

The Benefice of Elloughton & Brough with Brantingham

Spring 2021

Hallelujah the church is open.
It is open indeed hallelujah!

Ok not quite fully open but we are getting there!

We will be opening on Easter Sunday for services under the same Covid restrictions as before. So if you are coming, please, wear masks, keep your distance, use the gel and we still can't sing.

Also due to restrictions on numbers please make sure you book in with Dave Bell for Brantingham; Paul Shepherd for Elloughton and Liz Fryer for Brough. Thanks.

This year we will give out Palm Crosses at each of our Easter Sunday services and for those who can't get to the service there will be a box of crosses outside the vicarage on Palm Sunday weekend for you to pick one up while out on your walk!

There will be a brief act of worship via Zoom on Maundy Thursday 7pm-7.30pm using this link:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75142246928?pwd=NU1CMG1tSkIrZTF4K1NCY2dhbE45QT09>

Meeting ID: 751 4224 6928

Passcode: g7JCdm

For Holy Week this year, I want to encourage you to reflect on the final words that Jesus spoke from the cross.

Palm Sunday	Luke 23:34
Monday	Luke 23:43
Tuesday	John 19:26-27
Wednesday	Matthew 27:46 & Mark 15:34
Maundy Thursday	John 19:28
Good Friday	John 19:30
Holy Saturday	Luke 23:46

For those with access to our Youtube channel [search 'Mick Fryer'] each day the author and broadcaster Cannon J. John will give a 5 minute reflection on each verse and that will be followed by a song to help us to walk through Holy Week 'together'.

The Thursday Benefice Communion will restart, under the same restrictions, on Thursday 15th April at 9.30am in All Saints' Brough.

We plan to keep on producing our weekly pre-recorded 'Act of Worship' on YouTube and running Morning Prayer on Zoom.

My best guess is that we won't be singing until all restrictions are lifted on the 21st June, if things progress properly. July looks like being a month of songs and weddings [we have 6 weddings in July]

Across the Benefice we will be following our 'new' pattern of services and I am very grateful to those who are stepping forward to help with services. It is very clear to everyone that the future of the Church of England is going to be dependant on the level of lay involvement and leadership. I do not see a time when we get more clergy under the present system.

The whole national and local church is undergoing a serious and urgent review of our resources, this is entitled '**Living Christ's Story**' and an extensive consultation process has begun. Churches and PCC's will be asked to contribute to the discussion during June & July of this year, with changes being rolled out in 2022 and beyond.

You can read more details here: <https://dioceseofyork.org.uk/living-christs-story>

Please would you pray now for all the churches in our Diocese as we discuss some very important issues and make big decisions about the future of mission and ministry in our parishes.

You will notice from the diary below that there are a number of Baptisms, in fact to try and squeeze in all the requests I will be doing some extra baptisms in May.

A new lay team will be formed to lead the Morning Prayer service at St.Mary's on the 4th Sunday of each month, but this team won't start their ministry until June and hopefully all restriction will be lifted.

NB There will be no service in St.Mary's on Sunday 25th April as we will be in the middle of having the entire lighting system upgraded. This work, that has been desperately needed for a long time, begins on the 19th April and the building will be out of use for two weeks.

Please stay safe and may you know that God is with you wherever you are.

Mick Fryer

Revd Mick Fryer

Vicar of Elloughton & Brough with Brantingham



FOODBANK

If you have any donations to the Hull Foodbank, then please put them in the front porch at the Vicarage.

URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD ITEMS:

Tinned Meat; Tinned Fruit; UHT Milk; Tinned Fish; Fruit Juice

Items for personal hygiene and nappies are always welcome

They have plenty of Soup & Beans!

OUR MAIN SERVICES	All Saints', Brantingham	All Saints' Brough	St. Mary's, Elloughton
Sunday 4th April EASTER SUNDAY	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	9.30am Informal Communion Liz & Tom Fryer	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 8th April</i>		<i>NO SERVICE</i>	
Sunday 11th April Easter 2	9.15am Morning Prayer Julie Branton	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	11.30am Baptism Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 15th April</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 18th April Easter 3	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	No service	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 22nd April</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 25th April Easter 4	No service	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	No service
<i>Thursday 29th April</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 2nd May Easter 5	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	9.30am Morning Praise Liz & Tom Fryer	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 6th May</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 9th May Easter 6	9.15am Morning Prayer Julie Branton	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	11.30am Baptism Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 13th May</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 16th May Easter 7	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	4.00pm Baptism	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 20th May</i>		<i>No Service</i>	
Sunday 23rd May PENTECOST	No service	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	11.30am Baptism
<i>Thursday 27th May</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 30th May TRINITY SUNDAY	11.30am Baptism Mick Fryer	No service	10.00am Baptism Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 3rd June</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 6th June Trinity 1	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	9.30am Morning Praise Liz & Tom Fryer	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 10th June</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 13th June Trinity 2	9.15am Morning Prayer Julie Branton	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	11.30am Baptism Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 17th June</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 20th June Father's Day	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	4.00pm Baptism	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer
<i>Thursday 24th June</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 27th June	11.30am Baptism Mick Fryer	9.30am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	11.00am Morning Prayer ESM Team
<i>Thursday 1st July</i>		<i>9.30am Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 4th July	9.15am Holy Communion Mick Fryer	9.30am Morning Prayer Liz & Tom Fryer	11.00am Holy Communion Mick Fryer

Once restrictions have been listed I will restart the 'Pew News' which will have the readings in it for each Sunday.

I have been asked by a member of our church if I could provide a list of Funerals I have conducted over the past year. This is due to the fact that we have spent so much time in lockdown you may have missed the death of someone you knew, an old friend or neighbour or the relative of someone you knew.

NAME OF DECEASED	AGE	FUNERAL DATE
1. Beryl Brignall	87	03.01.20
2. Jean Foster	91	09.01.20
3. Charles Hickman	93	10.01.20
4. John Branton	89	14.01.20
5. James Oldridge	94	17.02.20
6. Winifred Peacham	96	21.02.20
7. Mildred Symonds	87	25.02.20
8. Sylvia Newton	88	18.03.20
9. Ivan Henson	86	19.03.20
10. Eleanor Wright	91	25.03.20
11. Raymond Blackmore	82	02.04.20
12. Julie Gibson	59	14.04.20
13. Margaret Grindell	85	24.04.20
14. Anita May	76	01.05.20
15. Winifred Stafford	96	06.05.20
16. Valerie Elson	89	07.05.20
17. Denis Medforth	91	22.05.20
18. Arthur Weatherill	96	26.05.20
19. Stanley Bent	91	02.06.20
20. James <i>Colin</i> Cross	89	05.06.20
21. John Horsley	81	05.06.20
22. Alan Fletcher	67	16.06.20
23. Christine Limb	78	30.06.20
24. Selina Mortimer	90	06.07.20
25. Sheila Sellers	77	15.07.20
26. Paul Drasdo	89	20.07.20
27. Patricia Clarkson	90	03.09.20
28. Brenda Bloom	89	16.10.20
29. Frederick Thomas	95	10.11.20
30. Catherine Potts	97	27.11.20
31. Charles Gillett	89	18.12.20
32. Joan Moor	84	13.01.21
33. Elizabeth Dryden	88	19.01.21
34. Betty Ewer	92	20.01.21
35. Niels Johansen	67	27.01.21
36. John Riseam	85	05.02.21
37. Sheila Dean	75	12.02.21
38. Edna Brocklesby	94	16.02.21
39. John Larard	81	17.02.21
40. Michael Smith	30	03.03.21
41. Audrey Hall	95	05.03.21