

St. MARY'S CHURCH

Sunday Services

3rd May	9.15	Morning Prayer led by Brian Snelson
10th May	6.00	Evening Prayer led by Jenny Zarek
17th May	9.15	Holy Communion, celebrant Jake Belder
24th May	9.15	Morning Prayer led by Annie Harrison
31st May	10.45	Group Service AT POCKLINGTON

If you need to speak to someone about any church matter please contact the Church Office (01759 306045 Tues-Fri 9am-12noon, office@pgoc.org.uk) or the Churchwardens Ruth Braithwaite (288422) or Sue Dale (288485)

The **church path** has been re-laid so it is now accessible for wheelchairs and prams. This was paid for by a grant from Natural England to East Riding of Yorkshire Council to support accessibility to buildings around the County.

Save the date for the **Summer Fair and Dog Show Saturday 29th August**. Ideas for stalls particularly for children and help on the stalls and refreshments please contact Ruth on 07392832875.

The **books** that Diane has collected will be available in church for you to browse and purchase from the start of May.

CONTACT

Huggate News is produced by Jenny Zarek and Teresa Purdy. We are grateful to those who assist with distribution in the village; Huggate News is not currently being delivered to outlying addresses but if you would like to receive future editions by email to ensure receipt, please send us your email address. You can contact Huggate News by email at huggatenews@btinternet.com, or in writing c/o Horsedale House or Orchard House.

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

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QUIZ NIGHT

in St Mary's Church **Thursday 7th May 7.30pm**

with Quizmaster Peter Cowan.

£1.00 per person, bring your own drinks and nibbles.

You don't need a team, - join up with others when you arrive.



PLANT SWAP

Saturday May 9th 10-12

in (or outside) St Mary's Church.

Vegetable, Plant and Seed Swap . Please bring any seeds, seedlings, or plants that you have to spare and see if there are any you would like for your garden.

COFFEE MORNING

in St. Mary's Church

Wednesday 20th May

10-12 noon.

CRAFT GROUP

May 14th 10am till 12pm at church.

If you are interested in carrying this

group on in any form please contact Sally

Woods 07425146150.

Come and join us
for coffee, cake and a chat.

VILLAGE MEETING

Monday 18th May 7pm in St Marys Church

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Your Village Meeting Monday 18th May 7pm in St Marys Church

This is your chance to contribute to the future of Huggate. Meet the Parish councillors, find out what has happened, help shape the future. If you care about the village then come! Coffee/tea and cakes are provided.

Village Questionnaire

Huggate Community – We'd love your thoughts! is available online or has been delivered as a paper copy. Please complete and return by 2nd May. Your completed paper copies can be left at the Wolds Inn. The results will be analysed and discussed at the Annual Meeting. It's time to make sure your views are heard!

URGENT - Councillor Vacancies

Clive Owen and Linda Davies have resigned from your Parish Council creating two new vacancies. Our thanks go to them both for their support of the village, particularly Clive in his many years as chairman. There is now an opportunity to be part of the council so please do consider joining. If you enjoy living in Huggate and want to help shape its future contact Penny or any of the councillors.

Speed camera grant

Finally, some exciting news. After a long time of trying to get permission to install an AutoSpeedWatch camera, we have now been awarded a grant from the Humberside Police Commission. This will cover 50% of the purchase and installation costs. More information will follow soon.

The next meeting will be Monday 18th May following the Village Meeting in the Church.

If anyone has any feedback, suggestions or ideas please contact Penny Hudson, Parish Clerk by emailing clerk-huggate@outlook.com or talk to one of the Parish Councillors: Claire Myers, Jane Thorpe, Vicky Knocker, Kevin Ashurst or Diana Evans (contact details are published on the Parish Council notice board in the bus shelter and on the village website).



Pocklington Area Open Studios 16th & 17th May

There are 30 artists across 19 Venues opening their studios to share their creative endeavours, around our beautiful villages and Pocklington. Starting in Huggate, **Venue 11, Plum Tree Studio, is Belinda Hazlerigg**, who is showing a diversity of atmospheric paintings, hand painted silk scarves & printmaking. **Venue 12, The Old School House, is Clare Swann**, showing hand painted lampshades, wooden panels, papier-mâché mirrors, and decorative interior items.

Brochures available from Belinda, Fieldhouse Coffee Barn, Rachel's Tea Room and Huggate bus stop.

HELP NEEDED

The **Parochial Church Council** is grateful to Trevor Smith for sterling work as Secretary; following his resignation there is need for someone to help run the Council.



The **Secretary** issues meeting notices and takes minutes (roughly six formal meetings a year, with occasional short meetings), and acts as the contact point to distribute circulars from the Diocese and other information.

The Secretary does not need to be on the church Electoral Roll.

If you might be able to help keep the admin in order, please have a word with one of the Church Wardens, Ruth Braithwaite (07392832875) or Sue Dale (288485)