



The Parishes of St Mary's, Haxby and
St Nicholas' Wigginton
The United Benefice of Haxby & Wigginton
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Update: 5th April 2026 Easter Day

SUNDAY AND WEEKDAY SERVICES

Sunday 5 April – Easter Day

09.30 am	Wigginton	Sung Eucharist <i>The Revd Kathryn Jackson</i>
10.15 am	Haxby	Sung Eucharist <i>The Revd Alison Hutchinson</i>
11.30 am	Wigginton	Holy Baptism <i>The Revd Kathryn Jackson</i>
6.30 pm	Haxby	Festal Evensong <i>Reader Ian Evans</i>

Wednesday 8 April

10.00 am	Haxby	Holy Communion
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Thursday 9 April

10.30 am	Wigginton	Holy Communion
6.30 pm	Wigginton	Confirmation Group (1st session)

Friday 10 April

6.30 pm	Wigginton	Confirmation Group (2nd session)
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Saturday 11 April

8.30 am	Wigginton	Men's Breakfast
10.00 am	Wigginton	'Quiet Reflections' Service of Healing and Wholeness (This is not a Eucharist)

Sunday 12 April – Second Sunday of Easter

09.30 am	Wigginton	Sung Eucharist <i>The Revd Tony Knapp</i>
10.15 am	Haxby	Sung Eucharist <i>The Revd Alison Hutchinson</i>

Praying for our community

5 April – Mulberry Drive, Netherwindings, New Forge Court, Newdale

12 April – North Lane, Northcroft, Oak Tree Lane

Churches open for prayer: planned opening times * subject to alteration

Monday 6	Wigginton	10.00 am to 4.00 pm
Tuesday 7	Haxby	10.00 am to 3.30 pm
Wednesday 8	Wigginton	10.00 am to 4.00 pm
Thursday 9	Wigginton	12.00 noon to 4.00 pm
Friday 10	Haxby	10.00 am to 3.30 pm

NOTICES

'The World Needs a Hug'

Each tiny heart in our Easter displays is a symbol of love, created to represent a small lifestyle change that would help us live more sustainably. The big impact of massing our hearts together illustrates our hope that by combining our Eco efforts, we will contribute to giving the World a Hug.

Artwork and creative writing about Holy Week and Easter

Please take a look at the displays contributed by pupils from local Primary Schools.

Men's Breakfast

The next Men's Breakfast will be held **on Saturday 11th April 2026** at 8.30 am
St Nicholas' Church Hall in Wigginton.

As usual, we look forward to welcoming and serving you – anytime between 8.30am and 9.00am, with a full English breakfast or just a cup of tea and toast! Please come along!

The next two dates for the diary will be: Saturdays 16 May & 13 June.

Confirmation Group sessions at St Nicholas' Wigginton Church Hall

First session: 6.30 pm Thursday 9 April - 'Belonging – What is Confirmation?'

Second session: 6.30 pm Friday 10 April - 'The Big Story of The Bible'

'Quiet Reflections' Healing Service: Saturday 11th April, 10.00 am

You are most welcome to come along to this quiet and reflective service for healing and wholeness. This month's service is not a Eucharist.

NEW! St Nicholas Film Club, Friday 17th April, 7.00 pm

'The Penguin Lessons' (12A): Steve Cougan rescues a penguin and takes it to live with him in the elite school in Argentina where he teaches. Comedy against the background of the unsettled political situation. There is no charge for this event, but donations would be appreciated.

The Children's Society Coffee Morning: Saturday 18th April, 10.00 am to 12.00 noon

All welcome! Box opening and Raffle.

(see poster below)

St Mary's Church Concert Series 2026

The next concert in church will be on Sunday 17th May at 2.30 pm. It will be really special.

We welcome back the sextet Sestina, but this time they are bringing some friends and there will be sixteen superb musicians all playing various wind instruments. They will perform the music of the German composer Richard Strauss.

In June we will be hosting York Philharmonic Male Voice Choir (Sat 13 June at 7.30 pm) and the saxophone quartet "Sax Forte" (Sunday 28 June at 2.30 pm).

We will welcome Bishop Flora for a Service of Confirmation on Sunday 7th June at 3 pm at St Mary's Church. If anyone wishes to be confirmed, please speak to Alison.

Haxby and Wigginton Open Gardens Weekend: June 20th and June 21st



The
Children's
Society

Coffee Morning

Sat. 18 April

10.00 - 12.00

St. Nicholas Church Hall

- *Box Opening*
- *Raffle*

Music at St Mary's
Concert Series 2026

Sestina and Friends

Sunday 17th May



2.30 pm
Tickets: £9
St Mary's Church, Haxby

The York wind sextet returns to St Mary's with ten other players to present a programme of music by German Composer Richard Strauss: Serenade Op.7 and two Sonatinas - 'From an Invalid's Workshop' and 'The Happy Workshop' The two main works are about 35 minutes each.

Tickets £9, are available from Aroma, via the Benefice website, or pay at the door.
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