



# St Thomas's Osbaldwick and St James's Murton

## Churches with a heart - at the heart of our communities

An Inclusive Church — All are Welcome

Pew Sheet for 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026



### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Trinity

10.00am Family Communion at St Thomas's

Readings: *Are you for – or against?*

6.30pm Derwent Deanery Contemporary Worship at Holy Trinity Elvington

### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June

9.30am **No Playgroup today – Back next week**

### Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June

10am Coffee Drop-in at St Thomas's

### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June

10am Chairbics at St Thomas's

### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June

1.00pm Wedding Vows Blessing

### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Trinity

10am Holy Communion at St Thomas's

Readings: *Romans 6: 12 – end. Matthew 10: 40 – end*

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### Collect and Prayer for the Week

Almighty God,  
you have broken the tyranny of sin  
and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts  
whereby we call you Father:  
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service,  
that we and all creation may be brought  
to the glorious liberty of the children of God;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### Post Communion Prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining  
and whose power we cannot comprehend:  
show us your glory as far as we can grasp it,  
and shield us from knowing more than we can  
bear until we may look upon you without fear;  
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

### Prayers and Prayer Pointers for This Week

#### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

- God of the journey, walk with me into this week.
- Help me not to rush past the people or moments where you may be present.
- Show me how to live with attention and love.

#### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

- Today, pray for those struggling with money worries.
- Pray for people facing debt, unemployment, insecure work, rising costs, or difficult decisions.
- God of provision, bring help, hope, and practical support.

#### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June

- Think about someone you find difficult.
- Without forcing warm feelings, hold them before God.
- Ask for wisdom, boundaries where needed, and the grace to see their humanity.

#### Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June

- God of mercy, help me to forgive where forgiveness is possible.
- Help me to seek reconciliation where it is safe and right.
- Help me also to honour healthy boundaries where they are needed. Amen.

#### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June

- Today, pray for the earth.
- Pray for rivers, oceans, forests, fields, animals, and all communities affected by climate change.
- Creator God, teach us to live more gently with your world.

#### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June

- Take a slow breath and remember that you do not have to carry everything alone.
- Offer one worry to God today.
- God of peace, hold what feels too heavy for me.

### Diocesan Prayer diary —

This week join in prayer with the church throughout our diocese for:

<p>Church of England: Diocese in Europe, Bishop Robert Innes, Bishop Andrew Norman</p> <p>Church of Sweden: Diocese of Visby, Bishop Erik Eckerdal</p> <p>Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark: Diocese of Copenhagen, Bishop Peter Skov-Jakobsen</p>	<p>South African Mothers' Union</p>
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The Diocesan Prayer  
Diary April to June 2026

[Diocesan Prayer Diary |  
Diocese of York](#)





# Open Garden

**59 Osbaldwick Village**

**Dr David Lethams house**

**Saturday 11th July**

**from 2pm**

**Entrance £5**

**Tea, coffee and cakes**

**come and join us in this  
beautiful garden all welcome**

