

NEWS SHEET **Sunday, September 19th 2021** **THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**



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Getting in Touch

Fr Alex writes: I am really looking forward to getting to know everyone, and will be trying to get in touch with as many people as possible over the coming weeks. Please feel free to call me, or send me an email, or knock at the vicarage door if we haven't met yet (beware of children on bikes whizzing down the drive...). Please note that Monday is my rest day. My number is 01943 603647, and my email is fatheralex crawford@icloud.com

THIS SUNDAY

9.15am Family Service

Homily: Miss Catherine Gibson

10.45am High Mass

First Reading James 3. 13 – 4.3, 7-8a

Gospel Reading Mark 9. 30-37

Homily: Fr Alex

6.30pm Choral Evensong

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In our Prayers

Departed Peter Cheney, Matthew Reynish, Christine Sharpe

Years' Mind

Monday Mary Agate, Peter Outterside, Christopher Halton

Tuesday William Oscar Molander

Wednesday Eileen Wormald

Friday Ernest Jobling, Lilian Newbold

Saturday Phyllis Glover

Please pray for the sick: Trevor Allen, Joan Gelder, Thomas Harrison (baby), May Hughes, Fr Garth Kellett, Charlotte Lockhart, David Scottow, Vivienne Swindells.

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 7.45am

Evening Prayer: Tuesday to Friday at 5.15pm

Tuesday, September 21st: The funeral of Peter Cheney will be held at Rawden Crematorium on Tuesday, September 21st at 1.45pm to be followed by a wake at the Wheatley in Ben Rhydding. Please let Christina, Peter's daughter, know if you plan to attend the wake. Her telephone number is 07951 440870.

Friday, September 24th: Playtime takes place in the Parish Hall at 9.30am.

Also on Friday, **Cant and Dec** rehearse at 6.15pm, **SMS** rehearse at 7.00pm and **Social Time** takes place in the Parish Hall at 7.45pm.

An invitation to Ilkley Haiti Fund Vintage Afternoon Tea

Saturday September 25th

3.00pm -4.30pm.

Ilkley Baptist Church

Kings Road. Ilkley

Admission and tea £3.00

Usual Stalls

Supporting Haiti's Earthquake Survivors.

NEXT SUNDAY

HARVEST FESTIVAL

11.00am Parish Mass followed by the Parish Lunch

6.30pm Choral Evensong

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from Mary's Meals for our Harvest Festival.

Our Harvest Appeal this year will be to support the work of Mary's Meals

<https://www.marysmeals.org.uk/>

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Evening Prayer: Tuesday to Friday at 5.15pm

Tuesday, September 28th: The funeral of Christine Sharpe takes place in church at 11.15am to be followed by a short service at Skipton Crematorium.

Friday, October 1st: Playtime takes place in the Parish Hall at 9.30am.

Also on Friday, **Cant and Dec** rehearse at 6.15pm, **SMS** rehearse at 7.00pm and **Social Time** takes place in the Parish Hall at 7.45pm.

Organ Recital

Friday, October 1st

The recital on Friday October 1st (at 12.30pm) will be the first of two including movements from Percy Whitlock's massive Sonata in C minor, completed in 1936. I shall play the monumental first movement as well as the lyrical 'Canzona'. I shall end the recital with Guilmant's famous March on a theme of Handel (namely the chorus 'Lift up your hearts' from 'Messiah'). In between, one of Bach's gentlest organ works, the Prelude and fugue in A major, completes the programme. *Christopher*

DIARY DATES

St. Margaret's Mission Fund Cake Stall

Sunday, October 3rd

St. Margaret's cake stall takes place on **Sunday, October 3rd** after the 9.15am and 10.45am services. Please bring your cakes into church before the Family Service. For more information call Linda Whittaker on 01943 601144.

NOTICES

Church Opening Hours

The church is opened for Morning Prayer at 7.45am and is closed after Evening Prayer finishes, around 5.45pm. You are welcome to visit church at a time that suits you.

We encourage you to scan the NHS QR code and use hand sanitizer as you come into church. If you would like any prayer resources please bring these with you and take them away when you leave.

