



ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, SCALBY

**Building together a community of faith
that reaches out with God's love –
in Jesus' name.**



PRAYER-CREATIVITY-INVITATION-LEARNING-JOY-SERVING

Week beginning: Sunday 9th November 2025

Hello and Welcome

World



- ❖ We pray for the ceasefire in Gaza to be made secure and for people needing to be evacuated for medical treatment to be allowed to travel.
- ❖ The 30 million children out of school in war zones, more than half in Sudan. Pray that many will be able to access the BBC's weekly educational programmes in Arabic.
- ❖ We remember all who have suffered because of war in the past and today especially those who mourn the loss of loved ones in Gaza, Israel, Ukraine, Sudan and the Caribbean.
- ❖ COP 30 meeting in Brazil November 10th – 21st.

Church and Community

- ❖ Messy Church needs more helpers and families to belong. Pray that God will provide more people to build a supportive, worshipping community.
- ❖ Give thanks for the Barnabas Group and pray for its leaders and members as they encourage one another.
- ❖ We pray for all who work in local shops, businesses and services, giving thanks to God for the good provision we enjoy.
- ❖ Scalby Methodists and their new Minister Revd. Loren Whetsell - praying for our growing fellowship and working together as God's people in this place.

Individuals

- ❖ Kate McClean, Margery Pindar, Aline Croskin, Sarah Eade, James Trueman, Janet Newell, Mick Hall, Maggie Win Maung and all those known personally to us who need our prayers.
- ❖ The family and friends of Robin Annan.
- ❖ David and Azaria are in need of increased funding going forward. They ask their link churches and individuals to consider this prayerfully.
- ❖ All those injured and affected by the stabbings on the train last weekend – pray for healing in body, mind and spirit for all involved.
- ❖ The King and his family at this difficult time for them.
- ❖ The family and friends of Bodhi and Xanthe being baptised next Sunday.



Church Services today and next week

Sunday 9th November **3rd Sunday before Advent** **Remembrance Sunday**

8.00am **Holy Communion** Bishop David Wilbourne

10.00am **Morning Worship** Revd Tony Hand

10.45am **Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial**

Collect: Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: Hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings: Psalm 17.1-9 & 2 Thessalonians 2.1-5, 13-end

Tuesday 11th November

8.30am **Morning Prayer** Revd Marion Wright

Thursday 13th November

8.30am **Morning Prayer** Revd Marion Wright

10.30am **Holy Communion** Revd Marion Wright

Sunday 16th November **2nd Sunday before Advent** **Safeguarding Sunday**

8.00am **Holy Communion** Revd Tony Hand

10.30am **Building Together** Revd Tony Hand & the
Safeguarding Team

Reading: Colossians 3:12-15

12.30pm **Baptism of Bodhi and Xanthe**

5.00pm **Fun and Food** Celia Hare

WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK:

10.11.25	10.00am	Little Steps	Church Rooms
11.11.25	8.30am	Morning Prayer	Church
13.11.25	8.15am	Morning Prayer	Church
	10.30am	Holy Communion	Church
16.11.25	8.00am	Holy Communion	Church
	10.30am	Building Together	Church
	5.00pm	Fun and Food	Church Rooms



Flowers are in memory of Tom Pindar.

CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES – THANK YOU

Thank you so much for all the support you have shown for Children in Distress. There are 26 brightly coloured boxes which have been collected along with £380 in donations which enables us to purchase gifts 'From the Heart' online. They will be very much appreciated by the deprived children and elderly in Romania and Eastern Europe. Thank you again.



MESSY CHURCH

Messy Church is back on Saturday 8th November 4-6pm. with our usual mix of crafts, fun activities, games, Bible stories and a meal together. Everyone is welcome.



CAN YOU HELP?

If you have any glass dessert jars like the Gu ones please could you drop them into the Church Rooms – there is a box in the foyer. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS MARKET

There is a Christmas market on Saturday 29th November in the Church Rooms 10am – 12noon . Jasmine, Alice and Angela are selling handmade stocking fillers, Christmas tree decorations, baked goods, jam, paintings, prints and much more. Free entry. Refreshments will be available and live Christmas music will feature. A donation from profits will be made to Diabetes UK.

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CHURCH ROOMS 11TH – 17TH NOVEMBER

Windows are being replaced in the Church Rooms during the above dates. Whilst the main hall will be unaffected, there will be disruption in the rest of the building so please be aware.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

There is a Christmas Bazaar at St. Hilda's Church, Ravenscar, YO13 0NA on Sunday 16th November, 10am – 3pm. There will be various craft stalls, Crofts Chocolates, cakes and much more! There will be refreshments of tea, coffee, cake and light bites. All are welcome.

SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY

Sunday 16th November is Safeguarding Sunday with the theme this year of 'Action Speaks Louder'. The 10.30am service will be focussing on safeguarding and what it means. The Safeguarding Team will lead this.



COP 30 – some issues to inform our prayers

Christian Aid is looking for 3 main outcomes for this conference:-

An agreement on providing climate finance which was committed to at COP 29.

All governments to stop investing in fossil fuels and enable developed countries to transition to low carbon economies in a socially just way.

More ambitious commitments to future climate change plans.

Unicef and the Red Cross have both launched appeals in response to Hurricane Melissa in the Caribbean. Visit their websites to donate.



OFFICE HOURS FOR NEXT WEEK

Wednesday 12th November

CLOSED

Friday 14th November

CLOSED



Due to the windows being installed in the Church Rooms, Sarah will be working from home so please email office@stlaurencescalby.org.uk.