

9 August

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Deanery meeting open to all PCC members

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Hornby

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Whittington Arkholme Gressingham

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Sunday School 10.45am in Hornby church

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Youth-led service 10.45am in Hornby church

Third Sunday of every month – next one is 16 August

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every Wednesday morning at 10am in Hornby

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switch hearing aids to the 'T' position

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