

The Parish of St Mary the Virgin, Nunthorpe

11th January, Baptism of Christ

10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
5:30 pm	Evensong	Church

Evening readings: Ps. 46, 47. Josh.3:1-8, 14-end.
Heb. 1:1-12.

This Week in the Parish		
Tues 13 th Jan 11-12	Chapter meeting	Church
Wed 14 th Jan 10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
Wed 14 th Jan 2:00 pm	Mothers' Union	Church
Thu 15 th Jan 10:00 am	Pram Service	Hall

Mothers' Union – rescheduled. Last week's Mothers' Union, cancelled due to the snow, has been rescheduled for this week, Wednesday 14th January at 2:00 pm in church for the Christmas Tea.

Churches Together in Marton and Nunthorpe, Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. January 18th – 25th. All are welcome to attend a joint soup lunch on Saturday, 24th January at Nunthorpe Methodist Church, starting at 12 noon, and a combined service at St. Cuthbert's Church, Marton at 2:30 pm on Sunday 25th. The theme for the week will be *One Body, One Spirit* and resources for the week have been prepared by Christians in the American churches and can be found at: <https://ctbi.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/WPCU-2026-English-Pamphlet.pdf>

Coffee money: Just to let you all know that during 2025 we raised £314.50 (plus £130.55 for Pudsey) from your coffee contributions at our Sunday morning services. Many thanks, *Christine*.



Artwork for Epiphany from Café Church

Christmas Flowers: Thank you to all for the Christmas flower donations which were gratefully received from the church congregation. Also personal Christmas flower donations were received, in memory of their loved ones, from: Betty Griffin, Eddie and Carol Levie, Ivy Blackburn and Evelyn Barthram, and Christine and David Young. Thank you to all the ladies that arranged the flowers: Jean, Marie, Carol, Gill, Julia, Jasmine, Betty, Marilyn, Pat and Sylvia. *Sylvia King*.

For prayer and reflection this week:

Today, the Diocese of York prays:

Heavenly Father, at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son; may we recognize him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

We pray for the Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America.

Those seeking comfort and healing, or who have requested prayer:

We pray for Doris L, Becky, Edytha B, Joan L, Madge M, Basil E, Marie H, Jess, Evelyn & Keith B, Mary H, Diana W, and Amy R.

Years Mind: We remember with thanksgiving: Robert Baker, Maureen Sedgwick, Ellen Lythgo, Bessie Lewis, Lily Hughes, Joan French, Mabel Harrison, Iris Maguire, Charles Turner, John Clancy, Hilda Fennelow, Irene Farthing, Elizabeth Howard, Ruby Moore, Joseph Ellington, Ethel Forth, Joseph O'Shea, Frederick Mead, May Pattinson, Edith Symes, Margaret Jones, William Alexander, Robert Richardson, Violet Meade, Mary Williams, and Jennifer Richardson. May all whom we remember rest in peace and rise in glory!

Next Sunday:

18th January, Second Sunday of Epiphany

10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
11:45 am	Baptism	Church
5:30 pm	Eucharist	Church

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