

Newsletter

22nd November 2020

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCHES:

CONNECT WITH US ONLINE:

OUR CLERGY:



@ parishoflowerwharfe



@ stmarybostonspa

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bramhambenefice@outlook.com

Priest in Charge—Rev. Nick Morgan

revnjmorgan@gmail.com

Rev. Trish Anslow, Assistant Priest

Parish Office: 01937 844402

Mon-Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm

Fr. Ken Gabbadon Priest in Charge

St Luke's, Clifford e-mail: kqabba7036@aol.com

BOOK YOUR PLACE NOW

MIDNIGHT MASS

24TH DECEMBER 2020

11.30pm St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

11.30pm St. Peter's Church, Walton



CHRISTMAS DAY

25TH DECEMBER 2020

9.30am All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch

10.00am St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

10.00am All Saints' Church, Bramham

As space is limited for public health reasons, booking ahead is essential.

Please phone 01937 844402

Services across the Benefice

Join us at:
facebook.com/BramhamBenefice
or
www.BramhamBenefice.org/online-services

10.00am WEDNESDAYS

Online

All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch

22.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
29.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
06.12.20	10.00am	Online Christingle Service
13.10.20	9.30am	Communion at Walton

St. Peter's Church, Walton

22.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
29.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
06.12.20	10.00am	Online Christingle Service
13.10.20	9.30am	Communion

All Saints' Church, Bramham

22.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
29.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
06.12.20	10.00am	Online Christingle Service
13.12.20	10.00am	Parish Worship

St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

22.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
29.11.20	10.00am	Online worship
06.12.20	10.00am	Online Christingle Service
13.12.20	10.00am	Communion

22nd November

Ezekiel 31.11-16, 20.24
Ephesians 1.15-end
Matthew 25.31-end

29th November

Isaiah 64.1-9
1 Corinthians 1.3-9
Mark 13.24-end

6th December

TBC

13th December

Isaiah 61.1-4, 8-end
1 Thessalonians 5.16-24
John 1.26-38



Christingle Online Service



www.facebook.com/BramhamBenefice/

Sunday 6th December

10.00am



BENEFIGE
NATIVITY
Christmas Eve
4pm

This year the Nativity will be via Zoom.

For a Zoom Invitation email:

bramhambenefice@outlook.com

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:

Jillian Richardson
George Benson
Patricia Grisenthwaite

OCCASIONAL OFFICES:

WEDDINGS:

BAPTISMS:

FUNERALS:

Patricia Grisenthwaite
St. Mary's Church
23rd November 2020

CHILDREN & YOUTH:

We offer various activities for families,
children and young people. For more
information contact The Parish Office:
bramhambenefice@outlook.com

Visit our website for more details.

**Most of our children and youth
groups are suspended.**

**Young Life will go ahead via
Zoom,
please contact Revd. Nick for
more information.**

REGULAR ACTIVITIES:

**REGULAR ACTIVITIES WILL RESUME
AS SOON AS IT IS SAFE TO DO SO**

MON 12.00-1.00pm Yoga

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

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

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

Lost Property at St. Mary's Church

No items to report

Please collect before
the end of the month.
Any items left will be taken to
Martin House Charity shop



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**BOSTON SPA
VOLUNTEER
ACTION
GROUP**

**WE ARE HERE TO
HELP!**

**IF YOU ARE SELF ISOLATING AND
NEED SUPPORT ?**

**WE CAN
COLLECT PRESCRIPTIONS, PICK UP
SHOPPING OR JUST BE A FRIENDLY
VOICE ON THE END OF THE PHONE**

**PLEASE CONTACT PENNY STABLES IF
YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER
OR IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE**

**penny_stables@gmail.com
07941978802**

Bramham
foodbank

**GIFT
COLLECTION**

HELPING FAMILIES LOCALLY

There are so many families in need of support this year over the Christmas period. All gifts collected will be distributed by The Food Bank and The Salvation Army.

Gifts must be new and unwrapped

Who are the gifts for? Babies. Children. Teenagers. Parents. The Elderly

Example of gifts - games, toys, books, colouring sets, craft sets, vouchers, toiletry sets, slippers, luxury chocolates and biscuits, wrapping paper and sellotape etc.....

