

Barrow and Wolds Group August Diary



Reflection of the season

August invites us to slow our pace and notice God's presence in the beauty around us—golden fields, warm sunshine, and moments shared with family, friends, and neighbours. Across our four churches, we give thanks for the many ways we journey together in faith and fellowship. This month, as we honour St Mary, we are reminded of her quiet trust in God and her willingness to say “yes” to His call. May her example encourage us to be open to God's work in our own lives, wherever this summer finds us. May this August be a season of rest, renewal, and joyful hope as we continue to share God's love in our communities.

What's on

Patronal Festival
16th August
St Mary's, Walton
Group Service
St Andrew's, Prestwold
30th August

See events page for more details.

News

'Bubble Church'
Launching September
Holy Trinity Barrow

Ask Rev Clive for more information
& how to get involved.

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PLEASE TAKE HOME WITH YOU

August's services and events

Saturday 1st August

- 10am-12noon Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Community café
- 10.30-12noon Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing tied-bell tuition and practice

Sunday 2nd August

- 9.15am St Andrew's, Prestwold : Holy Communion
- 10.30am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Morning Praise
- 11am St Mary's, Wymeswold: Holy Communion
- 6pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Holy Communion

Monday 3rd August

- 9.30am Zoom morning Prayer - ask Rev Clive for the link
- 6.30pm-8pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing Practice followed by tied-bell tuition 8pm - 9.30pm

Tuesday 4th August

- 7.30pm -9pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Bellringing Practice

Wednesday 5th August

- 10am Holy Trinity, Barrow : Morning Prayer

Saturday 8th August

- 10am-12noon Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Community café
- 10.30-12noon Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing tied-bell tuition and practice
- 10.30am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Baptism Preparation Class
- 2pm-4pm St Marys, Wymeswold: Open Afternoon

Sunday 9th August

- 9.15am St Andrew's, Prestwold: Morning Praise
- 10.30am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Holy Communion
- 6pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Holy Communion (BCP)

Monday 10th August

- 9.30am Zoom morning Prayer - ask Rev Clive for the link
- 6.30-8pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing Practice followed by tied-bell tuition 8pm - 9:30pm

Tuesday 11th August

- 2.30pm-4pm Burton on the Wolds Sports Pavillion: Coffee & Cake afternoon
- 7.30pm -9pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Bellringing Practice

Wednesday 12th August

- 10am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Holy Communion (BCP)

Saturday 15th August

- 10am-12noon Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Community café
- 10.30-12noon Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing tied-bell tuition and practice

Sunday 16th August

- **10.30am St Mary's, Walton: Patronal Festival**

**Monday 17th August**

- 9.30am Zoom morning Prayer - ask Rev Clive for the link
- 6.30-8pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing Practice followed by tied-bell tuition 8pm - 9:30pm

Tuesday 18th August

- 7.30pm -9pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Bellringing Practice

Wednesday 19th August

- 10am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Morning Prayer

Saturday 22nd August

- 10am-12noon Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Community café
- 10.30-12noon Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing tied-bell tuition and practice

Sunday 23rd August

- 9.15am St Andrew's, Prestwold: Holy Communion (BCP)
- 10.30am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Holy Communion
- 11am St Mary's, Wymeswold: Holy Communion
- 6pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Evensong (BCP)

Monday 24th August

- 9.30am Zoom morning Prayer - ask Rev Clive for the link
- 6.30-8pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing Practice followed by tied-bell tuition 8pm - 9:30pm

Tuesday 25th August

- 7.30pm -9pm St Mary's, Wymeswold: Bellringing Practice

Wednesday 26th August

- 10am Holy Trinity, Barrow: Holy Communion (BCP)
- 2.00pm Ros Barneys : Wymeswold House Group

Thursday 27th August

- 9.30am-11am Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Little Angels

Saturday 29th August

- 10am-12noon Trinity Rooms, Barrow: Community café
- 10.30-12noon Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing tied-bell tuition and practice

Sunday 30th August

- 10.30am St Andrew's, Prestwold: Group Service



Monday 31st August

- 9.30am Zoom morning Prayer - ask Rev Clive for the link
- 6.30-8pm Holy Trinity, Barrow: Bellringing Practice followed by tied-bell tuition 8pm - 9:30pm

Great and Small. 26th September. Hold the Date!

Will Allen & Becci Pameley proudly present their new work for pipe organ and fiddle. 'Great & Small' brings together the English traditional dance and church music traditions. They will be performing at St Mary's, Wymeswold on 26th September at 19:30hrs There will be beer and samosas, wine and soft drinks.

Details from Rev Bob. Ticket link to follow.

