



ST MARY'S CHURCH

Services in Huggate

5th December	9.15 am	All Age Worship led by Annie Harrison
12th December	4.00 pm	Evening Prayer led by Brian Snelson
19th December	4.00 pm	Christingle Service led by Rodney Nicholson
24th December	6.00 pm	Christmas Communion, celebrant Val Hewetson
26th December	10.45 am	Communion service at Pocklington

A big thank you to all who helped with Handmade in Huggate, the stall holders, cake makers, refreshment servers, raffle ticket sellers and donors to the Church stall and anyone else who helped in any way. It was a lovely event and we raised £600 towards the Church refurbishment.

If you need to speak to someone about any church matter please contact the Church Office (01759 306045, office@allsaintspock.plus.com) or the Churchwardens Ruth Braithwaite on 288422 or Sue Dale on 288485.

CONTACT

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PLEASE send information BEFORE THE END OF THE MONTH for the next edition, so that we can produce it promptly.

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Sunday 19th December 4.00 pm Christingle service

This service raises money each year for Martin House Children's Hospice

Monday 20th December 2-4 pm. Children's decoration making in church. No charge, all materials provided; children need to be accompanied by an adult.

Wednesday 22nd December 6.30 pm

Carol Singing on the Green

Refreshments available. Collection for Church funds

Friday 24th December 6 pm Christmas Communion

Celebration of the birth of Christ..

Wednesday 29th December 3 pm Children's film in church.

Come and join us for a post Christmas afternoon and catch up with friends. Children must be accompanied by a responsible person.



Parish Council News

Speeding Update: Councillors decided to approach East Riding Council again to ask if we could install the white traffic calming gates that feature in many nearby (North Yorkshire) villages. Unfortunately the reasons why the gates were refused in the first instance still stand as we have been informed that “they form potential hazards for road users and need a lot of maintenance.” Following the introduction of Community Speed Watch this summer, traffic appears to be slowing down. Thank you again to the parishioners who have volunteered for this scheme, we are hoping to have a few more people trained soon. A Speed Survey was carried out by ERYC in July and the results will be considered in the New Year.

Pete and Diane Cowan have invited villagers for a **Christmas get together** at their house at the Island on **11 December** from 4 pm. The original invite was on the WhatsApp social group so please do reply on WhatsApp if you are planning to come along, just so they have an idea of numbers. Everyone is welcome!

Thank you to everyone who came to the **Pub Quiz**, we are hoping to make these a monthly occurrence from the New Year and future dates will be published here and on the village whatsapp groups – please email clerk-huggate@outlook.com or text 07789 865792 to be added to the groups.

ERYC has asked us to pass on information about **Financial Help Available:**

As the winter months are upon us, we want to tell you about help available to residents, which could ease some financial pressures many will be under with the rise in energy bills.

What financial help are they eligible to? The best way to find out is to use the council’s online benefit calculator, at <https://eastriding.entitledto.co.uk>. It’s

free to use, anonymous and will help residents see what benefits they can claim and tell you how to apply. If a resident needs support to make an application, they can call our helpful call centre on (01482) 393939, however it is quicker to apply online using the links provided.

Examples of help include: - **NEW Household Support Fund**

It will help those who need it most, through small grants to meet daily needs such as food, clothing, and utilities. For more information visit <http://www.eastriding.gov.uk/housing/housing-benefit-and-council-taxsupport/coronavirus-benefits-and-financial-support/>

- **Help with rent and council tax**

Residents might be entitled to help towards rent and council tax if they are on a low income and have less than £16,000 in savings? All the details and to make an application can be found on the council’s website at <https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/benefits> ERYC has a dedicated Welfare Team which can help with even the most complex situations, and can make sure you are receiving all of your entitlements. To speak to one of our advisors email benefit.takeup@eastriding.gov.uk asking for an appointment.

The agenda for the next meeting will be displayed at least 3 days beforehand on the notice board in the bus shelter; minutes and agendas are also on the Huggate Village Website www.huggatevillage.org/village-meetings. There won’t be a meeting in December and the next meeting will be on Tuesday 18th January.

If anyone has any feedback, suggestions or ideas please contact Abby Popely, Parish Clerk by emailing clerk-huggate@outlook.com or talk to one of the Parish Councillors: Clive Owen (Chair), Diana Evans (Vice Chair), Jane Leaver, Phil Duggleby, Claire Myers, Stewart Middleton, Jane Thorpe or Pete Cowan (contact details are published on the Parish Council notice board in the bus shelter and on the village website).

Anne and Ian Herbert, Rectory Cottage

Rozelle Tilburn, Willow Lodge

John Willink, Kirkdale House

Kevin Gulwell-Fozzard, Walnut Cottage

Kevin and Marie Ashurst, The Old Chapel

Sheila Wright

would like to wish everyone

**a very merry
Christmas
and
a happy New Year**



and are making donations to charity rather than sending individual cards

Needle Felting

**Saturday 4th
December
1.30—3.30 pm.
in church.**

Needle felting with Claire. Come and make a Christmas pudding in felt.

All materials provided, £10 per person.

Please let Ruth or Sue know if you would like to join us.



2022 Calendar

Full colour photos of Huggate and surroundings. A few still available; sample on display in the church. £6 for A4 size and £8 for A3 size.

Please contact Emma Waslin (10 The Cresecent) or Ruth Braithwaite (288422); last orders by **7th December**. Proceeds will be divided between St Mary’s Church and another charity.