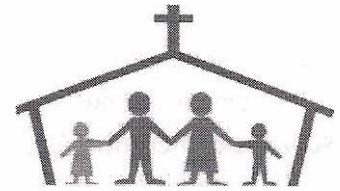


August

United Benefice of Aldbrough,  
Mapleton & Goxhill with Great  
Hatfield & Withernwick



# PARISH NEWS

## Church Services in August

*Everyone is welcome!*

### Saturday 1 August

2pm Renewal of Marriage Vows, Aldbrough  
Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice Oxley

### Sunday 2 August Trinity 8: green

10.30am Holy Communion, Aldbrough  
Celebrant: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

### Tuesday 4 August Songs of Praise

7.30pm Willow Garth, Rolston  
With Sylvia, Richard & friends

### Sunday 9 August Trinity 9: green

10.30am Holy Communion, Mapleton.  
Celebrant: Revd R. Rice-Oxley

10.30am All Age Worship, Aldbrough  
Minster: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

6pm Praise & Prayer Service, Withernwick

Minster: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley  
Preacher: Revd Richard Rice-Oxley

### Friday 14 August

10am BCP Holy Communion, Aldbrough  
Celebrant: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

2pm Songs of Praise Wentworth Grove Community Room  
Minister: Revd Richard Rice-Oxley

### Saturday 15 August

1pm Wedding, Aldbrough Church  
Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

### Sunday 16 August Trinity 10: green

10.30am Holy Communion, Withernwick  
Celebrant: Revd Richard Rice-Oxley

10.30am All Age Worship, Mapleton  
Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

### Tuesday 18 August All Welcome!

10.30am Healing Prayer Service, at 2 East Newton Road  
With Sylvia

7pm Service around St Helens Well, Hatfield  
Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

### Sunday 23 August Trinity 11: green

10.30am Holy Communion, Aldbrough  
Celebrant: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

10.30am All Age Worship & Taize Service,  
Withernwick

Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley & Adam Young

### Saturday 29 August

2.30pm Wedding, Withernwick Church  
Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

### Sunday 30 August

10.30am Holy Communion, Goxhill  
Celebrant: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

In aid of Mapleton and Goxhill churches  
Saturday 8 August 2pm

## Summer Fayre

In the Old Vicarage Garden, Mapleton

*By kindness of David Butler*

Stalls and teas. All Welcome!

Friday 14 August

### Book of Common Prayer

Holy Communion Service

10am St Bartholomew's Church, Aldbrough

&

2pm Songs Of Praise

Wentworth Grove Community Room, Aldbrough

### Open Church at St Bartholomew's Aldbrough

Every Saturday morning from 6 June to end August

with refreshments and stalls

If you would like to join the rota please contact the Churchwardens

**A message from Sylvia:**

Dear Friends,

What a month August is to be! **Something for everyone.** I look forward to seeing many of you at the special services and events planned: Two weddings, a Beach Service, Gift Day, Summer Fayre, Afternoon Tea, and a Taize service to name but a few. Thank you to Churchwardens and the countless others who enable all these things to happen. We work as a team together. May God bless our efforts this month, and encourage many people to come and enjoy worship, fun and fellowship.

**In June/July** we much enjoyed the ER Youth Brass Band at St Bartholomew's, Aldbrough. What an uplifting occasion and we raised nearly £500 towards the upkeep of the Church (Insurance alone this year is around £1600). We enjoyed an informative and hot walk around the Award Winning Woodland Walk created by John Hepworth (Churchwarden of M & G parish), a splendid strawberry tea raising over £500 for M & G parish, and an impressive Rotary Service at Mappleton church. We celebrated Sea Sunday, and enjoyed a lovely Coffee morning in aid of St Alban's, Withernwick raising around £300. As I write we still have the Cyclists service at Goxhill to come!

And so we go on... **God is good.** In all the ups and downs of life, God is good. In Jesus Christ, we have a leader, a friend, an encourager and a Saviour. Let us teach our young of the ways of God so that they too will come to know the blessings of faith, and let us make time for God. May God bless you and keep you, and don't forget there is always a welcome for you for worship and fellowship in all our churches in the Benefice!

