St MARY'S CHURCH

Holy Week Services at Pocklington: Maundy Thursday 7.30 pm

Good Friday 2.00 pm

Holy Week and Easter services from **York Minster**, live and pre-recorded, can be joined online; details on the Minster web site https://yorkminster.org/whats-on/event/holy-week-2021/

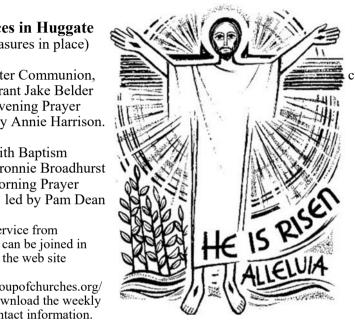
Sunday Services in Huggate

(Distancing measures in place)

4th April 9.15 Easter Communion, celebrant Jake Belder 11th April 4 pm Evening Prayer led by Annie Harrison. 8th April 9.15 Morning Prayer with Baptism led by Bronnie Broadhurst 25th April 9.15 Morning Prayer

The weekly 10.45 service from Pocklington Church can be joined in numerous ways; see the web site https://

www.pocklingtongroupofchurches.org/ resources.html to download the weekly Bulletin with the contact information.



If you need to speak to someone about any church matter please contact the Church Office, or contact the Churchwardens Ruth Braithwaite on 288422 or Sue Dale on 288485.

CONTACT

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PLEASE send information BEFORE THE END OF THE MONTH for the next edition, so that we can produce it promptly.

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EASTER

Spring cleaning Thursday 1st April 1 - 3pm in Church, please come along and help. Refreshments provided.

Easter Communion service 9.15 at St. Mary's; celebrant our new(ish) vicar Jake Belder.

There are a number of people in the village who are unwell or have family who are not well. We send our best wishes to them all and hold them in our thoughts.



Easter Monday 5th April 10 am—2 pm

Family **Treasure Hunt** in and around the Church. Please book a slot on the list at the back of Church so we can maintain social distancing. Donations to church funds would be welcome.

There will also be a **raffle** for an Easter Hamper during the Treasure Hunt. There are now some new notelets and booklets about Huggate for sale in church; thanks to Janet Boulter for doing them.

Gardening in the churchyard will start on Tuesday 6th April from 6pm. Even if you can only spare half an hour please come and join in, tools provided.

Save the date! We hope to hold a **Summer Fair** on Saturday 10th July at the home of Richard and Vicky Knocker; please contact Sue 288485 or Ruth 288422 if you could join the organising group or you would like your own stall.

Parish Council News

Sadly Barbara Lambert has resigned from the Parish Council. We would like to thank Barbara for her commitment and dedication as a Councillor – Barbara was often responsible for purchasing and planting flowers and bulbs (and then looking after them!) in the tyres at the village entrances. We will miss her at our monthly meetings. We now have **two vacancies for Parish Councillors**; if anyone is interested please contact Abby, the Parish Clerk on clerk-huggate@outlook.com or talk to one of our Councillors.

We have been asked to encourage parishioners to make full use of their blue and brown bins and to <u>recycle and compost as much as possible</u>. As a brief reminder your blue bin can be used for: food and drink cans, glass jars and bottles, cardboard, plastic pots, bottles and trays (not hard plastic or wrappings) and paper. For a more detailed list of what to put in each bin please see www.eastriding.gov.uk/bins

Please could we remind dog owners to keep their <u>dogs under control</u> and on leads where there are animals or when in fields near animals, especially at this time of year due to lambing season.

Following on from the **bus shelter**'s tidy up, we have decided to <u>display decorated tiles</u> on one of the inside walls so we need your help! Thank you to Emma Waslin who has kindly agreed to coordinate this...Please collect a tile from 10, the Crescent (or contact Clive on 288567 who will drop one off for you) and decorate however you choose – perhaps you could paint a picture of your family or pet or a scene of Huggate? This is a lovely opportunity to involve all the family, particularly our younger residents. <u>We hope that everyone will take part</u> and look forward to seeing your creations. The tiles will be coated afterwards to ensure they are protected. Please return finished tiles to 10 The Crescent or again contact Clive who will collect them.

The Councillors are busy working behind the scenes to progress with turning the <u>old pit</u> <u>area</u> into a car park. Thank you to those of you who have taken the time to contact us with your suggestions and feedback. We will update you when we have more news.

Speeding continues to cause concern. One way to address this would be to join the Community Speed Watch Scheme run by Humberside Police. We would need 6 volunteers for this to be viable but could team up with neighbouring parishes. If you are interested in being involved please contact Abby on clerk-huggate@outlook.com or mention this to any of the Councillors. You will be asked to give 2 hours a month of your time as a minimum and full training will be provided that takes under 2 hours in total.

Minutes from the last meeting are on the noticeboard, in the bus shelter and on the Huggate Village Website www.huggatevillage.org/village-meetings
If anyone has any feedback, suggestions or ideas please contact Abby Popely, Parish Clerk by emailing clerk-huggate@outlook.com or talk POLITELY to one of the Parish Councillors: Clive Owen (Chair), Diana Evans (Vice Chair), Jane Leaver, Phil Duggleby, Claire Myers, Adrian Brader or Stewart Middleton (contact details are published on the Parish Council notice board in the bus shelter and on the village website).



VILLAGE LITTER PICK

A good turn-out for the first Litter Pick cleared numerous bin bags' worth of litter and a number of strange items—including a bath mat and a pair of underpants! — off our verges and paths and into the bins. Thank you to Lucinda for the idea, to everyone who took part, and to Diana who sorted through the rubbish to ensure the correct items were recycled.

It is planned to make this a regular event at 10:30am on the first Saturday of each month. Meet on the Green where litter picking tools and bin bags will be provided. Groups will be in family bubbles and socially distanced.

Saturday 3rd April, meet on the Green at 10.30

Scarecrow Competition

Monday 31st May (Bank Holiday) - 10am to 4pm.

A scarecrow, relating to any film or book

Entry by donation, handed in at The Wolds Inn with a note of name and address, by 21st May.



A map of entries will then be delivered to residents; please walk round and admire them, and vote for your top three.

The donations will be given to a charity or organisation nominated by the winner.

Enquiries to Emma Waslin 07951 803016

Overhanging trees and hedges

ERYC is requesting residents "to trim hedges and trees which overhang footpaths ... and roads to prevent them from causing an obstruction. Overgrown vegetation can become a nuisance or even a danger to pedestrians, cyclists and drivers if they get in the way of the public highway"

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