

Newsletter

20th June 2021

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCHES:

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OUR CLERGY:

Priest in Charge—Rev. Nick Morgan

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Parish Office: 01937 844402

Mon-Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm

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Reverend Nick has recently launched a new podcast called "Have You Warmed the Pot?" which is now available on Spotify and a number of other online podcast providers).

These short episodes are designed to be gentle ponderings rather than sermons and are ideal to share with friends who are not yet Christians, but might be interested to hear reflections on life from the perspective of a Yorkshire vicar. A new episode appears every Sunday afternoon and Nick hopes they can help members of our congregations start conversations with their non-churchgoing friends, neighbours and family members.

You can listen to all the episodes on Rev'd Nick's website www.villagevicar.net, or look for a link to new episodes on the Bramham Benefice Facebook page every Sunday evening.

If you use Spotify, simply search for 'have you warmed the pot' or if you are reading this on the online version of the Newsletter, click the link below, and please click Follow, and share the podcast with your friends.

<https://open.spotify.com/show/1ugfUbgooHZA3xP02d55yY>

If you use other apps for your podcasts and online listening, try searching there as well - more outlets are taking Have You Warmed The Pot up for distribution all the time.

VICAR OF VILLAGES

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Services across the Benefice

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

10.00am WEDNESDAYS - Communion Service at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

8am SUNDAYS - Communion Service

1st, 3rd and 4th Sunday of the month at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
2nd Sunday of the month at All Saints', Thorp Arch

All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch

20.06.21 **9.30am** Parish Worship
 27.06.21 **9.30am** Parish Worship
 04.07.21 **9.30am** Holy Communion
 11.07.21 **8.00am** BCP Service

St. Peter's Church, Walton

20.06.21 **9.30am** Parish Worship
 27.06.21 **9.30am** Holy Communion
 04.07.21 See Services at Thorp Arch, Bramham and Boston Spa
 11.07.21 **9.30am** Holy Communion

All Saints' Church, Bramham

20.06.21 **10.00am** Holy Communion
 27.06.21 **10.00am** Parish Worship
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 11.07.21 **10.00am** Parish Worship

St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

20.06.21 **10.00am** Holy Communion including Live Streaming
 27.06.21 **10.00am** Holy Communion including Live Streaming
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Sunday Readings

20th June

Job 38.1-11
 2 Corinthians 6.1-13
 Mark 4.35-41

27th June

Wisdom 1.13-15; 2.23-24
 2 Corinthians 8.7-end
 Mark 5.21-end

4th July

Ezekiel 2.1-5
 2 Corinthians 12.2-10
 Mark 6.1-13

11th July

Amos 7.7-15
 Ephesians 1.3-14
 Mark 6.14-29

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:

Joyce Ward, Marian Robson, Ronald
Pearson and David Bannister

OCCASIONAL OFFICES:

BAPTISM:

WEDDINGS:

Henry Mook and Emily Elliott
All Saints' Church, Bramham
26th June 2021

FUNERALS:

Marian Robson
St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
21st June 2021

Ronald Pearson
All Saints' Church, Bramham
22nd June 2021

David Bannister
St. Mary's Church, Bramham
28th June 2021

Joyce Ward
St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa
29th June 2021

Due to ongoing restrictions,
attendance at services is limited to those
specifically invited.

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.**



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Welcome

Welcoming strangers is a deep-rooted message of our faith and is mentioned throughout the Bible repeatedly as part of what makes our faith communities distinctive.

The UK is expecting to welcome a significant number of people from Hong Kong in the near future as people take advantage of the UK government's British Nationals (Overseas) visa scheme. It is important that UK churches are ready to welcome new arrivals from Hong Kong, and to this end, our Benefice is registered with UKHK.org as a Welcome Church. This means that, should any people arrive from HK, they know that they can make contact with a church where people will help them find their feet and settle into life in the UK.

This can take practical forms including walking with them around our villages to show them local amenities, telling them how to register with a GP, how to access local services and so on, but it also takes the form of welcoming them into our church communities.

There are training videos and materials available for those who would like to join our HKUK welcome team. If you would like to be involved, please let the parish office know, and Rev'd Nick will be in touch with details of how to access the training materials.

Why online donations?

Churches rely on the generosity of their communities to enable their mission and ministry. Whilst our church buildings are closed and we are unable to receive cash offerings, it's important that we offer alternative ways for people to give. Online giving is a good mechanism to enable one-off donations from people and to act as an alternative way to give for those who regularly donate by cash or for occasional and new givers.

To help our Benefice and donate please visit our website.

BramhamBenefice.org and follow the online giving link at the top of the page.

If you would like to donate to one particular church please contact
The Parish Office on 01937 844402



Thank you for your continued support.



St Peter's Church, Walton

Doreen Lister is admitted to
Office as Churchwarden

Sunday 13th June 2021



Archbishop Stephen having an online chat with our Churchwardens,
Doreen and David, whilst other Churchwardens watched from
home.

Monday 14th June 2021

Bramham Benefice

invites you to an

End of Term Picnic

Saturday 24th July

4pm

Churchfields, Boston Spa

(by kind permission of Boston Spa Parish Council)

**Bring your own picnic, mat, chair
and friends**



Ice Cream Cart

Face Painting



Concluding with our new 'Unlocked' Service
at 6pm in St. Mary's Church.

Each 4th Saturday of the month, 6pm at St Mary's, Boston Spa

Worship for post-lockdown times, led by The Reverend Nick Morgan, lasting less than an hour.
A less formal service using videos, contemporary worship music, and an extended time of teaching.
No previous experience of coming to church necessary - all are welcome.



PROGRAMME 2021: Faith let loose

June 26 th	Freed... but to do what?
July 24 th	Who's in charge? no Unlocked service in August
September 25 th	Creation, culture, and the common good
October 23 rd	Citizens, confession, and character
November 27 th	Seeking God's Kingdom

The Bramham Benefice is a group of four Church of England churches who work together to love & serve the village communities of Boston Spa, Bramham, Thorp Arch and Walton.
www.BramhamBenefice.org facebook.com/BramhamBenefice



unlocked

Come along and
bring a friend

Pray about your own approach to worship in Church.

**We will continue to live stream from St. Mary's
if you are not ready to visit one of our church buildings.**

BRAMHAM BENEFICE

FOOD COLLECTION



SUPPORT WETHERBY
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Wish List

Porridge

inc. one-pot

Pasta with sauce

dried packets

Sponge Puddings

Pot Noodles

Noodles

Washing up liquid

Hot chocolate

Tinned fish

Flavoured rice

Sugar

Jam

COLLECTION POINTS

All Saints Church, Bramham 10am - 4pm
St Mary's Church, Boston Spa 9am-3pm

Your continued support
is vital.

HELP US, HELP OTHERS



WHAT'S IN A FOOD PARCEL?

[The Trussell Trust](#) has worked with nutritionists to ensure food parcels contains sufficient nutrition for at least three days worth of healthy, balanced meals for individuals and families.

A TYPICAL FOOD PARCEL

Breakfast cereals
Soup
Pasta
Rice
Pasta sauce
Tinned beans
Tinned meat
Tinned vegetables
Tinned fruit
Tea or coffee
Milk
Biscuits
Snacks

Our foodbank provides three days of nutritionally balanced, non-perishable food.

**RING 0808 2082138
FOR ADVICE AND A
VOUCHER.**

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