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May Newsletter



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A Note from the Dean

Thank you! And it isn't over yet.

Happy Easter! Yes, I did wish everyone a very happy Easter back in April. It is worth remembering, however, that this season of celebration for the resurrection of Jesus Christ continues until Pentecost, fifty days on from Easter Day. This gives a great opportunity for us not only to sustain the celebration but also to ponder more fully what Easter means to us.

First, I do want to express my heart-felt gratitude to everyone who helped to make Lent, Passiontide, Holy Week and Easter Day as enriching and rewarding as they proved to be. Many thanks to those of you who took part in our various Lenten groups and activities. It would be good to have your feedback to help our planning for next year; do share any comments you wish to make with Canon Ailsa or one of the other clergy.

The services of Holy Week and Easter were much appreciated by many people. Years of experience of standing at the church or cathedral door at the end of services has enabled me to discern between words of thanks offered out of politeness (and still appreciated!) and those enthusiastic, energized expressions of gratitude that speak of appreciation for an act of worship that has genuinely moved, enriched and encouraged people. I'm delighted to say that countless of the latter were shared with me by both regular cathedral worshippers and others from the wider diocese and further afield. I am extremely grateful to the clergy, musicians, singers, lay leaders and servers, flower arrangers, bell ringers, select vestry, cathedral staff, vergers – and so the list could go on – who together form the great 'Ripon Cathedral team' that makes all of this possible. The whole offering represents our worship. And my prayer is that God enjoys it as much as those participating!

Congratulations to Loretta Williams



Before looking forward to May, I would also like to express congratulations on behalf of the whole cathedral community to Loretta Williams. On Maundy Thursday, Loretta was amongst the ninety-three women and ninety-three men from across the United Kingdom who received the Royal Maundy money from Her Majesty the Queen in St. George's Chapel, Windsor. This exceptional gesture is made by the Queen to people who have shown outstanding public service. In Loretta's case, this recognizes justly her contribution to the life and ministry of the cathedral and the well-being of the wider city community over many years. Congratulations, Loretta!

Easter Pilgrim

Many people who do not attend church regularly are aware of Lent lasting several weeks and, in many cases, would know its association with the forty days and nights spent by Jesus in the wilderness. Many of them adopt their own Lenten discipline. None of this is to be taken for granted and the wider engagement is to be welcomed. Remarkably, then, it is all too easy for even regular church attenders to think of Easter celebrations being focused on Easter Day and possibly Easter Monday, if only because it is a bank holiday.

In recent years, there have been a growing number of voices and initiatives encouraging us to make the most of the seven weeks of Easter. One argument is that if we are prepared to spend the weeks of Lent contemplating how we can walk more closely with God, we should be willing to embrace the weeks of Easter – with their welcome feel of celebration – as an opportunity to consider how we can make the most of the risen life that Jesus offers here and now. The services of the church with their themed readings obviously encourage us to do this. We should never forget that for those who wish to grow in Christian faith and benefit from its life-transforming potential, regular worship needs to become part of a way of life. But a lively Christian discipleship will always take more than simply 'going to church' to develop.

One great offer to us all from the Church of England this Easter season is the *Easter Pilgrim* app. Divided into periods of five days each up to Ascension Day (the 40th day after Easter Day), the app explores the Lord's Prayer. Each day, it begins with a biblical text, then offers a reflection and a prayer. It is appropriate for long-standing, experienced Christians as well as those who have only recently come to faith or who are still wanting to explore further before making a commitment. This Church of England app, *Easter Pilgrim*, is worth using and recommending to others. Then, from the day after Ascension Day until Pentecost (9th June), it points us to the *Thy Kingdom Come* prayer initiative of the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Archbishop of York.

Thy Kingdom Come is described as a global wave of prayer, inviting people of all Christian traditions to pray that more people may come to enjoy a living faith in the risen Christ. This must surely be a good thing. We at Ripon Cathedral will certainly be taking part in this. On Sunday, 2nd June – the Sunday after Ascension – at 3.30pm we will be hosting the diocesan *Thy Kingdom Come* event in which an act of worship led by Bishop Nick will be complemented by a host of creative prayer stations and pilgrimages inside and outside of the cathedral. Do, please, put this in your diary and plan to help us as a cathedral community to host this great gathering.

