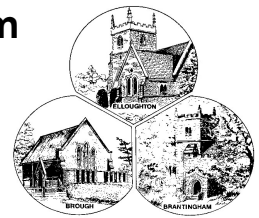




The Benefice of Elloughton & Brough with Brantingham

Pew News April 2025



OUR MAIN SERVICES	All Saints', Brantingham	All Saints' Brough	St. Mary's, Elloughton
Thursday 27th March Jeremiah 7.23-28 Luke 11.14-23		9.30am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	
SUNDAY 30th March Lent 4 (Mothering Sunday) Exodus 2.1-10 John 19.25b-27	9.15am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	16:00 Mothers Day Service	11.00am Mothers Day Service Revd Becky Allright
Thursday 3rd April Exodus 32.7-14 John 5.31-end		9.30am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	
SUNDAY 6th April Lent 5 Isaiah 43.16-21 John 12.1-8	9.15am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	16:00 Church4All Family Service	11.00am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright
Thursday 10th April Genesis 17.3-9 John 8.51-end		9.30am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	
SUNDAY 13th April Palm Sunday Luke 19.28-40 or 23.1-49 Psalm 118:19-24	9.15am Morning Prayer Lay Team	16:00 Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	11.00am Family Service
Thursday 17th April Maundy Thursday Exodus 12.1-4, 5-10, 11-14 John 13.1-17, 31b-35		10.00am Holy Communion (Joint Service with Hunsley Churches Together) Revd Becky Allright	
Friday 18th April Good Friday	14.00 Easter Vigil	10.30am Walk of Witness 11.00 Good Friday Service Elloughton URC	
Saturday 19th April Holy Saturday		Easter Egg Hunt Outreach	
Sunday 20th April Easter Sunday Acts 10:34-43 John 20:1-18	9.15am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright 11.00am Family Service and egg hunt	16.00 Easter Service	11.00am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright
Thursday 24th April Acts 3:11-end Luke 24:35-48		9.30am Morning Prayer	
Sunday 27th April John 20.19-end	9.15am Morning Prayer Lay Team & Jan Grey 11.00 Baptism Revd Irene	16:00 Holy Communion Revd Irene Wilson	11.00am Morning Prayer Lay Team & Jan Grey
Thursday 1st May Isaiah 30.15-21 John 14.1-14		9.30am Holy Communion Revd Becky Allright	

Easter 2025

Despite the world being in such a difficult place at the moment, and the church itself getting things wrong, I am often aware of how much God loves our church family here in Elloughton, Brough and Brantingham. I see this through the care and service we share in our congregations for one another. I also see it in how God provides for us, just the right amount of support and encouragement when we are trying out new initiatives or trying to resolve difficult issues. I also see it through new people coming to church, and exploring faith.

In my own life, I also feel blessed by the prayers and support we receive as a family, and I really appreciate this, especially when it comes to my own children. A big thank you from us as a family for all your help and support since we moved here in 2023.

In Lent it can be helpful to look back at how God has cared for us in our community and we will be continuing this theme in our worship after Easter in May too. If you would be prepared to share anything of your own faith story with your church family please do get in touch. If you prefer this could be someone else reading your story anonymously at the front of church, or in a newsletter for example.

Sometimes it can be hard to share our faith with others, but I hope that this Easter we remember once again Jesus's extravagant love in the 'passion' of Easter. The passion Jesus shared with us, hopefully inspires us to live differently. It changes our faith from being an idea, to a love that is a matter of life and death. It is not timid. It's a love that is bold, life changing and world rearranging. In the times we live in I think this is a message that many people need to hear. I therefore continue to pray that the Good News continues to spread in our communities here in Brough, Elloughton and Brantingham.

Annual Parochial Church Meetings

The APCMs for each parish will take place on Sunday 13th April following the morning services. We will be looking back at what happened in 2024 and electing Churchwardens and members of the Parochial Church Council. Nomination forms will be available in church.

Bereavement and Friendship Café

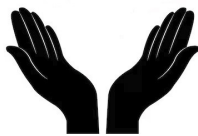
Trying to make sense of life after a loss? Join us for an informal café style chat with homemade refreshments on Wed March 27th and Wed April 23rd 1-3pm

Good Friday

Join us for an ecumenical walk of Witness leaving from Brough Methodist church at 10.30 and arriving at the URC in Elloughton for a joint service at 11am.

