

24 June

Patronal Festival of Saint John the Baptist, Arkholme

Isaiah 11¹⁻¹⁰ · Acts 13¹⁷⁻²⁶ · Matthew 3¹⁻¹²

- 10.30am United Benefice Service, Arkholme •



OFFERTORY HYMN

Hills of the north, rejoice; river and mountain spring,
hark to the advent voice; valley and lowland, sing;
though absent long, your Lord is nigh;
he judgement brings and victory.

Isles of the southern seas, deep in your coral caves
pent be each warring breeze, lulled be your restless waves:
he comes to reign with boundless sway,
and makes your wastes his great highway.

Lands of the East, awake, soon shall your sons be free;
the sleep of ages break, and rise to liberty.
On your far hills, long cold and grey,
has dawned the everlasting day.

Shores of the utmost West, ye that have waited long,
unvisited, unblest, break forth to swelling song;
high raise the note, that Jesus died,
yet lives and reigns, the Crucified.

Shout, while ye journey home; songs be in every mouth;
lo, from the North we come, from East and West and South.
City of God, the bond are free,
we come to live and reign in thee!

LATER TODAY at 3pm

Whittington 'Come and Sing'

The new fun singing group in Whittington, 3pm in Whittington Village Hall on the last Sunday of every month. No auditions, no need to read music, and with the chance to present our efforts at the Whittington *Sunday Morning Songs of Praise* service the following Sunday. Everybody welcome, whether or not you can make the service the following Sunday.

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Saturday 7 July Saint Mary's Garden Party Hornby
Saturday 15 July 3pm to 5pm Afternoon Teas Hornby
Sunday 22 July 6pm Songs of Praise Hornby

SUNDAY SERVICES in JULY

Hornby 10.45am Parish Communion every Sunday
8am Holy Communion on 1 and 15 July

	Whittington	Arkholme	Gressingham
1 July	9.30am SoP	9.30am HC	9.30am HC
8 July	9.30am HC	9.30am HC	8am HC
15 July	9.30am HC	9.30am HC	-
22 July	-	-	9.30am HC

SoP – Songs of Praise; HC – Holy Communion

Youth-led service 10.45am in Hornby church
first Sunday of every month (1 July, 5 August, 2 September)

Weekly Bible Study a closer look at today's readings,
2pm every Wednesday at Station House Arkholme

Midweek communion every Wednesday 10am *Hornby*

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switch hearing aids to the 'T' position

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