

Longhoughton



Here at Ss Peter & Paul Longhoughton we offer a warm welcome to all who pass through our doors. Our building is Grade 1 listed and has origins in the Saxon times but was rebuilt in 1080 with further

later editions. It is a fascinating building both outside and inside! We are situated in a well-connected village and thriving community and we also serve the small fishing village and former parish of Boulmer, including the RAF base. We would love you to use our church space and enjoy the peaceful grounds. Company B and The Running Fox provide exceptional bakery and café options in Longhoughton. There is also a Co-op on Burnside towards the north end of the village. Make sure to head down through Low-Stead Farm and join the coastal footpath at Longhoughton beach (known by locals as Sugar Sands).

W3W: greet.poem.large
Postcode: NE66 3AG



Lesbury



At the heart of Lesbury village sits the beautiful church of St Mary. The Grade 2 listed building was first recorded in 1147 and features a 13th century tower. There is plenty to explore inside the building as well as an

extensive churchyard to wander through. St Mary's is a reflective space and often there is light music playing in the background for anybody who would like to enjoy a moment of peace. Join us for worship and make sure to look on our notice board for any upcoming events. Just opposite the church is the newly opened Lesbury Community Shop - offering Post Office services, daily essentials, and a place to grab a coffee.

W3W: scarcely.texts.yard
Postcode: NE66 3AU



Alnmouth

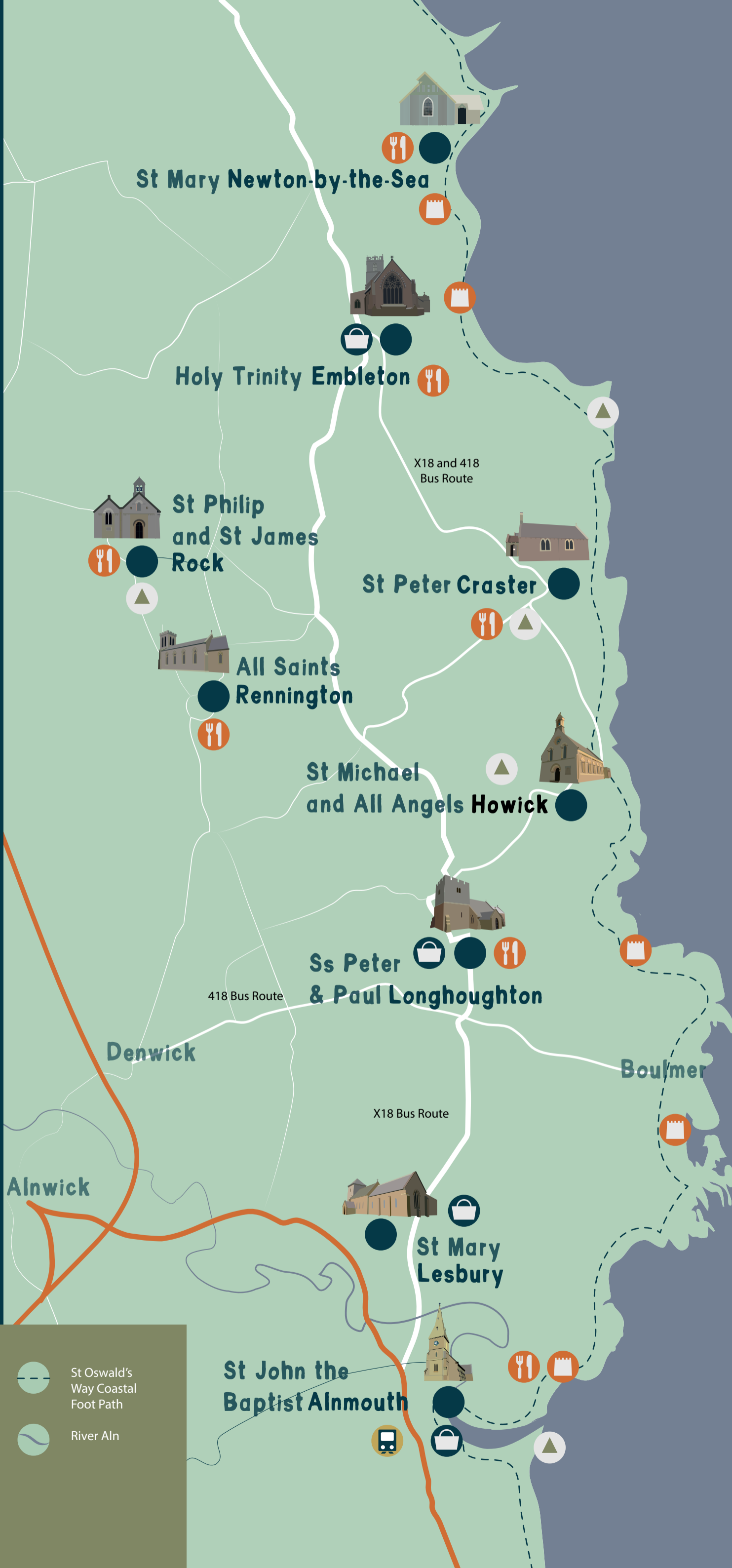










