

March
2024

CHURCH SERVICES - All welcome!

March 2024 Service Schedule

(Services in Bold Italics are not communion services)

	Brompton	Deighton	Welbury	W. Rounton	E. Rounton
3 rd	9.00am		6.00pm	10.30am	
10 th	9.00am		11.00am		9.00am
17 th	9.00am	10.15am	11.00am	10.30am	
24 th	10.30am		6.00pm		9.00am
Easter3 1st	9.00am	10.15am	11.00am		6.30am



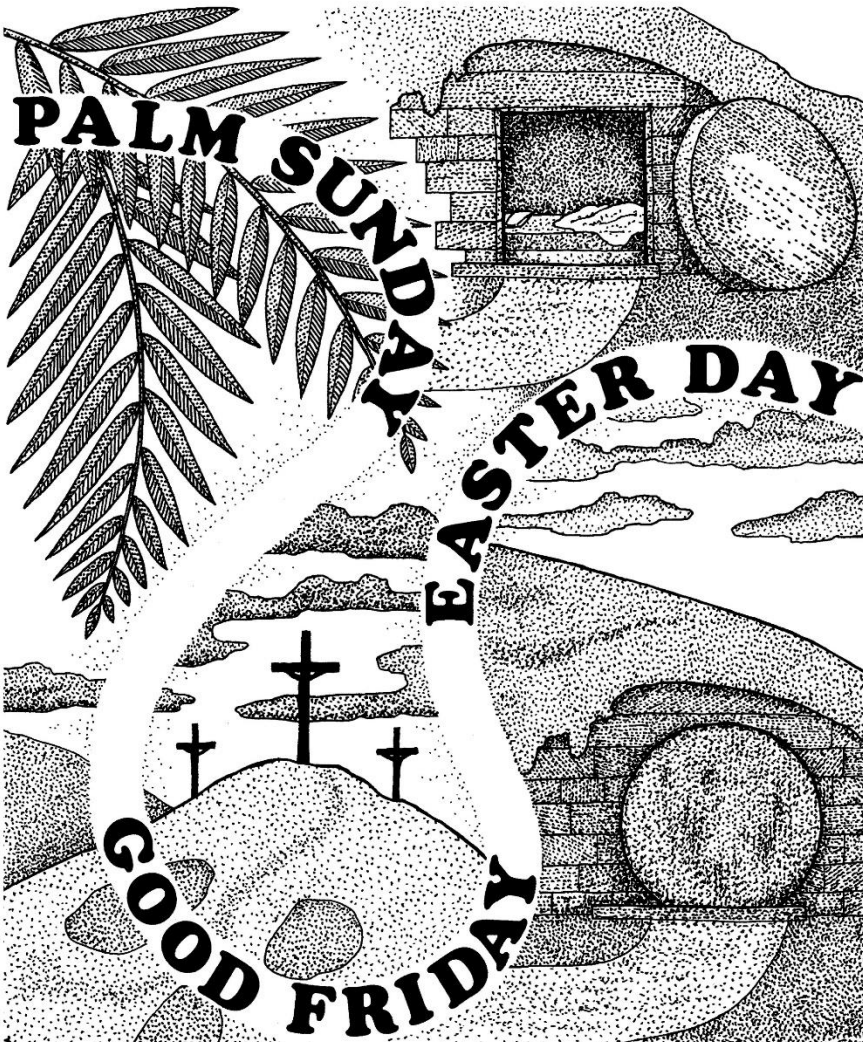
March 2024 Church Flower Rota

	East Rounton	West Rounton	Welbury
3 rd March	NO FLOWERS IN LENT		
10 th March			
17 th March			
24 th March			
31 st March	Mrs K Hutchinson	Mrs A Lawton	Mrs M Heald & helpers
7 th April	“	“	“

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The Meaning of Easter: A Celebration of Hope and Resurrection

Easter is early this year and occurs at the end of March. We will have had the hard times of Lent completed and the celebration of the resurrection on the last day of the month. So, March will be in some ways a tough month, but ends with the greatest of all Christian feasts, a time of joy and hope in the risen Jesus. We will celebrate at a time when spring will be beginning and when the new life around us reminds us of the life that we live in the resurrection light of our risen Lord.

As Christians, we carry the hope of Easter with us every day. It reminds us that no matter our circumstances, we serve a risen Saviour who conquered death. This hope sustains us through trials, inspires acts of love, and encourages us to share the good news with others. This Easter, let us rejoice in the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. May His victory over death fill our hearts with hope, gratitude, and renewed faith. As we gather in worship and fellowship, may we proclaim, "He is risen indeed!"



Wishing you a blessed and joyous Easter season!

Best wishes, Jonathan Cooper

The Vicarage, Brompton DL6 2QA 01609 772436

The Churchwardens for the benefice are.

