



Welcome to the Churches of
Elloughton & Brough with Brantingham

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OUR MAIN SERVICES	All Saints', Brantingham	All Saints', Brough	St. Mary's, Elloughton
Sunday 31st December 1st Sunday of Christmas Isaiah 61:10-62:3 (748) Luke 2:15-21 (1028)			10.00am United Benefice Service 'Songs of Praise'
Thursday 4th January 1 John 3:7-10 (1226) John 1:35-42 (1064)		9.45am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	
Sunday 7th January Epiphany Isaiah 60:1-6 (746) Matthew 2:1-12 (966)	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	9.30am Family Worship Liz Fryer	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
Thursday 11th January 1 Samuel 4:1-11 (274) Mark 1:40-end (1003)		9.45am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	
Sunday 14th January 2nd Sunday of Epiphany Revelation 5:1-10 (1237) John 1:43-end (1064)	9.15am Morning Prayer David Bagchi	9.30am Family Communion Mick Fryer	8.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer 11.00am Family Worship Connections
Thursday 18th January Isaiah 9.2-7a (693) John 14.25-27 (1083)		<u>9.30am</u> Holy Communion Mick Fryer	
Sunday 21st January 3rd Sunday of Epiphany Revelation 19:6-10 (1247) John 2:1-11 (1064)	9.15am Holy Communion & Baptism Mick Fryer	9.30am Family Worship Team	11.00am Holy Communion Carl Robinson / Mick Fryer
Thursday 25th January Galatians 1:11-16a (1168) Matthew 19:27-end (987)		9.45am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	
Sunday 28th January Malachi 3:1-5 (961) Luke 2:22-40 (1028)	9.15am Holy Communion Mark Pickering	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	8.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer 11.00am Morning Prayer Mick Fryer 4.00pm Healing Service Mick Fryer



Refreshments will be served after each main morning service.
Do stay, we would love to meet with you.



Collect for Sunday 31st December - 1st Sunday of Christmas

God in Trinity, eternal unity of perfect love: gather the nations to be one family, and draw us into your holy life through the birth of Emmanuel, our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen**

VICAR'S LETTER

ANGELS

Last year some members of Elloughton URC heard of the idea of 'Knitted Angels' for Christmas and shared it with the Churches Together Committee and the idea took off!

Julie Branton offered to co-ordinate things and in the Autumn we asked for volunteers who would start knitting angels for us. In the end 360 angels were knitted! A fantastic effort, with special mention going to star knitters Jean Baarda and Sue Moffatt as well as the Knit & Natter Group, not to mention Julie who carried on knitting with her hand in a pot!



The knitted angels made their first public appearance when they were used to decorate the Churches Together tree at the Town Council's Christmas Tree Festival.

Each Angel had a small tag attached to it, made by Barry Rhodes. On one side of the tag was printed 'John 3:16 For God so loved the world that he gave his only son that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life'.

And so in the early hours of the morning of Monday 18th December volunteers hung all 360 angels in bushes and trees on the route leading to our local schools.

On the reverse of the label it read 'Please take me home with you'!

The children loved them and they all found a home.

I have been able to tell the story of the knitted angels to children, staff & parents in both Elloughton & Brough Primary schools, as well as put the pictures and explanation on our facebook page.



Well over a 1,300 people have seen the post on facebook! Here are just three of the comments:

"This is wonderful, my daughter has one, such a lovely thing to do! Thanks everyone & Merry Christmas! X"

"My daughter chose one of many sitting on the hedge outside Brough school. Just wonderful, thank you!! X"

"My son found one outside his nursery. What a lovely idea. Thank you all xxxxx"

And the message? Angels are messengers from God and they nearly always say two things.

1. "Fear Not" Don't be afraid because whatever you are facing God is with you.
2. "Good News" Jesus came into this world for you, to bring salvation and eternal life.

As we all face the uncertainty of 2018 I think the angels message and John 3:16 are still worth listening and responding. HAPPY NEW YEAR

Revd Mick Fryer

DEANERY SYNOD MEETINGS

Wednesday 17th January

Deanery Synod Meeting at All Saints' Church, North Cave. 7 for 7.30pm

Friday 2nd February

Deanery Fish & Chip Supper and Quiz Night, All Saints' Community Centre, South Cave, with the Revd Barry Worsdale in the chair. £6 booking details to follow.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2018

During the week there will be a brief service in the following churches.
Each service starts at 9.30am and lasts half an hour.

Monday 15th January- St.Helen's Church, Welton

DAY 1 WELCOMING THE STRANGER

Tuesday 16th January- All Saints' Church, Brantingham

Day 2 RESISTING MODERN SLAVERY .

