

BENEFICE LUNCH

Thursday 31st October (not the 24th, as stated in the Benefice Diary).

DUTY ROTAS: are at the back of church. Please collect your new rota and perhaps deliver one to anyone not in church today.

Operation Christmas

Child leaflets and shoe boxes in church now.

Please study the leaflet as some of the items you can include have changed, eg no sweets or tooth-paste now. A donation of £5 is requested to cover shipping but £3 is still acceptable. Return your box by Sunday 18th November, please.



SOUTHERN RYEDALE DEANERY

RESOURCE DAY on Sat 9th November at St Peter's Church House, Norton between 9.30 am and 1 pm, with brunch served. You may attend two out of the three planned workshops:

Pastoral First Aid

Children & Young People

Making Music...Doing Worship

Also an opportunity to meet our new Archdeacon, Sam Rushton.

To register your attendance, please email: Jacqui.gunter1@gmail.com

FAIRTRADE CHRISTMAS SHOP

at the Friend's Meeting House on 8th & 9th November.



Items for Weekly Sheet to:
helen.shaw59@btinternet.com

Pop up Café

St Peter's Church House
Fridays 8.45 - 11.30am
All Welcome

25th October 15th November
29th November 13th December

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Thursday 14th November for a visit to Camphill Trust's Botton Village. Minibus departing at 10.00 am and returning approx. 3pm.

ANOTHER DATE FOR YOUR DIARY Wed 20th Nov for a Benefice meal out at Queen's Head, Amotherby. Please add your name to the list or tell Adrian (07870 591142. Order on the night; 6 for 6.30 pm.

The **CHRISTMAS FAYRE** is on the horizon (15th Nov) and donations are invited for the **Tombola**. There's a box for gifts in the old choir vestry, or speak to Adrian. **No Bric-a-brac stall this year** because of the difficulty of recycling unsold items. There will be the usual stalls for cakes, jams, crafts, books & dvds. Bacon sandwiches & hot drinks.

The Vicar is available for **Pastoral Home visits** on Friday afternoons. If you live in the Parish, or are on the Electoral Roll of the church, and would like a visit at home, please contact Revd. Glyn to schedule an appointment. See contact information below.

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St Michael's Church, Malton

The Church in the Market Place

We are a church, who invites and welcomes others, to journey together, growing in our love of Christ and deepening our relationship with Him.

**20th
October
2019**

Welcome to our services today

We welcome to Communion all baptized Christians. Coffee is served after the Parish Communion service; please stay for this and, if you are new to St Michael's, make yourself known to us.

TODAY'S SERVICES

9.30 a.m. Parish Communion

President & Preacher Revd Canon Simon Wright

Baptism of Charlie Edward Wright

Hymns at 9.30 a.m. 558, 321, 380, 267

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
increase in us your gift of faith
that, forsaking what lies behind
and reaching out to that which is before,
we may run the way of your commandments
and win the crown of everlasting joy;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast:
for here we receive you,
here the memory of your passion is renewed,
here our minds are filled with grace,
and here a pledge of future glory is given,
when we shall feast at that table where you reign
with all your saints for ever.

**Eighteenth
Sunday after
Trinity**

Website: www.maltonbenefice.org.uk

THANK YOU: to the Social & Fundraising team members who met on Tuesday evening to plan the Christmas Fayre.

The Diary

The October edition is available on the church web site to read at:

www.maltonbenefice.org.uk

If there is anything you want included in future back page jottings of The Diary, leave info in church, clearly marked "For the Diary" or email to maltonbenefice@yahoo.com

CHOIR NOTES

During Communion the choir will sing 'I lift my eyes' (Psalm 21) and hymn 328.



BENEFICE PRAYERS-WEEK 18

Please pray for those who live or work in these roads: Duncombe Close, Hawthorne Close, Outgang Road, Spital Field Court and Westfold.

BAPTISM SERVICE

Charlie Edward Wright

will be baptised in our service today.

Baptism Welcome

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism: led by one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

We welcome you into the fellowship of faith; we are children of the same heavenly Father.

We welcome you.

Monday 21 October

12 noon Thanksgiving for Molly Kirkham

Tuesday 22 October

8.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

Wednesday 23 October

10.30 a.m. Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel followed by coffee at Bar 46, Market Place

Thursday 24 October

9.00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St Mary's
11.30 a.m. Funeral of George Wiles
7.30 p.m. Choir Practice

Friday 25 October

8.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

Saturday 26 October

10.00 a.m. Coffee Stop: Lorraine Small, Janet Rogers

Sunday 27 October

9.30 a.m. Parish Communion
6.30 p.m. Holy Communion at St Mary's

READINGS & DUTIES 27 October

Readings Jeremiah 14. 7-10, 19-22
2 Timothy 4. 6-8, 16-18
Luke 18. 9-14

Duty Leader Trish Atkinson
Assistant Eileen Searle
Sidespersons Janet Rogers, Sandy Jeffries
Readers Anne Elvy, Mike Elvy
Intercessions Trish Atkinson
Server Margaret Clark
Chalice Margaret Clark, Connie Clark,
Coffee Beryl Queen, Karen Dallimore
Transport Janet Rogers
Flowers Mrs B Adamson
Cleaning Week comm 21st Oct-Team C

COUNTRYSIDE WALK: TODAY Starting from West Lutton church at 1.30 pm. Designed to take about two hours and followed by tea & cake. Donations to West Lutton church.

A reading from the book of Genesis

Jacob got up, took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, 'Let me go, for the day is breaking.' But Jacob said, 'I will not let you go, unless you bless me.' So he said to him, 'What is your name?' And he said, 'Jacob.' Then the man said, 'You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed.' Then Jacob asked him, 'Please tell me your name.' But he said, 'Why is it that you ask my name?' And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, 'For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved.' The sun rose upon him as he passed Peniel, limping because of his hip. Genesis 32. 22-31

A reading from the second letter of Paul to Timothy

Continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work. In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favourable or unfavourable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching. For the time is coming when people will not put up with sound doctrine, but having itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own desires, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander away to myths. As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully. 2 Timothy 3. 14-4.5

A reading from the Gospel of our Lord according to Luke

Jesus told his disciples a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, 'In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, "Grant me justice against my opponent." For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, "Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming." And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?" Luke 18. 1-8