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

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 29th September

Readings: Exodus 35:21-29, Matt 26:6-13

## Today and this week

10.30am Benefice Service; Holy Trinity, Holtby 4.00pm Prosecco and Praise; St Mary, Warthill

#### <u>Wednesday 2nd</u>

9.00am Holy Communion followed coffee, Dunnington 10.00am Holy Communion, Stockton



Giving Drop-In Sessions Wed 2nd October 9.30am & 7.30pm Tower Room 10.30am Holy Trinity Stockton

#### This Week



and boxes ready in each of our churches until the end of October for the response forms.

**Little People.** Little People for under 5s and their grown ups is on Tuesdays at 1.30pm - do join us! No booking required.

Harvest Flowers at St Nicholas. If you have any flowers in your garden, our flower arrangers would love to have them to decorate the Church. Please leave them in the buckets in the entrance to the Tower Room by Thursday 10th October, or speak to Joan.

# great is thy Som faithfulness LAMENTATIONS 3:23

#### <u>Next week</u>

#### Sunday 6th October

Readings: 2 Cor 9:6-15 and Luke 6:38

9:00am Holy Communion; Holy Trinity, Holtby 10.30am Holy Communion; St Nicholas, Dunnington 10:30am Holy Communion; Holy Trinity, Stockton 7:00pm Sunday at 7; St Nicholas, Dunnington

Phil McBride will be available in his role as Generous Giving Adviser to answer your questions about different methods of giving - just pop in if you have a question.
information about making giving

- tax-efficient
- explaining the different methods
- practical advice about how to
- complete forms/ who to phone

#### Two paid Job Opportunities

**Communications Officer**: Editing the Grapevine and producing the weekly newsletter. This job requires computer experience in word processing, desktop publishing and emails, the ability to work to deadlines and some knowledge of invoicing.

**Children and Families Worker:** Developing our vision and building teams to support new and current work with children and families across our benefice.

If you're interested in either of these jobs please contact Rev Kath for more information. Job descriptions and application information is now available.

#### Goodbye and thank you

This is my last newsletter, so I just wanted to say thank you to everyone I've met whilst I've been in post and a huge thank you for the opportunity. Helen Cross

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

#### Regular and upcoming activities



Harvest Festivals. Each of our churches are having a Harvest Festival: Dunnington and Stockton are celebrating on 13th October, and instead of asking for gifts of food we are asking for gifts of money which will be shared between Carecent and the York Foodbank.

**Dunnington school Harvest services on Tuesday 8th October at 10am and 11am.** This will mean that church is unavailable for private prayer between 9.30am and 12 on that day.

**Derwent Deanery.** Derwent Deanery has three annual joint Eucharists for all worshippers in our area. You are warmly invited to join us for the next one: we will celebrate St Luke's Day with a Eucharist incorporating a Service of Healing on 17 October at St Helen's, Wheldrake at 7.30pm. It will be led by Revd Kath and a team from our own benefice, and live-streamed from there for those unable to be there in person.

### **Bible Study and Prayer**

Benefice House Group 16th October 7.30pm. The monthly House Group which meets on the 3rd Wednesday in the month will next meet on 16th October at Fair View, Warthill YO19 5XW. We will be using Rev Tim Eady's book 'Jesus under the microscope' as a basis for our Bible study and discussion. It would be helpful for people to have a copy of the book which is available from Andrew or Susan Wilson. New people will be most welcome to join the group.

# Regular and upcoming activities Join us...

On Tuesday mornings for Morning Prayer at St Mary Warthill

On Wednesday evenings at 7.00pm for Compline via Zoom.

On Wednesdays 9.00am Holy Communion followed coffee, Dunnington

10.00am Holy Communion, Stockton



#### 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 maryjudith@talktalk.net 01904 488441 In her absence please contact The Reverend Kath McBride - revkmcbride@gmail.com 01904 489349

# Lectionary Corner at St Nicholas

29 September: Michael and All Angels 4 October: Francis of Assisi, Friar, Deacon, Founder of the Friars Minor 1226



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