Wednesday 17th January- Brough Methodist Church

Day 3 UPHOLDING HUMAN DIGNITY

Thursday 18th January- All Saints' Brough [*Communion*]

Day 4 OVERCOMING VIOLENCE

Friday 19th January – Elloughton URC

Day 5 PURSUING ECONOMIC JUSTICE

Sunday 21st January United Sunday Service 6.30pm Venue: tbc

Men's Breakfast at 8am on Saturday 27th January 2018

at 20 Mill Lane, Elloughton

We will be thinking about Habakkuk, he has his own book!
Chapter 30 in our book '52 Men of the Bible'

HEALING SERVICE + HOLY COMMUNION

During the dark evenings the monthly healing service
is moving to 4.00pm in St.Mary's Church
Sunday 28th January and Sunday 25th February

LENT 2018

This years Lent course will be led by the Revd Mick Fryer
but hosted by Elloughton URC in their School Room
and will begin with a short service of 'Ashing' at 7.00pm
on Wednesday 14th February in the URC.

What's on in January

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

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
31st December 10.00am United Service at ESM No services at BAS & ASB	1st January 2018	2nd 2.00pm Memorial Service for Ken Mason URC
7th 9.15am Holy Communion, BAS 9.30am Family Worship, ASB 11.00am Holy Communion, ESM 6.30pm First Sunday Praise, URC	8th 1.30pm Chair Exercises	9th
14th 8.00am Holy Communion, ESM 9.15am Morning Prayer, BAS 9.30am Family Communion, ASB 11.00am Family Worship, ESM	15th 9.30am Prayers at St.Helen's 1.30pm Chair Exercises	16th 9.30am Prayers at BAS With the Ladies' Prayer Group 11.00am Holy Communion, Brough Manor
21st 9.15am Holy Communion & Baptism, BAS 9.30am Family Service, ASB 11.00am Holy Communion, ESM 6.30pm United Churches Together Service.	22nd 1.30pm Chair Exercises	23rd 9.30am Ladies' Prayer Group
28th 8.00am Holy Communion, ESM 9.15am Holy Communion, BAS 9.30am Holy Communion, ASB 10:30am Connections, St. Mary's Hall 11.00am Holy Communion, ESM 4.00pm Healing Service ESM	29th 12.30pm Chair Exercises & Luncheon Club	30th 9.30am Ladies' Prayer Group

Whilst we have strived to ensure this calendar is correct it may need to be changed due to unforeseen circumstances so please check the Pew Sheets which are also on our website

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3rd	4th 9.45am Holy Communion ASB 10.30am Coffee & Chat, ASB	5th	6th 8.00am 1st Saturday Prayer URC
10th	11th 9.45am Holy Communion, ASB 10.30am Coffee & Chat, ASB	12th 10.00am Tiny Footsteps, ASB	13th
17th 9.30am Prayers at Brough Methodist Church 9.00am CHaRM 7.00pm Deanery Synod Meeting, All Saints', North Cave	18th 9.30am Holy Communion ASB 10.30am Coffee & Chat, ASB 7.30pm ESM Steering Group	19th 9.30am Prayers at URC 10.00am Tiny Footsteps, ASB	20th
24th 9.00am CHaRM	25th 9.45am Holy Communion ASB 10.30am Coffee & Chat, ASB 7.30pm ASB Steering Group at the Vicarage	26th 10.00am Tiny Footsteps, ASB 1.45pm Mothers' Union, St.Mary's Hall 7.30pm Marriage Prep. St.Mary's Hall	27th 8.00am Men's Breakfast
31st 9.00am CHaRM			

Tiny Footsteps Report 2017

Tiny Footsteps is a Christian group for under 5's and their parents / carers. We meet on a Friday morning 10.00am – 11.45am (term time only), in All Saints' Church, Brough. We start the morning with play time where the children can play with the dolls, trains, play dough, jigsaws, lego or create a masterpiece at the easel to name but a few of the activities on offer. We also have a dedicated baby area with appropriate toys. At 11.00am we serve juice and biscuits at tables before moving over to the carpet area for songs (these are a mixture of nursery rhymes and religious children's songs). A bible story follows and a craft connected with the story to finish the morning. Tea, coffee and hot chocolate is on offer for the adults.

We average between 25 and 45 children each week plus adults (who are responsible for their children at all times). Throughout the year, we have welcomed newborn babies, children who have just moved in to the area and people who have just heard about us and come to see for themselves. In the summer we said goodbye to several of our oldest children when they left us to move on to school. They had all been coming to Tiny Footsteps since they were babies and Mick presented them with a children's bible.

Over the last 12 months we have covered a wide variety of themes and stories, mainly from the New Testament. In the Spring Term we covered Jesus as a boy through to the Easter Story, followed by the 'Parables Jesus Told' in the Summer Term. Our Autumn term covered 'All Creatures Great and Small' which provided a craft opportunity to make lots of animals and insects before we covered the 'Christmas Story'. We were very fortunate this year that one of our parishioners, Val, knitted us two 'Travelling Nativity' sets which was very exciting – the children have loved having the nativity for a couple of nights in their home. We finished the year with a Christmas party and a visit from Father Christmas.