Notices in the News Sheet

If you would like a notice to be included in the news sheet please email it to Vickie at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com by 10.00am on the Wednesday preceding weekend publication. Thank you.

Harvest Appeal for Mary's Meals

Sunday, September 26th

This year, we celebrate Harvest on Sunday, September 26th, when our guest speaker will be Krzysia Condliffe from Mary's Meals.

Mary's Meals sets up community-run school feeding projects in some of the world's poorest communities, where poverty and hunger prevent children from gaining an education. One daily meal is provided in a place of learning to attract chronically poor children into the classroom, where they receive an education that can, in the future, be their ladder out of poverty. Community volunteers take turns to prepare, cook and serve the daily meal in each school, wherever possible using locally produced food.

Just £15.90 feeds a child for a whole school year.

There will be a retiring collection on the day. If possible, please use the white St Margaret's Gift Aid envelopes and mark "Harvest Appeal". These can also be placed in the safe at the back of church during the week. Alternatively, you can make a direct bank deposit into our account using the reference HARVEST or send a cheque made payable to "St Margaret's PCC" to Alison Stretton, 4 Oakburn Road, Ilkley LS29 9NN (please mark the back "Harvest Appeal" and let us know if you would like to Gift Aid your donation). Thank you.

Harvest Lunch

On Sunday, September 26th we will be holding our celebration of Harvest. Following mass there will be a 'drinks and nibbles' get together in the Parish Hall. We would like to have our coffee / tea or wine with a few bites to accompany.

To do this we need your involvement! If everyone, who feels able to attend, could bring a small plate of individual items such as sandwiches, sausage rolls, mini bites, wrapped biscuits or buns, anything that can be picked up without disturbing whatever else is on the plate, we can create a sort of 'faith offering'.

At the back of church is a list that you can sign if you would feel comfortable attending and could give some idea of what you might bring. Definitely no crisps please! Alternatively, you could have a word with Alison Stretton or Helen Buswell.

We also need to enrol a few helpers. Please speak to Jane Armstrong in church on Sunday, 19th September or let either Alison, Helen or Jane know if you could pour tea/coffee or wine, lay out food or give a hand with clearing up.

This is a 'toe in the water' start to something approaching the beginning of normality which will depend on you and what you want to be happening socially in church.

Best wishes to you all from Judith.

Thank you to everyone who supported this month's **organ recital** which raised £145.47 for the Choir Fund.

Readers for Evensong

We are hoping to recruit readers onto a rota to read at Evensong once every four or five weeks. If you would like to read please get in touch with Isobel Rathbone at isobel.rathbone@gmail.com

Flowers at St. Margaret's

The flower team is back in action and recruiting! No previous experience is necessary. If you would like to know more please ask any member of the team. Thank you, Philippa.

Dedicating Sunday Flowers

There are seven "slots" available before Advent. If you would like to sponsor an arrangement or mark a special occasion please contact Philippa (01943 603861).

Parish Office

Vickie returns to the Parish Office (meeting room) on Tuesday and Thursday mornings each week between 9.15am and 12 noon. A reminder that the office telephone number is 01943 607015. She will be working from home on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings during the same hours and can be contacted at stmargaretschurchpa@gmail.com.

You are welcome to get in touch if you would like to speak to a member of St. Margaret's church family.

Fr Alex	01943 603647
Helen Buswell	01943 608146
Alison Stretton	01943 430024
Fr Bernard	01943 816253
Fr Godfrey	01943 603861
Jane Sheldon	01943 431288
Linda Whittaker	01943 601144

CHRISTOPHER RATHBONE
ST. MARGARET'S ILKLEY

Organ Recital

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2021
12.30PM
ST. MARGARET'S, QUEEN'S ROAD
ILKLEY

Organ Sonata in C minor 1935/6
Grave – Animato Canzona
Percy WHITLOCK 1903 – 1946

Prelude and fugue in A major BWV 536
J. Sebastian BACH 1685 – 1750

March on a theme of Handel op 15 no 2
Alexandre GUILMANT 1837 - 191



WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO WEAR
A FACE MASK IN CHURCH



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