

THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
Sunday, October 25th 2020



Dear Friends

It has been reported to me in the last 36 hours that a member of our congregation who attended Mass at 10.00am last Sunday has now received a positive test for the coronavirus. This person began to feel unwell in the middle of the week – though I am pleased to say that I could speak to them on the telephone today and whilst they feel a little unwell they were very positive. I am assured by them that they had no close or proximity contact with any one at church last Sunday, that they wore a face mask for the whole time they were at church, and followed all our normal COVID protocols. For the sake of clarity “close or proximity contact” is defined by national guidelines as:

- Face to face contact with an infected individual for any length of time, within 1 metre
- Proximity contacts - extended close contact (within 1 to 2 metres for more than 15 minutes) with an infected individual
- Travelling in a small vehicle, like a car, with an infected person

Obviously, should anyone have had such contact we would have been in touch with them directly as a matter of urgency. As you will be aware, for some time now we have been surrounding our worship with enhanced mitigations against any potential spread of the coronavirus and we will continue to do so to ensure that our worship can continue in the safest

way possible in our unprecedented times. This does also reinforce to us all the necessity of all these mitigations and how important it is for all us that we respect them and one another in observing them in our behaviour when we gather. Above all else we pray that our friend makes a speedy recovery.

Should you be aware of anyone else receiving a positive coronavirus test who attended church last Sunday, or in the future, then please do contact me straight away and we will respond in accordance with national guidelines.

On November 1st and 2nd the Church celebrates All Saints' Day, followed by All Souls' Day. This year I intend that we shall celebrate All Saints' in Church on November 1st at the 10am Mass that Sunday.

Alongside this the YouTube Premiere Mass which we shall post on November 1st at 10.30am will be a celebration of All Souls' Day. A small number of the members of our choir gathered recently to record music appropriate for use in this Mass. It is traditional for us on All Souls' Day to pray for our dearly departed loved ones. Our usual means of gathering names, by writing them on a list at the back of church, is clearly not going to be possible this year. Therefore, can I ask you to send in names of the departed that you would like including in the YouTube Mass for All Souls' Day to Vickie at the Parish Office by end of Wednesday, October 28th? This will give us opportunity to collect the names together and to include them in the recording ahead of Sunday, November 1st.

With my love and prayers, Fr. Philip

Sunday "Coffee Time"

Please join us on Sunday, October 25th for our virtual "coffee time". The meeting details are below.

Topic: St Margaret's Coffee Meeting

Time: October 25th, 2020 11:30 AM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/7586081733?pwd=bFVnZ1dpbzFPN3h5aVpVbmJmank4QT09>

Let Us Pray

Lord Jesus Christ,
you taught us to love our neighbour,
and to care for those in need
as if we were caring for you.
In this time of anxiety, give us strength
to comfort the fearful, to tend the sick,
and to assure the isolated
of our love, and your love,
for your name's sake.

Amen

Private Prayer at St. Margaret's

Monday to Thursday

9.30 am - 11.30 am

St Margaret's is open for individual private prayer on Monday to Thursday mornings between 9.30am and 11.30am.

Please use hand sanitizer when you enter and leave church and take responsibility for your own social distancing. Please also pick up one of the "Please clean me" notices on entering church. We kindly ask you to leave this notice on your seat when you leave church.

We wish to keep the church as a place of quiet. Any social conversations should take place away from the Church and its grounds. There will be no hymn books or prayer books or other cards available, so if you would like any prayer resources please bring those with you and take them away similarly.



ST. MARGARET'S ILKLEY

Services on

Sunday 25th October

THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

10.00am Mass in Church

Sung Mass by Choir

Booking is essential through the Parish Office
stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com.

This service will NOT be live-streamed

10:30am YouTube Premiere: Sung Mass
from the temporary Chapel in the Vicarage

Sunday 1st November

ALL SAINTS' DAY

10.00am Mass in Church

Sung Mass by Choir

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**With Vicar
Canon Philip Gray**

Live Services and Daily Reflections available on Facebook and YouTube

Search for @StMargaretsChurchIlkley

Daily Reflection podcasts available on the Parish Website and all good podcast
streaming platforms



Wednesday 4th November at 12.30

ORGAN RECITAL

Anthony Gray
(St Wilfrid's, Harrogate)

Maurice **DURUFLÉ** 1902 - 1986
Scherzo op 2 (1926)

Frank **BRIDGE** 1879 – 1941
Adagio (3 pieces, 1905)

J.S.BACH 1685 – 1750
Pièce d'orgue (Fantasia in G) BWV 572

James **MACMILLAN** b.1959
Offertorium

Iain **FARRINGTON** b.1977
Amazing Grace

Electoral Roll Revision

The Electoral Roll Revision which was postponed in March will now take place from October 29th to November 11th 2020. If you were added to the roll last year you do not need to do anything. If you are not on the current electoral roll please consider adding your name this year. Joining the electoral roll means that you can vote at the APCM and it makes you eligible to stand for PCC and other church committees. It is also a way of demonstrating your ongoing commitment to the life and work of St Margaret's. In order to reduce the risk of infection, forms will not be left at the back of church this year. If you would like to apply please contact Catherine Beaumont catherinebeaumont12@googlemail.com, or the Parish Administrator at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com, and I will post a form to you. Forms can be returned by post or can be left in the safe at the back of church. Thank you, Catherine Beaumont.



Autumn 2020 Recital Series

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| Tuesday 13 October - 13.00 | piano |
| Wednesday 21 October - 12.30 | organ |
| Tuesday 10 November - 12.30 | soprano |
| Wednesday 25 November - 12.30 | organ |
| Tuesday 08 December - 12.30 | flute and clarinet |
| Wednesday 16 December - 12.30 | organ |

Free of charge

Donations encouraged (pay as you feel)

36 seats available. Tickets must be acquired on Eventbrite

For more information and to access our livestream, go to:

www.bradfordcathedral.org/music/autumn-2020-recital-series/

Practical Support and Help

Ilkley and District Good Neighbours provides a range of support and practical help during coronavirus to include shopping, a regular phone call, collecting prescriptions and other help needed. If you need help call 07375 803693 or fill in this online form <https://bit.ly/ilkleycorona>
For more information go to <https://goodneighboursilkley.org.uk/>

Ilkley and Wharfedale Medical Practice request use of face coverings when attending an appointment at the medical centre.

Ilkley Library. To reserve books from the online catalogue and for the Home Library Service – ilkley.library@bradford.gov.uk 01943 436225

Ilkley Chat provides the latest news affecting Ilkley as a result of COVID-19 <https://www.ilkleychat.co.uk/coronavirus> This link also provides details of **food delivery services** offered by supermarkets. Contact Alison Stretton on 01943 430024 or Vickie Kemp at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com for more information.

During this difficult time it is important to keep in touch with friends. Please do feel you can call a member of our church family who will be pleased to hear from you.

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| Fr Philip | 01943 607210 |
| Fr Bernard | 01943 816253 |
| Fr Godfrey | 01943 603861 |
| Jane Sheldon | 01943 431288 |
| Helen Buswell | 01943 608146 |
| Linda Whittaker | 01943 601144 |

Daily Hope, is a 24 hour free phone line for Christian worship and prayer. Call 0800 804 8044.