With love, Sylvia

**The Withernwick Darby and Joan Club** held their 54th birthday party in July. We all contributed to the meal which was a very tasty ham and tongue salad, crisps, etc. (and the yummy peach & walnuts!!Ed.) followed by trifle or fruit salad and cakes. Our birthday cake was cut by our oldest member, Annie, who is over 90. And of course, we had to have a little drink to toast our club. In addition to the members of the Club, we asked our hostesses, who provide sandwiches and scones for us throughout the year and anyone else who helps us in any way. We were given reports of the activities and finances of the club by our leader, Mrs Doreen Fryer - and our treasurer - Mrs Sheila Grantham. Mrs Fryer was given a book of poetry on behalf of the members, as a thank you for all the work she does through the year. After the party, we broke up for our summer holidays. Meetings will resume on 11 August when we hope to see all our old members and hopefully, some new ones. Try us - we don't bite!!

*Joan Gibson (I would heartily recommend this group to anyone! You need no introduction, just turn up and a welcome awaits you. Sylvia)*

**Aldbrough Church Fellowship.** At the July meeting 11 ladies were present with apologies from Muriel, Val, Sheila and Julie. After the minutes were read and signed we sang *How sweet the name of Jesus sounds*. The speaker, Mrs B. Pinkney, gave a very interesting talk on Life Line and about the many gadgets obtainable from the East Riding of Yorkshire Council: Tel.no. Bridlington 01262 605467. We should never be afraid to ring and ask for advice. Linda gave the Vote of Thanks. The next meeting is September 9. No meeting in August. Norma will give a talk on Alaska.

*Sent in by Muriel Berzins*

**Grand Round-about Britain Tour:** Norma and Jimmy continue to visit Cathedrals on their big trek around Britain. If you would like to sponsor the number of cathedrals visited, there is a sponsor form in Aldbrough Church. And some postcards to see.



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Tuesday 18 August 7pm

**Service around St Helen's Well**

Great Hatfield

Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

With Adam Young and friends

All Welcome!

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In aid of St Giles' Church, Goxhill

Sunday 16 August 2-4pm

**Afternoon Tea with Rosemary and Les**

17 Linley Close, Leven

£3 entry. Tombola. All Welcome!

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In aid of St Bartholomew's Church,

Aldbrough

Saturday 22 August 10-2pm

**Gift Day and Market**

All Welcome!

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Sunday 23 August 10.30am

**All-Age Worship and Taize Service**

With Adam Young and Richard Rice-Oxley

All Welcome!

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Sunday 23 August 4pm All Welcome!

**Beach Service, Mappleton**

Followed by BBQ

Minister: Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley

Speaker: Adam Young (from Withernwick)

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Tuesday 18 August All Welcome!

10.30am **Coffee and a Healing Prayer Service**

2 East Newton Road, Aldbrough

Please let Sylvia know if you would like prayer.

## Dates For Your Diary

### August

Sat 1 Aug Renewal of Marriage Vows Aldbrough Church

Tues 4 Willow Garth Songs of Praise 7.30pm

Sat 8 Mappleton & Goxhill Summer Fayre 2pm

Fri 14 BCP Service 10am Aldbrough

Fri 14 Songs of Praise 2pm Wentworth Community, Ald.