Growing God's Kingdom

Continued celebration of Easter and mention of the *Thy Kingdom Come* prayer initiative does remind us of the significance of the vision that is leading us forward at Ripon Cathedral. Our prayer is certainly for the church to grow numerically as well as spiritually, but as the means to the the kingdom of God growing and becoming more evident in God's world.

Our cathedral vision and the plans and mission strands that support it are entitled *Growing God's Kingdom*. God's kingdom was at the heart of Jesus' mission and the clear agenda he gives his church. In his life and ministry, Jesus was keen to demonstrate that the long-hoped-for kingdom of God was becoming a reality in new ways through him. The sick were healed, injustice was countered, those imprisoned by sin and misguided values were liberated, and even the destructive natural forces of wind and waves were calmed. Forces that prevented abundant life were being conquered in Jesus' teaching and miracles. People marveled at what they heard and saw, and many came to believe in him. Ultimately, as we celebrate at Easter, even the powers of death were shown to be no match for the life-giving love of God.

This is all good news. But it is good news that some struggle to accept when they see that the world often appears to be distant from the impression of God's kingdom given by Jesus. Many wonder. Was Jesus actually a failure and are the faithful deluded? And one can see why the question is posed? The imperfect state of the world is shown constantly in countless ways, not least by terrorists targeting Christians in Sri Lanka on Easter Day, and the recent murder of journalist Lyra McKee in Londonderry. It is important, then, to look at what the biblical accounts of Easter teach us about the ongoing mission of the church.

It was precisely because the risen Christ knew that there was still work to be done that he commissioned his church and provided the gift of his Holy Spirit to empower it. According to St. John, this was actually on the day of resurrection itself. Breathing on the disciples, Jesus gave them his Spirit and sent them out to work against the sin that was self-evidently still a reality in the world. Two-thousand years on, the mission of Christ's church is still the same; and the benefits of its mission are to be valued and celebrated. Perhaps we could spend our weeks of Easter opening our eyes to the countless ways in which the kingdom of God is miraculously a living reality around us.

Christian Aid Week

There would be more in the world to regret and lament if faithful people were not prompted to respond to need and injustice, and to encourage others to do likewise. Please, see the note below about Christian Aid Week and do all that you can to support it. Christian Aid is a great and enduring example of the church taking seriously Christ's call to mission. He taught us to pray that his kingdom might come on earth as in heaven. One consequence of saying that prayer is accepting the call to do all that we can in our personal discipleship, including our service of others, to make it more of a reality than otherwise it would be. The efforts of this great charity demonstrate how Easter makes life-changing differences in challenging situations.

Ripon New Music Week (12th – 19th May)

Another way in which the quality of God's kingdom can be experienced is surely in the life-enhancing skill and developing musical ability of many young people. This is encouraged and celebrated in our Ripon New Music Week. Please, read about this below in this Newsletter. And do come along to the relevant services.

With my very best wishes
Dean John

Events & Special Services this month *in the Cathedral unless stated otherwise*

Thursday 2nd May 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – Leeds University Students
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Friday 3rd May The Tour de Yorkshire passes through Ripon, all visitors welcome at the Cathedral

Sunday 5th May 3.30pm St Aidan's CE School 50th Anniversary service

Monday 6th May 11.30am–5.30pm Beer Festival. A great day out for all the family, enjoy award winning local beers and ciders, wine, Pimms, live music and hot food. Children's activities and refreshments. £5 entry for adults (free glass) and children free. Request for keen volunteers who are willing to spare some of their time to help out in a variety of roles at this fantastic event. We will also need any prizes for the tombola, which can be dropped off at the cathedral office. Please get in touch with Molly Lawson mollylawson@riponcathedral.org.uk if you are willing to help, thank you very much in advance!

Thursday 9th May 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – The Fairfax Ensemble
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Sunday 12th May 10.30am Sung Eucharist with the Mayor's Installation
3.30pm Evensong with Christian Aid

This service also marks the start of New Music Week so it is a service not to be missed.

