

# Newsletter

10th September 2023

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCHES:

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[www.bramhambenefice.org](http://www.bramhambenefice.org)

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## PET SERVICE:

Thank God for Pets!



Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023



4pm 



All Saints' Church,  
Thorp Arch



Includes a Blessing of the Pets,  
so bring them (or a photo of them) along!

# Services across the Benefice

Join us at:  
[facebook.com/BramhamBenefice](https://facebook.com/BramhamBenefice)  
or  
[www.BramhamBenefice.org/online-services](http://www.BramhamBenefice.org/online-services)

10.00am Wednesday - 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

6pm Sunday—Compline Service at St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

9.15am Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Morning Prayer at St. Mary's  
Church, Boston Spa

## OCCASIONAL OFFICES:

### BAPTISM:

**Florence Blackburn**

Thursday 14th September  
All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

**Axel Williamson**

Sunday 17th September  
St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

**Albie Colbeck**

Sunday 24th September  
St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

**Marley Kidd**

Sunday 24th September  
St. Luke's Church  
Clifford

### WEDDINGS

**Thomas Bowie  
and**

**Jessica Morrison**  
Saturday 9th September  
St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

**Nathaniel Tidy  
and**

**Jennifer Rhodes**  
Saturday 9th September  
All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

**Richard Blackburn  
and**

**Sophie Hill**  
Thursday 14th September  
All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

### FUNERALS:

**Arthur Utlej**

Tuesday 12th September  
St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

**Helen Bald**

Wednesday 20th September  
St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

10th Sept **10am** **Communion Service**  
 17th Sept  
 24th Sept **10am** **Parish Worship**  
 1st Oct **10am** **Communion Service**

All Saints' Church,  
Thorp Arch

10th Sept **8am** **Communion Service**  
 17th Sept **4pm** **Pet Service**  
 24th Sept **9.30am** **Parish Worship**  
 1st Oct **9.30am** **Harvest Communion**

St. Luke's Church,  
Clifford

10th Sept **11am** **Parish Worship**  
 17th Sept  
 24th Sept **11am** **Parish Mass**  
 1st Oct **11am** **Parish Mass**

St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

10th Sept **10am** **Communion Service**  
 17th Sept **10am** **Communion Service**  
 24th Sept **10am** **Communion Service**  
 1st Oct **11am** **Harvest All Together**

St. Peter's Church,  
Walton

10th Sept **9.30am** **Communion Service**  
 17th Sept **9.30am** **Parish Worship**  
 24th Sept **9.30am** **Communion Service**  
 1st Oct

## Readings

### 10th September

Job 38. 1-18  
 Matthew:5. 13-16

### 17th September

Deuteronomy 28.1-14  
 Luke 12.16-30

### 24th September

Amos 5.21-24  
 John 7.37-39

### 1st October


Leviticus 25.8-19  
 Luke 17.11-19

## 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](mailto:stmarysprayer18@gmail.com)

### THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

June Coupland, Joan Patchett, Arthur Utley and Helen Bald



**St. Mary's Email Prayer Group**  
Are you or someone you know in need of prayer?  
We are a group of 20 people in the Bramham Benefice who pray regularly and privately for those who have asked for our prayer support, whatever their needs or beliefs.  
To find out more or to request prayer for yourself or someone else, please contact:  
Niki Hampson at [stmarysprayer18@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysprayer18@gmail.com)  
Please add some details with names. You need to ask permission from those we are praying for.  
Details are confidential within the group and names are not read out in church.



## WE'RE CURRENTLY LOW ON...

- TINNED MEAT MEALS: STEW, MINCE, CHILLI
- TINNED COLD MEATS: HAM, CORNED BEEF
- TINNED HOT DOGS, MEATBALLS
- TINNED SOUPS
- TINNED FRUIT - ALL KINDS
- TINNED VEG - ALL KINDS
- TINNED RICE PUDDING
- TINNED CUSTARD
- PUDDINGS - LONG-LIFE PLEASE
- CHOCOLATE AND SWEET SNACKS
- DEODORANT
- TOILET CLEANER

**WE NEED ALL ITEMS**

# St. Mary's Church

FUNCTION ROOM

AVAILABLE TO HIRE

£12 PER HOUR

TOILETS

WI-FI

FULLY EQUIPPED KITCHEN

PARISH OFFICE

01937 844402



## UMBRELLA DONATIONS

Please donate umbrellas to help the asylum seekers who are staying in the Gateway Hotel. They have a 30 minute walk to the nearest bus stop.

