

ST. MARGARET'S ILKLEY

Sunday 11 June 2023 St Barnabas the Apostle

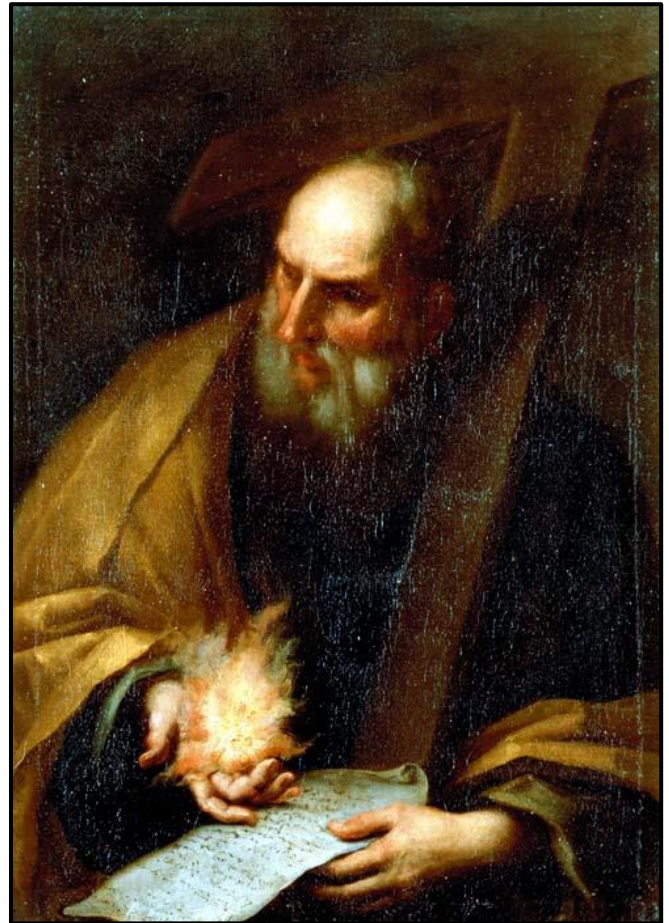
8.00 am – Low Mass (*page 2*)
Fr Alex

9.15 am – Family Mass
Fr Alex

10.45 am – Sung Mass (*page 2*)
Fr Alex

6.30 pm – Choral Evensong (*page 4*)
Homily: Catherine Beaumont

Image: anonymous 18th Century painting of St Barnabas



IN OUR PRAYERS

Please pray for the sick: Martin Ashby, Allan Barnes, Ann Betts, Jasper Boyton, Claire Brown, Ann Bruun, Sandra Clarey, Francis Clarke, Joyce Cross, Linda Davies, Anna Lickley, Pam Monkman, David Scottow, John Semple, Hugh Sowerby, Molly Sunderland, Shirley Thompson, Bradley Upham, Irene Whittaker, Hayes Williams

Departed: Lorna Gillatt

Years' Mind

Sunday	Harry Gooch, Alice Proud
Monday	Sybil Blankey
Wednesday	James Barron, Peter Jennings, Dorothy Levesley, Laura Walton
Thursday	Marjorie Boulton Smith
Friday	Martin Kaye (pr)
Saturday	Irene Syratt

10.45 am – SUNG MASS

Mass Setting *Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart in D*

Opening Hymn 231 *Who are these, like stars appearing?*

Collect

Bountiful God, giver of all gifts, who poured your Spirit upon your servant Barnabas and gave him grace to encourage others: help us, by his example, to be generous in our judgements and unselfish in our service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading **Acts 11. 19 – 30**

Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen travelled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they associated with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called 'Christians'.

At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

Psalm 112



- 1 Alleluia. * Blessed are those who | fear the | Lord
 and have great de- | light in | his com- | mandments.
- 2 Their descendants will be | mighty · in the | land,
 a generation of the | faithful · that | will be | blest.
- 3 Wealth and riches will | be in · their | house,
 and their | righteous-ness en- | dures for | ever.

4 Light shines in the | darkness · for the | upright;
 gracious and full of com-|pas-sion | are the | righteous.
 5 It goes well with those who are | generous · in | lending
 and | order · their af-|fairs with | justice,
 6 For they will | never · be | shaken;
 the righteous will be held in | ev-er-|lasting · re-|membrance.
 7 They will not be afraid of any | ev-il | tidings;
 their heart is steadfast, | trust-ing | in the | Lord.
 8 Their heart is sustained and | will not | fear,
 until they see the | down-fall | of their | foes.
 9 They have given freely to the poor; * their righteousness stands | fast for | ever;
 their | head will · be ex-|alted · with | honour.
 10 The wicked shall see it and be angry; * they shall gnash their | teeth in · de-|spair;
 the | desire of · the | wicked · shall | perish.

Gospel Acclamation

I do not call you servants but friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father.

Gospel Reading John 15. 12 – 17

Jesus said to the disciples, 'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.'

Homily *Fr Alex*

Offertory Hymn 197 *For all the Saints who from their labours rest*

Communion Motet *Ola Gjeilo: Ubi caritas*

Where there is charity and love, there God is: the love of Christ has gathered us into one. Let us rejoice and be glad in him: let us fear and love the living God, and let us love one another with a pure heart. Amen. [*Antiphon for Maundy Thursday*]

Communion Hymn 381 *Jerusalem the golden*

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the apostles with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn 364 (tune 408 (i)) *God is Love, let heav'n adore him*

Organ Postlude *Felix Mendelssohn: Fugue in D minor (Prelude and fugue no 3)*

6.30 pm – CHORAL EVENSONG

Hymns 213 (ii), 225 (ii), 167
Psalm 147
Setting Herbert Sumsion in A
Anthem Herbert Howells: Like as the hart

Like as the hart desireth the water-brooks : so longeth my soul after thee, O God. My soul is athirst for God, yea, even for the living God : when shall I come to appear before the presence of God? My tears have been my meat day and night : while they daily say unto me, Where is now thy God?