Sunday 12th May – Sunday 19th May Ripon New Music Week

13th – 20th May Photography exhibition illustrating mental health issues as part of Mental Health week

Thursday 16th May 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – The Clothworkers Consort of Leeds. Refreshments from 12.30pm

Friday 17th May 7.30pm Ripon International Festival – Royal Northern Sinfonia Orchestra with Janusz Piotrowicz, conductor and Anna Douglas, on the horn
Tickets £12 - £32 Box office 01765 605508 www.riponinternationalfestival.com

Saturday 18th May Sponsored Abseil – descend 115 feet down the South West Tower in this unique opportunity. All proceeds towards Ripon Cathedral Renewed.
For more information/take part – contact mollylawson@riponcathedral.org.uk or visit the website

Saturday 18th May 7.30pm – Choir Quiz Night with proceeds towards the Choir Tour of Germany Tickets £5 from the Cathedral giftshop. Bar & raffle

Sunday 19th May 5.30pm Distinctive *Café church for all*

Thursday 23rd May 1.00pm – Free Lunchtime Recital – Olive Murray, soprano
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Friday 24th May 3.00pm- An accessible service to mark Dementia Action Week, in conjunction with Dementia Forward

Thursday 30th May 10-3pm Activity Day

Thursday 30th May Ascension Day 7.30pm Festal Eucharist and Procession.

Christian Aid Week 2019, May 12-18th. The week will start on Sunday May 12th with house to house collections all over the country. Here in Ripon Cathedral, Mrs Janice Clark has been invited to speak at Evensong at 3.30pm about her experiences as a Methodist Missionary, with her husband in Sierra Leone. This is the theme for all our collections this year. There will be refreshments after the service. Sierra Leone is at present one of the most dangerous places in the world to have a baby, because there are not enough Health Centres or nurses. We invite everyone to use the envelopes delivered to their houses, or to find spares on the Welcome desk in the Cathedral. These can be collected during the service, or put into the Cathedral donations box, and they will be passed on to Christian Aid.

Our last event was a Quiz at Holy Trinity on Feb 15th. It was a very enjoyable evening and raised £1055 for a project in Iraq and Lebanon to help Syrian refugees, especially young people and those with disabilities. This was increased X6 by funding from Bread for the World organisation. We also welcome anyone who is willing to help us collect from house to house in our area of Ripon, which is South of the River Skell. Please contact Christina Hoare on Tel. 692187.

Ripon New Music Week 12th – 19th May

After the success of last year's event, Ripon New Music Week returns. All principal service music (setting, responses, anthems and voluntaries) will showcase composers with written in the last fifty years. There is a mixture of pieces from "close to home", with works by our own Phil Wilby and lay clerk David Pisaro, with further links through a set of evening canticles written by a friend of the Cathedral Choir, Kevin Ferguson, for the lay clerks. Mainstream composers feature as well, including Jonathan Dove, Grayston Ives, and Bob Chilcott.

Forthcoming Events & Special Services *in the Cathedral unless stated otherwise*

Saturday 1st June 12.00 – 8.00pm Brass Band Contest

A wide range of music played by Brass Bands from across the north of England
Tickets adults £5/children £1 available on the door

Sunday 2nd June 3.30pm Thy Kingdom Come event and service with the Bishop of Leeds

Thursday 6th June 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – The Yorkshire Decibelles
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Saturday 8th June 7.30pm Harrogate Choral Society – 'Feel the Spirit Requiem' conducted by Andrew Padmore. Tickets £20 (Concessions £5) from Harrogate Box Office 01423 502116 or online at www.harrogatetheatre.co.uk also from the Cathedral giftshop

Sunday 9th June 10.30am Pentecost Festal Eucharist with Confirmation celebrating the gift of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the church

Sunday 9th June 3.30pm Golden Wedding Service for couples celebrating 50 or more years of marriage.

Tuesday 11th June 7.30pm Piano Recital by Ukrainian pianist Olga Zado
Tickets £15, concessions £12.50 available at www.ticketsource.co.uk/piano-recitals

Thursday 13th June 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – Leeds University Students
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Saturday 15th June 7.30pm Ripon Choral Society - Britten: Rejoice in the Lamb, Parry: I was Glad, Chilcott: Requiem conducted by John Dunford. Tickets £22 reserved, £20 unreserved, student concessions. 07736759930, Cathedral giftshop or online at riponchoralsociety.org.uk

