

UKRAINE: Sue and Laurie Thackray would like to express a very heartfelt thank you for all of the generous donations for the Ukrainian Appeal.

Laurie set off in a convoy of 6 vans last Wednesday to Szczecin, just over the Polish border, a drive of over 1000 miles and 22 hours driving. He was overwhelmed and humbled by the experience. He delivered the aid to a designated centre at the university, manned by a huge team of young volunteers who ensured that all donations were sorted and distributed to where they were needed! Absolutely everything taken will be used.

Laurie is keen to join the next convoy in a few weeks time. The Ukrainian soldiers are desperate for boots as many of them are currently defending their country in trainers. If you can help by sending any men's work or walking boots you no longer need please let us know.

Thankyou

Thy Kingdom Come

runs from Thursday

26th May to Sun 5th

June and coincides with

the Platinum Jubilee weekend. Various events are being planned in association with St Peter's church.

More information soon.



Date for your diary: evening meal out at the Queen's Head, Amotherby on Wednesday 2nd November.

Items for Weekly Sheet to:
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Privacy Notice: Seating in the side aisles is designated a "video-free" area, and is out of range of our cameras.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

15th – 21st May



House-to-house collections will take place again this year and, as in 2021, in a Covid-safe way. The team of collectors will deliver the usual Christian Aid envelope through your door. The address of your local collector will be on the reverse, where you can drop off your donation.

In 2021 we collected a splendid £2,062 in Malton with a further £335 from Gift Aid

If you do not receive an envelope and would like to donate, please ring Alison on 691290.

Sunday Reflection: Every week, the Diocese of York offers a new reflection and prayer resource on the Diocese website at [vimeo.com/dioceseforyork](https://www.vimeo.com/dioceseforyork) This Sunday's reflection is with the Revd Nick Morgan, Vicar of the Bramham Benefice on John 10. 22-30.

HM the Queen's Platinum Jubilee

Is there anyone else out there who has any photos they have taken of the Queen or photos of them with Her Majesty? Please let Helen Shaw know, if so.

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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.*

**8th May
2022**

Welcome to our service 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.

**FACE COVERINGS: are no longer obligatory.
It is now a matter of personal choice.**

Collect

Almighty God,

whose Son Jesus Christ

is the resurrection and the life:

raise us, who trust in him,

from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,

that we may seek those things which are above,

where he reigns with you

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

Merciful Father,

you gave your Son Jesus Christ

to be the good shepherd,

and in his love for us

to lay down his life and rise again:

keep us always under his protection,

and give us grace to follow in his steps;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Website: www.maltonbenefice.org.uk

Thank you: to Andrew Wright, who is playing the organ for our service this morning.

At the end of the service, Andrew will play "Allegro Marziale" by Frank Bridge.



HYMNS: 140, 589, 152 & 627

BENEFICE PRAYERS-WEEK 16

Please pray for those who live or work in these roads: Damson Court, Great Sike Road, Orchard Gardens, Sheepfoot Hill, Sycamore Avenue and Blackthorn Avenue.

Acts 9.36-43

Get Up!

- ⇒ Have you heard of someone being involved in a miracle?
- ⇒ How do you think Peter was feeling as he entered a room with Tabitha's body?
- ⇒ Do you believe that you have the power to heal?
- ⇒ Thank God that you can receive his amazing power!
- ⇒ Read Matthew 10.1.
- ⇒ "You have to see the miracles for there to be miracles"
Jandy Nelson

If, like me, you have never heard of Jandy Nelson, I've done the research & she is a prize-winning, American author of fiction for young adults.

The Diocesan **Prayer Diary** for May is available to download from the Diocese web site.

READINGS & DUTIES 15th May

Readings: Genesis 22. 1-18
Acts 11. 1-18
John 13. 31-35

Duty Leader Trish Atkinson
Assistant David Campion
Sidesperson Mark Davey
Readers Shirley Thompson
Sarah Barry
Intercessions Trish Atkinson
Coffee Connie Clark
Marjorie Walker
Flowers Shirley Thompson

SERVICES

Morning Prayer is said at 9 am every morning (except Sunday) via Zoom where the format of the Northumbria Community is used.

Parish Communion on Sundays at 9.30 am in church

Holy Communion on Wednesdays at 10.30 am in church.

Tuesday: PCC meeting at 7.15 pm.

IONA-STYLE SERVICE

Sunday 22nd May at 4pm. If you haven't attended one of our Iona-style services before, why not pick up an invitation card and ask a friend to join you?



Services at St Mary's Priory

Today: Choral Mattins at 11.15 am & Evensong at 6.30 pm.

Wed: Holy Communion at 9 am.

Thurs: Morning Prayer at 10 am.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

A reading from the Book of Genesis

The LORD said to Noah, 'Go into the ark, you and all your household, for I have seen that you alone are righteous before me in this generation. Take with you seven pairs of all clean animals, the male and its mate; and a pair of the animals that are not clean, the male and its mate; and seven pairs of the birds of the air also, male and female, to keep their kind alive on the face of all the earth. For in seven days I will send rain on the earth for forty days and forty nights; and every living thing that I have made I will blot out from the face of the ground.' And Noah did all that the LORD had commanded him.
Genesis 7.1-5, (11-18, 8.6-18, 9.8-13)

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

In Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, 'Please come to us without delay.' So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, 'Tabitha, get up.' Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Acts 9. 36-43

Hear the Gospel of our Lord according to John

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one. John 10. 22-30