August's readings

Sunday 2nd August

Isaiah 55.1-5
Psalm 145.8-9, 15-22*
Romans 9.1-5
Matthew 14.13-21

Wednesday 5th August

Jeremiah 31.1-7
Psalm 121
Matthew 15.21-28

Sunday 9th August

1 Kings 19.9-18
Psalm 85.8-13
Romans 10.5-15
Matthew 14.22-33

Wednesday 12th August

Ezekiel 9.1-7, 10.18-end
Psalm 113
Matthew 18.15-20

Sunday 16th August

Isaiah 56.1, 6-8
Psalm 67
Romans 11.1-2a, 29-32
Matthew 15.[10-20] 21-28

Wednesday 19th August

Ezekiel 34.1-11
Psalm 23
Matthew 20.1-16

Sunday 23rd August

Isaiah 51.1-6
Psalm 138
Romans 12.1-8
Matthew 16.13-20

Wednesday 26th August

Jeremiah 15.10, 16-end
Psalm 59.1-4, 18-end
Matthew 13.44-46

Sunday 30th August

Jeremiah 15.15-21
Psalm 26.1-8
Romans 12.9-end
Matthew 16.21-end





In Our Prayers

Prayers

For those who have asked for our prayers at this time

Nicky, Pat, Jacqui, Jane and Roland, Lynne, Kathleen, John, Richard, David, Matthew and Gillian, Doreen

You are invited to add any prayer requests on your heart by placing your request in the prayer box at the back of Church at Holy Trinity, we will pray for you at the Wednesday morning service.

Prayers for the month

- Benefice magazine editor Richard Hudson
- Our Churchwardens, Jez Bowman, Kath Eastwood-Paramore Ben Kingscott, Melanie Catledine and Richard Bimson
- Mental health, wellbeing and support services in and around our parishes
- Parish, Borough and County Councillors and all who serve our parishes in local government
- The Diocesan central staff, Leicester Cathedral and all who serve our diocese

Ecumenical Monday morning prayer is held at 9.30am. On the first Monday of the month it rotates between Holy Trinity and Barrow Baptist Church, the rest of the month it is on zoom.

Baptisms and confirmations

- Emily Webb
- Christopher Ferraby
- Otto Taylor



Weddings

- Jolie & Thomas
- Bethan & Charlie
- Prerna & Jack
- Jemima & James



The Departed

- Heather Eastwood
- Maureen Heap



If you, or someone you know would like to be included in our regular prayers please contact the church office on enquiries@barrowandwoldsgroup.com or a member of the pastoral team

Upcoming events

A space full of possibilities

TRINITY ROOMS for Hire!

VERSATILE • WELCOMING • PERFECT FOR YOU

Our bright, flexible rooms are ideal for regular classes, workshops, pop-ups, meetings and celebrations.

LONG-TERM & ONE-OFF HIRE AVAILABLE

THE PERFECT SPACE FOR CLASSES, WORKSHOPS & CELEBRATIONS!

★ NEW BUSINESS?
Reduced rates considered for your first term!

PERFECT FOR:

- Yoga, Pilates & exercise classes
- Dance classes
- Workshops & group sessions
- Pop-ups & creative ventures
- Birthday parties & anniversary celebrations
- Meetings, clubs & community groups

Great facilities

- Shared use of a well-equipped kitchen
- Modern WCs
- Baby changing facilities
- Friendly, accessible and at the heart of the community

Make it your space. Make it happen!

Get in touch!

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NEW MEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

MEE

MEN ENCOURAGING EACH OTHER

REAL MEN. REAL TALK. STRONGER TOGETHER.

A safe space to share. Be heard. Be supported. Be yourself.

- BUILD CONNECTIONS**
You're not alone.
- OPEN CONVERSATIONS**
Talk about what matters.
- JUDGEMENT-FREE SUPPORT**
A safe and respectful space.
- GROW TOGETHER**
Encourage. Challenge. Become better.
- STRONGER TOGETHER**
We rise by lifting each other up.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO CARRY IT ALONE. LET'S DO THIS TOGETHER.

DAY & TIME: Starts Tuesday 22nd September 2026, 7.30pm

VENUE: Trinity Rooms, Holy Trinity Church, Barrow Upon Soar

CONTACT: Jay 07886 291975

MORE INFORMATION: enquiries@barrowandwoldsgroup.com

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LACE

Anonymous, Technical, Textile Decorative Art

SURVIVING THE CENTURIES

AN EXPLORATION OF
Craft, Precision, and Beauty

Delicate yet enduring, lace has woven its way through history—crafted by anonymous hands, perfected through technical mastery, and admired as a form of decorative art. This exhibition celebrates the intricate artistry and cultural significance of lace across generations.

AN EXHIBITION COLLATED BY
LORRAINE ELLISON AND JANET DONNELL
of Wymeswold Threads

LOCATION
St Mary's Church, Wymeswold

DATE
12 September 2026

TIME
10am to 4.30pm

AT 2PM THERE WILL BE A TALK

'Lace Stories'
BY LORRAINE ELLISON

A CELEBRATION OF LACE THROUGH THE AGES – ITS MAKERS, ITS TECHNIQUES, ITS TIMELESS BEAUTY

Celebrating local music, arts and craft

Trinity

Trinity Festival

9th - 11th October 2026
Holy Trinity Church, Barrow

Friday 9th October 7pm
Young People's Performance

Saturday 10th October 7.30pm
Trinity Festival Chamber Group Faure's Requiem with The Wolds Choir conducted by Richard Thomas Vivaldi's "Autumn" from Four Seasons with soloist Clare Bhabra Mozart Eine Kleine Nachtmusik

Tickets £10 and £5

Sunday 11th October 2-4.30pm
Art and Craft Show

www.barrowtrinityfestival.com

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 - Jez Bowman
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Our Benefice Administrator, Collette is available in the office, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 09.00am - 2.30pm - enquiries@barrowandwoldsgroup.com 01509 416520