Sunday 16th June 3.30pm Eucharist celebrating the Silver Anniversary of Women's Ordination to the Priesthood President: The Right Reverend Nicholas Baines, Bishop of Leeds Preacher: The Right Reverend Dr Hele-Ann Hartley, Bishop of Ripon

Tuesday 18th June 7.00pm – 9.30pm C3 Refugee Vigil in Chapel of Justice and Peace. Light a candle and pray for Refugees and Asylum Seekers worldwide

Thursday 20th June 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – Anna Prosser, soprano
Refreshments from 12.30pm

Sunday 23rd June 4.30pm – Messy Cathedral. Young children, toddlers and parents can enjoy songs and fun, including tea

Thursday 27th June 1.00pm Free Lunchtime Recital – Middlesbrough Townhall Community Choir. Refreshments from 12.30pm

Children at the Cathedral

Children are a vital part of our community and here are a few of the things we offer.

Children's Church regularly takes place each Sunday during the 10.30am service. All children of school age are welcome to come (and younger ones if an adult stays with them). W3 gather in the south aisle as the first hymn is ending.

“Breakfast Natters” is a chance for parents and carers to enjoy coffee and cakes as the children play. Tracey, our singing development leader also comes along so the children can enjoy some time singing and playing on instruments. 9 am after school drop-off on the first Thursday of the month in the Cathedral Hall. Next one, **Thursday 2nd May**. No need to book, just come along.

Messy Cathedral on occasional Sundays at 4.30 pm for an hour of fun, singing and crafts ending in tea. **Next one: It is summer! Sunday 23rd June.**

For everything that children can do in the cathedral community, pick up the termly Children at the Cathedral sheet on the table in the Crossing.

SAVE THE DATE

Do you have godparents you'd like to thank? Are you a godparent yourself? We are going to give thanks for baptism and celebrate the joys of the relationship between godparent and godchildren in a special service:

GODPARENT SUNDAY

7th July at the 10.30 Sung Eucharist

Why not invite along godparents of your own, or your children's godparents? Or invite your godchildren to join you for the day? All are welcome whether the 'godchild' is 90, 9, or 9 months old. It will be a lovely opportunity to give thanks for the special relationship forged through the commitment of godparents to their godchild



It's SUMMER!

Fun for babies and children with
their parents.

Crafts, story-telling, songs, pray-
ers and the junior choristers sing.

Ending with a sandwich tea

Free. Just come to the cathedral

Sunday 23rd June

4.30 –5.30 pm

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'C3: Cathedral Community Connections

Ripon Cathedral is committed to supporting our community through partnerships with local charities. That support includes both prayer and practical action. Please consider how you might play your part in this ministry. For more information please contact C3@riponcathedral.org.uk or telephone the Cathedral Office 01765 603462.

Ripon Community Link would like to thank everyone who kindly donated Easter Eggs for their fundraising tombola and Easter Egg hunt, they are very grateful to you for your support. On Saturday 11 May Ripon Community Link will be holding their annual Spring Plant Fair and Artisan Market at the Walled Garden on Palace Road. As well as a wide range of plants, there will be local stalls, animals in the orchard, children's activities and delicious food and drink. The Fair is open between 10am and 3pm, please do come along and join in the fun.

Salvation Army Food Bank

The Salvation Army work closely with Social Services to identify families in need of Food Bank help. The contributions made by the Cathedral community form a very significant part of the supply chain and are therefore essential in making this important work possible. Items needed at the moment include: Tinned pasta such as Ravioli, Spaghetti, and Macaroni; tinned fish, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, prepared custard, sponge puddings and jam. There are sufficient stocks of the following at the moment: dried pasta, tinned tomatoes, marmalade, soap, and toothpaste. Women's sanitary items are always needed. Contributions can be left at the entrance to the Cathedral on Sundays or brought to the Chapter House during the week.

Ripon City Sanctuary

Annual General Meeting at Allhallowgate Methodist Church Hall at 7:30pm on **Monday 13 May**. There will be a 20-minute film, followed by an update of our work and plans for the next year, and then another short film about indefinite detention in the UK. We will close with a call to action to campaign to end this practice – we're the only country in Europe that does it!

