

Welcome to the York walking treasure hunt

Start: with your back to the exit from the Minster (Deangate, YO1 7HH), near the South Transept and rose window. It will take at least an hour.

Things to find (these are not in order!)

Which street or alleys contain these?



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Directions	Questions	Notes/things to see/toilets
Cross the road and enter Minster Gates. Go straight ahead onto Stonegate	1. What is Minerva Goddess of?	
		If the door at Trembling Madness apartments is open, go to see the remains of a norman house on the left
Just before the sign for the Olde Starre Inn turn left into Coffee Yard	2. What was the previous name of Coffee Yard?	The name of a former Lord Mayor
Pass Barley Hall and go onto Grape Lane		
Pass Mulberry on right and turn right onto Back Swinegate. First left onto Finkle St and left at end	3. Nether _____ Lane	
Pass the Three Cranes and turn left	4. Which day was the market?	
Go down Church St and pass the Church		Toilets in Silver St just before the Church
Turn right into Patrick Pool	5. Where can you get “in house sensor cleaning”?	
When you reach Newgate Market, turn left		On your left you’ll pass a gateway hiding a very rare lantern window
Turn right into the very famous Shambles		Look for ledges and hooks where the butchers displayed the meat
Make your way down and almost at the end, turn left just after the Little Shop That Must Not Be Named	6. What is the very long name for this very short street? 7. What does it mean?	The Parish Room was made from bits of medieval St Crux Church (demolished 1887)
With Harrowells Solicitors on your right, head up Colliergate	8. Culpepper may have visited here?	
In King’s Square go onto the raised platform	9. Where was Rev Mr Tho Gylby vicar?	The square used to contain Christ Church, a medieval church demolished in 1937
Leave the square by turning right into Goodramgate	10. Where do you go for ‘good value’?	If you’ve got time, and it’s open, turn left to visit Holy Trinity (the only box pews in York. Has a double-deck pulpit)
		The houses to the right of the gateway are Lady Row thought to be the oldest surviving houses in Europe
		Just before The Snickleway Inn, if the gate is open to Earworm Records, have a look at the 16 th century building with jettied floors
At the end of the road, turn right to continue down Goodramgate		
Between the Italian and The Gothelie Station, turn right into Bedern. Follow Bartle Garth to the right and pass Bedern Hall	11. When was the Chapel of the College of the Vicars Choral consecrated?	
At the end of the road, cross the road and walk through the two black bollards		Just before leaving, have a look at the buildings on the opposite side of the road,

keeping St Andrew's Evangelical Church on your right		with pillars– used to house the Corporation fire engines
Follow footpath to your left		
Turn right into St Saviourgate	12. When was St Saviourgate Chapel built?	Now York Unitarians
Immediately after Dig (St Saviour's Church) turn left (ramp to carpark will be to your right)		
Go passed the bike stands, turn right and cross the road. Go down Black Horse Passage behind the Stonebow SF bus stop		The wall contains part of the boundary for the former Carmelite Priory
Keep going straight (telephone exchange on your left). On your right there are a few car parking spaces for BT, go to the left of these to find the hole in the wall. Go through it, down a few steps and turn left		
Walk by the River Foss		Building in the centre of the river was used by Rowntree's to store goods brought by boat. Previously, Leetham's flour mill
Go passed the Q-park car park behind the willow tree. Take the first left, Wesley Place. Keep the telephone exchange on your right and turn left, towards Fossgate apartments		
Emerge into Fossgate and turn right. Cross the road		The ornate building, now a café, was previously the Electric Cinema
At Mumbai Lounge restaurant, turn left. Go straight on then take the alley on the right		
Emerge onto Pavement and turn left	13. When was Joseph Rowntree born?	
With Pizza Hut on your left, walk straight on and use the crossing at the corner to cross the road		
Go passed Halifax onto Parliament St. Straight on until Knoop. Cross the road, go across the square towards Browns		Toilets in M&S. Also in Silver St (right at Knoop, pass Greggs and first right)
Go down Davygate	14. What was the name on the gravestone which says: "Anna quoque Uxor ejus"?	
At St Helen's Square (Betty's) carry on straight onto Blake St		Ask is in the former Assembly Rooms
Cross the road and go straight onto St Leonard's Place. Pass the Theatre Royal		Toilets just before Bootham Bar
Turn right and through Bootham Bar (portcullis) onto High Petergate. After the Christian Science place, go through the alley. Turn right onto Precentor's Court and head towards the Minster		