

Newsletter

Welcome to the Benefice newsletter for Barwick in Elmet, Scholes and Thorner.

May the resurrection of our Saviour be a constant reminder of his Love and Promise of an Eternal Life

April 2019

HOLYWEEK FILM NIGHT



'Reflections on refugees'

Refugees and asylum seekers are one of the invisible groups struggling on the fringes of our modern society. How should the church respond to this crisis? On Monday evening of Holy week at 7pm in

St Phillips Church. Dave Swindells from Garforth Refugee Support Group will be coming to speak about his work with refugees across Leeds. On Tuesday (16th) there will be showing of the film Moving to Mars about two Burmese refugees coming to live in Sheffield. On Wednesday (17th) at 7pm in St Phillips church there will a time of prayer, reflection and discussion about how we as individual Christians and churches might respond to the refugee situation across Leeds.

Explore life, faith and its meaning—Confirmation and Alpha

A number of people have shown interest in Confirmation and a desire to further explore life, faith and its meaning.

We are looking to run Alpha courses for young people (10 to 17) after Easter and for Adults in the autumn. Alpha will be used as part of our Confirmation preparation for those wishing to take their faith a step further. Alpha and Confirmation are open to anyone across the Benefice, whether a regular church goer or not. All are welcome.

To find out more contact:

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15th, 16th, 17th April

Holy Week Reflections from 7pm

St Phillips, Scholes.

All Welcome



Maundy Thursday
8pm

Choral Eucharist with foot washing and stripping of the altar

St Peters, Thorner

All Welcome

Good Friday

Passover Meal from 5.30pm

St Phillips, Scholes.

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Low Sunday Lunch @ Garforth Golf Club

Sunday 28th April from 1pm

Tickets £18 from

Leslye (281 2488)

Holy Week in the Benefice

14th Palm Sunday 9.15am Thorner

11am Barwick (Joint

Service with

Methodists)

9.30am Scholes

19th Good Friday

Kids Activities from 10am Barwick,

Scholes

and Thorner

Stations of the Cross 2pm Barwick

Hour by the Cross

2pm Scholes

Final Hour reflections 2

2pm Thorner

Passover Meal 5.30pm

21st Easter Day 7.30am Sunrise

service on

Scholes

Hall Tower

Hill,

Barwick

followed by

8am Communion

9.15am Thorner

9.30am Scholes

11am Barwick



Monday Ladies Fellowship All Saints, Barwick

13th May from 2.15pm

'Who wrote Beethoven's 5th?'

Professor David Young

HOPE & SOCIAL

Saturday 18 May

'The Band Anyone Can Join' performance with Hope & Social

4.00pm

Places on the music workshops are almost full (see the Victory Hall website for details) but the afternoon will culminate in a mini-gig which all are welcome to attend. No tickets required — just make a donation on the door to come and see what musical skills the choir, ukulele and brass workshops have acquired!

7.30pm

Following the sell-out success of their last visit, Hope & Social make a return trip to Thorner for another round of roof-blasting, soul-lifting, sousaphone-tooting music. Expect a massive night! Tickets £15 from the Victory Hall website or the Postbox Deli.



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK: 12–18 MAY

This year, Christian Aid is focusing on childbirth in Sierra Leone as an example of what donations raised through Christian Aid Week could to help fund through Christian Aid's partners' work worldwide.

Would anyone be willing to cover the collection in Thorner Lane, Scarcroft, this year as the usual collector is unable to do it. Please contact me, Pat Smith, on 289 2205 if you are able to help.

If you would like a copy of this Benefice newletter please contact

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