Visit of asylum-seekers and refugees from Hull Open Doors

We had a wonderful visit on Saturday 13 April when 50 guests, of 9 nationalities (from Kurdish to Rohingya to Cameroonian), including lots of children, came to spend the day with us and Ripon's Syrian families. There were visits to the cathedral, the Workhouse Museum, and Spa Gardens, with lunch, a game of football and lots of tea and chat as well. A massive THANK YOU to all the volunteers who cooked, served, accompanied and sorted! Pics attached.

Refuge Week - 17-23 June 2019 There's lot happening, from a market stall to a movie night to an Iraqi poet, and more besides. More details coming soon.

Can you cook a curry?

We're going to be hosting a much-needed fundraising dinner at Holy Trinity Church on **15 June**, to kick off our Refugee Week events. If you like to make curries (*reasonably* authentic ones!) and feel you could make one for us to serve on the night, please let us know... we'd be very grateful for the help.

Distinguished pianist coming to Sharow to fundraise for us

We're delighted that celebrated pianist Margaret Fingerhut, a big supporter of the national City of Sanctuary movement, will be playing a fundraising concert for us at St John's Church, Sharow, Ripon, on Friday **1 November 2019**. Definitely not to be missed. "*One of the most radiantly musical of pianists, she plays with such alluring sensitivity and effortless command that one cannot help but be won over.*"

Make a teddy?

We're still collecting high-quality home-made teddies (knitted or crocheted) to go to newly arrived refugee and asylum-seeker children in our region.



SPACE is designed to provide a space in busy lives to allow people to deepen an awareness of their own unique spiritual journeys. These days are for people of all faiths and none, for people at the beginning of their spiritual journey and those who are already well familiar with the road.

If you could use with some Space in your life, join us on **Saturday, 20 July at Thorpe Prebend**. The theme for this day will be **Rejoice: finding a deeper kind of joy**. We start with coffee from 10:30, and finish with fellowship and tea at 3:30. Our facility is suitable for individuals requiring wheelchair access.

Places are limited and booking is essential. For more information or to book a place contact us by email at [<spaceripon@gmail.com>](mailto:spaceripon@gmail.com) or by telephoning the Ripon Cathedral Office on 01765 603462.

Sponsor a flower arrangement

Each week Ripon Cathedral Flower Guild creates beautiful flower arrangements. If you would like to sponsor an arrangement in memory of the passing of a loved one, or in celebration of a birthday or an anniversary, please contact Sue Woods on 01765 698006 to discuss your requirements. A framed notice of the occasion will be placed at the foot of the arrangement

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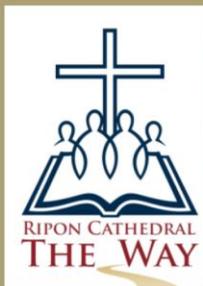
Support your Cathedral and support Yorkshire businesses with your purchases.

All profits from the sale of items in the shop go towards the daily upkeep and ongoing maintenance projects of the Cathedral and at the same time help support many of our Yorkshire suppliers. Among those suppliers are Rosebud Preserves based just outside Masham. We carry a large range of marmalades, jams, chutneys and pickles as well as a gift box pack. Raisthorpe Manor gins are very popular and very 'on trend'. The stacker bottles are priced at £13.50 and make a lovely gift. Flavours available are Dry Gin, Oak Aged Gin, Sloe Gin and Damson Port. The gins are distilled using water from the Gypsy springs situated on the Yorkshire Wolds.

Grandma Wilds award winning biscuits have been baked in Yorkshire since 1899. We feature a 400g assortment box at £5 and a delicious clotted cream shortbread pack priced at £3. Treat your taste buds!



Exploring the Lord's Prayer in the season of Easter



2 ways to explore the richness of the Lord's Prayer

Daily reflections on the Lord's Prayer download the free app. Search for Easter Pilgrim at the app store.

Also available as a book:

Pilgrim Journeys: 40 days of Reflections on The Lord's Prayer £2.95 from the Cathedral shop

Discussion Group on different aspects of the Lord's Prayer over 6 sessions with Canon Ailsa.

Contact her for details:

canonailsa@riponcathedral.org.uk



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Last month I encouraged people to join in a special after-service coffee on 15th April and lots of you were able to take up that offer. Thank you for coming along, if you did. There was a wonderful atmosphere. Various people have said it would be a good idea from time to time to have people wearing name badges at coffee again and, if you agree (or particularly if you don't!) let me know your views.

