



ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, SCALBY



Building together a community of faith
that reaches out with God's love –
in Jesus' name.

PRAYER-CREATIVITY-INVITATION-LEARNING-JOY-SERVING

Week beginning: Sunday 4th October 2026

Hello and Welcome

World



- ❖ The 120,000 Yemenis who've been displaced by a sudden surge in the fighting with the Saudi backed pro government forces. Pray for a de-escalation in the fighting and care for the thousands of refugees.
- ❖ Pray for hope for the Middle East ,for politicians to change course and for a just and lasting peace.
- ❖ Humanitarian aid for Sudan and South Sudan and strong international leadership for a sustainable peace.
- ❖ Pray for continuing hope and resilience for Ukrainians and thank God for the many agencies and aid workers who go into dangerous places to help people.
- ❖ The outbreak of Ebola disease in the DRC where the Medecins sans Frontieres team are under tremendous pressure as they try to control the outbreak through educating communities in good hygiene practice

Church and Community

- ❖ Faith In Scarborough Schools hoping to appoint new Schools Worker to go in to more schools. Pray for discernment as they interview candidates in the next few weeks.
- ❖ For generosity towards the Rainbow Centre and Westway Open Arms through our giving at Harvest
- ❖ Staff at Proudfoots who will be experiencing anxiety at this time of upheaval and change.

Individuals

- ❖ David Pynn and all those known personally to us who need our prayers.
- ❖ Please pray for David as he starts leading worship again as he covers for one of the four band directors for a season. He had recently been leading the overall worship ministry but not necessarily actually leading worship himself on Sundays.
- ❖ The families and friends of Reg Towse and Jan Milnes.



Church Services today and next week

Sunday 4th October

18th Sunday after Trinity & Harvest Celebration

8.00am	Holy Communion	Bishop David Wilbourne
10.30am	Celebrate! Harvest	Celebrate! Team
Collect:	God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.	
Reading:	Luke 12.13-21	
	Refreshments to be served in Church after the service	
12.30pm	Harvest Lunch (Ticket only)	Church Rooms
5.00pm	Fun and Food	Celia Hare

Tuesday 6th October

8.30am	Morning Prayer	Revd Marion Wright
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Thursday 8th October

8.30am	Morning Prayer	Revd Marion Wright
10.30am	Holy Communion	Revd Tony Hand
12.00pm	Funeral of Jan Milnes	Woodlands Crematorium
	Please wear something yellow in memory of Jan	
	Followed by the wake at the Rugby Club at 1pm	

Sunday 11th October

19th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	Bishop David Wilbourne
10.30am	Holy Communion Preacher	Revd Tony Hand Kevin Boak
Readings:	Philippians 4:1-9 & Matthew 22:1-14	

WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK:

05.10.26	10.00am	Little Steps	Church Rooms
06.10.26	8.30am	Morning Prayer	Church
	2.30pm	Barnabas Group	Church Rooms
08.10.26	8.30am	Morning Prayer	Church
	10.30am	Holy Communion	Church
	12.00pm	Funeral of Jan Milnes	Woodlands Crem
11.10.26	8.00am	Holy Communion	Church
	10.30am	Holy Communion	Church

HARVEST LUNCH

Our Harvest Lunch is taking place on Sunday 4th October in the Church Rooms at 12.30pm. Tickets will be available after Sunday services from any member of the Social Committee and are priced at £10 for adults and £5 for children under 14. Please bring a knife, fork, spoon and glass.

* Are you able to make a fruit crumble for our harvest lunch please?

You can use any fruit.

Please sign the list at the back of church and bring the crumble on the day already cooked and warm, ready to eat. Thank you.

HARVEST FLOWERS

We will be putting in flowers for Harvest on Saturday 3rd October, 9.00 - 11.30am. If you would like to be involved, please sign the list at the back of church.

We always deliver flowers to the sick and housebound at harvest time. As part of our 'creation' theme, we would be grateful if you could collect a jam jar from church and create a posy arrangement in it and then deliver it to a person on one of the named cards or more if you can make more! They can be delivered any time over harvest. Thanks.

PRIZE BINGO EVENING

The Friends of St. Laurence's are organising a 'Prize Bingo Evening' on Friday 9th October in the Church Rooms. It starts at 6.30pm and promises to be a fun packed event. Admission is £5 which includes a glass of wine. Tickets are available from Sue Truefitt on 07967 159436.

Bingo cards are £1 each on the night and you can buy as many as you like.



Keep in touch via www.stlaurencescalby.org.uk, by email on office@stlaurencescalby.org.uk or through Facebook, search St. Laurence's Church, Scalby.

SCALBY TOURS

This year Scalby Tours presents 'A Dickens of a Christmas' at Castle Howard on Wednesday 25th November, setting off at 10am. This Victorian extravaganza will leave you full to the brim with festive cheer! Charles Dickens' classic novels are brought to life in grand Christmas style, leaping off the page with projections, soundscapes and theatrical surprises. Rich in nostalgia, storytelling and Christmas spirit, it's an immersive journey that celebrates Christmas magic. Join us for £35, which includes the coach (and driver's tip) and entrance to Castle Howard. Payment is required with booking. No refunds after 1st November. For more information please contact Helen Arnold, Linda Thompson, Valerie Aston or just sign the list at the back of church.



