

Our Goal: We seek to Save the Lost & Heal the Broken

For your Prayers

- **Francis** – at Swanland House (Thurs)
- **Dawn**
- **Daphne**, at IME at Wyedale (Wed) and speaking at Elloughton Alpha (Thurs),
- **Colin** (at Holy Trinity today) and **Neill**
- **Justine Smith** – as she prepares her assignments for her course and during her placement in Howden.
- **For those in our church family who are bereaved, unwell or are going through difficult times.**
- **For our link mission partners** (see the board in the Church lounge)
- **Mark Tiddy and all at Spark (Sat).**

This year the **Annual Church Meeting** will be run in a similar way to that of the last two years, as the aim is to involve the whole church in this very important event. It will be on **Sunday 21st March** with a joint communion service at **10am** that incorporates the annual meeting. Coffee and tea will be from 9.30am. Francis' sermon will incorporate his annual report. Other reports from groups within the church will be made available at least one week beforehand. Nominations are required for 2 Churchwardens and 3 PCC members. Please prayerfully consider these positions and ask the person's permission before completing the application forms which are available in the sidesmen's area

Electoral Roll: The 2010 Electoral Roll is now available for inspection under the Holy Spirit window. It is too late to add or remove any names, but inaccuracies in detail can be amended by the Electoral Roll Officer – please notify the office.

Space for sermon notes, etc.

St Barnabas, Swanland

Vision: Sharing Christ through Friendship

7th March 2010

3^d Sunday in Lent

“I tell you the truth, anyone who believes in me will do the same works I have done, and even greater works, because I am going to be with the Father.” (*Jesus: John 14:12*)



Welcome to our worship today!

Vicar: Francis Scott (631271, *not Wednesday*) francis@stbchurch.org.uk

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Sidespeople copies of the Minutes from last year's annual meeting are now available.

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES, Sunday 7th March 2010

Theme this week: Sharing God's love

- 9.00am:** **Holy Communion (CW):** Francis to lead and Neill to preach.
Readings: **Eph 4:10-16** (p.1175) and John 14:8-14 (p.1082) Alan and Judy Cooke
Coffee served by Julie and Julia's small group.
- 10.30am:** **refresh:** *Cross Purpose*, 'Hot X bun' service (Hall). Led by Francis.
Crèche room available; no children's groups as it is an all-age service.
- 6.30pm:** **Healing service with Communion:** Francis and Daphne to lead and Francis to preach.

What's on This Week

Mon	9.00am 2.00pm	Prayers in the church lounge MAG in Church Lounge
Tues	1.30pm 7.30 / 7.45pm	Kids' Club for young children with their parents, grandparents and carers. Joint Fellowship Together meeting in the chapel
Wed	5.00-6.00pm 6.15-7.15pm	Frogs for children in Reception to year 2 Ark for children in years 3-6
Thurs	8.30am 11.00am 2pm 7.00pm	Staff prayers in the lounge Holy Communion in Chapel Holy Communion at Swanland House Prayers for the Peace of Jerusalem in lounge
Sat	8.30am 7.30-9.30pm	Prayers in the Church lounge SPARK youth event in hall.

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES, Sunday 14th March 2010

Theme next week: Recognising God's Love

- 9.00am:** **Holy Communion (1662):** Neill to lead, Francis to preach and preside.
Readings **Acts 13:1-3** (p.1107) – Gillian Scott and Mark 3:13-19 (p.1005) – Antony Scott
Coffee served by Zena's small group.
- 10.30am:** **Mothering Sunday (FW):** Francis, Dawn and David and Kathryn to lead and Daphne to speak. Readings Luke 2: 33-35, 41-52 (p.1028) – Richard and Lucy Swain.
Crèche room available; no children's groups as it is an all-age service.
- 6.30pm:** **Informal worship and waiting on God, with Communion:** Francis to lead and speak.

Church Family News

- **Small Groups** – During Lent, cell groups are using the course from York Diocese, "It's all about Love". More details from Francis.
 - **Fellowship Together** at 7.30 for 7.45pm on Tuesday (March 9th). Volunteers are required to make tea & coffee. Please contact office or Francis if you can help. Also on Maundy Thursday 1st April (with communion)
- Our new **monthly daytime communion service** starts **this Thursday 11 March** (the 2nd Thursday in the month) at 11.00am in St B's Chapel. By its nature the service is specially **for those at home during the day**. All are most welcome, so why not think of mentioning it to a friend or neighbour?
- **Sat 13th March, 7.30pm:** next **SPARK** youth event, St Barnabas Church Hall
 - *As a church St Barnabas is making a donation to a Christian charity to support the Haiti earthquake appeal. If you wish to give specifically to this very important and worthwhile cause, please place your donation in a yellow envelope, marking it 'Haiti appeal'.*
 - On **Saturday 20th March** there will be a coffee morning for the benefit of the **Bible Society** from 10am to 12 noon to be held in Christ Church. Please come and support this important cause.
 - **Ordination to the Priesthood – a date for your diary** Daphne's Ordination to the Priesthood will take place on Trinity Sunday, **30th May 2010**, in York Minster at 10am. Everyone will be very welcome at the service. There will be a celebration of Holy Communion at St Barnabas' later that day at 5.30 pm at which Daphne will preside. This will be followed by refreshments. Please come with your family and share this special occasion.
 - **Storage Audit** - We are examining ways of increasing our limited storage capacity. Following a request for storage from one of our external users, we need to know what our own needs are. Please let us know in the office if there is a church member who needs storage facilities. A letter will be sent to those whom we know have a requirement.
 - **Big Church Day Out** Sat 29th May (Leicestershire) and 30th May -1st June (W Sussex) details and tickets from www.bigchurchdayout.com - worship, fun and activities for the whole family.
 - **Walking Stick** - did someone take Anna Warrington's walking stick by mistake last Sunday? Please contact Anna (633513) or Church office (632941)

Gift Aid envelopes may be found inside the pew Bibles, producing 28% more