Next First Sunday Praise

Sunday 6th April 2024



6.30pm—7.30pm
URC at Elloughton Crossroads



All Welcome

Electoral Roll

The Electoral Roll of the Parish is the list of people entitled to vote at the annual meeting, and a measure of the churches membership. In 2025 the electoral roll is to be completely revised. Everyone who wishes to be on the electoral roll will need to complete a new application form which will be available in church.

Holy Week

Palm Sunday: We will be marking this with a service of Morning Prayer and holding our APCM at Brantingham and St Mary's.

Maundy Thursday: we will be celebrating Jesus's last supper at 10am at All Saints Brough in partnership with Hunsley Churches Together

Good Friday: we will be enjoying a walk of witness at 10.30am from Brough Methodist to the URC Church, followed by a Good Friday Service at 11am at URC. In the afternoon we will also have our Easter vigil at St Mary's Church.

Easter Saturday: we are joining in with the Elloughton-cum-Brough town Egg Hunt in the afternoon at All Saints Brough

Easter Sunday at Brantingham: following our Easter Day Eucharist at 9.15 there will be a family service at 11am with activities for all ages.

Easter at St Marys: at 11am there will be a service of Holy Communion

Easter at All Saints Brough: we will be celebrating with Holy communion at 4pm All Welcome.

FAMILY BEETLE DRIVE

Come and join us for an easy going fun evening playing "Beetle"

St. Mary's Hall, on Friday 4th April 2025

at 6.30pm

£3.00 pp to include Hot Cross Buns and Drinks

Tickets : Gillian 666262 and Diane 666388

What's On

KEY: **BAS** = Brantingham All Saints'; **ESM** = Elloughton St. Mary's; **ASB** = All Saints' Brough **SMH** = St Mary's Hall

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
30th March 2025 9.00am St. Nicolas Orthodox Church@ ASB 9.15am Holy Communion BAS 11am Holy Communion ESM 4.00pm Mother's Day Service ASB	31st 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	1st April 10.30-11.45 am Bumps and Babies at All Saints' Brough
6th April 2025 9.00am St. Nicolas Orthodox Church@ ASB 9.15am Holy Communion BAS 11am Holy Communion ESM 4.00pm Church 4 All ASB	7th 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	8th
13th April 2025 9.15am Morning Prayer BAS 11.00am Morning Prayer ESM 4.00pm Holy Communion ASB	14th 12.30 pm Lunch Club SMH 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	15th
20th April 2025 9.15am Holy Communion BAS 11.00 Family Service and Egg Hunt BAS 11.00 am Holy Communion ESM 4.00pm Easter Service ASB	21st 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	22nd 10.30-11.45 am Bumps and Babies at All Saints' Brough
27th April 2025 9.15am Morning Prayer BAS 11.00am Morning Prayer ESM 4.00pm Holy Communion ASB	28th 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	29th 10.30-11.45 am Bumps and Babies at All Saints' Brough
4th May 2025 9.00am St. Nicolas Orthodox Church@ ASB 9.15am Holy Communion BAS 11am Holy Communion ESM 4.00pm Church 4 All	5th 1.30pm Chair Exercises SMH 1.30pm Ladies Prayer	6th 10.30-11.45 am Bumps and Babies at All Saints' Brough

Whilst we have strived to ensure this calendar is correct it may need to be changed due to unforeseen circumstances.

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2nd	3rd 9.30 am Holy Communion ASB 10.00am Coffee Morning ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	4th 10.00am Tiny Footsteps SMH 6.30pm Beetle Drive SMH	5th
9th	10th 9.30 am Holy Communion ASB 10.00am Coffee Morning ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	11th	12th 9.30-15.30 Jubilee Church Alpha Day away ASB
16th	17th 9.30 am Holy Communion ASB 10.00am Coffee & Chat ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	18th 15.00 St. Nicolas Orthodox Church ASB	19th 18.30am St. Nicolas Orthodox Church ASB
23rd	24th 9.30 am Morning Prayer ASB 10.00am Knit & Natter ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	25th 10.00am Tiny Footsteps SMH	26th
30th 1.00pm—3.00pm Bereavement Café SMH	1st May 9.30 am Holy Communion ASB 10.00am Coffee Morning ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	2nd 10.00am Tiny Footsteps SMH	3rd
7th	8th 9.30 am Holy Communion ASB 1.30pm Community Art Group SMH 6.30pm Yoga class at SMH	9th 10.00am Tiny Footsteps SMH	10th



COFFEE MORNING



All Saints' Church, 36 Welton Road, Brough

Thursday 3rd April 10am –11.30am

**The March coffee morning raised £178 For Marie Curie
Cancer Care**

Mothers Day

This year Mothers Day falls on the 30th March.

