

Newsletter

1st December 2019

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCHES:

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The Benefices of Bramham Christmas Services 2019

| | | | 8.00am HC | ALL SAINTS THORP ARCH | ST. PETER WALTON | ST. MARY BOSTON SPA | ALL SAINTS BRAMHAM | ST LUKES CLIFFORD |
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| 1st December Advent | P | 1 st Sunday of Advent | Boston Spa | 9.30am Layled | 9.30am | 10.00am Layled AAW | 10.00am | 3pm Advent Churches Together |
| 8 th December | P | 2 nd Sunday of Advent | Boston Spa | At Bramham | 4pm LAYLED Chrestingle | 10.00am | 10.00am Joint with ASTA | 11.00am |
| 15 th December | P | 3 rd Sunday of Advent | Boston Spa | 9.30am Carol Service Layled | 9.30am | 10.00am | 10.00am LAY LED | 11.00am |
| | | | | 4.00pm Benefice Carol Service at St Mary's | | | | |
| 22 nd December | P | 4 th Sunday of Advent | Bramham | 4pm The Story of Christmas | 9.30am Carols and Lessons | 10.00am | 6.30pm Carol Service | 11.00am |
| 24 th December & MIDNIGHT MASS | P | Christmas Eve | | | | 4.00pm CRIB SERVICE | 3.00pm CRIB SERVICE | |
| | | | | | | 6.00pm CRIB SERVICE | | |
| | | | | 11.30pm | | 11.00pm | | 11.00pm Midnight Mass |
| CHRISTMAS DAY | W or S | Christmas day | Boston Spa | 9.30am Service with HC | | 10.00am Service with HC | 10.00am Service with HC | 11.00am Christmas Day Mass |
| 29 th December | W | 1 st Sunday of Christmas | Boston Spa | 10.00am BENEFICE SERVICE at Boston Spa | | | | 11.00am Sung Eucharist |
| 5 th January | | | Boston Spa | 9.30am | 9.30am | 4.00pm Joint at Bramham | 4.00pm Chrestingle | |

ST. MARY'S CHURCH Christmas Cards



£5 per pack
5 cards per pack

Available from
The Parish Office



Christmas Quiz

£1.00 entry

Prize: Christmas Hamper

Quiz sheets available from each
church and the Parish Office

All Proceeds to All Saints' Church,
Bramham

COME & WORSHIP WITH US

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 9.00AM

Morning Prayer at St Mary's

WEDNESDAYS 10.00am Holy Communion at St Mary's

First FRIDAY of Month 10.00am HC at All Saints', Bramham

SATURDAYS 10.00am Holy Communion at St Mary's

SUNDAY 1st DECEMBER— 1st Sunday of Advent

- 8.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
9.30am Layed at **All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch**
9.30am HC at **St. Peter's Church, Walton**
10.00am AAW Layed at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
10.00am HC at **All Saints' Church, Bramham**
11.00am Sung Eucharist at **St Luke's, Clifford**
6.00pm Night Prayer at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**

Readings:

Isaiah 2.1-5
Psalm 122
Romans 13.11-end
Matthew 24.36-44

SUNDAY 8th DECEMBER— 2nd Sunday of Advent

- 8.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
10.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
10.00am HC at **All Saints' Church, Bramham** joint with Thorp Arch
11.00am Sung Eucharist at **St Luke's, Clifford**
4.00pm Layed Christingle at **St. Peter's Church, Walton**
6.00pm Night Prayer at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**

Readings:

Isaiah 11.1-10
Psalm 72.1-7, 18-19
Romans 15.4-13
Matthew 3.1-12

SUNDAY 15th DECEMBER— 3rd Sunday of Advent

- 8.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
9.30am Layed Carol Service at **All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch**
9.30am HC at **St. Peter's Church, Walton**
10.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
10.00am Layed at **All Saints' Church, Bramham**
11.00am Sung Eucharist at **St Luke's, Clifford**
6.00pm Night Prayer at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**

Readings:

Isaiah 35.1-10
Psalm 146.4-10
James 5.7-10
Matthew 11.2-11

SUNDAY 22nd DECEMBER— 4th Sunday of Advent

- 8.00am HC at **All Saints' Church, Bramham**
9.30am Carols and Lessons at **St. Peter's Church, Walton**
10.00am HC at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**
4.00pm The Story of Christmas at **All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch**
6.00pm Carol Service at **All Saints' Church, Bramham**
11.00am Sung Eucharist at **St Luke's, Clifford**
6.00pm Night Prayer at **St. Mary's, Boston Spa**

