



PARISH OF GRIMSBY ST MARY AND ST JAMES AND ST HUGH



Grimsby Minster & St Hugh's Church

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This Sunday 6th September Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Romans 13.8-end

Matthew 18.15-20

Grimsby Minster

10.30am Holy Communion

St Hugh's Church

9.30am Morning Worship

*This week we are praying for the
fishing vessel "Lorna Jean"*

Next Sunday 13th September Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

Romans 14.1-12

Matthew 18.21.35

Grimsby Minster

10.30am Holy Communion

St Hugh's Church

9.30am Morning Worship

*This week we are praying for the
fishing vessel "Murray V"*

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NEWS

NEW Minster Café Opening Times: from 21st September, the Minster café will be trialling new opening times, open Monday to Saturday, 10am to 1.30pm.

Do you have big questions about life? Are you curious about faith? Would you like to find out more about Christian faith?

If so, come and join us on Alpha, a journey of discovery into the heart of the Christian faith. Over 11 weeks, we will explore different aspects to faith and what it means to be a follower of Jesus. It's a safe, friendly space to explore faith and ask those big questions of meaning and life. Alpha starts on Wednesday 23rd September at 7pm in the St James' Centre.

Booking forms are available in church or via parishoffice@grimsbyminster.co.uk



Welcome back! The Minster choir has returned after a summer recess. Do take the opportunity to say hello to them.

Harvest Festival: will be on Sunday 4th October. Donations of dried and tinned goods for the West Marsh Foodbank will be gratefully received. There will also be a financial appeal for the British Red Cross Nepal Floods disaster appeal.

Heritage Open Day Autumn Fair at Grimsby Minster

 Saturday 19th September  10:00am – 4:00pm

Join us in the Minster for a day celebrating the town's rich history and heritage. Explore the Minster, grab a bite to eat and a drink from the Minster café, browse the book fair, and experience a unique soundscape installation in St James Square. There will also be storytelling sessions from The Rabbithole Bookshop and children's activities, making it a fantastic day out for all ages.

 **Minster Tours:** Discover the history, architecture and stories of Grimsby Minster on one of the free guided tours. Tours start hourly from 10:00am until 2:00pm and can simply be joined on the day – no booking required!

 **Bell Tower Experience:** climb the Minster's historic bell tower for a unique behind-the-scenes experience, visit the ringing chamber and even ring a bell! These free tours run hourly from 10:00am until 1:00pm. **Advance booking is essential** via:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1996983437218?aff=oddtcreator>

Detectives Needed - Hidden Stories at Grimsby Minster

The Minster has received funding from Create NEL to explore our 'Hidden Stories' - delving into archival records to uncover more about the Minster's past, with a special focus on the Belfry and the Lady Chapel. This research will support essential repairs to the Jubilee Clock, helping us preserve an important part of our town's heritage. We're looking for a small group of volunteers to help sift through historic material and contribute to a heritage exhibition that will share these discoveries with the community.

 Next meet-ups: Saturday 3rd October and 17th October

 10.00am  Grimsby Minster café

If you're interested in local history, heritage, or simply want to get involved, you're warmly invited to join us. Facilitated by local historian, Carla Linford.

Minster charity spotlight: you may have noticed a blue board in the Minster café. Each month we are hoping to spotlight a local charity. Please do let us know which local charities we could approach – their work should align with Christian values and promote well-being in some way. Please share your ideas with the clergy, or email the Parish Office parishoffice@grimsbyminster.co.uk.

Parish Office Opening Times:

Monday 7th September - **closed**

Tuesday 8th September – 10am-1pm

Wednesday 9th September – 10am to 1pm

Thursday 10th September – 10am to 1pm

Friday 11th September – 10am to 1pm

Deanery News:

12th September – St Bartholomew's, Keelby Open Day (see poster below)

19th September – St Peter & St Paul's musical afternoon with the Elderly Brothers (see poster below)

Clergy Annual Leave:

Rev'd Susanna is on Annual Leave 1st to 7th September, back at work on 8th September

Rev'd Andrew is on Annual Leave 7th to 21st September, back at work on 22nd September

Diary Dates!

Every	Other Mon	Bell Ringing Practice, Minster
Every	Wednesday	Bell Ringing Practice, Minster
Every	Thursday	Choir Practice, Minster, 6pm

PASTORAL PROVISION

Home Visits / Home Communion (Tuesdays 2pm to 5pm)

The act of receiving communion is a sacred time of fellowship with God. The Lord's death will be commemorated through prayer and meditation during this special time of worship in your home. As we eat the bread and drink the cup, we are reminded of Jesus' sacrifice. Our participation is also a symbol of our union with Christ, as by doing this, we remember what He has done for us, which is what He asked us to do. Once a month, on a Tuesday afternoon, we could come to your house to take communion with you or just have a chat if you cannot attend church for health reasons. Please get in touch with Revd Susanna by email susanna.rosemeyer@lincoln.anglican.org or via the Parish Office.