We will be having a service in all three churches.

- 9.15 Brantingham Church in the Village Hall will be celebrating with a service of Holy Communion and prayers for all the important women in our lives.
- 11.00 St Mary's Elloughton will be remembering the role of mothers in our own lives and taking time to pause to reflect on those we love and no longer see.
- 4.00pm at All Saints Brough we will be celebrating motherhood and have activities for children including making cards and a posy of flowers.

Schools outreach

We welcomed Elloughton Primary School to church for their end of term service on March 27th which was a really special day.

A team of volunteers from all three churches in the benefice also got together to plan and deliver a session for Brough Primary School in March this year. This followed a successful session at Christmas with Elloughton Primary School. We really enjoyed telling the Easter Story to children aged around 5-6 with their teachers and other volunteers.

Church4All

Our next family service at All Saints will be Sunday April 6th 2025 at 4pm.

April Men's Breakfast
8.00am on Saturday 12th April
20 Mill Lane, Elloughton

Easter events for families

This Easter we have a few different events happening for children and young people

- April 4th 10-12 Tiny Footsteps are hosting an Easter crafts event for families. Booking via their Facebook is recommended.
- April 6th 4pm Church4All is meeting at All Saints Brough with lots of animal fun for all the family as we explore the story of the lost sheep. This will be led by Gill.
- April 20th 11am Easter Day event held at Brantingham Church, will be accessible and open to all ages.

Visitors to church

A new speaker is coming to Brantingham and Elloughton churches on April 27th to speak to us about the generosity of God. Jan Grey is employed by the generous giving team at York Diocese. This will begin a preaching series for May celebrating and noticing the love of God at work here.

On June 29th we will be welcoming Revd Canon John Day who leads the Revitalise Programme to church for a joint benefice service.

On July 8th at 6pm we are welcoming The Right Revd Dr Eleanor Sanderson, Bishop of Hull to help us celebrate the reopening of Brantingham Church following the refurbishments.

Update on Brantingham

We are delighted that the church restoration work is going so well, and we will be back in church in time for Easter Sunday. The works have been substantial undertaking and we are grateful to all who have supported us financially or practically to make this happen.

To celebrate the works being completed we have invited Bishop Eleanor to join us for a special service to reopen church and recommission us for our mission here. This will be on Tuesday
8th July

YFC Donatons

The donations we give to the charity YFC in Hull are gratefully received . Prayers welcome for their staff and the community they serve. To sign up for their newsletter or to find out more about the work they do go online to <http://www.hullyfc.co.uk/>

BENEFICE MINISTRY TEAM

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Churchwarden	Brough	Vacancy	☎
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PCC Treasurer		Stephen Mitchell	treasurerecb@outlook.com

Church Hall Bookings

St. Mary's Church Hall, Elloughton stmaryshallelloughton@gmail.com

Brough Bumps & Babies

Tuesday 10.30- 11.45 am

During school term time

At All Saints' Church
Welton Road Brough



You can leave donations at all three of our churches. Brantingham All Saints' on a Sunday; All Saints' Church Brough on a Sunday or Thursday morning and everyday at St. Mary's Church, Elloughton. (please leave in the porch)

Tiny Footsteps

Are you a parent of preschoolers?

Join us on Fridays at St Mary's Hall, Elloughton (St Mary's Close) for fun, crafts, refreshments and a Christian theme.

Term-time, from 10.00am. Donation's of £1 suggested.

Contact tinyfootstepsplaygroup@gmail.com for more information

St. Mary's Church Hall, Elloughton

Available to hire for children's parties, clubs and meetings.

Monthly/weekly events Special rates apply to regular bookings. Please email stmaryshallelloughton@gmail.com for any enquiries

Refreshments will be served after each main morning service.

Do stay and have a chat.



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