



Inviting everyone to discover God's love through our welcome, worship, learning and work.

Cathedral Notice Sheet for the week beginning Sunday 3 February 2019

In Residence this week: The Revd Canon Peter Moger, Precentor

Large print versions of this notice sheet are available. Please ask a Steward or a Verger if you would like one. An induction loop system is also in operation for hearing aid users.

WELCOME

We hope that you enjoy worshipping with us today. If you are a visitor we would be delighted to welcome you personally if you make yourself known to a Steward or member of the Clergy.

Services today – Candlemas

8.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	President: The Revd Canon Dr Christopher Collingwood, Chancellor
10.00 am	Solemn Eucharist	President: The Revd Canon Peter Moger, Precentor Preacher: The Rt Revd Dr Jonathan Frost, Dean Readings: Heb 2.14-18; Luke 2. 22-40
11.30 am	Matins	Preacher: The Revd Canon Peter Moger, Precentor Readings: Ps. 48; Exod. 13. 1-16; Rom. 12. 1-5
4.00 pm	Solemn Evensong	Preacher: The Revd Canon Michael Smith, Pastor Readings: Ps. 132; Haggai 2. 1-9; John 2. 18-22

Services during the week

Daily	7.30 am	Matins (<i>Zouche Chapel</i>)
	7.50 am	Holy Communion (<i>Zouche Chapel</i>)
Monday– Friday	12.30 pm	Holy Communion CW (BCP Wednesday) (<i>All Saints' Chapel</i>)
Saturday	12.00 noon	Holy Communion CW (<i>All Saints' Chapel</i>)
Monday	5.15 pm	Evensong sung by the Choir of Queen Margaret's School (<i>Quire</i>)
Tues, Wed	5.15 pm	Evensong (<i>Quire</i>)
Thurs, Friday	4.00 pm	Evening Prayer (<i>Zouche Chapel</i>)
Sat	5.15 pm	Evensong (<i>Quire</i>)

Services next Sunday 10 February – 4 before Lent

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	President: The Revd Stephen Griffith
10.00 am	Eucharist	President: The Rt Revd Dr Jonathan Frost, Dean Preacher: The Revd Canon Dr Christopher Collingwood, Chancellor Readings: Isaiah 6.1-8; Luke 5. 1-11
11.30 am	Matins	Preacher: The Revd Canon Michael Smith Readings: Ps. 3; Jeremiah 26. 1-16; Acts 3. 1-10
4.00 pm	Evensong	Preacher: The Revd Catriona Cumming, Succentor Readings: Ps. 2; Hosea 1; Col. 3. 1-22

NOTICES

Security As you will be aware, the national security threat remains severe. Until further notice access to worshippers* and visitors will only be by the North West door to satisfy security needs. On Sundays, signs and host staff will be in place to inform people that this is the way to enter the Minster. Please support our Minster Police, and our Hosts, as they work to ensure your safety. Please also ensure that you do not leave any bags unattended. *Access for our daily early morning services, including the 8 o'clock on Sundays, and Evensong in the evenings, is by the south door.

Groups for children and young people during the 10.00 am service Welcome to all children who are sharing in our worship today with their parents and carers. Groups for under 5s and 5-11s meet as usual today. All children are welcome to join in with the prepared activities. The 5-11s group meets in the Zouche Chapel. Under 5s gather in the Consistory Court and should be accompanied by their parents or carers. If you would like to join either group, please follow the cross during the second hymn. If there is anything that we need to know about your child, please speak with any of the leaders. When the administration of communion begins please go to the Zouche Chapel to collect your child so that they can share in this part of the service. Please ask a steward if you do not know where to find the Zouche Chapel and someone will show you the way.

Welcoming the Dean of York Welcome to Jonathan, Christine, and any family and friends supporting them today. Jonathan is keen to get to know members of all of our congregations, staff, volunteers and Minster School parents. Therefore, a series of evening drinks receptions have been organised to take place in the Chapter House on the following dates from 6.15 pm to 7.30 pm: Tuesday 12 February, Monday 18 February, Wednesday 27 February (starting at 6.00 pm), Tuesday 5 March (starting at 7.00 pm, combined with a Minster Briefing).

We hope at least one of these times will be convenient for you. Please either sign up on the sheets available on the Community Table outside the Chapter House on Sundays after the Eucharist, before Matins, and after Evensong, or email communitysocial@yorkminster.org to indicate your preferred date.

There will be another series of events in the early summer to which all members of the Community Roll will be invited. If you are not on the Community Roll and would like to be, please pick up a form from the Community Table (details above) or speak to one of the Vergers to make sure your name is added. Forms are also available from the Reception at Church House.

Eat cake to support the choir, after the 10.00 am service Over the next few weeks you may find choir parents selling cake after the 10.00 am Eucharist. Proceeds will go towards a future a choir tour, so please tuck in.