Care Home Visits (1st Thursday of the month Eaton Court 2.30 pm)

Staying in touch with parishioners lies at the heart of our church and is part of 'The Cure of Souls' that plays a significant role for us. If you have a family member you would like us to visit in one of the care homes, please get in touch with us. A Service of the Word is offered to all residents who are interested, but also private time afterwards if requested. (If you are aware of a care home in our parish that would like to be included or former parishioners who would like to be visited in a care home, please let us know.)

Service of the Word/ Holy Communion/ Words of Wholeness and Healing (Thursdays at 11am)

Take a break from your busy schedule and hear what God has to say to you. Come join us for worship every Thursday in our Lady Chapel. Check out the information box near the Minster entrance and/or grab a service sheet for this week's details.

Feel free to chat with our clergy afterwards. You're invited!

Morning Prayer (Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 9.30am)

Morning Prayer is a beautiful way to start the day. Four times a week, we come together to pray, sharing in the words spoken by Christians across the world. As part of this time, we also practise "Dwelling in the Word", reflecting together on scripture and listening for what God may be saying to us. We would love you to join us in prayer.

Our Prayer Tree in the Minster. We have a ministry to the people who use the Prayer Tree, where they leave thanksgiving notes, share their hopes, and express their burdens on its branches. These prayers and concerns are offered up to God every Sunday during our Communion Service.

DIARY

SUNDAY		FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	
6 September	9.30am 10.30am	Morning Worship PARISH EUCHARIST Preside & Preach: Revd Andrew Race	St Hugh's Church Minster Nave
MONDAY 7 September		PARISH OFFICE AND CAFÉ CLOSED TODAY	
TUESDAY 8 September		The Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary MORNING PRAYER Café open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
WEDNESDAY 9 September		<i>Charles Fuger Lowder, Priest, 1880</i> MORNING PRAYER Café open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
THURSDAY 10 September		Café open HOLY COMMUNION Choir Rehearsal	Minster North Aisle Minster Lady Chapel St James Centre
FRIDAY 11 September		MORNING PRAYER Café Open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
SATURDAY 12 September		MORNING PRAYER Café open Choir Rehearsal	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle St James Centre
SUNDAY		FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	
13 September	9.30am 10.30am	Morning Worship PARISH EUCHARIST Preside & Preach: Revd Susanna Rosemeyer	St Hugh's Church Minster Nave

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13 September	9.30am 10.30am	CREATIONTIDE Morning Worship PARISH EUCHARIST Preside & Preach: Revd Susanna Rosemeyer	St Hugh's Church Minster Nave
MONDAY		HOLY CROSS DAY	
14 September		PARISH OFFICE AND CAFÉ CLOSED TODAY	
TUESDAY		Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage, Martyr, 258	
15 September	9.30am 9.30am-2.30	MORNING PRAYER Café open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
WEDNESDAY		Ninian, Bishop of Galloway, Apostle of the Picts, c432	
16 September	9.30am 9.30am-2.30	MORNING PRAYER Café open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
THURSDAY		Hildegard, Abbess of Bingen, Visionary, 1179	
17 September	9.30am-2.30 11.00am 1pm 6pm-7.30	Café open HOLY COMMUNION Funeral Choir Rehearsal	Minster North Aisle Minster Lady Chapel Minster Nave St James Centre
FRIDAY			
18 September	9.30am 9.30am-1.30	MORNING PRAYER Café Open	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle
SATURDAY		<i>Theodore of Tarsus, Archbishop of Canterbury, 690</i>	
19 September	9.30am 9.30am-2.30 9.30-12.30 10am-4pm	MORNING PRAYER Café open Choir Rehearsal Heritage Open Day Autumn Fair	Minster Lady Chapel Minster North Aisle St James Centre Minster
SUNDAY		SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	
20 September	9.30am 10.30am	CREATIONTIDE Morning Worship PARISH EUCHARIST Preside & Preach: Revd Susanna Rosemeyer	St Hugh's Church Minster Nave

St Bart's Open Day

and Summer Raffle

When	Saturday 12th September 11am–3pm
Where	St Bartholomew's Church Keelby

Summer Raffle Tickets - £1 a ticket

1st prize - £250 cash

And many other prizes

Refreshments

Hot meat buns - £3 or £1.50 for 12y and under

Tea, coffee and squash

Games • Soft toy tombola

Cake stall • Bellringing

**Help us raise money to repair our hearing loop
and to update the sound system**

**Please come along, bring family and friends, and help make the day a
success!**

St. Peter & St. Paul's Church Healing

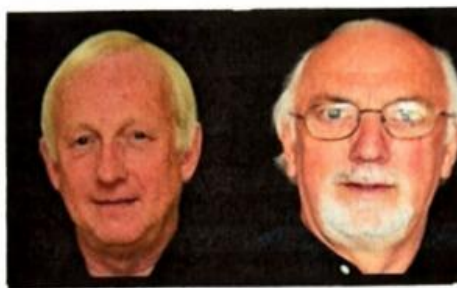
Saturday September 19th 2026

A Musical Afternoon

2pm to 5pm in the Hall

with

The Elderly Brothers



***Music from the 60s, 70s and more recent
times to—***

dance, sing along or just enjoy yourself.

