

Safeguarding

We are committed to good practice in Safeguarding and have adopted the Church of England's policy and guidelines. If a child or adult is at immediate risk of significant harm, call 999. Otherwise, please report your concern via the church website or speak to the vicar, Joel, or a Church Warden.

If your concern is about the church leadership please contact the diocese: Rob Marshall the Diocesan Safeguarding Officer on 01904 699509 / 07914 668907

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THE HEADLAND NEWSLINK

17th May 2026

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Sunday after Ascension Day

Our Pattern of Sunday Worship

St Oswald's Flamborough 10.30am

1st to 4th Sundays in the month Sung service of Holy Communion

St Michael's Bempton 10.30am

2nd Sunday in the month Holy Communion
1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays Morning Worship

St Leonard's Speeton and St Peter's Reighton 10am

1st Sunday Holy Communion at St Leonard's
2nd Sunday Morning Prayer at St Peter's
3rd Sunday Morning Prayer at St Leonard's
4th Sunday Holy Communion at St Peter's

St John's Sewerby 9.30am

1st to 4th Sundays in the month
Holy Communion

5th Sunday in the month

United Benefice Service of Holy Communion at one of our churches

Weekday Services:

Holy Communion

10.30am Thursdays at St Oswald's

Next United Benefice Service

May 31st

St John the Evangelist, Sewerby

10.30am.

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Welcome! If you are new or visiting, we hope you will feel at home here. If attending a communion service, you are welcome to receive communion. If you don't wish to do so we invite you to come for a blessing. We are happy to bring communion to you in your pew. If you need this, or a gluten free wafer, please have a word with the welcomer. Large print materials are available.

Coffee after Morning Service: in St Oswald's, St Michael's and St John's church halls, and in church at Reighton and Speeton

Readings for this week:

**17th May Seventh Sunday of Easter
(Sunday after Ascension Day)**

Acts 1: 6 – 14
Psalm 68: 1 – 10, 32 – end
1 Peter 4: 12 – 14; 5: 6 – 11
John 17: 1 - 11

Readings for next week:

24th May Pentecost

Acts 2: 1 – 21
Psalm 104: 26 – 36, 37b
1 Corinthians 12: 3b – 13
John 20: 19 – 23 OR John 7: 37 - 39

Psalm 68: 1 – 10, 32 - end

Let God rise up, let his enemies be scattered;
let those who hate him flee before him.

**As smoke is driven away, so drive them
away; as wax melts before the fire, let the
wicked perish before God.**

But let the righteous be joyful; let them exult
before God; let them be jubilant with joy.

**Sing to God, sing praises to his name; lift up a
song to him who rides upon the clouds: his
name is the Lord — be exultant before him.**

Father of orphans and protector of widows is
God in his holy habitation.

**God gives the desolate a home to live in;
he leads out the prisoners to prosperity,
but the rebellious live in a parched land.**

O God, when you went out before your
people, when you marched through the
wilderness,

**the earth quaked, the heavens poured down
rain at the presence of God, the God of Sinai,
at the presence of God, the God of Israel.**

Rain in abundance, O God, you showered
abroad; you restored your heritage when it
languished;

**your flock found a dwelling in it; in your
goodness, O God, you provided for the
needy. Sing to God, O kingdoms of the
earth; sing praises to the Lord,**

O rider in the heavens, the ancient heavens;
listen, he sends out his voice, his mighty
voice.

**Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over
Israel; and whose power is in the skies.**

Awesome is God in his sanctuary, the God of
Israel; he gives power and strength to his
people. Blessed be God!

**Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the
Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be forever. Amen**

This week please pray for:

- Michael Barlow, Lesley Brown, Peter

Golphin, Carol Smales, John and Carol
Stafford, Graham, Matthew, Ali, Fathima

- Rev'd Paul Burkitt whose funeral is on
Wednesday 20th May at 11.30am at St
Oswald's Church, Filey
- Flamborough and Bempton Schools and
Flamborough Pre-School
- People on the longer Benefice Prayer List

Notices:

TODAY Sunday May 17th : Christian Aid collection
continues (see notice below)

TODAY Sunday May 17th: PCC St Michael's after
service

Monday May 18th 2pm: Bereavement Support
Group St Michael's Church Hall

Monday May 18th 6.30pm: Reighton and Speeton
Annual Parochial Church Meeting St Leonard's

Tuesday May 19th 10am: Coffee morning
St Michael's Church Hall

Wednesday May 20th 2pm: Chat and Craft
St John's Church Hall

Monday May 25th 10.30am – 4pm: St Michael's
Church Hall open for refreshments

Tuesday May 26th 10am: Benefice Team meeting St
Michael's Church Hall

Tuesday May 26th 4pm: Treasure Hunt around the
Village beginning at Flamborough Methodist Church

WE NEED CAKES FOR THIS EVENT PLEASE. Let
Helen Lount or Caroline Byrne if you can provide a
cake. Thank you

Wednesday May 27th 2pm: Fellowship Group
St Oswald's Church Hall

Thursday May 28th 2pm: MU St Oswald's Church
Hall

Saturday May 30th 7.15 for 7.30pm: Quarterly
Supper Club St Oswald's Church Hall. Menu choices
and tickets (£10) are available now from Caroline.
First come first served!

Sunday 31st: 10.30am United Benefice Service
St John The Evangelist, Sewerby

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

See posters for details. Collection
envelopes will be in church today
Please donate if you can and leave
your envelope in church for
collection. Thank you

*Please let Caroline have any old Easter cards which
can be remade for our churches. Please leave at the
back of any of the churches. Thank you*

A big thank you to everyone who attended the
concert at St John's Church last week and for all
who provided the wonderful food. It is hoped that
the Cadenza Choir will return for another concert
near Christmas.