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# The Priory Church of St Mary, Bridlington



**24th December 2017**  
**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

8.00 am Holy Communion  
Romans 16: 25 - end p. 161  
Luke 1: 26-38 p. 54

10.30 am Parish Communion  
Romans 16: 25 - end p. 161  
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## Services this week

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| <b>Christmas Eve</b> | 4.30 pm  | Christingle Service |
|                      | 11.30 pm | Midnight Mass       |
| <b>Christmas Day</b> | 8.00 am  | Holy Communion      |
|                      | 10.30 am | Family Service      |

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| <b>Tues - Sat</b>          | 8.30 am           | Morning Prayer         |
| <b>Wed 27th December</b>   | 11.30 am          | Holy Communion         |
| <b>Thurs 28th December</b> | 11.30 am          | Prayers for the Parish |
| <b>Sun 31st December</b>   | 8.00 am           | Holy Communion         |
|                            | 10.30 am          | Parish Communion       |
|                            | <b>NO</b> 6.30 pm | service                |

**Collect** 8.00 am service  
O Lord, raise up (we pray thee) thy power, and come among us, and with great might succour us; that whereas, through our sins and wickedness, we are sore let and hindered in running the race that is set before us, thy bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; through the satisfaction of thy Son our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost be honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

**Collect** 10.30 am service  
God our redeemer, who prepared the Blessed Virgin Mary to be the mother of your Son: grant that, as she looked for his coming as our saviour, so we may be ready to greet him when he comes again as our judge; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## Post Communion Prayer

Heavenly Father, who chose the Blessed Virgin Mary to be the mother of the promised saviour: fill us your servants with your grace, that in all things we may embrace your holy will and with her rejoice in your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Sick: Val Brown, David Brown, Wyn Cowling, Keith Hennessy, Judith Moate, Shirley Cummings, Mandy Tresize, David Watson, Holly Wilson, Baby Henry Waines.  
The Departed:

## Events for your diary

The big move into the Church Rooms will take place on **Friday 5th January 2018**. We need as many people as possible to come from **10.00 am onwards**. Thanks to Helen Hughes who has co-ordinated a plan of action which we must follow. Refreshments are being provided by Pay Whitehead whilst we work.

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## Prayers for the Parish this week

Caravan Parks: Norlands, Hawthorns, Priory.

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The Hinge Centre are giving out more food parcels than ever before. They are extremely grateful for all the food we have donated over the last month. They remain in acute need and would appreciate any further help we can provide.

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On Tuesday 23rd January 2018 Robin Sharpe & Anthony Halford will be going to the Archives in Beverley. If anyone has any documents that need lodging there please give them to Anthony.

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## Leading you Church into Growth Prayer

God of Mission who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, and power to our witness. Help your church to grow in numbers in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our community; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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