

NEWS SHEET Sunday, January 16th 2022 THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

Please keep in your prayers all those being confirmed today by Bishop Toby in our 10.45 Sung Mass: Megan Fawcett-Bruce, Esme Halliwell, Lucius Ives, Anstice Williams.

6.30 PM CHORAL EVENSONG

Hymns	54 (ii), 244, 251	
Psalm	96	
Setting	Brewer in D	
Anthem	Vaughan Williams: O taste and see	
Readings	1 Samuel 3. 1 – 20	Ephesians 4. 1 - 16
Homily	Fr Alex	
Organ Postlude	Vaughan Williams: Rhosymedre	

In our Prayers

Departed	John Collins, David Glover, Norman Phillips	
Years' Mind		
Sunday	Jean Yates	
Monday	Jane Gilbert, Violet Rabbetts	
Wednesday	Dorothy Demaine	
Thursday	Dorothy Walden	
Friday	Paul Woodhouse	
Saturday	John Baggaley	

Please pray for the sick: Trevor Allen, Anna-Karin, Thomas Harrison, Jenny Hughes, Fr Garth Kellett, Anna Lickley, Charlotte Lockhart, David Scottow, Molly Sunderland, Peter Waterhouse, Edna Wickstead.

Please contact Fr Alex or Vickie if you would like to add someone to our prayer list.

THIS WEEK

Services This Week

Morning Prayer: Tuesday to Friday at 7.45 am Evening Prayer: Tuesday to Friday at 5.15 pm Midweek Mass on Tuesday: at 6.15 pm Midweek Mass on Thursday: at 11.00 am followed by coffee and social time in the Parish Hall

Monday, January 17th: The funeral of John Collins takes place in church at 11.00 am.

Friday, January 21st: Playtime takes place in the Parish Hall at 9.30 am.

Cant and Dec rehearse at 6.15pm, **SMS** rehearse at 7.00 pm and the **church choir** rehearse together at 7.45 pm – 9.00 pm.

NEXT SUNDAY

Low Mass at 8.00 am Family Service at 9.15 am Sung Mass at 10.45 am Choral Evensong at 6.30 pm

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Friday, January 28th: Playtime takes place in the Parish Hall at 9.30 am.

The funeral of Norman Phillips takes place in church at 12.30 pm.

Also on Friday, Fr Alex leads the funeral service of David Glover at Skipton Crematorium at 3.00 pm.

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DIARY DATES

<u>The Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas)</u> <u>Wednesday 2 February</u>

Join us as we mark the traditional end of the Christmas season, with the Feast of Candlemas on Wednesday 2 February.

> Morning Prayer at 7.45 am Low Mass at 11.00 am Evening Prayer at 5.15 pm Sung Mass and Procession by candlelight at 7.30 pm

The Sung Mass will be celebrated by candlelight, and will conclude with a procession to the font, the place of baptism, as we mark the end of the celebration of the Lord's birth, and look towards his Passion.

The Thursday 11.00 am mass is transferred to Wednesday, for Candlemas – *so there is no mass on Thursday this week.*

<u>Organ Recital</u> <u>Friday, February 4th at 12.30 pm</u>

The recital on February 4th is a fairly random potpourri of music: the famous Boellmann 'Suite Gothique' (including the familiar Toccata); a couple of movements from the copycat Suite Modale by the Belgian, Flor Peeters; an Elegy by Kenneth Leighton (1965); a lovely musical portrait of light glinting through a cathedral rose window by Mulet called 'Rosace'; two fugues on the name of BACH by Schumann; and my own Fantasia on a Marlborough College Song called 'The Old Bath Road' dating from about 1976. Christopher

NOTICES

Do You Have a Favourite Recipe?

A favourite recipe, perhaps handed down through the generations, or cooked up by a member of your family or a friend for a special occasion, can evoke some lovely memories. We are asking you to share your favourite recipe with us so we can publish one in each edition of the Parish magazine. The next issue will be published on 6 March and the deadline for submission is Friday, 18 February. You can send your typed recipe (and a digital photo if you like) to Vickie at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com. If you are not on email drop your recipe into Vickie at the office on Tuesday or Thursday mornings. Don't forget to let us know why your recipe is so special to you!

Volunteers Required

The Parish Hall is occasionally hired at the weekend for children's birthday parties and other special events such as a family gathering or charity evening. We are looking for volunteers who could spare an hour to open up the Parish Hall to meet and greet hirers, show them our facilities and make sure they have everything they need for their hire and/or to check the hall has been left clean and tidy and secure the building after people have left. It is an occasional request for help only – but we would like to have a few volunteers to call on. If you would like to offer your help or find out more information contact Vickie at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com or at the Parish Office on Tuesday or Thursday mornings. Thank you.

Ilkley Stroke Club is open for new members. We meet on the second Friday of each month at Ben Rhydding Methodist Hall from 2-4 pm. It is a wonderful way of meeting others who have survived a stroke and support each other. We have a lot of fun and laughs as well as plenty of stimulation AND a cup of tea or coffee and light refreshments. If you are interested please contact Joan Lawrence on 01729 840101.

Report on CTI gift bags for single male asylum seekers in Bradford December 2021

In December, CTI was asked by BIASAN (Bradford Immigration and Asylum Support and Advice Network) if it could provide Christmas gifts for the influx of single male asylum seekers recently arrived in Bradford. We set out to provide 225 gift bags and received enough for a total of 300 bags. This was a tremendous response from CTI members. There was enough left over from providing gifts to those in hotels to contribute substantially to BIASAN gifts for men in converted apartments and other housing in Bradford (500+ gift bags altogether, plus donations to BIASAN's women's group and family food bank). BIASAN said: "All the gentlemen send huge thanks and Christmas greetings. The joy was palpable. One chap said that before this he 'felt like a forgotten person' but now he knows that people remember people in his situation. Thank you again!"

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