

Church Newsletter – April 2025

St Mary's Ingleton and St Leonard's, Chapel-le-Dale

Welcome to the April edition of our parishes' newsletter. *Revd Nick writes:*

Holy Week

We are soon to celebrate Christ's passion and resurrection through Holy Week. There will be a variety of events and services taking place. Please check the calendar for full details. Please also pray for them beforehand, especially for the Family craft event on Wednesday 16th, that it may be a faithful witness and loving welcome to those who come. On Good Friday there is a Team walk to the top of Ingleborough after a service of prayer in St Mary's. For those not coming on the walk, please spend some time in St Mary's as there are prayer stations at the windows. Good Friday is an ideal opportunity to give time to prayer and the stations give ideas for prayer.

Painting at St Mary's

Visitors to St Mary's may have noticed this painting in the South East corner of the church. It has been donated to the village community of Ingleton and the Church Council has agreed to host it for 2025 and then review whether it could be made a permanent feature in the church. We would like to gather the views of the local community and visitors. Please let me know your thoughts.



St Mary's Book of Remembrance and Garden of Remembrance

If you would like the name of departed loved ones entered into the Book of Remembrance, please just contact me. We will need the full name and date of death plus a £10 fee. The book is open to anyone with a connection to the village of Ingleton.

The Garden of Remembrance at St Mary's is also open to parishioners (or those on the electoral roll from outside the parish) for their cremated remains (ashes) to be interred. St Leonard's, Chapel-le-Dale also has an area set aside for their interment. If you have any questions about this, please contact me.

Revd Nick Licensed as Assistant Area Dean

I have recently been asked to take on the role of Assistant Area Dean in our deanery. This is in addition to my role as Team Vicar. Through it I hope help in the wider church of our area. The text below is a sample from the licensing service, which explains a little about the role. The Area Dean is Revd Ian Greenhalgh.

"From early times bishops have chosen other ministers to share with them in the pastoral care of the clergy and the general oversight of the parishes. An Area Dean and their Assistants are to be among Christ's people as one who serves. They are to guide the Clergy Chapter, building them up in fellowship. They are to care for all the clergy and lay ministers and their families, and to watch over the needs of parishes when their priest is sick or the benefice is vacant. They are responsible with the Archdeacon for the regular visitation of the parishes."

Dates for your diary

Saturday 29 th	10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's
Sunday 30 th	St Mary's: 9am Holy Communion & 10:30am Mothering Sunday Service

Monday 31st St Leonard's: 2:30pm Mothering Sunday Service
1:30-3pm Rewind to Easter for Y5 pupils at Ingleton Methodist Church
3:30-4:30pm – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's
7:30pm Lent Group at St Mary's

Tuesday 1st April 9:30am Morning Prayer at St Leonard's

Saturday 5th 10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Sunday 6th St Mary's: 9am & 10:30am Holy Communion
St Leonard's: 2:30pm Evening Prayer

Monday 7th 3:30-4:30pm – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's
No Lent group at St Mary's

Saturday 12th 10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Sunday 13th Palm Sunday - St Mary's: 10:30am Morning Praise
St Leonard's: 2:30pm Holy Communion

Monday 14th 3:30-4:30pm – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's
7:30pm Final Lent Group at St Mary's

Tuesday 15th 9:30am Morning Prayer at St Leonard's

Wednesday 16th 3-5pm Family Craft Event at St Mary's with Easter Egg Hunt

Thursday 17th 7pm Maundy Thursday Communion Service with agape meal at St Oswald's Church, Thornton in Lonsdale

Friday 18th 10am Good Friday Prayer Service at St Mary's followed by walk to summit of Ingleborough
2-5pm Hot Cross Buns served in St Mary's

Saturday 19th 10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Sunday 20th St Mary's: 9am & 10:30am Easter Day Holy Communion

Monday 21st St Leonard's: 2:30pm Holy Communion with Easter Egg Hunt
11am-5pm Refreshments served in St Mary's
No Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Saturday 26th 10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Sunday 27th St Mary's: 10:30am Morning Praise
St Leonard's: 2:30pm Holy Communion followed by Annual Meetings

Monday 28th 3:30-4:30pm – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Tuesday 29th Barrow Island Primary School visit to St Mary's

Saturday 3rd May 10am-12noon – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Sunday 4th St Mary's: 9am & 10:30am Holy Communion
St Leonard's: 2:30pm Evening Prayer

Monday 5th 3:30-4:30pm – Pop Up Pantry at St Mary's

Next Newsletter will be out for May

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