COLLECTION POINTS
BRAMHAM SURGERY CAR PARK
ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BOSTON SPA
NOVEMBER 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th 9.30am - 11.30am
Contact Emma for more details - 07742980706

Cllr Alan Lamb has launched a scheme to help individuals, couples and families who are struggling at this difficult time.

Vouchers can be purchased in either pub, direct from Alan, or from St. Mary's Parish Office.

St. Mary's have had a fantastic donation from a local Trust Fund, whereby any voucher purchased from St. Mary's will be match funded.

So, for every £25 donated the Trust Fund will also donate £25 to purchase a voucher.

Once vouchers have been purchased the vouchers will be sent to The Food Bank and distributed accordingly.

If you would like to purchase a voucher from St. Mary's please contact Emma on 01937 844402 to arrange a time to do this.



CHRISTMAS
is coming

Get in the festive mood with some seasonal activities

Family Treasure Hunt

Collect your clue sheet from All Saints' Church porch, follow the trail around the village and solve the clues. Hand in your completed sheet at the village shop. All correct entries will be entered into a prize draw! £1 per entry closing date 24th December 2020

 

Bramham Community Action Group
invite you to

Make a Christmas Decoration for the Community
make a Christmas decoration and hang it on the tree at the back of All Saints' Church

Christmas Word Quiz

£1.00 entry

Prize: Christmas Hamper

All Proceeds to All Saints' Church, Bramham

All you have to do is unscramble the letters to make Christmas words. Good Luck!

Shh Tarmac Refits
 Hmm Saints Dig
 Him Sweetener
 Pa Prawn Rip Peg
 Ask Own Elf
 Racer Catch Smirks
 Caste Indoor
 Grail Fit Shy
 Omelet Its
 East Ion Tip
 Nets Light In
 Anagram Ya Wine
 Richest Stream
 Nearby Cars Cure
 Name Mi Post
 Lava Dance Trend
 Snacker n Fine
 A Decking Ogles Snow
 Italic Tea Firer
 Bear Once Geezers

Closing Date SUNDAY 13th DECEMBER



Name

Contact number

Completed forms to be sent to 16 Firbeck Road, Bramham or to Emma at St. Mary's Church Parish Office, Boston Spa.

Affix £1 to your entry. If more than 1 correct entry, then a draw will take place to find the winner.

The winner will be contacted by phone. Thank you for your continued support.

Online services can be found at:

[facebook.com/BramhamBenefice](https://www.facebook.com/BramhamBenefice)

or

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NOTE FROM THORP ARCH PC: "For the past year or so we have treated the 'lower green' to fertilize and prevent moss and weeds. This has been very beneficial. We are now moving on to the 'upper green' on either side of the road into Thorp Arch Park, which is in a poor state. The first treatment there will be on 16th November. As there are chemicals in use, even though these are deemed 'pet friendly', we are recommended to ask that pets are kept off the areas for an hour after treatment. Please pass on to any pet owner who you think might want to be aware of this.



**IN THESE
CHALLENGING
TIMES**

REMEMBER TO

KEEP IN TOUCH

IT ONLY TAKES A FEW MINUTES TO PICK UP THE PHONE.

SAY HELLO. HOW ARE YOU?

LISTEN AND CHAT

YOU MIGHT MAKE SOMEONE'S DAY

BRAMHAM BENEFICE

FOOD COLLECTION



**SUPPORT WETHERBY
FOOD BANK**



Collection point 1

**Bramham Church Porch
10am - 4pm 7 days a week**

Collection point 2

**St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
9am - 3pm 7 days a week**

ITEMS REQUIRED

RICE PUDDING - CUSTARD

SPONGE PUDDINGS

BISCUITS

TINNED MEAT - TINNED FISH

TOILETRIES - CLEANING PRODUCTS

**THE FOOD BANK CAN NOW
ACCEPT FRESH FRUIT AND
VEGETABLES. THE
COLLECTIONS ARE TAKEN TO
THE FOOD BANK ON A
MONDAY MORNING**

**NO FROZEN OR CHILLED
GOODS**

