

Sunday 7 th TODAY	8.30am 10.30am 12.30pm 5 - 7pm	Holy Communion All Age and Parade Service Baptism service Sunday Supper	St. Stephen's St. Aidan's St. Stephen's Parish Hall
Tuesday 9 th	9-11am 2.15pm	Squeals on Wheels (Babies and Toddlers) MU Branch Meeting	St. Aidan's St. Aidan's
Thursday 11 th	7-7.30am 10am	Meeting for Prayer Holy Communion	St. Aidan's St. Aidan's
Friday 12 th	9.30am	Time for Reflection	51 Barlow Street
Sunday 14 th Trinity 20	8.30am 10.30am 12.30pm 5 - 7pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion Baptism service Sunday Supper	St. Stephen's St. Stephen's St. Stephen's Parish Hall

Communion readings for Sunday 14th October:

Job 23: 1-9, 16-17 (P 432) & Mark 10: 17-31 (page 846)

PARISH CLERGY

Vicar: **Rev. Pete Vivash** 336827 peter.vivash@dsl.pipex.com

Assistant Curate: **Rev. Ellie Bangay** 07792 166001 ellie.bangay@icloud.com

Youth Leader (part-time)

Ali Speed 07525 649041

ali.speed13@gmail.com

Church Wardens:

Lyndon Parker (St. Stephen's)

792735

julieandlyndon@hotmail.co.uk

Rachel Parker (St. Aidan's) 792993

johnandrachel31@tiscali.co.uk

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Mon, Wed and Fri 10am-12noon

Telephone 790808

acombparishoffice@gmail.com

Please send notices for
NFTP and the Magazine to:

St. Stephen's Church, York Road, Acomb, York, YO24 4NW

St. Aidan's Church, Ridgeway, Acomb, York, YO26 5DB

Charity Reg. No. 1130667

www.acombparish.org

Twitter @ Acomb Parish

Facebook: Acomb Parish York

Welcome to the Church of St. Stephen and St. Aidan

News From The Pews

7th October 2018

Trinity 19



Collect

God, of the living earth

You have called people to care for your world –

you asked Noah to save creatures from destruction. May we

now understand how to sustain your world – Not over-

fishing, not over-hunting,

Not destroying trees, precious rainforest

Not farming soil into useless dust.

Help us to find ways to use resources wisely

to find a path to good, sustainable living

in peace and harmony with creatures around us. **Amen**

Today's readings:

Genesis 6:5-8, 13-14, 17-22, 9:8-13

Colossians 1:15-20

Post Communion

Holy and blessed God,

you have fed us with the body and blood of your Son

and filled us with your Holy Spirit:

may we honour you,

not only with our lips

but in lives dedicated to the service

of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

- **those who live and work in:** Grove Terrace.
- **those unwell:** Anna & Peter, Sarah, Evelyn, Ann Pugh, Maurice, Ann Furst, Lauren Elrod and John Elwick.
- That we may be the church God calls us to be.

NOTICES

WELCOME

A warm welcome to all today, especially any visitors among us.

PRAYER MINISTRY

We are blessed here by having a team who are always ready to pray with, or for, people at many of our services (either during communion or after the service or both). People often seek prayer for issues relating to themselves or a loved one. However, please also consider issues that God stirs or has laid on your heart during the week, or on that Sunday. May we invite you to seek prayer on these issues too? Please use the team who are there to support you in prayer.

SMALL (HOME) GROUPS

If you are not a member of one of these groups already, may we encourage you to make a special effort to join one and extend fellowship and learning beyond Sunday? If you would like to come along to one please speak to Ellie, Pete or the Churchwardens.

BAPTISM/CONFIRMATION?

Final call for anyone interested in either or both of the above when the Archbishop of York comes to Acomb on the evening of Thursday 15th November for a confirmation/baptism service. Please let Pete or Ellie know asap.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY POPPIES

We are hoping to put poppies on the War Memorial on Acomb Green and both churches and maybe the Parish Hall if we have enough poppies. Help from Sunday School, Squeals, Messy Church, Sunday Supper would be great. Please contact Rachel Parker or Emily Bagnall for further details if you are able to help.

BASIC FOOD HYGIENE TRAINING.

John Parker has offered to provide this on a one-to-one basis. We would encourage anyone who uses the church or parish hall kitchens to take up this offer. The training takes less than an hour. Please contact Jennifer Deamer to register your interest.

ACOMB COMMUNITY CINEMA

The following films are to be shown at Acomb Community Cinema:
Saturday October 13: 3 Billboards outside Ebbing. 2017 (15)
Saturday November 10: Finding Your Feet. 2017 (15)
Films start 7pm at Acomb Methodist Church, Front Street.
Accompanied under 18s only. Free entry.



Jennifer Deamer, Rachel Parker and Vicar Pete recently spent a week in sunny Derbyshire on behalf of our Church and the PCC Attending the LyCiG course. It was good (so was the food!).

They come back excited as to where God want to lead us as His Church.

God of Mission

**Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
Joy to our worship
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**



CRAFT AND COFFEE MORNING Thanks to everyone who supported our last Craft and Coffee. We raised an incredible £201.15 for our Youth Fund.

CRAFT EVENING

The next craft evening is on Tuesday 16th October from 7.30 to 9pm in the Ellis Rooms. All are welcome.

PUBLICISING CHURCH EVENTS

We really need your help with this so that we can be effective. Please look at the sign-up list at the back of the church and decide which venue YOU could commit to regularly take a poster for display. Thanks.

FREE FURNITURE

Large family sized chest freezer, been kept in the garage. Contact Rachel / John Parker