

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

# NEWSLETTER



SUNDAY 18th January, 2026

Readings: Isaiah 49:1-7; John 1:19-42

## Sunday 18th January:

- 9:00 am BCP Holy Communion, St. Nicholas,  
Dunnington
- 10:30 am Holy Communion, Holy Trinity,  
Stockton
- 10:30 am Contemporary Holy Communion,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 12:30 pm Baptism, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

## Sunday 25th January: Conversion of Paul

- 10:30 am Morning Worship, Holy Trinity,  
Stockton
- 10:30 am Traditional Holy Communion,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 4:00 pm Evensong, Holy Trinity, Holtby
- 7:00 pm Sunday@7, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

## Week Commencing 18th January:

### Tuesday 20th January:

- 9:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill
- 10:30 am Little People Play and Praise, Tower Room,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 2:00 pm Silver Service Afternoon Tea,  
Holy Trinity, Stockton



### Wednesday 21st January:

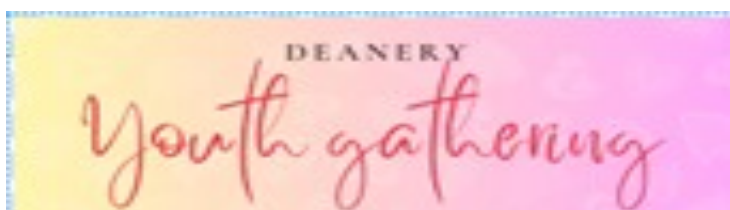
- 9:00 am Holy Communion, followed  
by coffee, St. Nicholas, Dunnington
- 10:00 am BCP Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Stockton
- 7:00 pm Evening Prayer via Zoom
- 7:30 pm Monthly House Group, Lime Tree Mews

### Friday 23rd January:

- 7:00 pm Burns Supper, Tower Room, St. Nicholas,  
Dunnington

### Saturday 24th January:

- 10:00 am Community and **Woollies Repair**  
Café, Tower Room, St. Nicholas,  
Dunnington
- 7:00 pm Youth Gathering, Tower Room,  
St. Nicholas, Dunnington



PLEASE STAY  
AND ENJOY  
TOAST AFTER  
THE 9AM  
SERVICE, TOO.

IT WILL BE  
GREAT TO SHARE  
TIME TOGETHER  
WITH EARLY  
ARRIVALS FOR  
THE 10:30  
SERVICE.

**Contemporary Service : There will be children's activities during the sermon and returning for communion, though children are also welcome to stay in church.**



**The Monthly House Group** will meet on  
Wednesday 21st January at  
9 Lime Tree Mews, Dunnington YO19 5SD at 7.30pm.  
We will be studying Ephesians Ch 2 Vs 2 - 10 Chapter 3 of  
our Lifebuilder study book on Ephesians.  
New members are most welcome to come and join us.

FOR GENERAL ENQUIRIES, PLEASE CONTACT REV. KATH MCBRIDE AT  
REVKMCBRIDE@GMAIL.COM OR ON 01904 489349



## CANDLEMAS

**The Deanery Candlemas Service has been cancelled.**

Everyone is now invited to a service of welcome for our new Archdeacon of York, Liz Hassall, on the Feast of Candlemas, when Liz will preach as we remember the Presentation of Christ in the Temple as a light to the nations.

**Sunday 1st February at 2.00pm, Selby Abbey**

If you wish to attend, please let Alison (allie.48@yahoo.com) or Kath know.



## Burns Night

Burns Night. Tickets, £10 each, are now on sale for this event, on Friday 23rd January, in the Tower Room.

Contact Eve, Judith or Joan if you would like tickets or more information.

## Little People Play and Praise



Every Tuesday during term-time

'LITTLE PEOPLE' meets on TUESDAY MORNINGS

**For pre-school children and a carer**

**£1 per session, includes hot drink for adults and a cold drink for the little ones**

## Woollies Repair Café

Saturday 24th January

Bring your woollies for repair to the Community Café in the Tower Room.



## Evening Prayer via Zoom

We now share this time together with the Rivers partnership, (the Wheldrake group of Churches), at 7.00pm.



PRAYERS

If you would like the **new link**, please contact Judith.

## 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

## UP-COMING VACANCY :

### DERWENT DEANERY SECRETARY

Please contact Alison Gilmour (e-mail allie.48@yahoo.com) if you would like more information about this vital and interesting role with a variety of tasks, providing support to the Deanery Leadership Team who hold three statutory meetings each year.

Please pray and think of someone you could approach to take this role on following the June meeting.

## Coffee after Worship at St Nicholas

We would really like some volunteers to serve coffee after our Sunday 10.30 services. If you could help please sign against a convenient Sunday, or two.

Chatting over coffee is an important time for fellowship after worship. Thank you.

## Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas:

18 January: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

19 January: Wulfstan, Bishop of Worcester 1095

21 January: Agnes, Child Martyr at Rome 304



To receive newsletters by e-mail, contact grapevine@reychurches.org.uk. Also available on the St Nicholas Church website and in St Nicholas Church.

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

Next newsletter on Sunday 25th January. E-mail items to grapevine@reychurches.org.uk by 9.00 am on Thursday 22nd January.