Donations can be dropped off at St. Mary's Church







# **St Luke's Church, Clifford**

## **A CONCERT OF CHAMBER MUSIC**

**with**

### **THE MIRREN ENSEMBLE**

**Saturday 16th September 2023**

**from 2:00 PM**

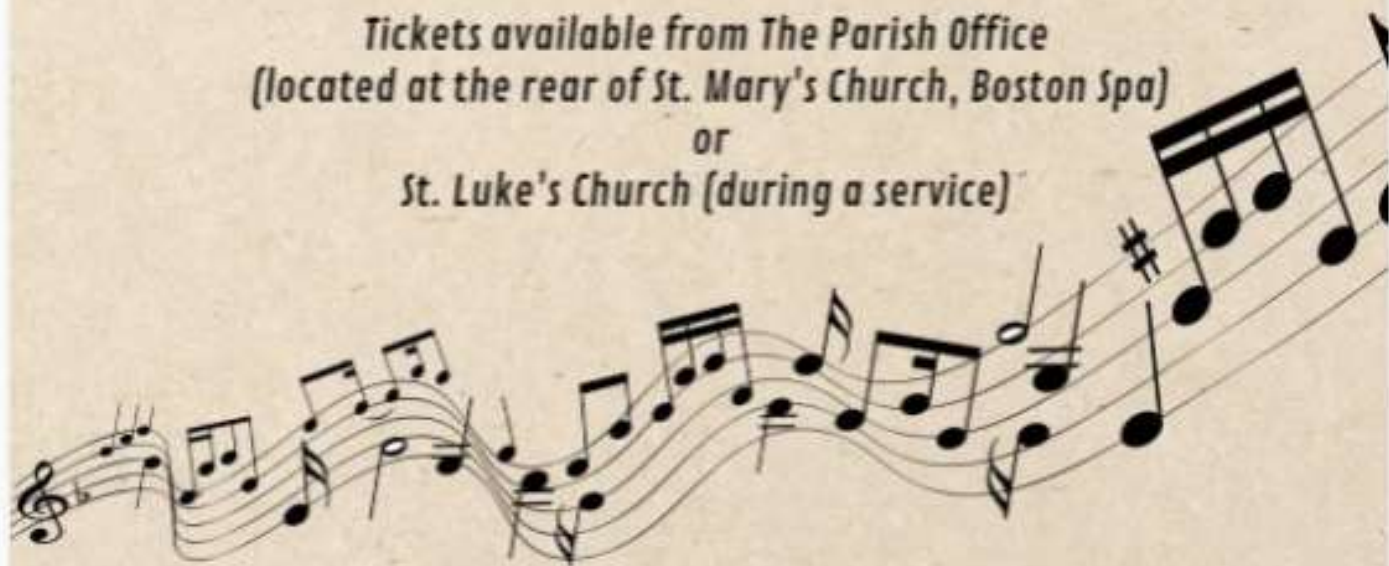
**£10 admission (afternoon tea included)**

*All proceeds go towards Phase 2 Disabled Access at St. Luke's*

*Tickets available from The Parish Office  
(located at the rear of St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa)*

*or*

*St. Luke's Church (during a service)*



# News from around the Benefice

All Saints' Church,  
Thorp Arch



**HARVEST SUPPER**

Saturday 14th October 2023  
7pm for a 7.30pm start  
The Pax Inn, Thorp Arch  
£12.50 a ticket

All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch with The Village Society

Tickets available from  
Janette 01937 843684  
Parish Office 01937 844402

St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

1st October 2023

Service at 11am and follow with a soup & roll  
lunch in aid of Christian Aid

# The Ark



## Come and join us

St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

warmly invite you to join us for play, stories, songs,  
crafts and fun!

**St Mary's Church, Boston Spa**

**1.30pm—3.00pm**

**Dates for Autumn 2023**

**7th September**

**21st September**

**5th October**

**19th October**

**9th November**

**23rd November**

**7th December**

**21st December**



# You've Got This

*A network for families and carers with children who have additional needs.  
A safe space to share experiences and advice.*



**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Sept 10.30am & 7.30pm**  
**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am & 7.30pm**  
**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 10.30am & 7.30pm**  
**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 10.30am & 7.30pm**

**@ The Parish room, St Mary's Church, Boston Spa**  
**free refreshments**

Contact Cassie: [cassiechp@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cassiechp@hotmail.co.uk) or Jo 07783336436  
[jo.davies@communitymatters.org.uk](mailto:jo.davies@communitymatters.org.uk) for further information.

To join the Parent peer support WhatsApp group text 07912384723



*"It's great to be amongst other parents who understand some of the challenges we face as a family in a relaxed place."*

# St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

Connections

The Bramham Benefice



## Cafe Church

*Every Saturday*


10am - 12noon

11.15am Short reflection



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Join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at 6.30pm  
in the Parish Room at St Mary's, Boston Spa.



Flourish is an oasis of calm reflection  
in which we explore a rhythm of life which enables us  
to flourish and become more like Christ.

This is an act of Christian worship lasting around an hour. It includes Bible readings, guided meditation, music, videos, stories, prayers, and teaching about aspects of life as a follower of Jesus. Tea, coffee, biscuits (and very possibly cake!) will be available from 6pm.

Led by Rev'd Nick Morgan and Jo Davies from Connections Café.

### AUTUMN 2023 PROGRAMME:

SEPTEMBER 10 <sup>TH</sup>	THE BIBLE
OCTOBER 8 <sup>TH</sup>	LOVING ONE ANOTHER
NOVEMBER 12 <sup>TH</sup>	ADOPTING PATTERNS OF REST
DECEMBER 10 <sup>TH</sup>	A WORSHIPPING COMMUNITY

# Looking forward

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Harvest on the Hill	Bramham Beacon Field	24th September
Historical talk 'Siege of York'	All Saints' Church, Thorp Arch	27th October
Bridge Event in aid of St. Peter's Church	St. Marys Church, Boston Spa	6th November
Christmas fair	All Saints' Church, Bramham	25th November
Walton Christmas Lights Switch On	St. peter's Church, Walton	25th November

Further details will follow