As you explore the charming coastal village of Alnmouth, drop in to explore the tranquil church space at St John the Baptist. Located just off Northumberland Street, stop for a picnic on our green outside and come inside to enjoy our beautiful church. The church in Alnmouth certainly has a story to tell! This current site where St John the Baptist stands was built on land donated by the

4th Duke of Northumberland and was consecrated by the Bishop of Durham in 1876. It is a fine example of Victorian workmanship. Notice the windows, an example of the early work of C.E. Kemp, as well as our modern windows in the nave depicting Northern Saints designed by Leonard Evetts.

You are spoilt for choice with eateries and things to see and do in Alnmouth and, of course, you must head down to the beach - one of Northumberland's best!

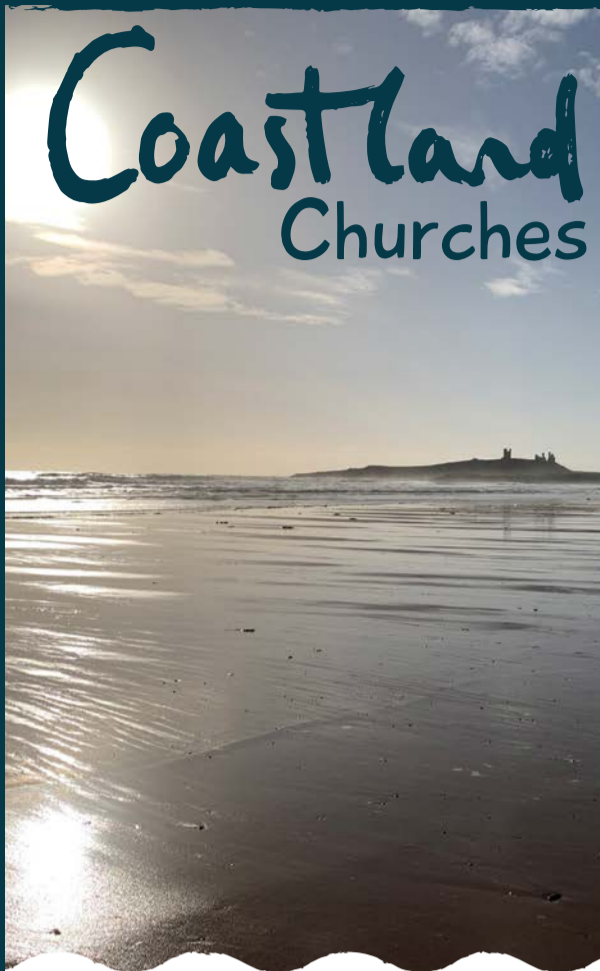
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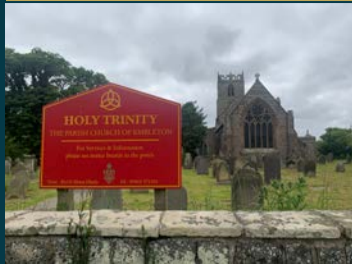
-  Churches
-  Attractions
-  St Oswald's Way Coastal Footpath
-  Accessible beach
-  Station
-  River Aln
-  Pubs/restaurants/cafes "loved by locals"
-  Shop

Welcome to

Coastland Churches



Embleton



Welcome to Holy Trinity! Whether you are local, a regular holiday-maker, or you are visiting the village for the first time, you are most welcome here. Our building is situated at the south end of the village next to Embleton Tower and Creighton Hall. It is a Grade 1 listed building with origins dating to the early 12th century. An interesting feature to spot is that the nave and chancel are not quite built in line and so it might feel a little wonky! There is lots going on in and around Holy Trinity so stay up to date on our Facebook page or look out for updates on our church notice board. Head to one of the pubs in the village or pick up some picnic supplies from the Village Farm Shop before heading down to Embleton Bay for one of Northumberland's best beach views!