Readings:

Isaiah 7.10-16
Psalm 80.1-8, 18-20
Romans 1.1-7
Matthew 1.18-end

NEWS & EVENTS :

NOVEMBER

- 2nd Dec **7.15pm** MU@TOMS wreath making St. Mary's School, Boston Spa
- 3rd Dec **2.00pm** Knit and Knatter at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
- 4th Dec **2.00pm** MU Christmas Tea Party at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
- 6th Dec **7.30pm** Songs and Arias at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa (see advert)
- 10th Dec **2.00pm** Knit and Knatter at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
- 13th Dec **7.00pm** Young Life at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
- 18th Dec **9.45am** MU Meeting followed by HC at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa



The Bramham Benefice

Advent and Christmas Services for Families

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| 1st December | 10.00am | All Age Worship at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa |
| 8th December | 4.00pm | Christingle at St. Peter's, Church, Walton |
| 15th December | 9.30pm | Carol Service at All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch |
| 15th December | 4.00pm | Benefice Carol Service at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa |
| 22nd December | 4.00pm | The Story of Christmas at All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch |
| 22nd December | 6.00pm | Carol Service at All Saints' Church, Bramham |
| 24th December | 3.00pm | Crib Service at All Saints' Church, Bramham |
| 24th December | 4.00pm | Crib Service at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa |
| 24th December | 6.00pm | Crib Service at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa |
| 5th January | 4.00pm | Christingle at All Saints' Church, Bramham |





Following the Carol Service at St. Mary's Church on 15th December, mince pies and mulled wine will be served. Donations of mince pies will be gratefully received.



MU@TOMS NOTICE

Monday 2nd December
7pm at St Mary's school
to make Christmas
Wreaths. Cost £10.

Please let Rachel Ranby,
myself or Kate know if
would like to come along.

Songs & Arias

in Aid of

St. George's Crypt



by Final Year Leeds College of Music
Students of

Geraldine Cassidy

Accompanist: David Cowan

FRIDAY DECEMBER 6th at 7.30pm

St Mary's Church, Boston Spa

Tickets £10.00 to include a glass of wine

Available from: Church Office 01937 844402
Gausson 01937 844345, Yeadon's hardware shop
or on the door.

PLEASE HELP US PRAY FOR:

St. Mary's Email Prayer Group
If you would like to include someone on the Prayer list please contact Niki on:
stmarysprayer18@gmail.com

THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

Julia Carole Pontefract, Sandra Jones and Margaret Turner

OCCASIONAL OFFICES:

WEDDINGS:

BAPTISMS:

Spencer Watkins

Sunday 1st December 2019

10am at All Saints' Church, Bramham

FUNERALS:

REGULAR ACTIVITIES:

MON 12.00-1.00pm Yoga

MON 3.45-4.45 Meditation in the Christian Tradition held at 197 High Street, Boston Spa

MON 6.00pm Beavers (during term time)

2nd & 4th TUES 7.30pm Bell Ringing at All Saints' Bramham

WEDS 10.30am Coffee Morning

THURS 7.00pm Church Choir

SAT 10.30am Coffee Morning

All held at St Mary's Church, unless otherwise stated.

CHILDREN & YOUTH:

We offer various activities for families, children and young people. For more information contact Kate Kennedy on:

youthcoord.bramhambenefice@gmail.com

Visit our website for more details.

St. Mary's Ark (preschool)

1.45pm—3.00pm at St Mary's Church
December 5th and 19th

All Saints', Bramham Ark (preschool)

1.45pm—3.00pm at Bramham Church
November 28th

Discoverers (Reception to Year5)

3.30pm—5.00pm at St. Mary's School
December 5th

Young Life (Years 7+)

7pm—9pm at St Mary's Church

November 29th

December 13th

 **CHRISTMAS QUIZ** 7.30 on Saturday 7 December 2019 at Clifford Village Hall

Tickets £300 (or £41 for a table of 6) including refreshments

BAR and RAFFLE

Tickets from sicwillandjos@hotmail.com or Victoria on 0770 348470



We Wish You a Merry Christmas



Carol Singing
On the evening of Thursday 19th December, the newly formed Walton Christmas Choir will be carol singing around the village. Want to join us and get that truly Christmas spirit? Please contact our choir master

Anthony Farrimond
01937 842678 Mobile 07787545823.