[Psalm 42. 1 – 3]

Readings Ecclesiastes 12. 9 – end Acts 9. 26 – 31
Organ Postlude Herbert Howells: Psalm Prelude set 1 no 2

CHURCH DIARY

Morning Prayer at 9.00 am and Evening Prayer at 5.15 pm, Tuesday to Friday

Tuesday 13	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Wednesday 14	1.30 pm	Eco Group meeting <i>in the meeting room</i>	
	7.30 pm	Deanery Synod meeting <i>at St Mary's, Bradley</i>	
Thursday 15	11.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
	12.30 pm	Lunch Club	
Friday 16	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12.30 pm	Fabric Committee meeting	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers' rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	

Saturday 17	7.30 pm	Cantores Olicanae concert, 'Mass in Blue'	
Sunday 18	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity II</i>	9.15 am	Family Service	(Catherine G)
	10.45 am	Sung Mass	Fr Alex
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Alex
Tuesday 20	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Wednesday 21	7.00 pm	Admission of Churchwardens <i>at Keighley Shared Church</i>	
Thursday 22	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
Friday 23	9.30 am	Playtime	
	11.40 am	Funeral of Lorna Gillatt <i>at Skipton Crem.</i>	Fr Alex
	6.30 pm	Junior singers rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Sunday 25	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity III</i>	9.15 am	Family Service	Fr Alex
	10.45 am	Sung Mass	Fr Alex
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Alex

NOTICES

Eco Group

The first meeting of the new Eco Group will be this **Wednesday 14 June at 1.30 pm** in the meeting room. I think I've contacted everyone who ticked the relevant box on the En-List – but if you're interested in being a part of it, please do come along! Fr Alex.

Christian Aid donations

Thank you to everyone who made a donation during Christian Aid Week. Together we raised £800.35 for Christian Aid projects, which create long term change for the lives of people living in poverty around the world.

New hirers

This month we welcome *Staying Steady* on Wednesday mornings in the hall – an exercise class designed to improve your strength and balance. We also welcome Gemma Kennedy on Thursday mornings (til 10.30 am) for pilates (Referrals only - if you are interested in a pilates class, Cherry Dexter runs classes on Monday mornings and Tuesday afternoons in the hall).

Lunch Club: Thursday 15 June, 12.30 pm

The next lunch club takes place on Thursday 15 June at 12.30 pm. The cost is £7.00 for the meal and £2.00 for a glass of wine. Tickets will be on sale today, or people can call Sandy on 01943 603222 to book a place. Arrivals from 12.00 pm with lunch served at 12.30 pm.

Flower Festival at St Mary's Church, Burley in Wharfedale

Saturday 17 June: 10.00 am – 4.00 pm

Sunday 18 June: 12 noon – 4.00 pm

Free entry (donations welcome). Refreshments available.

Cantores Olicanae: Will Todd's Mass in Blue

Saturday 17 June, 7.30 pm

Performing Will Todd's *Mass in Blue* and featuring the first performance of Geoff Cloke's *The Emily Brontë Song Cycle*. Musical Director Charlie Perry. With Jazz Ensemble Motion Complex and Catherine Embleton and special guests Ilkley Youth and Senior Choirs. Tickets £12; Students £5; under 14s free. Tickets from Eventbrite.co.uk, The Grove Bookshop, Ilkley Visitor Centre and on the door.

Hall Cleaning Volunteers: Wednesday 21 June

I am looking for some cleaning help please on Wednesday 21 June between 9.00 am and 10.30 am. Alan, our caretaker, will be away and we need to do a clean in the hall areas before our hirers come in. I'd be grateful for any help you could give, please let me know if you can help. Many thanks, Anne Eaton.

Organ Recital: Friday 7 July, 12.30 pm

The recital on July 7th concentrates on the two great organ composers, Bach and Howells. From Howells we have the last one of each set of his Psalm Preludes, extended pieces meditating on verses from the Psalms – namely Psalm 23 (Valley of the shadow of death – very gloomy) and Psalm 33 (Sing unto the Lord a new song – very joyful). The Bach is a selection of his 'Little Organ Book' (Orgelbüchlein), a set of about 60 short chorale preludes. We shall hear two groups, 5 in each, including chorale melodies (hymns) based on the Lord's Prayer and the Ten Commandments among others – all packed with Bach's amazingly inventive and ingenious musical character. Christopher Rathbone.

Community of the Resurrection Festival Day: Saturday 8 July

Members of the congregation are welcome to join our patrons at the Community of the Resurrection in celebrating their annual Festival Day. The day begins with refreshments at 10.00 am, and ends with Evensong at 5.00 pm. This year the Community is joined by monks from St Matthias' Abbey in Trier, Germany. If you would like to come and need a lift, please let Fr Alex or Nadine Wharton know.

St Margaret's Got Talent!
Friday 21 July in the evening

As part of our St Margaret's Day celebrations (more details coming soon), we're holding an informal concert in church to celebrate our gifts and talents. We welcome anyone connected with the church to take part: you could recite a poem, play an instrument, sing, or anything else (within reason!) Please email your ideas to Nadine Wharton nadinemw39@gmail.com

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