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Postcode: NE66 3DB
Toilet available in parish room



Rennington

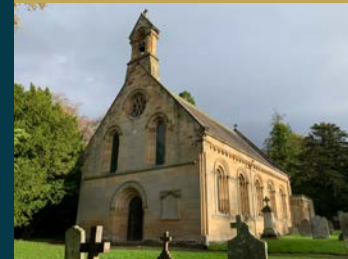


All Saints is a beautiful Victorian church on the site of a Norman chapel. Situated in the quiet village of Rennington, All Saints is the sister church of Ss James & Philip, Rock. The building and churchyard provide a fantastic space for worship, prayer and other community activities. We have extensive records of our churchyard which can be found online. We'd love to welcome you to All Saints and encourage you to spend some time in and around the building. Make sure to look on the notice board outside the church and around the village for upcoming events – particularly in holiday season. The Horseshoes Inn just around the corner is a great place to stop off for a drink or pub lunch.

W3W: baguette.agreement.typed
Postcode: NE66 3RT



Howick



Set in the wonderful grounds of Howick Hall Gardens, the church of St Michael and All Angels welcomes thousands of visitors each year. The church is a beautiful and prayerful space for worship, as well as quiet reflection. Built in 1746, the church is a Grade 2 listed building and underwent a Romanesque remodelling in 1849, although records of a Norman chancel predate the first recorded parish priest in 1158. Arts and creativity are a prominent feature of our building, including regular flower arrangements and displays, as well as the ninety tapestry kneelers depicting the history, flora and fauna of Howick. Made by local artists and stitchers, this wonderful collection of community art is displayed in the church which is open for visitors during opening hours of the Hall and Gardens. Make sure to stop off at The Earl Grey Tea House for Afternoon Tea before heading off on your way.

W3W: workroom.zinc.badge
Postcode: NE66 3LB



in garden opening hours



Welcome to the Coastland Churches!

We are a group of nine churches in six parishes along the Northumberland coast in the Church of England Diocese of Newcastle. In our life together we celebrate the distinct character of our churches sharing in the life of our small rural communities.

It is great you are here. Whether as a pilgrim, holiday-maker or if you've just dropped by, take this leaflet to help you explore our wonderful church buildings in this special part of Northumberland.

As well as our buildings, there is lots to enjoy in our village communities including places to eat, coastal landscapes with great views, established walking routes to join and places of historical interest.

All of our churches are active worshipping communities, and we would love to meet you at one of our services – details are displayed in each building or online..

Newton



St Mary's Newton is a small church with a big heart! Set on the approach to one of Northumberland's best coastal views, we welcome visitors and passers-by all year round! We offer a place of rest and refuge - a

space to reflect, pray and find community. St Mary's, an unusual but charming tin-tabernacle, was originally built as a mission room and that foundation still shapes our life and worship today. Whether you're about to head to the beach or coming back from a day-out on the coast, the church is open daily for visitors, and you are most welcome to use the space as you need, including as a sheltered picnic spot. Both The Ship Inn at Low-Newton and the Joiners Arms at High-Newton are popular spots for a pub meal or a refreshing drink.

W3W: masterpiece.hopefully.remind
Postcode: NE66 3EH



Craster



You will always receive a warm and friendly welcome at St Peter's. This small church has lots of historical and social significance, plenty of stories to tell and a beautiful building to visit! Set within the former fishing and

quarrying village, this gem of a church helps to tell the story of this charming place. The church and garden space is cared for by neighbours and members of the church community. We would love you to visit the church and use the space for prayer, reflection and refuge from the weather! The church is accessible to anybody who would like to look inside, keys are available during the day and can be collected from The Gallery next to the Jolly Fisherman pub (stop there too!). There is a popular walk from the village taking you north to the headland where Dunstanburgh Castle stands, an English Heritage attraction.

W3W: belonging.adopts.surfaceing
Postcode: NE66 3TH
key to open available from gallery during opening hours



- open daily (daylight hours)
 - churchyard on site
 - green space
 - dogs welcome
 - parking nearby
 - toilet - open during services
- W3W What Three Words

Rock



Welcome to Rock Church! Set in the small Northumberland estate village of Rock, the 12th century church with Norman features provides a warm welcome to all. Rock church is a community space and is enjoyed

and lovingly maintained by local residents. We invite you to make the most of our beautiful and picturesque setting, using the church space and grounds for reflection and prayer. We have recently undergone an extensive rewiring project so do turn on the lights and enjoy the illuminated stonework! Rock Church is also the start of The Farm Trail – a circular walk around the local area and estate land. After a busy time exploring, stop off at the Northumberland Spirit Distillery (home of Alnwick Gin) next door or head to the popular Rocking Horse Café at Rock Midstead for refreshments.

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