



ST. MARGARET'S ILKLEY

Sunday 25 June 2023
Trinity III

8.00 am – Low Mass (page 2)
Fr Alex

9.15 am – Family Service
Fr Alex

10.45 am – Sung Mass (page 2)
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6.30 pm – Choral Evensong (page 4)
Fr Alex



“Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows”

Please join us for the cake sale in the Parish Hall after 9.15 am and 10.45 am services

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, Audrey South, Molly Sunderland, Shirley Thompson, Sally Webb, Irene Whittaker, Hayes Williams, David Yates.

Years' Mind

Sunday	Dobroslav Hlawiczka, Daisy Mason, Maggie Kellett, Ruth Cheney
Monday	George Walker, Edith Fairburn
Tuesday	Leonard Mackenzie, Charles Edwin Thresh, Tom Walker
Wednesday	Gillian Hirst
Friday	Julie Ormondroyd, Fr Christopher Bedford, Alfred John Hodges
Saturday	Leonard Bertram Darley, Betty Penney

10.45 am – SUNG MASS

Mass Setting *John Ireland in C*

Opening Hymn 318 *My God, accept my heart this day*

Collect

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; 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 **Romans 6. 1b – 11**

Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Gradual Psalm **Psalm 69. 8 – 11, 18 – 20**



8 For your sake have I | suffered · re- | proach;
 shame has | cov-ered | my — | face.
9 I have become a | stranger · to my | kindred,
 an | alien · to my | mot-her's | children.
10 Zeal for your house has | eaten · me | up;
 the scorn of those who | scorn you · has | fallen · up- | on me.

11 I humbled my-|self with | fasting,
but | that was · turned to | my re-|proach.
18 Answer me, Lord, for your loving-|kindness · is | good;
turn to me in the | multi-tude | of your | mercies.
19 Hide not your | face · from your | servant;
be swift to | answer · me, for | I am · in | trouble.
20 Draw near to my | soul · and re-|deem me;
de-|liver · me be-|cause of · my | enemies.

Gospel Acclamation

Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life.

Gospel Reading Matthew 10. 24 – 39

Jesus summoned the twelve and sent them out with the following instruction: 'A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one's foes will be members of one's own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.'

Homily *Fr Alex*

Offertory Hymn 296 (i) *Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour*

Communion Motet *Kenneth Leighton: Solus ad victimam*

Alone to sacrifice thou goest, Lord,
Giving thyself to Death whom thou hast slain.
For us thy wretched folk is any word?
Who know that for our sins this is thy pain?

For they are ours, O Lord, our deeds, our deeds,
Why must thou suffer torture for our sin?
Let our hearts suffer in thy Passion, Lord,
That very suffering may thy mercy win.

This is the night of tears, the three days' space,
Sorrow abiding of the eventide,
Until the day break with the risen Christ,
And hearts that sorrowed shall be satisfied.

So may our hearts share in thine anguish, Lord,
That they may sharers of thy glory be;
Heavy with weeping may the three days pass,
To win the laughter of thine Easter Day.

Peter Abelard, translated by Helen Waddell

Communion Hymn 379 *In the Cross of Christ I glory*

Post Communion Prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn 76 (omit *) *Take up thy cross, the Saviour said*

Organ Postlude *Felix Mendelssohn: Allegro maestoso and Fugue (Sonata no 2, movements 2 & 3)*

We're very grateful to Peter Condry for playing the organ for two of our services today while Christopher is on holiday.

6.30 pm – CHORAL EVENSONG

Hymns 152, 396, 451

Psalm 46

Setting George Dyson in F

Anthem Thomas Attwood: Teach me, O Lord

Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes, and I shall keep it unto the end. (*Psalm 119. 33*)

Readings 1 Samuel 24. 1 – 17 Luke 14. 12 – 24

Organ Postlude Théodore Dubois: In paradisum

CHURCH DIARY

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

Tuesday 27	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thursday 29	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
	6.45 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
	7.30 pm	PCC meeting	
Friday 30	9.30 am	Playtime	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers' rehearsal	
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Sunday 2	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Kenneth
<i>Trinity IV</i>	9.15 am	Family Service	(Catherine B)
	10.45 am	Sung Mass	Fr Kenneth
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	(Catherine G)
Tuesday 4	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Wednesday 5	7.30 pm	Deanery Chapter <i>at All Saints'</i>	
Thursday 6	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
Friday 7	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12.30 am	Organ Recital	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers' rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Sunday 9	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity V;</i>	9.15 am	Family Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Sea Sunday</i>	10.45 am	Sung Mass with Holy Baptism	Fr Alex
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong for Sea Sunday	Revd Isobel

NOTICES

ST MARGARET'S SUNDAY – 16 JULY, 4.00 PM

We will be keeping St Margaret's Sunday on **16 July** this year with a special **Parish Mass at 4.00 pm**, followed by afternoon tea and drinks. We will also hold a Low Mass at 8.00 am (for Trinity VI), but there will be no services at 9.15 am or 10.45 am that day, owing to the half marathon road closures. This is a great opportunity to invite a friend or two to join us for what will be a beautiful and uplifting celebration!

We are also holding two fun events to mark the day:

Cricket in the park: Saturday 15 July, 2.00 pm, at Riverside Gardens

Ashes fever has hit the church and we're bringing cricket back to St Margaret's! Join us at Riverside Gardens for a fun game of cricket and an ice cream. (Weather permitting!)

St Margaret's informal concert: Friday 21 July, 6.30 pm

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

Volunteers

We would love it if you can bring along some food to share after our Mass on the 16th. Judith Smith has put a list of food suggestions at the back of church and in the hall. If you think you could bring something, please sign up; if you want to bring something different, that's great!

We are also recruiting volunteers to set out tables and chairs, and for clearing up. Please contact Judith bbcsmith@talk21.com or Jane Armstrong jane18armstrong@yahoo.com to offer help. Thank you.

Ordinations

Emma Halliwell and **Joseph Harrison** will be ordained deacon on Saturday 1 July at 11.00 am in Bradford Cathedral. Members of the congregation are welcome to attend if they would like to (no need to let anyone know). Please pray for them both.

Emma has invited everyone from St Margaret's to a celebration in our Parish Hall from 5.00 pm on the same day.

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 three of his Psalm Preludes, extended pieces meditating on verses from the Psalms – namely Psalm 37 (The meek-spirited shall possess the earth), 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.

Cranmer Awards

Saturday 14 October

St Margaret’s is delighted to be hosting the Yorkshire Heat of the Cranmer Awards on Saturday 14 October. The Cranmer Awards is a national competition for children aged 11 – 18 years old run by The Prayer Book Society to introduce young people to the 1662 Book of Common Prayer. The awards provide an incredible platform for young people to showcase their public speaking talents and develop communication skills. The winner of the heat will go forward to compete in the final at Hampton Court Palace on Saturday 24 February. If you are interested to take part and/or would like to involve your school please contact Catherine Cheater at catherinecheater@gmail.com.

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