Michael Nightingale, West Rounton 01609 882435,

Michael Dale, East Rounton 01609 882517

Joanne Hughes, Welbury 01609 882268

Peter Walker, Welbury 01609 882947

If anyone has anything for inclusion in the April gazette, please email me, katelindo@hotmail.com or randwgazette@hotmail.com or ring 07970 441129 by 15th March. Many thanks

Diary Dates - *All events in village hall unless stated.*

March 2024 Welbury

1 st	WAGs at the Duke of Wellington 12.30
10 th	Family service 11am at St Leonard's, Welbury
11 th	Indoor bowls 7-9pm
21 st	Women's Institute
25 th	Indoor bowls 7-9pm
28 th	Welbury coffee morning 11-12noon

March 2024 The Rountons

17 th	Spring Stargazing 7.30pm
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Welbury dates for the diary

Afternoon Teas – Saturday 20th April 2024

Plant sale – Saturday 8th June 2024

Christmas fair – Friday 22nd November 2024

Rountons dates for the diary

Rounton Parish Council Meeting - 10th April 2024

Rountons Village Hall now open for private hire by contacting booking secretary Hilary on 01609 882367 or chairman Martin on 01609 882845. Anyone interested in helping run events in the hall please contact Martin.

Lightweight wheelchair for loan at The Rountons

This is stored in East Rounton village hall. Please contact Martin Brown or Hilary Bell.

Wheelchair available from Welbury village hall for residents of Welbury or the Rountons. If anyone needs the use of a wheelchair either for themselves or visiting friends/relatives, please contact Elizabeth 07866 522611

Rountons churches open

St Lawrence East Rounton is open to visitors daily (daylight hours). For prayer, contemplation & to enjoy the history of the building. Arts & Crafts referenced including information & photograph displays of the history of The Bell family estate & Rounton Hall together with museum quality Morris & co. & Strachan stained glass windows (One being Gertrude Bell memorial window). St Oswald West Rounton Church opening arrangement arrangements (via Michael & Tanya Nightingale).

Welbury 150 Club winners – March Draw

1st Julie Walker (36) £50 2nd Marshall family (67) £20

Welbury Church Cleaning March – Kate Lindo

Crafty Coffee sessions take place on the 2nd and 3rd Fridays each month in Welbury Village Hall. They are open to everyone who is interested in crafty things (or who just wants to come along for a chat and a coffee!). There is a charge of £2 to cover hire of the hall and occasional materials. Call me (Elizabeth) if you would like further information (07866 522611).

St Leonard's Church Open

Church will be open 9am-4pm every Wednesday for private prayer and reflection or simply to enjoy a bit of peace and quiet in our beautiful church. Pop-up-Preserves & greeting cards continue in the church when open on Wednesdays & at services.

Hambleton FoodShare -



Many thanks to those leaving donations of food and toiletries in the container in Welbury church porch. Please continue to leave donations as these are collected on a regular basis and taken to the FoodShare collection points in Northallerton prior to

distribution. Current shortages are pretty much everything, so all donations are gratefully received. A full list of items is in the church porch.

WAGS

(Welbury Aging Gentlemen – but not necessarily from Welbury!) The next meeting is on Friday 1st March and then on Friday 5th April at The Duke of Wellington at 12:30. New members are very welcome.

Indoor Bowls

The next session will be on Monday 11th March and Monday 25th March from 7pm to 9pm in Welbury village hall. If anyone is interested, contact me. peter.walker115@outlook.com

Family Service at St Leonard's Welbury Sunday 10th March 11am for Mothering Sunday

All very welcome. Please stay for refreshments after the service.



Family Service dates for 2024 – all at St Leonard's Welbury 11am

31st March Easter Sunday followed by Easter Egg hunt with an extra egg for those bringing a completed Mouse Makes from the March Gazette)

19th May Pentecost

9th June

14th July Sea Sunday – outdoor service weather permitting.

11th August

13th October Harvest Festival

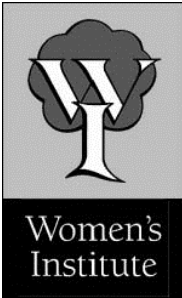
17th November



Welbury Lent Appeal Supporting WaterAid's Jars of Change Appeal

Please save your loose change in jars for the benefit of WaterAid this Lent and bring to church at Easter or give to any PCC member.

Clean water keeps people safe, healthy & thriving – but 703 million people still live without it. Climate change is making the water crisis even worse, but WaterAid aims to give communities a steady supply of water they can rely on all year round.



Welbury WI Thursday 21st March 7.30pm Welbury village hall

Speaker Debbie Fixter of Little Sprouts – 'Improving life through cookery'

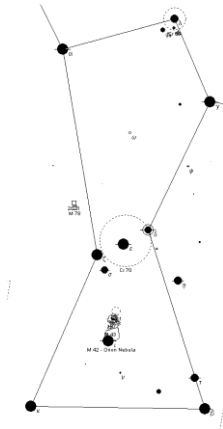
Competition: An unusual veg

Visitors always welcome. Please contact Secretary Tina Race 882015 for further details

