too. For more information contact Julia Perry julesperry@btinternet.com.

### **Benefice Safeguarding Team:**

Mary Murray - Benefice Safeguarding Adviser Joanne Muller - Policies and Parish Dashboard

Eve Scoreby - DBS Checks and Safeguarding Training

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- 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

### **Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas:**

13 October: Edward the Confessor, King of England 1066

15 October: Teresa of Avila, Teacher of the Faith 1582

17 October: Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr c.107

18 October: Luke the Evangelist



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Next newsletter on Sunday 19th October. E-mail items to grapevine@reychurches.org.uk by 9.00 am on Thursday 16th October.