

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

NEWSLETTER



Sunday 20th September, 2026

Readings: Exodus 16:2-15; Matthew 20:1-16;

Sunday 27th September, 2026

Readings: Phillipeans 2:1-13; Matthew 21:23-32;

Sunday 20th September :

9:00 am BCP Holy Communion,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
10:30 am Holy Communion,
Holy Trinity, Stockton
10:30am Harvest and Contemporary Holy
Communion, St. Nicholas, Dunnington
Harvest Service Reading - Luke 12:15-31
12:30 pm Baptism, Holy Trinity, Stockton

Sunday 27th September:

10:30 am Harvest and Trad.Holy Communion,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
Harvest Service Readings - Deut. 8:7-18; Luke 12:15-31
10:30 am Morning Worship,
Holy Trinity, Stockton
12.30pm Baptism, St. Mary, Warthill
7:00 pm Sunday@7 in the Tower Room,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington

Two Weeks Commencing 20th September:

Tuesday 22nd September:

9:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill
10:30 am Little People Play and Praise,
Tower Room, St. Nicholas, Dunnington
2:30 pm Silver Service Afternoon Tea,
Holy Trinity, Stockton
7:30 pm Dunnington PCC Meeting, Tower Room,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington

Wednesday 23rd September:

9:00 am Holy Communion followed by coffee,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
10:00 am BCP Holy Communion,
Holy Trinity, Stockton
7:30 pm Christian Meditation Group,
Tower Room, St. Nicholas, Dunnington

Thursday 24th September:

9:45 am onwards Grapevines ready for collection
from the Tower Room
7:00 pm Alpha Course, Tower Room,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington

Saturday 26th September:

10:30 am Community Café, Tower Room,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
7:30 pm Philharmonic Male Voice Choir Concert,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington

Tuesday 29th September:

9:00am Morning Prayer, St. Mary, Warthill

Wednesday 30th September:

9:00 am Holy Communion followed by coffee,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington
10:00 am BCP Holy Communion,
Holy Trinity, Stockton

Saturday 3rd October:

10:30 am Community Café, Tower Room,
St. Nicholas, Dunnington



Harvest and

Holy Communion Services

20th September - 10:30 am, St. Nicholas,
Dunnington

*Refreshments will be served 9.45- 10.25am and there
will be activities for school aged children in the Tower
Room during part of the service*

27th September - 10:30 am, St. Nicholas,
Dunnington

4th October - 6:00 pm, Holy Trinity, Holtby



HARVEST GIVING

Giving at Warthill went to the Foodbank
and at Stockton went to Nepal Flood victims.

Donations received at the two Harvest services in
Dunnington (one contemporary service and one
traditional) will be split as follows: PLATE giving in both
services will be towards the UK farming charity RABI, but
any contactless donations will go to the church.

If you wish to make online donations to RABI, please use
this link:

<https://rabi.org.uk/support-us/>

Evening Prayer

7pm on Wednesdays

If you would like the link to join Evening Worship via zoom,
please contact Judith (judithmhewitt@btinternet.com)

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



There will be a raffle during the evening

**Tickets for the concert cost £8
a glass of wine or a soft drink
available in the interval**

Tickets are
available from

Joan Verrier 01904 481626
Judith Hewitt 01904 488331
Eve Scoreby 07746 765274

Advance notice re. 4th October: There will be no service at Warthill.

Instead, the 10.30 am all-age service will take place at St. Nicholas, Dunnington, when the Archbishop of York will be present.

Sunday 4th October.

Could you provide a plate of buns or homemade biscuits to serve with coffee after the 10.30 service?

Please bring them with you to the service.
Thank you.



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 -
E-mail: revkmcbride@gmail.com/Tel: 01904 489349



For the curious

To find out more about the Christian faith

Try Alpha.

Thursdays at 7 from 24th September
email revkmcbride@gmail.com for details
www.alpha.org

Amen Christmas Shoebox Appeal

Susan Wilson is liaising with neighbouring Harton Benefice in collecting Christmas shoeboxes to send to Romania via the Amen Trust. The boxes contain items for all the family and need to be ready by 11th November. Please contact Susan Wilson or pick up a leaflet in Church for further details.

*The Passion Play
returns!*

Shearings
Assault-free holiday



When the plague spared the Bavarian village of Oberammergau in 1634, its people vowed to perform the story of Christ every decade - and in 2030, they honour it for the 43rd time. Around 2,000 locals take to an open-air stage beneath the mountains, and tickets go years in advance. We've secured yours, plus sorted the comfy coach travel, hotels and a brilliant itinerary alongside. It's a bucket-list experience for anyone, and one that's worth the anticipation

Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas

21 September: Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

25 September: Lancelot Andrewes,

Bishop of Winchester and Spiritual Writer 1626

29 September: Michael and All Angels

