

# Newsletter

10th March 2024

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCHES:

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## Mothering Sunday Services

10th March  
2024

9.30am  
St. Peter's Church,  
Walton

10am  
All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

10am  
St. Mary's Church  
Boston Spa

# Services across the Benefice

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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:

### WEDDINGS

### FUNERALS:

**David Lister  
and**

**Savannah Holden**  
Saturday 13th April  
All Saints' Church  
Bramham

**Barbara Ransome**  
Tuesday 12th March  
12noon

St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

**Audrey Coulter**

Thursday 21st March  
1pm

St. Luke's Church, Clifford

## PLEASE HELP US PRAY

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:**

Iris Broom, Sue Waring, Kathleen Purdie,  
Val Howse, Barbara Ransome and Audrey  
Dawson

All Saints' Church,  
Bramham

10th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
17th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
24th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Parish Worship</b>
31st Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>

All Saints' Church,  
Thorp Arch

10th Mar	<b>8am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
17th Mar	<b>4.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong</b>
24th Mar	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Parish Worshp</b>
31st Mar	<b>8am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>

St. Luke's Church,  
Clifford

10th Mar		Joint with Bramham
17th Mar	<b>11am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
24th Mar	<b>11am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
31st Mar	<b>11am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>

St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

10th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
17th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
24th Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
31st Mar	<b>10am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>

St. Peter's Church,  
Walton

10th Mar	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
17th Mar	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Parish Worship</b>
24th Mar	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>
31st Mar	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Communion Service</b>

## Readings

**10th March**  
Exodus 2.1-10  
John 19.25-27

**17th March**  
Jeremiah 31.31-34  
Hebrews 5.5-10  
John 12.20-33

**24th March**  
John 12.12-16  
Isaiah 50.4-9a  
Philippians 2.5-11  
Gospel: Mark 15.1-39

**31st March**  
Acts 10.34-43  
John 20.1-18





# PALM SUNDAY

## Services

Sunday 24th March

8am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's, Boston Spa
9.30am	Parish Worship at All Saints', Thorp Arch
9.30am	Holy Communion at St. Peter's, Walton
9.45am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's, Boston Spa
10am	Parish Worship at All Saints', Bramham
11am	Holy Communion at St. Luke's, Clifford



# MAUNDY THURSDAY

## Service

7.30pm Maundy Thursday Service  
St. Mary's Church  
Boston Spa



# GOOD FRIDAY

## SERVICES

29th March 2024

10am	All Together Service, St. Mary's, Boston Spa, followed by Hot Cross Buns
11.30am	Walk of Witness, starting at St. Mary's, Boston Spa, finishing at Boston Spa Methodist Church
2pm	Good Friday Service at St. Luke's, Clifford
2pm	Stations of the Cross at All Saints', Bramham
7.30pm	Liturgy of Good Friday Service at St. Mary's, Boston Spa



# *Easter*

## **SUNDAY SERVICES**

### **31st March 2024**

6am	Dawn Service at St. Mary's, Boston Spa
8am	Holy Communion at All Saints', Thorp Arch
9.30am	Holy Communion at St. Peter's, Walton
10am	Holy Communion at All Saints', Bramham
10am	Holy Communion at St. Mary's, Boston Spa
11am	Holy Communion at St. Luke's, Clifford

**PLANT, CRAFT**  
and  
**GIFT FAIR**

**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, BRAMHAM**

**Saturday 27th April - 11am - 2pm**

All proceed to All Saints' Church

 **FREE ENTRY**

BEDDING PLANTS	CAKES	FUDGE
ANNUALS	SCONES	CANDLES
PERENNIALS	TRAYBAKES	CARDS
VEGETABLES	PRESERVES	JEWELLERY
HERBS	TEA, COFFEE	FABRIC CRAFTS
SHRUBS	JUICE	AND SO MUCH MORE

If you would like to donate any plants, cakes or preserves please contact Emma on 07740166706 or drop off at the church on 27th April from 9.30am. Thank you.

YOU'RE INVITED TO AN  
EVENING OF...  
**Wines of  
South Africa**

with SPECIAL CHEESES

HOSTED by  
St. Mary's Church & John Butterwick

**SATURDAY 8th June**  
7pm

£25 PER PERSON  
**ST. MARY'S CHURCH**



Tickets available from:  
The Parish Office 01937 844402  
and  
Robert Wivell 01937 843727



**St Mary's are having a 'big brass' clean.**

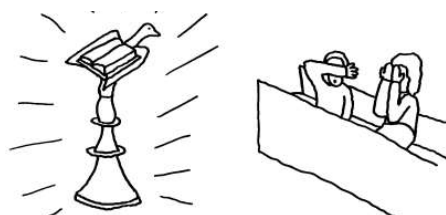
Saturday 16th March 2024.  
10.30am North Aisle

Can you help?

All cleaning equipment and **refreshments** will be provided.

**CHURCH CLEANING**

THE PERILS OF OVER-ZEALOUSNESS



DAZZLING BRASSWORK



## 2024 LENT COURSE

The Lent course will take place in St. Edwards Church Parish Room, Clifford at 7.30pm on the following dates:

- Wednesday 21st February
- Wednesday 28th February
- Wednesday 6th March
- Wednesday 13th March
- Wednesday 20th March
- Wednesday 27th March

The Lent series is organised by Christians Together – and everyone is welcome!



“Loving our neighbours means living out our faith on a local and global scale. This course offers valuable resources to help us make a difference by speaking out and engaging decision makers.”

Rt Revd Dr Guli Francis-Dehqani (The Bishop of Chelmsford).

St. Mary's Church, Boston Spa

Connections Bramham

**Cafe Church**

*Every Saturday*

10am - 12noon  
11.15am Short reflection

Image of a coffee cup on a table.

Image of logos: The Church of England, Faithful, and others.

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**There will be no Café Church on Saturday 30th March**

? CALL MY ? BLUFF

A GAME OF QUIZ AND DOUBLE BLUFF

Can you guess who our 'bluffers' will be?

Tickets **£7.50 each**

light bites included.

St Peter's Church, Walton

Friday 15th March

6.00pm start

**SOLD OUT**

01937 844906

07729812901

The Parish Office: 01937 844402

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27th April 2024

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All proceed to All Saints' Church

Join us on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month at  
6.30pm: The Parish Room, 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.

### SPRING 2024 PROGRAMME:

FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>      SHARING FAITH  
MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup>        PRAYER  
APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup>        GENEROSITY



Ohay Mateys!

## SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB

at St. Mary's Church,  
Boston Spa

10am- 1pm  
Wednesday 24th July  
Thursday 25th July  
Friday 26th July

Join the quest for treasure, through songs, games, craft activities and Bible verses

Contact The Parish Office to register your interest or to book a place.  
01937 844402

Suggested donation  
£3.00 per session

## Ladies of the Benefice Annual Retreat

Revd Trish has booked  
Wydale Hall for our retreat

**Mon 17<sup>th</sup> June - Wed  
19<sup>th</sup> June**

This year the price for the two  
nights is **£202.00**

Please let Revd Trish or Emma  
in the office know if you  
would like to come.  
01937 844402



# 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**

April 18th

May 2nd and 16th

June 6th and 20th

July 4th and 18th