**Notices 15th May -** 5th Sunday of Easter

**Covid Guidelines.** Whilst the situation is easing, locally the rate is still very high. So, we are asking that we continue wearing masks whilst moving around the church, keep social distance and use hand gel. Thank you for your continuing love and care of one another during these difficult days.

This Sunday’s readings**: -** *Year C*

Acts 11.1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21.1-6; John 13.31-35

East Cowton Youth GroupThe Youth Group will meet 7.30pm. on Friday 13th May and 27th May in the church annexe at East Cowton.

Pop Up Plant Stall Saturday the14th of May, 1pm to 4pm, outside St. Eloy’s Church, Great Smeaton. Please save us your spare plants and drop them off at the Church door in the morning. All proceeds for St. Eloy’s

### This Sunday 15th

9.00 Morning Worship. Great Smeaton

11.00 Holy Communion. Danby Wiske (available on Zoom & Facebook Live)

### Next Sunday May 22nd h

9.00 Holy Communion Appleton Wiske

*9.00 Morning Prayer BCP Birkby*

11.00 Holy Communion East Cowton

Bible study 26th May. We are continuing to look at St Luke’s Gospel using a study guide to help us. All welcome, details from Christine. We meet at 10.15 for a 10.30 start at All Saints’ Annexe.

Fellowship

Mon 23rd May 2.00 at St Eloy’s Great Smeaton. Looking at “Good and evil”, a topical subject at the moment. All welcome. Details from Anne Golding.

Zoom link for this week

zoom.us/j/86972203926?pwd=DTon8U0hMf5\_67k2yOu52iLD-WWEbS.1

Meeting ID: 869 7220 3926. Passcode: 703600

Facebook facebook.com/Vicar-of-the-Wiske-/

Our YouTube Channel has previous services on it. www.youtube.com/channel/UCyEkrKaxqaHNiR5-18j8etg

The **National Church of England** service can be found using this link.

https://www.youtube.com/c/TheChurchofEngland

**Ripon Cathedral** also stream their Sunday 10.30am Eucharist, Wednesday Midday Reflection and Thursday 6pm Evensong, on YouTube or on the Cathedral website www.youtube.com/channel/UCt1jF1zSES6ON0d1RJlt8sQ

**Praying for our communities this year**

You are invited to pray on a regular basis for the life of our villages and their churches. The following prayer is available in a card at the back of each Church, and I will use it daily as part of my own rhythm of prayer.

**Loving Lord**

**Bless this place** *(name your village/community in this prayer)*

**Let your love be here, Fill it with your peace**

**Let your joy be here, Fill it with your grace**

**Let your light be here, Fill it with your power**

**Let your hope be here, Fill it with your living water**

**In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen**

Praying for each of the villages in turn around the benefice This week

Monday East Cowton

Tuesday North Cowton

Wednesday Appleton Wiske

Thursday Birkby

Friday Great Smeaton and Hornby

Saturday Danby Wiske & Hutton Bonville

Sunday for the whole benefice.

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