Many people took away on that occasion a sheet listing the ways of being involved in the life of the Cathedral. It is a sheet that just allows you to find out, without commitment, more about any activity you are interested in, by just ticking a box. But I've only had a few back. So do give them back to me, or put it through the letter box at St Peter's House or into my pigeon-hole in the Chapter House. If you didn't get the sheet then you can pick one up from the PCC table in the Crossing.

The reason for such a sheet is that some have reflected to me that it is rather difficult to see how to get involved and to know people. Volunteering within the community is a key way to do that and to belong. It's true we'd flounder without the wonderful dedication of our volunteers but I want to promote it because it is about belonging, about finding friendship and support in the Christian life, feeling that you're giving back as well as receiving. And it can be enormously rewarding.

One particularly fulfilling way of giving back is in working with children. Key to that is Children's Church which provides a welcoming, stimulating and safe place for our younger ones during the first part of the 10.30 service. Looking forward to the autumn we shall have fewer people leading Children's Church and if it is to continue our splendid core team will need some people to assist them in running a session. Would you be interested in supporting a teacher in this way? It probably means a commitment to 2-3 sessions a term.

We are also putting together a larger group to serve coffee and tea after the 10.30 service. That is such an easy way to get to know people. It works on the basis of a sign-up sheet so you can do this when convenient to you and full help is given showing you how, working alongside someone else. If you'd like to be involved, just let me know, or tick the box on the 'Ways of being involved' sheet.

Canon Ailsa



Thursday 30th May 10am-3pm

Activity Day

Join us in the Cathedral for craft activities for everyone as well as our popular Cathedral trails



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Golden Wedding Service



Were you married in 1969 or earlier?

If you are celebrating your Golden Wedding or even a longer time together, Ripon Cathedral warmly invites you to share in this year's special service of thanksgiving and blessing, to renew your vows and to reflect on and celebrate your many years of married life



Sunday 9th June 2019 3.30 pm

If you would like to apply for tickets to attend this unique service (regardless of where you were married or where you are now living) please send your name and address to:

Mrs Trina Knockton, The Chapter House, Ripon cathedral Ripon HG4 1QT email :postmaster@riponcathedral.org.uk tel: 01765 602072



Singing at Ripon Cathedral

Ripon Cathedral offers a number of opportunities for young people of all ages and musical abilities. With free music education, bursaries for learning musical instruments and free voice coaching.

Cathedral Choir for boys and girls aged 7 - 14

Junior and Youth Choirs for boys and girls aged 6 - 18

Breakfast Natters for pre-school children and young families

Find out more at :

riponcathedral.org.uk/singing


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Service Times

Sundays

8.00am	Eucharist	9.30am	Morning Prayer (said)
10.30am	Sung Eucharist	12.30pm	Eucharist (BCP)
3.30pm	Evensong		

Weekdays

8.30am	Morning Prayer
9.00am	Eucharist (also Wed (BCP) & Fri 12 noon)
6.00pm	Evensong (or said Evening Prayer) (Saturday 5.30pm)

Mondays 10.00am The Magdalen Fellowship. Please join us in the medieval chapel of Mary Magdalens for a time of silence and reflection every Monday morning starting at 10:00 am. Coffee served afterwards. Eucharist with Laying on of Hands on first Monday of the month. For further information, contact Anne-Marie Tarter 602129. On the first Monday in June the Fellowship will be away on their annual Quiet Day, and so there will not be a Eucharist at the Chapel that day.

First Monday of each month The Evening Meditation Prayer Group: an opportunity for contemplative prayer at 7.30pm ending with Compline.

Tuesdays at 7.30pm Space for Grace reflective Eucharist in the Chapel of the Resurrection (enter from the outside door on the footpath along the south side of the cathedral).

Wednesdays 7.30-9.00pm Bell Ringing Practice Everybody welcome, access via North Transept.

Thursdays (most Thursdays – see the monthly events schedule) **1.00pm Lunchtime Concert in the Quire (free).**

Thursdays 7.00- 8.00pm Cathedral Parish Music Group practices in Thorpe Prebend House, High St Agnesgate, Ripon. Singers and instrumentalists welcome.

First Saturday of the month 12.00 Parish Lunch in the Cathedral Hall

Further Information

For further information on any of the events and services listed or for general information, please contact us on:

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