Our group is run totally by volunteers and on donations which the parents make each week. We have also been very fortunate to receive a donation from the Chair Exercises class in addition to selling some big toys that a parishioner donated, some books donated by a Mum and having a raffle. We were also very grateful to Anita who donated the remainder of her bunting sales to us. The team continue to provide refreshments at the Elloughton Primary School Easter, Harvest and Christmas services which raises additional funds towards expenses. We have covered all our costs (refreshments, craft materials, birthday cards, presents, bibles, books, cleaning, cleaning materials, toilet rolls and much more). We have also managed to purchase travel mugs with lids which were a large expense but make it much safer for the parents to carry drinks in the church when there are so many children about.

In June, Lindsey left us to take up a position as Classroom Assistant at Elloughton Primary School – something she worked very hard to gain by completing her NVQ whilst working as a Childminder and helping out at TF. We miss her and were delighted that she was able to make a 'guest appearance' at our Christmas party to sing songs and tell the Christmas Story.

Tiny Footsteps could not run without our team of volunteers, each one playing a vital part in making the group successful. We have Mums who come straight from school to help empty the boxes and set up the activity tables and a group of regular helpers who assist in the kitchen, in the church itself with crafts, play doh etc, reading stories, singing songs and tidying up at the end. We are also very fortunate to have Mike who gives up his time on a Thursday afternoon to set the church up ready for our arrival on Friday morning and this involves moving lots of furniture and moving boxes out from our cupboard in the parish office. He then returns on Friday to help during the session and to pack away the boxes and move the furniture ready for Sunday. We still need someone to help Mike to lessen the load. Please let Mick or the parish office know if you are able to help. We are very grateful to all our volunteers and we all work as one big team to provide a fun filled morning.

Why not come and join us if you are caring for a child or children under 5 – All Saints' Church, Brough, Friday mornings (term time only) 10.00 -11.45.

Debbie Goodwin

Benefice Register for December

Weddings

9th December All Saints', Brantingham Luke Welton & Sarah Morgan

Baptism

3rd December All Saints', Brantingham Gwen Ashman

Funerals

Micheal Bell aged 82



Do you have a friend or relative who is elderly, suffers with dementia or has other mental health issues which can leave them confused, lost or disorientated?

Nothing is more worrying or distressing than if someone you care about goes missing or doesn't return home when expected - and for people living with or caring for someone with dementia or other mental health conditions, this may be quite a common occurrence.

We do all we can to help locate missing people and get them home safely as quickly as possible – particularly when they are vulnerable.

Often missing people head for locations or try to find people who mean a lot to them, so having details of these people and places written down in case of emergency can really help us to speed up our search.

And that's why we've adopted the Herbert Protocol, a national scheme which encourages carers, families, friends or neighbours, to print out and fill in this form with as much detail as possible, then keep it somewhere safe – along with a recent photo. Go to www.humberside.police.uk/herbert-protocol for further details.

That way, if the worst does happen, you can give us all the information we need to start the search straight away – and you don't have to think about significant dates or places when you're worried and upset:

- ♦ Print out and complete the form as soon as possible. If a relative or friend goes missing, call us on 999, tell us you have completed a Herbert Protocol form and make sure you have it to hand.
- ♦ Keep the completed form in a safe but prominent position where you can find it quickly. We will only ask for it if the person it refers to has been reported missing. We will use the information to help find the missing person. It will be stored securely and only shared with other agencies if there is a need to safeguard someone.

Humberside Police

MothersUNION
Christian care for families



Mothers' Union Meeting

Friday 26th January - AGM

1.45pm St. Mary's Hall

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BENEFICE MINISTRY TEAM

Vicar: Revd. Mick Fryer ☎667431 mickfryer55@gmail.com
Reader: Dr. David Bagchi ☎668572 D.V.bagchi@hull.ac.uk

Recognised Parish Assistants

Claire Bell; Julie Branton; Carl Robinson; Mary White;
John Porteous; Tom Fryer; Linda Redmond & Pete Jarvis

Parochial Church Officers:

Brantingham Churchwardens	Cathie Farrar	☎667823
	David Bell	☎633675
Elloughton and Brough Churchwarden	Peter Shipp	☎667202
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Church Hall Bookings

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Parish Administration

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Benefice Safeguarding Representative

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Please contact the Parish Office for all Wedding & Baptism Enquiries.

Parish Office is open every Thursday from 9.00am-3.00pm Website: www.ebbc.org.uk

Used Postage Stamps

The children from Connections are saving used postage stamps to raise money for the NSPCC . Please can you add to our collection in the boxes at both St Mary's Elloughton and All Saints' Brough. The stamps should have no more than 1cm round each stamp and should not be trimmed too closely so that perforations are damaged.

Thank you from the Connections Team



Ladies Prayer

on Tuesdays 9.30 –10.30 am

Please feel free to join us to learn from God's Word
and to pray about personal needs and for this area.

Held at 17 Trent Walk



St. Mary's Church Hall, Elloughton

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

One off cost £10 per hour / £25 for 3 hours, then £8 per additional hour.

Monthly/weekly events Special rates apply to regular bookings.

Please contact the office for details and bookings at:

parish.ebbc@gmail.com; Tel – 01482 665020



Brough, All Saints'



Brantingham Church



Elloughton St.Marys



Hunsley Christian Youth Trust