



Deaf Church North East

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Service Times:
all 3 p.m.

York Diocese
1st Sunday
St. Denys' Church
Walmgate, York
3rd Sunday
St. Francis' Church
Barwick Way
Ingleby Barwick
Last Tuesday
Hull and East Riding
Deaf Institute

Durham Diocese
1st Sunday
Stockton Parish
Church,
High Street, Stockton
3rd Sunday
Sunderland Minster
4th Sunday
Holy Trinity Church,
Woodland Road,
Darlington

Newcastle Diocese
2nd & 4th Sundays
St. Andrew's Church
Newcastle
Mondays -
check website
St. Luke's Church
(at 12.15 pm)
Frank Street
Wallsend

All services are followed
by refreshments.

See dates on website

www.ndm.org.uk

Dear friends,

Welcome to March's newsletter. As you can see by this issue the Easter Story at St Francis Church, Ingleby Barwick is nearly here again. I have enclosed some photographs to remind people what a lovely time they had last year and I am sure that many of you will have just as good a time this year.

If anyone has any news they would like published in our newsletter, please pass the information onto your chaplain so that they can let me know. I will make sure that it appears in the following newsletter for you.

Best wishes Alma.

Easter Story

Saturday 31st March

**St. Francis Church, Ingleby
Barwick**

10am — 4pm

Tells the story in sign language
from Palm Sunday to Good Friday
with Palm procession, story of Je-
sus teaching in Jerusalem, Passover
Meal, and Holy Communion

Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane

Good Friday

**Starting at 10 am with coffee/
tea**

Bring Packed lunch

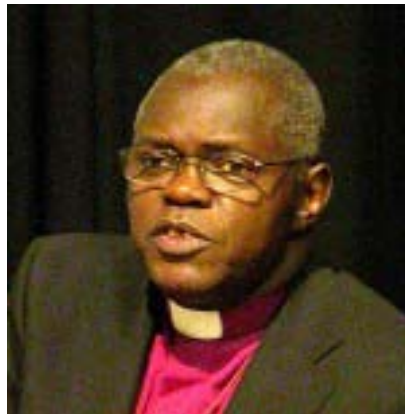
Coffee and tea provided



York Minster Service to celebrate the end of Slavery.
'The Better Hour' was held on Sunday 25th February 2007. The Archbishop of York, Dr John Sentamu, preached at this special service. The Rt Hon William Hague MP was also taking part.



William Wilberforce



Archbishop John Sentamu

'The Better Hour' gave thanks for the life of William Wilberforce and celebrated his work in working to end slavery. The service included performances from the Riding Lights Theatre Company, the Trans-Global Drummers, (drummers aged between 11 and 19), and Pocklington School Choir.

The service was attended by members of the Deaf Church from Hull, York, Middlesbrough area, Stockton and Darlington. There were about 35 people from the Deaf Church and the service was signed by Trudy Field and Linda Shipp. It was a mixture of drama, singing and drumming as well as prayers and hymns.

The Minster was full for this service with about 1,500 people there.

A Prayer for March

Dear God,

Help us with Lent:

That we can give up selfishness and greed to become more like your Holy Son Jesus: prepare us for a joyful celebration of His resurrection on Easter Day.

Amen

Church Services:

If you would like any of the following services signed:
Weddings Funerals
Baptisms Confirmation
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Have a look at the newly organised and updated website.

See all the photos on the website.

Also posted on the website are our forthcoming events.