# U DX14 Easter Book of the parish of St. Mary, Beverley 1674-1675

## **Historical Background:**

St. Mary's church in Beverley in the East Riding of Yorkshire was established as the town church by the mid-12th century. Described by Nikolaus Pevsner as one of the most beautiful parish churches in England, it is located at North Bar within. The vicar in 1674 was John Brereton.

## **Custodial history:**

Donated by Mrs Patrick, 11 Mar 1935

## **Description:**

This is a complete record of the collection of tithes and it reveals that the parish had 800 inhabitants, 100 of whom were dissenters. There were no papists.

Extent: 1 volume

## Related material:

Papers of the Duesbery Family of Beverley, 1530-1895 [U DDDU]

Other repositories

East Riding Archives Service, Beverley hold the Beverley St Mary Parish records [PE1]

#### **Access conditions:**

Access will be granted to any accredited reader

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Easter Book of parish of St. Mary, Beverley
An Easter, sometimes called Tithe Book, lists all of the
householders for the collection of dues and privy tithes
usually collected just before Easter. The entries provide
summary of holdings and livestock to calculate the amount
that was owed.

1674-1675

The area is divided into a number of districts - Without Bar; Within Bar; Hengate and Churchyard and Walkergate. It includes references to dues un-paid and includes some notes and annotations relating to payments for 1675. There is also a page with entries for St Nicholas Parish.

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