



Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2025

## Advent 2

### Services

09:00	Patrick Brompton	Family Service
11:00	Spennithorne	<b>Holy Communion</b>
11:00	Crakehall	<b>Holy Communion</b>
11:00	Hornby	Prayer & Praise
17:00	Hauxwell	BCP Evensong

### Readings

Isaiah 11.1-10 *Psalms* 72.1-7, 18, 19\*  
Romans 15.4-13 Matthew 3.1-12

**Collect** O Lord, raise up, we pray, your power and come among us, and with great might succour us; that whereas, through our sins and wickedness we are grievously hindered in running the race that is set before us, your bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory, now and for ever.

**Post Communion** Father in heaven, who sent your Son to redeem the world and will send him again to be our judge: give us grace so to imitate him in the humility and purity of his first coming that, when he comes again, we may be ready to greet him with joyful love and firm faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2025

## Advent 3

### Services

09:00	Patrick Brompton	Prayer & Praise
09:00	Hauxwell	<b>BCP Holy Communion</b>
11:00	Crakehall	Simply Together
16:00	Hornby	Just Together
18:00	Spennithorne	Lessons & Carols

### Readings

Isaiah 35.1-10 *Canticle: Magnificat*  
James 5.7-10 Matthew 11.2-11

**Collect** O Lord Jesus Christ, who at your first coming sent your messenger to prepare your way before you: grant that the ministers and stewards of your mysteries may likewise so prepare and make ready your way by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, that at your second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable people in your sight; for you are alive and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Post Communion** We give you thanks, O Lord, for these heavenly gifts; kindle in us the fire of your Spirit that when your Christ comes again we may shine as lights before his face; who is alive and reigns now and for ever.

### Upcoming Services

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Blue Christmas</b>	
19:30	St Gregory's	Crakehall	A service when Christmas is difficult or you're feeling Blue
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent</b>	
09:00	St Patrick's	Patrick Brompton	<b>Holy Communion</b>
11:00	St Michael's	Spennithorne	Morning Prayer
11:00	St Gregory's	Crakehall	<b>Holy Communion</b>
19:00	St Oswald's	Hauxwell	Carols @ Hauxwell
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>24<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Christmas Eve</b>	
10:00	St Gregory's	Crakehall	Morning Prayer
16:00	St Michael's	Spennithorne	Crib Service
18:30	St Mary's	Hornby	Lessons & Carols
23:30	St Patrick's	Patrick Brompton	<b>Midnight Mass</b> with incense
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>25<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Christmas Day</b>	
09:00	St Patrick's	Patrick Brompton	<b>Holy Communion</b>
09:00	St Mary's	Hornby	<b>Holy Communion</b>
10:00	St Michael's	Spennithorne	<b>Holy Communion</b>
10:45	St Gregory's	Crakehall	<b>Family Holy Communion</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>28<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Holy Innocents</b>	
		<b>United Benefice Service</b>	
10:00	St Gregory's	Crakehall	<b>Baptism and Holy Communion</b>

### Worship During the Week

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec**  
**Holy Communion**

St Gregory's  
10:00



**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec**  
**Morning Prayer**

St Gregory's  
10:00



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How will you be a blessing  
to this Community this week?

## Upcoming Church & Community Events

Worship Leaders	Burtree Cottage, Crakehall	10:00	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Burtree Cottage, Crakehall	14:00	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Rose Cottage, Finghall	19:00	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec
RABI Carols in the Mart	Leyburn Auction Mart	19:00	9 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Leaders Meeting	St Gregory's, Crakehall	16:00	10 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Beer & Carols	The Old Horn Inn, Spennithorne	19:30	10 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Parish Lunch	The Queen's Head, Finghall	12:30	11 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Craft Club	St Gregory's, Crakehall	19:00	11 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Rose Cottage, Finghall	19:00	11 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Filling Station	Thornborough Hall, Leyburn	19:00	12 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Crakehall Youth Group	Village Hall, Crakehall	19:00	12 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Rector's Rest Day		Sat	13 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Rose Cottage, Finghall	19:00	15 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Rector's Rest Day		Tue	16 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Beer & Carols	Countryman's Inn, Hunton	19:30	16 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Carols @ Patrick Brompton	St Patrick's, Patrick Brompton	19:30	17 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Burtree Cottage, Crakehall	14:00	18 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Carols in the Barn	Rock House Farm, Newton-le-Willows	18:00	18 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Christingle	St Gregory's, Crakehall	17:00	20 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Advent Study Group	Burtree Cottage, Crakehall	14:00	22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec
Lessons & Carols	St Gregory's, Crakehall	19:00	22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec
Beer & Carols	Friars Head, Akebar	19:00	23 <sup>rd</sup> Dec
Rector's Rest Day		Tue	30 <sup>th</sup> Dec
Deanery Prayer Meeting	East Witton Parish Rooms	11:00	5 <sup>th</sup> Jan
Epiphany Service	St Michael's, Spennithorne	19:00	6 <sup>th</sup> Jan



Throughout the year we support the Hambleton Foodshare who help alleviate suffering in our own communities.

### Items Needed

- Deodorant
- Biscuits
- Custard
- Corned Beef
- Hot Dogs
- Coffee
- Tuna
- Tinned Peas
- Cleaning Spray

### Urgently!

Please drop off donations **with good shelf life** in the box at the back of St Gregory's, Crakehall  
St Mary's, Hornby  
and St Patrick's, Patrick Brompton.

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# FOLLOW OUR NATIVITY TRAIL

FROM 1<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER, VISIT OUR CHURCH TO COLLECT YOUR TRAIL LEAFLET AND STICKER.

EACH OF OUR 6 CHURCHES HAS A DIFFERENT THEME - COLLECT THE ENTIRE CRIB SCENE!

## ST GREGORYS CRAKEHALL

## BLUE CHRISTMAS

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December 19:30

A service of hope for those who are grieving, lonely or hurting this Christmas season.

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## Beer & Carols

The Old Horn Spennithorne  
Wed. 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. 19:30

The Countryman's Hunton  
Tue. 16<sup>th</sup> Dec. 19:30

The Queen's Head Finghall  
Sat. 20<sup>th</sup> Dec. 19:00

The Friars Head Akebar  
Tue. 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 19:00

Come and join us as we get the Christmas festivities off to a great start with Carols & Christmas Songs

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