Welbury WI report of February meeting

A very well attended meeting of 21 members & 3 guests welcomed speaker Victoria Nowell. She enthralled us with not only all the fabulous pieces of embroidery she brought with her but how sewing has been her passion from being a small child. Aged 17 she trained at the Royal School of Needlework before becoming a military embroiderer, being particularly adept at crowns. After hearing the news of Queen Elizabeth dying, she thought 'oh, those poor embroiders' changing all the ERs to CRs as all force's uniforms are embroidered by hand. Being a military embroiderer was really boring, the pay wasn't good, and she didn't like London, so she moved to Sheffield, became a civil servant but carried on sewing making rugs, cross-stitch, black work, gold work, book binding and started making quilts. A friend took her to the Festival of Quilts, which she described as being like a child in a sweet shop, and she discovered Hawaiian Quilts showing us some fabulous ones she has created. In 2012 she went blind overnight and never regained the sight in one eye leaving her unable to see in 3D and struggling with colours. She then taught herself to sew again by making a massive echo quilt giving her the confidence to carry on. Victoria brought her wedding dress to show us that she had made herself and some of the fabric appears in a temperature quilt which also shows her retirement later the same month. Since retiring, as well as an enormous amount of quilting, Victoria volunteers at Wentworth Woodhouse stately home and for the prison charity Fine Cell Work which she describes as the most rewarding thing she has done as it makes such a difference to the lives of prisoners. Not only as a source of income for them but sewing really helps their mental health. When asked where she sources her fabric for quilt making Victoria says a lot now comes from charity shops & showed us examples of quilts using ties and others using men's shirts. Members & visitors thanked Victoria in the usual manner, and this was followed by a shared supper. Our next meeting is 21 March 7.30pm in Welbury village hall with speaker. Visitors & new members always welcome.

Spring Stargazing



Guided tour of the
Constellations



ISS, Moon, Jupiter & Orion nebula on show
(Slideshow if cloudy or wet)

Rountons Village Hall 7.30pm Sat 17th March

Dress warmly (bring binoculars if you wish)

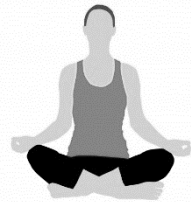
ISS is over Rounton at 19:52pm

Admission £3 includes hot drink and biscuits
(proceeds to Village Hall funds)

YOGA CLASS

Welbury village hall Every Wednesday
6pm – 7pm. Everyone welcome. All you
need is a mat. £7 per session with the
7th session free.

To book, please contact Sue
at sjyoga123@gmail.com



Rounton Parish Council Notice of Meeting

The next Rounton Parish Council Meeting will be at 7.30pm on 10th April 2024 at East Rounton Village Hall. The Public are invited to attend. The Parish council is looking for new members to join the council to represent the needs of the Parish from both East and West Rounton.

RountonPC@hotmail.com

Vintage Afternoon Tea

Delicious assortment of sandwiches, home-made cakes, scones with Stamford clotted cream served with a pot of Yorkshire tea or a cafetiere of Rountons coffee. £12.50 per person on **Saturday 20th April**

1.30pm - 4pm Welbury Village Hall

In aid of St Leonard's Church, Welbury



Rountons Coffee Roasters

There are a few things we can offer residents for free.

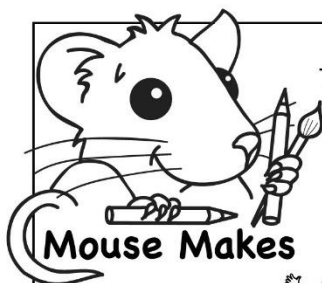
- coffee chaff for composting
- coffee sacks - we have a load of these. Useful for gardeners.
- grain pro bags - these are extremely heavy-duty plastic bags - ideal for garden waste.

We would sooner put these to good use than to have to skip them. Please call the Roastery at The Granary, East Rounton, DL6 2LG to arrange collection on 01609 765034

Welbury Village Show

If anyone has any trophies in their cupboards from previous years or would like to help get the show going again, please contact Sue

McDonnell sue.mcdonnell102@btinternet.com . Trophies can be left in the porch of 5 Spring Hill. Look out for Wel-e-news bulletins in between Gazettes for updates.



"I am the **resurrection** and the **life**.
The one who believes in me will live
even though they die."

John 1:25



READ the Bible
passages to find
the answers to the
crossword clues

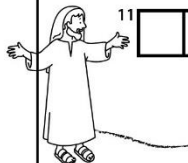
Matthew 21:1-11

1. Which city did Jesus ride into?
2. What did he ride on?
3. What did the crowd shout?
4. What did clothes did they put down?
7. What did they cut down to spread on the road?



Matthew 26:17-29

15. What feast did Jesus celebrate?
12. Who did he celebrate it with?
11. What did Jesus break to eat?



Matthew 27:27-61

17. What was Jesus' crown made of?
9. What was Jesus crucified on?
14. Who's tomb was Jesus buried in?
13. What did they wrap Jesus' body in?
16. What did they roll in front of the tomb?

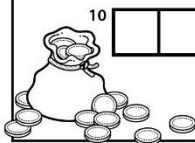
Matthew 26:36-75

6. What did Jesus go to do at Gethsemane?
18. Who denied Jesus?



Matthew 26:14-16

- 8d. Who betrayed Jesus?
10. How many silver pieces was he paid?



Matthew 28:1-10

5. Who descended from heaven?
19. What had happened to Jesus?
- 8a. Mary was full of fear and ...?

