Thought for the day

"A humble knowledge of yourself is a surer way to God than a deep search after learning."

Thomas a Kempis

Alec & Kay would love you to join us for cake and fizz after the 10 am service this Sunday 14th September. It is 2 years since we walked through the doors of St Ed's and you have all made us so welcome we would like to share our Ruby Wedding celebration with you.



Dringhouses Memories 19 September 10.30-11.30 am Community Hall

What do you think people thought of as 'treasures' in Dringhouses in 2012? Come and see the variety of their choices at our informal meeting. And please bring your own suggestions of what we might 'treasure' here in 2025! Dorothy Reed

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St Edward the Confessor Church Sunday 14th September 2025 13th Sunday after Trinity

Following Jesus, we are Called to be Caring, Committed and Courageous.

Hello and welcome to St Edward's Church

Services

Sunday 14 th September – 13 th Sunday after Trinity		
8.30am BCP Holy Communion President: The Revd Canon Richard Carew Preacher: Gill Stamp 10.00am All Age Service Leader: Team	1 Timothy 1: 12-17 Luke 15: 1-10	
Thursday 18 th September		
10.00am Holy Communion President: The Revd Rachel Bailes Preacher: Martin Bailes	1 Timothy 4: 12-end Luke 7: 36-end	
Sunday 21st September – 14th Sunday after Trinity		
8.30am BCP Holy Communion 10.00am All Age Communion	1 Timothy 1: 12-17 Luke 16: 1-13	

Church Opening Times Monday 15th - Friday 19th September

 $\label{eq:monday 1.00pm-3.00pm} Monday \ 1.00pm-3.00pm, \ Tuesday \ \& \ Wednesday \ 9.00am-3.00pm, \ Thursday \ 11.00am-3.00pm; \ Friday \ 12.30-3.00pm$

Monday 15 th	10.00-12.00	Needlecraft
	9.30-12.00noon, 1.30-4.00pm	Café open
	1.00-4.00pm	Office open
	7.30pm	PCC Meeting
Tuesday 16 th	9.30-12.00noon, 1.30-4.00pm	Café open
	8.30am - 4.00pm	Office open
	10.00-11.00am	Exercise for Fitness
	10.30-11.30am	Café Happy Hour
Wednesday	9.30-12.00noon, 1.30-4.00pm	Café open
17 th	9.00-4.00pm	Office Open
	12.00 noon	Praying in Company
	2.00-4.00pm	Wednesday Afternoon Small Group
	7.00-8.30pm	Youth Group
	8.30-9.00pm	Pret a Manger Food Distribution
Thursday	9.30-12.00 noon, 1.30-4.00pm	Café open
18 th	9.00 - 4.00pm	Office open
	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.00-12.00 noon	Exercise for Fitness
Friday 19 th	9.30-12.00 noon	Café open
	9.00 - 4.00pm	Office open
	10.30-11.30	Dringhouses Memories
	10.30 – 12.00 noon	Little Ted's

<u>Harvest Hope</u> Harvest Sunday is October 5th and as usual we will be dividing any contributions between York Foodbank and Carecent. In the present economic climate both these charities are struggling to meet an ever increasing demand. Therefore we would be extremely grateful for any donations of:

tinned meats - spam/corned beef/ham

tinned fish

tinned fruit and vegetables

Weetabix

pasta and pasta sauces

UHT milk

Any donations of the above can be brought to Harvest Sunday or left in the blue tubs on the café ramp during September.

Cash donations are also welcome. Please bring to the Office. Thank you.

<u>Bakers' basket</u> Our Bakers use a great deal of baking items which inevitably means that the Bakers' basket needs constant replenishment! In particular we would be most grateful for ground almonds, self-raising flour, chocolate (bars or chips), caster sugar, baking margarine & eggs. Thank you very much.

Reintroducing Seeds and Mini Holiday Clubs - thankyou to those who have volunteered thus enabling both SEEDS & Mini Holiday Club to run! The first SEEDS Service will take place on Wednesday 22nd October 3.25-4.00pm and Mini Holiday Club will take place on Monday 27th October 10.00am – 12.30pm. Thankyou. Sally Gatus.

<u>Macmillan Coffee Afternoon</u> – please join us for tea and cake, Sunday 28th September 2.00- 3.30pm outside 26 Whin Road. Donations of cakes & bakes would be gratefully received. Thankyou. Kate Lamb.



<u>Leaf Blower</u> – as Autum approaches and you find yourself buried in fallen leaves; Geoff Stamp has a blower which you are welcome to borrow! Please speak to Geoff should the need arise.

<u>Flower Requests</u> All Church flower requests in future should be made to Margaret Titman.



Luke 15: 1-10

Collect for Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. (or) Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days;

1 Timothy 1: 12-17

Amen.

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

¹²I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, ¹³even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, ¹⁴ and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. 15The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the foremost. ¹⁶But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. ¹⁷To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honour and glory forever and ever. Amen.

¹Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. ²And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saving, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."

³So he told them this parable: ⁴"Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? 5When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. ⁶And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' ⁷Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

8"Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? 9When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbours, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' 10 Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Prayer after Communion

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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