R & R The R&R group meets fortnightly at the Lamb & Lion pub (just inside Bootham Bar) at 7.30 pm for refreshment, reflection and fellowship. This year we will be discussing the Gospel of Luke, reading through it one chapter at a time. All are welcome. Upcoming dates are 5 and 19 Feb, 5 and 19 March, and 2 April. Please contact Ehren Mierau for further details: r&r@yorkminster.org

Yes Below Zero Below is a message from Charles Water, who leads on the Yes Below Zero project, which aims to respond to the needs of rough sleepers in York during the winter months. For more information please contact Minster Community representative Alison Norman on 01904 708700 or alison.norman60@gmail.com

“YES Below has started very positively- the kitchen has been very well stocked and managed, and all the volunteers... have been well received by the guests. Amongst the guests who have benefited from the project is one person who went from being without a place to sleep, and unemployed, to getting a council let, and a job. Another guest went from an almost non-existent appetite, to second helpings within a week. The assistance from the Salvation Army and Howe Hill hostel has been co-ordinated and effective, and it has been a pleasure to serve alongside their teams. The project offers a very practical opportunity to make a big difference in individual's lives, and is a worthwhile contribution to eradicating rough sleeping in York. I can recommend signing up to volunteer. Our aim is to get 56 volunteers to serve once a fortnight...we're at 43 at the moment so we look forward to growing the team to hit our target of 56.”

York Minster Encounter Tour to Israel and Palestine 9-20 May 2019 With our partners *Embrace the Middle East* we are offering the opportunity to visit places central to the life of Jesus, as well as work supported today by local Christians in the Holy Land. Pilgrims will meet with the ‘Living Stones’ – Christians who live and work in this beautiful but divided land and learn how they act as ‘salt and light’ in their communities. There will also be opportunity for worship and reflection and time for fun and relaxation too. Information and booking forms are available from the information desk next to the undercroft, or from Church House Reception. For more details please contact Tina Funnell on tinafunnell@btinternet.com or (01904) 613041

Minster Community Walk Saturday 9 February Meet at 10.30 am, Settrington Village Hall, Chapel road. GRef SE:833 706 (Post Code YO17 8NB) Settrington - to the Beacon 5.5 miles (moderate). Please remember to bring a picnic. For further information ring (01904) 594106 or 625918

William Temple Association On 17 Feb our speaker will be the Rt Revd James Jones, formerly Bishop of Liverpool, who will speak on the Moral Imperative in the Life of Christ and of a Christian. The annual William Temple Lecture will be on 3 March and our speaker will be Dr Philip Lewis of the University of Bradford, who will speak about Christian–Muslim Engagement in Public and Civic Space. All our meetings take place at York S. John University in room SK O37; we begin at 7.30 pm and finish with Compline at around 9.00 pm. A subscription for the year is £10, but we welcome visitors for single sessions. All Are Welcome.

Exploring Christianity During Lent we will be running a course on Exploring Christianity, for adults, and a separate for young people between ages 11-13(ish) for those who are new to faith, or are interested in being confirmed. If you would like to know more about the course, and are interested in participating, please email pastor@yorkminster.org, or speak to Canon Michael, Catriona, or Abi. There will be an opportunity for those who wish to be confirmed following the course, to be confirmed by the Archbishop at the Easter Vigil on Easter Eve.

Lent Groups Each Lent we offer resources for those who would like to gather over Lent to focus on a particular topic. This year we will be using the book 'The Mystery of Everything', based on the film 'The Theory of Everything' as a jumping off point for conversations about faith and science. Each year new groups are formed during Lent. Sometimes these group decide to continue, but there is no pressure to do so. If you would like to attend, or indeed host a group this year, please email pastor@yorkminster.org and include times of the week when you are available.

Silence in the Minster Following the successful evenings last year, it has been decided that *Silence in the Minster* will now take place on five Thursdays in Lent, as well as in the summer months. The format will be the same: A short talk followed by a time of settling into silence; 25 minutes of silent prayer/meditation; the reading of three poems to sustain a further 40 minutes of silence, framed by two pieces of instrumental music; and finally, Compline sung by the Ebor Singers. The dates are 14, 21 and 28 March; 4 and 11 April. Entrance will be via the Northwest door from 6.30 pm. The evenings will begin at 7.00 pm and end at 9.00 pm. The 'summer season' dates are all on Wednesdays: 24 April, 22 May, 26 June, and 24 July. For further information about Lent or summer, please contact the Canon Chancellor: christopherc@yorkminster.org

York Minster Pilgrimage Group The first of this year's quiet days – *A Quiet Day for Lent: The Desert Within* – will take place on Saturday 30 March from 10.00 am to 3.30 pm at Thicket Priory and will be led by the Chancellor, the Revd Canon Dr Christopher Collingwood. The cost for the day will be £12.00. Drinks will be provided but participants are requested to bring their own lunch with them. Bookings can be made via the PA to the Residentiary Canons: patothecanons@yorkminster.org

Coffee on Sunday mornings We've been taking a fresh look at organising and defining the roles of those who welcome and serve coffee after the 10.00am Eucharist on a Sunday recently. This is mainly because a couple of key people who have helped us in the organisation of Sunday coffee for many years, have decided it's time for them to stop. We would like to thank them very much. We are now looking to expand the team and are encouraging anyone who would like to become involved, either as a Sunday Coffee Coordinator or Sunday Coffee Helper, or indeed in any volunteer role at the Minster, to email or telephone Hilary Reynolds, Volunteering and Training Administrator via hilaryr@yorkminster.org or on 559213.

Middlesbrough Foodbank We are planning another food collection for the Foodbank at Middlesbrough on 10, 17 and 24 March. We will be accepting your gifts at the back of the Minster before and after the 10.00 am Eucharist. We would appreciate any help with packing the boxes on those days, and offers of help to drive the food to Middlesbrough on the following Tuesday mornings. Please contact with offers of help on 01904 481225, or mary@djmhs.force9.co.uk We are grateful for your ongoing support. *Mary and David Smith.*

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