Tickets £10 (including a finger buffet)

available from:

Kevin Onn – 07752 311933

Christina Coleman – 07517 161738

AUTUMN HERITAGE FAIR



SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER



10:00 - 16:00



GRIMSBY MINSTER



FREE ENTRY & EVENTS



Celebrating Heritage Open Days and the **National Year of Reading**, Hammond House is proud to host a **storytelling** and **soundscape** day celebrating the heritage of Grimsby Town in the beautiful and ancient surroundings of the **Grimsby Minster**.



FEATURING:

- Local authors and heritage craftspeople
- Classic books and bestsellers from *The Rabbit Hole Bookshop*
- Children's flash fiction competition and colouring in
- Storytime sessions with *The Rabbit Hole Bookshop*
- Choir, bell-ringing and guided tour of the Minster
- A soundscape in St James' Square
- Oral storytelling with *Grimsby Women's History Group*
- Drop-in creative workshops

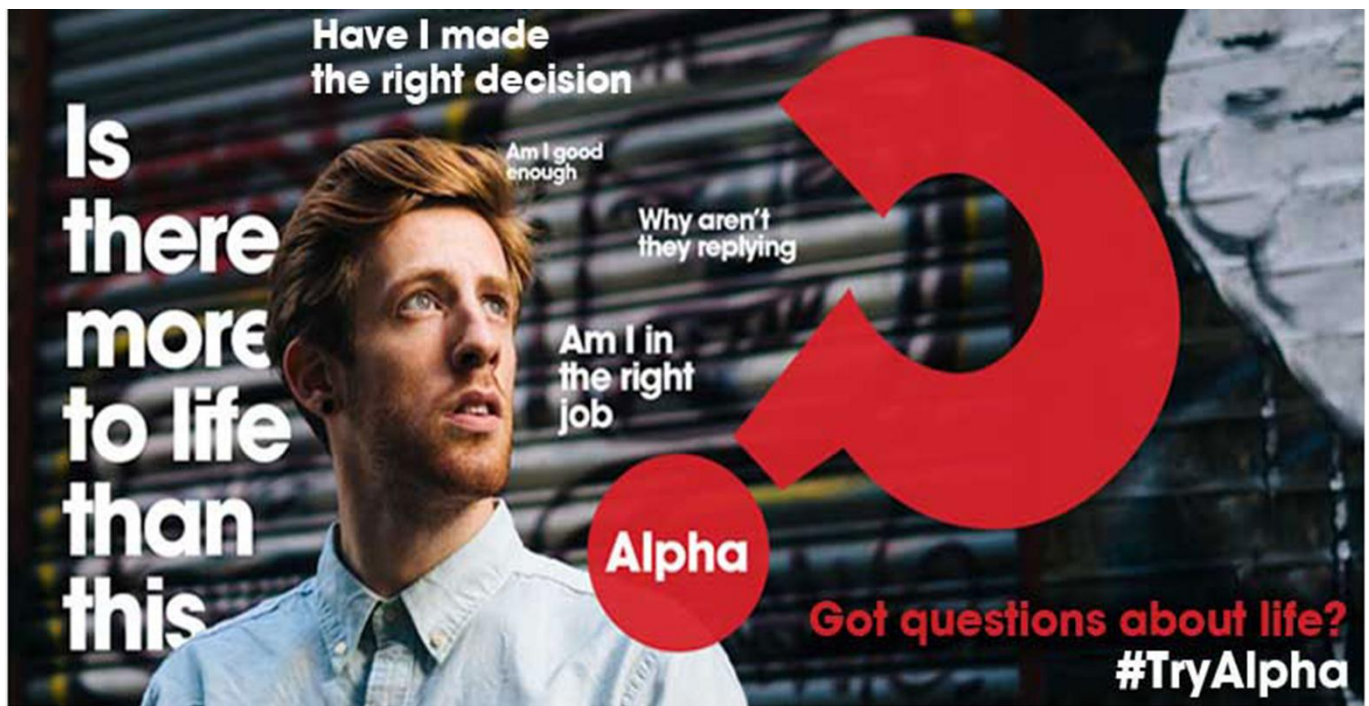
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REFRESHMENTS
WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM
THE MINSTER CAFE



Find out more at
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The *Alpha* Course starts on
Wednesday 23rd September 7.00pm to 8.30pm
in the St James' Centre
Call 01472 277277 to book

Harvest Festival

Sunday 4th October



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Cash donations to the Red Cross
Nepal Floods disaster relief

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Holy Communion

