

St MARY'S CHURCH
Sunday services at 9.15 a.m.

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| 7th January | All Age Worship led by Annie Harrison |
| 14th January | Morning Prayer led by Brian Snelson |
| 21st January | Eucharist, celebrant Rodney Nicholson |
| 28th January | Morning Prayer led by Bronnie Broadhurst |

Thank you

to all who contributed to collections over Christmas.
The Christingle service raised £196.32 for Martin House Hospice
and the Carol Singing £283 for Church funds.

Thank you

to whoever has fixed the latch on the gate to the footpath from the Green. The ease of use is much appreciated!

CONTACT AND CONTRIBUTE

Huggate News is produced by Jenny Zarek and Teresa Purdy. If you would like to receive future editions by email, please send us your email address.
You can contact Huggate News by email at huggatenews@btinternet.com, or in writing c/o Horsedale House or Orchard House. What we write is only as good as what you tell us, so please send news of events, opinions, comments—anything to share with your neighbours.

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

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MOBILE LIBRARY DATES for 2018

The Mobile Library “streamlined” service now visits the village for 20 mins every 4 weeks. “Express Route 5 (Thursdays)” stops outside Church Farm from 11.05 –to 11.25.

Dates for this year are:

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| 4 January 2018 | 19 July 2018 |
| 1 February 2018 | 16 August 2018 |
| 1 March 2018 | 13 September 2018 |
| 29 March 2018 | 11 October 2018 |
| 26 April 2018 | 8 November 2018 |
| 24 May 2018 | 6 December 2018 |
| 21 June 2018 | |

You can sign up for text reminders, or check dates online at <http://www2.eastriding.gov.uk/leisure/libraries/find-a-library/#mobile-libraries>.

A number of services, such as renewals, catalogue search and reservations, are also available on the library web site.

Books, ebooks, audio books, cds, dvds, magazines and digital magazines are all available—remember that your favourite periodical may well be available for you to download, free of charge.



PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

The Clerk to the Parish Council, is Emma Waslin 01377 288494
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VACANCIES FOR COUNCILLORS

There are currently vacancies for TWO Councillors.

Please contact the Chair, Jenni Shields, the Clerk or any Councillor for more information if you are interested in helping the village through the Council.

The Parish Council wishes all residents a very happy New Year.

The resurfacing of the Driffield Road has improved the approach to the village and has been appreciated. The downside seems to be an increase in the number of motorists speeding into the restricted zone; although it is likely that most offenders are through drivers, residents are reminded that the speed limit is still 30 mph.

There will be another pub quiz on **Friday 9th February**; everyone is welcome.



SCAMS AND FRAUD

The Parish Council has received a lot of material about different types of fraud and scams, which target vulnerable people but can fool even the most careful.

A large booklet produced by the Metropolitan Police is available online at <https://www.met.police.uk/globalassets/downloads/fraud/the-little-book-of-big-scams.pdf>, and information and support is available from the National Trading Standards initiative Friends Against Scams at <https://www.friendsagainstscams.org.uk/>.

The number and variety of scams is greater than a short list can summarise, and criminals attack through:

- identity theft
- courier fraud
- holiday scams
- mass marketing—postal scams
- investment schemes
- door-to-door callers
- dating and romance
- banking and bank card fraud
- mobile phone scams
- ticket scams
- online shopping and auction fraud
- internet scams

Remember:

be cautious; be suspicious; check, check, check!

While the internet may be the vehicle for many scams, it is also a good source to check up on anything that could be suspicious.

If you are a victim—there is no shame, the scammers are very cunning; report it, to help stop others becoming victims.