Fri 14 Wedding Rehearsal 6.30pm Aldbrough

Sat 15 Wedding Aldbrough Church 1pm

Sun 16 Afternoon Tea, Leven 2-4pm in aid of Goxhill Church

Tues 18 Healing Prayer Service

Tues 18 St Helen's Well, Hatfield, Service 7pm

Sat 22 Gift Day and Market Aldbrough Church 10-2pm

Sun 23 10.30am Taize Service with Adam, Withernwick

Sun 23 4pm Beach Service & BBQ Mappleton 4pm

Fri 28 Wedding Rehearsal Withernwick 6.30pm

Sat 29 Wedding Withernwick 2.30pm

### September

Tues 1 Songs of Praise Willow Garth, Hornsea

Tues 3 Aldbrough PCC 7.30pm at Christine's

Wed 9 Assembly in Aldbrough School: Sylvia

Thurs 10 PCC Withernwick 7.30pm at David's

Sat 12 St B's Apple Pie Tea 2pm Aldbrough School

Sat 12 EY Churches Bike Ride with Sylvia & Richard

Sat 12 Jumble Sale at Seaton in aid of Goxhill Church

Sun 13 Service of Healing at Withernwick Church

Mon 14 Churches Tog Mtg at Benefice House 9.30am

Tues 15 Coffee Evening at Valarie and David's 7pm

Fri 18 BCP HC at St Bartholomew's Ald. 10am

Fri 18 Songs of Praise, W'worth Community Room 2pm

Fri 18 Harvest Festival, Mappleton Church 7pm

Sat 19 Harvest Auction

Tues 22 Healing Prayer Service 10.30am

Fri 25 Macmillan Cancer Support Coffee at West Hill Farm

Fri 25 Harvest Festival Withernwick Church 7pm

Sun 27 Back to Church Sunday

### October

Fri 2 Harvest Festival Aldbrough Church 7pm

Sunday 4 Harvest Festival Goxhill 2.30pm

### The Grove Craft Ladies

invite you to

Wentworth Grove Community Room, Aldbrough

Every Monday from 1pm for a

**Craft Afternoon**

All Welcome to try crafts we have or

bring your own knitting, embroidery

or any other craft you would like to show us.

## From the registers

We pray for the family and friends of **Ronald (Ron) Hyam**, whose funeral took place at St Alban's Church, Witherwick on 23 June, 2009, service conducted by Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley; and **Edith Jarvis** (late of Little Hatfield and Hornsea) whose funeral took place at Octon Crematorium on 10 July, 2009, service conducted by Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley.

We welcome into the family of the Church Lilly **Alice Burrell** who was baptized in St Bartholomew's Church, Aldbrough on 12 July, 2009, service conducted by Revd Sylvia Rice-Oxley;

### News from John Witty: Bempton seabird colony update:

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2000</u>
fulmer	878 pairs	1252
Gannets	6954	3000
shag	24	31
kittiwake	3761	43433
herring gull	533	709
guillemot	59166	44893
razorbill	14927	8342
puffin	958	2500

As you can see, some are doing very well, others are not. They think the main reason is that the puffin lives on sand eels and they are having to travel farther out to sea to find them. On the Farne Islands rspb are tagging some puffins with a small radio transmitter so they will know where they go to find the sand eels and how deep they dive, also where they winter as the north sea and north Atlantic are very big. As you can see the puffin numbers are a lot down. The gannets always do very well as they catch all sorts of fish and feed in deeper water about 20 miles out to sea

Remember the Benefice Prayer we launched at Beating the Bounds last year?

#### A Benefice Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank you for our Benefice.

We thank you for the beauty of the countryside

and for each village community.

We thank you too for our churches, their faithful worship and mutual support.

We pray, Lord, that you will inspire and encourage your people.

By word and deed, may we, through Christ, bring hope to those who are discouraged and strength to those in any sort of need.

We pray that you will build up your church, and that more people will find faith in Christ and a welcome into our fellowship.

We ask this in Jesus name.

Amen

### See your parish church on the websites;

A Church near you: [www.acny.org.uk](http://www.acny.org.uk)

Contact for Aldbrough: Vacant

Mappleton & Goxhill: Paul Soltys

Withernwick: James Buckton

Also Diocesan website: [www.dioceseofyork.org.uk](http://www.dioceseofyork.org.uk)

*Gift aid: If you pay tax, we can claim back money From the Government, at no extra cost to you. Please put your donation/collection in an envelope, Sign it & add your name & postcode. Thank you*

#### Churchwardens:

**St Bartholomew, Aldbrough**

Mrs C. Longstaff (527190)

Mrs K. Moore (527552)

**All Saints Mappleton & St Giles Goxhill:**

Mr J. Hepworth (532754)

Mrs J. Vickers (Deputy, Goxhill)

Mrs S Kendall (Deputy, Mappleton)

**St Alban's Withernwick:**

Capt. D. Smith (527419)

Mrs Doreen Fryer (Deputy) 527332

Why not try the Aldbrough & Withernwick village websites

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

[www.withernwickvillage.co.uk](http://www.withernwickvillage.co.uk)

## Regular Church Services in the Benefice

All Welcome!

**St Bartholomew's Church, Aldbrough**

1st Sunday: 10.30am Holy Communion

2nd Sunday: 10.30am All Age Worship

4th Sunday: 10.30am Holy Communion

**All Saints Church, Mappleton**

2nd Sunday: 10.30am Holy Communion

3rd Sunday: 10.30am All Age Worship

**St Giles Goxhill**

5th Sunday: 10.30am Holy Communion

**St Alban's Church, Withernwick**

2nd Sunday: 6pm Praise & Prayer

3rd Sunday: 10.30am Holy Communion

4th Sunday: 10.30am All Age Worship

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