POST OFFICE INFORMATION

Proudfoots will stop trading on Sunday 4th October affecting a vast number of people who have relied on it for their grocery shopping for many years. We are aware that there will be people who for various reasons, for instance lack of mobility or transport who will be more adversely affected than others. We are all sad at this change and grateful to the caring team of staff who've served us and made shopping an enjoyable experience. We now have the opportunity to reach out to the community and offer help where it's needed. Let's be aware of those around us who need practical help in planning their shopping over the next few months especially during the run up to Christmas. There may well be people who need assistance with posting cards and parcels too so let's have the information about local post offices ready at hand.



Post Office Services are available at:

Newlands Park Drive

Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm

Saturday 9am – 1pm

Cloughton – St. Mary's Church

Tuesday 9.30am – 12.30pm

Thursday 12pm – 3.30pm

We hope each one of us will look out for others, showing care, concern and support to our neighbours.



Flowers at the lectern are in memory of Paul Frost and those at the left hand altar are in memory of Ted Pennock

THANK YOU

Many thanks to all the arrangers who have created such a splendid Harvest display – a wonderful celebration of autumn.

FUN WITH FAITH

Fun with Faith is back on Saturday 3rd October at 4pm in the Church Rooms. A fun way for anyone to discover more about God while we eat cake. Let's talk and get to know each other. Let's do a bit of craft if we want to. At the end feel free to eat more cake, drink more tea and chat a bit more. Everyone is welcome.



SITUATIONS VACANT

We have a number of volunteer roles which are available for those who have some spare time they are wanting to fill. These includes volunteers for Little Steps (Baby and Toddler Group), helpers for Messy Church, members of the Missions group, an editor for CONNECT magazine along with someone to prepare the content ready for print and to manage subscriptions and advertising. If you are interested in, or want any more information about any of these positions then please speak to our Churchwardens, Sue Truefitt and Liz Anderson.

A WARM EAST RIDING WELCOME TO OUR NEW ARCHDEACON

We are delighted to invite you to a special service of worship and prayer to welcome The Revd Dr Tim Kelly as the new Archdeacon of the East Riding. The service will take place on Sunday 18th October at 6.30 pm at Emmanuel Church, Bridlington. This follows Tim's formal Collation at York Minster on the previous Sunday.

Tim is not a stranger in the East Riding but begins this new chapter of ministry among us, and we would love as many people as possible from across the Archdeaconry to join us in offering a warm East Riding welcome. This will be an opportunity to gather in friendship and prayer, to celebrate together, and to support Tim and his family.

Your presence would be a great encouragement, and we hope you will be able to share in this joyful occasion as we welcome Tim in his new ministry into the life of our East Riding churches and communities.

With every blessing, Bishop Eleanor

COFFEE MORNING

Scalby Methodist Church are hosting a coffee morning in support of Macmillan Coffee Morning (Cancer Support) on Saturday 3rd October, 10-11.30am. There will be a cake stall and bookstall and model trains will be running. Unfortunately there is no wheelchair access. All are welcome.



CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES 2026

Join us in spreading the love, warmth and festive cheer to children and adults with severe disabilities and complex needs in Romania by filling a shoebox with thoughtful gifts.



Leaflets, with instructions are available in church.

Please remember to fill in the label and add a **postage donation of £3.**

Deadline Sunday 1st November. You can also donate online. This enables you to pay for Christmas gifts and/or medicines and therapy sessions.

Alternatively, you could give a cash donation to Yvette Drabble or Hilary Wallace and they will make the online purchases on your behalf.

WANTED: CHRISTMAS LEAFLET DELIVERY VOLUNTEERS

Have you a couple of hours spare between 22 - 29 November to help deliver the Christmas leaflet please? Some rounds now require covering due to retirement!!

They don't have to be delivered in one go, you can do it over several days but preferably during daylight hours and no later than teatime so that elderly and vulnerable people aren't worried about who is at the door.

If you think you can help out please have a word with Helen Hartley or call her on 07837 223453 for further details. Many thanks.

OFFICE HOURS NEXT WEEK

Wednesday 7th October

9.30am – 12noon

Friday 9th October

9.30am – 12noon

We ask that you contact Sarah to arrange to pop into the office on 01723 364858 or via email office@stlaurencescalby.org.uk



Harvest Wish Lists . . .



the rainbow centre



Tins

Chicken
Steak
Meatballs
Tuna
Sardines
Spaghetti
Hot Dogs
Soup
Tomatoes
Vegetables
Beans
Fruit
Custard
Rice pudding

Jars

Jam
Pasta Sauce
Chilli Sauce
Curry Sauce

Dry Items

Rice, Pasta, Noodles
Cup a Soup
Mug Shots
Breakfast Cereal, Instant Porridge
Biscuits
Tea, Coffee
Hot Chocolate
UHT Milk
Sugar

Tins

Potatoes
Rice Pudding
Custard
Fruit
Hotdogs
Meat Curry
Spaghetti Hoops

Jars

Curry Sauce
Jam
Small Jars of Coffee

Dry Items

UHT Semi Skimmed Milk
Chocolate Snack Biscuits

Toiletries

Shampoo
Shower Gel
Deodorant
Toothpaste



St Laurence's Church, Scalby

**A SERVICE
OF HOPE AND
THANKSGIVING**

to remember those we love who have died

SUNDAY

1 NOVEMBER 2026

3PM

ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH SCALBY

Refreshments will be served
in the Church afterwards

Toilets are available down in the Church Rooms

Everyone is welcome

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our Parish office on 01723 364858 or office@stlaurencescalby.org.uk

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