

without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed. Mark 6. 30-34; 53-56

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The **Collection Plate** is no longer passed around during the service and, if you are not signed up to the Parish Giving Scheme, you may put your offering in the plate at the back of church as you enter or in the second plate as you leave.

**News from Ryedale Foodbank:** we are concentrating at the moment on the contents of our School Holiday packs which have started to go out to families with children from this week. The pack also gives an information sheet of snack meals that can be made from Foodbank parcels.

The most useful items at the moment would be: blue UHT milk, cartons of juice, bottles of squash, cereals, tinned macaroni cheese, tinned spaghetti hoops, small tins of ham, tins of tuna, tins of rice pudding, tins of custard, microwave pasta, microwave rice & sponge puddings.

### Services at St Mary's Priory

**Today:** Choral Mattins at 11.15 am

**Wed:** Holy Communion at 9.00 am

**Thurs:** Morning Prayer at 10.00 am

**Next Sunday:** Sung Eucharist at 11.15 & Evensong at 6.30 pm

If anyone would appreciate a home visit and/or home Communion, then please contact Connie Clark on 07544 380163.

**Privacy Notice:** seating in the side aisles is designated a "video-free" area - out of range of our cameras.

**During the Vacancy,** either leave a message on the church office 'phone (01653 692089) or contact Mike Rhodes (01653 531339 between 9am and 5pm) or speak to Heather Williams. All contact details in the church address book.

**Date for your diary:** Saturday 7th Sept at 10am in York Minster: a Back to School service. Take your school bag in for a blessing.

**Sunday Reflection:** every week, the Diocese of York offers a new reflection and prayer resource on: [vimeo.com/dioceseofyork](https://vimeo.com/dioceseofyork)  
This Sunday, The Revd, Dr Ian McIntosh, Director of Mission & Ministry, reflects on our Gospel reading.

Adrian has been able to take a big bag of used stamps to the Oxfam shop in York this week and for which they are very grateful. Thank you to Adrian for doing this and....Keep Saving Used Stamps!

Items for Weekly Sheet to:  
[helen.shaw59@btinternet.com](mailto:helen.shaw59@btinternet.com)



## 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.*

**21st July  
2024**

### Welcome to our service today

We welcome to Communion all baptized Christians. Coffee is served after Rise & Shine at 10.30am and before the Parish Communion service begins; please join us for refreshments and, if you are new to St Michael's, make yourself known to us.

### Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,  
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern  
both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws  
and the works of your commandments;  
that through your most mighty protection,  
both here and ever,  
we may be preserved in body and soul;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### Prayer after Communion

Strengthen for service, Lord,  
the hands that have taken holy things;  
may the ears which have heard your word  
be deaf to clamour and dispute;  
may the tongues which have sung your praise  
be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen  
the tokens of your love, shine with the light of hope;  
and may the bodies, which have been fed with your  
body, be refreshed with the fullness of your life;  
glory to you for ever.

**Eighth  
Sunday  
after  
Trinity**

Website: [www.maltonbenefice.org.uk](http://www.maltonbenefice.org.uk)

**A big thank you** to Revd, Canon Veronica for coming to lead our service today. **Another big thank you** to the Junior Choir for joining our service last Sunday. This will be the final choir service before they take their summer break and we wish them and Alison a pleasant and relaxing holiday.

During Communion, the choir will sing the First Movement from Antonio Vivaldi's Gloria. At the end of the service, Alison will play a Paraphrase on Handel's Judeas Macabeus by Alexandre Guilmant.  
**HYMNS: 208, 594, \*, 516**

**BENEFICE PRAYERS WEEK 24**  
 Please pray for those who live or work in these roads: Appletree Way, Greengate, Lime Tree Avenue, Pinfold Garth, Tara Park and Harvest Drive.

Churchwarden Mike represented our parish at last Sunday's farewell service for Bishop John in Selby Abbey and sends this report.  
 It was a rainy, cold day but the bells rang out and the atmosphere was warm and welcoming. In Bishop John's own words – "I have now reached my Sel-by date"!!  
 The service started with a procession which included Archbishop Stephen, Bishop John, Archdeacon Sam, clergy and choir. The hymns were rousing as was Bishop John's sermon and the farewell speech by Archbishop Stephen. At the end of the service, Bishop John laid his staff on the altar and wheeled his bike down the nave to the Abbey entrance, where he said individual farewells to the more than 300 attendees.

**READINGS & DUTIES**  
**Sunday 28th July at 9.30 am**

Readings	2 Kings 4. 42-44 Ephesians 3. 14-21 John 6. 1-21
Duty Leader	Trish Atkinson
Assistant	Sue Wright
Sidesperson	Joyce Birch
Readers	Trish Atkinson Sue Thackray
Intercessions	Connie Clark
Chalice	Sue Wright
Coffee	Tracey Young Sue Thackray
Flowers	Tracey Young

**SERVICES**

**Parish Communion** on Sundays at 9.30 am in church, except third Sunday of the month, when Parish Communion starts at 10.45 am and Rise & Shine (for families & children) is at 9.30 am. The All -Age service on the first Sunday is a non-Eucharistic service.

**Holy Communion** on Wednesdays at 10.30 am in church.

Apologies: no Zoom on Sunday 28th July & Sunday 18th August.

The **Parish Pass** gives free entry into York Minster.  
 If you want to visit the Minster during the summer holidays, ask Helen Shaw for the 2024 digital pass.



**Readings for the Eighth Sunday after Trinity**

**A reading from the book of the Prophet Jeremiah**

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So, I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD. The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'  
 Jeremiah 23. 1-6

**A reading from Paul's letter to the Ephesians**

Remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision' – a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands – remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So, he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So, then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.  
 Ephesians 2. 1-22

**Hear the Gospel of our Lord, according to Mark**

The apostles returned from their mission. They gathered around Jesus and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep