

### Christmas Tree Festival Booking Form

**To take part in the 2025 Helmsley Christmas Tree Festival either:  
fill in the form below and post in the box in All Saints' Church,  
or email to [tania.helmsleyparish@gmail.com](mailto:tania.helmsleyparish@gmail.com)  
or book at <https://bit.ly/3XnzlKW>**

Name:	
Organisation: (if applicable)	
Position in organisation: (if applicable)	
Email:	
Tel:	
Address:	
A short paragraph to use in the brochure that tells us about you, your company or organisation.	
Availability for stewarding, yes or no?	
You can sign up to welcome visitors on the sheet at the back of church from 31 October 2025	
Payment of £40 with booking	By <b>bank transfer</b> - details: <b>All Saints Parochial Church</b> <b>Sort Code: 209898</b> <b>Account No. 63498689</b> by <b>card machine at the back of church</b> , or by <b>completing the form at</b> <b><a href="https://bit.ly/3XnzlKW">https://bit.ly/3XnzlKW</a></b>

Helmsley Together and All Saints' Church, Helmsley



**Friday 28 November  
to  
Saturday 13 December 2025**

You are invited to take part in our annual Christmas Tree Festival by decorating a tree in your own unique style with the theme 'Angels of Hope'. It could just be an Angel on top of the tree or you could be creative with your own design.

**Cost of Tree INCLUDING Lights is £40**

**No own lights this year, thanks.**

**Please send in your booking form to secure a place by  
Friday 17 October 2025.**

We have only 23 trees available  
so please book early to avoid disappointment.

The aim of the Festival is to bring our community together in celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ. It is organised and run by Helmsley Together supported by Helmsley Church for the benefit and enjoyment of all. Trees supplied by Newburgh Christmas Trees

All monies raised are to be split between Yorkshire Air Ambulance, Helmsley Together and Helmsley All Saints PCC.

***Thank you for your generous support.***

Tree set up by Noon on Friday 28 November	Exclusive Pre-Event Service Friday 28 November 6pm	The Festival Saturday 29 November to Saturday 13 December 9am to 4pm	Tree Removal Saturday 13 December
The church will be open on Wednesday 26 (12-7pm) Thursday (9am-8pm) and Friday (9am to Noon) for you to decorate your tree.	Family Service to celebrate the beginning of Advent with musical entertainment from Helmsley Community Primary School. Tickets £5	Entrance is free to view the trees. If you can gift a little time to steward the festival and engage with our many visitors it would be greatly appreciated. It's a great opportunity to share information about your organisation.	Trees are to be dismantled between 4 and 6pm on Saturday 13 December. The trees are yours to take away but the lights will be used again next year, please leave them behind.

### Frequently asked questions

#### Who can take part and why?

Anyone can take part either as an individual or on behalf of a group, charity or business. You can take part to promote your organisation or celebrate the life of your community or group or simply have fun being creative and imaginative around this year's theme 'Angels of Hope'.

#### Is there a charge for having a tree?

Yes, trees are provided at a cost of £40 each, You will need to provide your own stand and decorations **but lights will be provided. This is to help those setting up the festival each day, the lights will be controlled centrally.**

#### Can I use my own lights?

Sorry, no thanks. To ease the burden on our volunteers and stewards and for health and safety reasons we are providing uniform static lights this year.

#### Can I book online?

Visit the church website <https://www.helmsleyparish.org.uk/> or book online at <https://bit.ly/3XnzlKW>

#### How may I decorate my tree?

The theme of this years festival is 'Angels of Hope', but essentially you can decorate your tree anyway you wish it only needs one Angel, perhaps on top. You may like it to reflect your business or community group.

#### Will there be a competition for the best decorated tree?

Yes - Best Decorated Tree (to be decided by public vote)  
We will announce the winners on Facebook and at our Sunday Services.

#### What will be the entrance charge for visitors?

There is no entrance charge. Donations and proceeds from the festival will be split between Yorkshire Air Ambulance, Helmsley Together and Helmsley All Saints PCC (Registered Charity No. 1209878).

#### Will there be a guide or brochure for the event?

Yes, please submit a short paragraph about yourself, your company or organisation with the booking form so our visitors know about you and what you do - a bit of self promotion. Don't forget to let us know if there is a competition or opportunities for visitors to tag themselves on your social media accounts.

#### Do I have to do anything else?

We hope that you will want to spend an hour or two during the festival in church welcoming visitors to the event. Please indicate your availability on the form overleaf. But don't let it put you off decorating a tree.

#### What happens afterwards?

Nearly all the trees have to be taken out of church when the festival is over on Saturday 13 December, by 6pm.

#### Who can I contact with any questions?

Email: [tania.helmsleyparish@gmail.com](mailto:tania.helmsleyparish@gmail.com) or Tel: 01439 772491 and leave a message and we'll get back to you as soon as possible.