



ST MARGARET'S ILKLEY

SUNDAY 7 JULY
Trinity VI

8.00 am – Low Mass

Fr Alex

9.15 am – Godly Play

10.45 am – Sung Mass

Fr Alex

6.30 pm – Choral Evensong



“On the Sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded.”

Flowers today are given by Clare Heap in memory of her mother, Katharine Scott-Forbes

IN OUR PRAYERS

Pamela Banks, Colin Banyard, Steve Betts, Jasper Boyton, Ann Bruun, Alan Calder, Anne Clarke, Roy Clarke, Joyce Cross, Anna Lickley, Pam Monkman, Stephen Pilling, Carolyn Pitt, Philip Rowbottom, Matthew Smith, Molly Sunderland, Shirley Thompson.

DEPARTED Pauline Blake, Dorothy Scott, Terry Smith

YEARS' MIND

Sunday Roland Voss
Monday Elizabeth Howell, Keith Stretton
Tuesday Christine Armstrong
Wednesday Helen Priestman, Clara Lilley
Friday Dorothy Cockroft
Saturday John Hodgson, Kenneth Whittaker, Sheila Gill

Please continue to pray for the people of Sudan, whose Church is linked with our Diocese of Leeds

8.00 am and 10.45 am – MASS TODAY

SETTING *Charles Wood in the Phrygian mode*

HYMN 435 *Onward, Christian soldiers*

1. Onward, Christian soldiers,
 Marching as to war,
With the Cross of Jesus
 Going on before.
Christ the royal Master
 Leads against the foe;
Forward into battle,
 See, his banners go!
 *Onward, Christian soldiers,
 Marching as to war,
 With the Cross of Jesus
 Going on before.*

2. At the sign of triumph
 Satan's legions flee;
On then, Christian soldiers,
 On to victory.
Hell's foundations quiver
 At the shout of praise;
Brothers, lift your voices,
 Loud your anthems raise.

3. Like a mighty army
 Moves the Church of God;
Brothers, we are treading
 Where the saints have trod;
We are not divided,
 All one body we,
One in hope and doctrine,
 One in charity.

4. Crowns and thrones may perish,
 Kingdoms rise and wane,
But the Church of Jesus
 Constant will remain;
Gates of hell can never
 'Gainst that Church prevail;
We have Christ's own promise,
 And that cannot fail.

5. Onward, then, ye people,
 Join our happy throng,
Blend with ours your voices
 In the triumph song;
Glory, laud, and honour
 Unto Christ the King;
This through countless ages
 Men and angels sing.

COLLECT

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus your Son Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

READING Ezekiel 2. 1 – 5

A reading from the book of the prophet Ezekiel.

The heavens were opened, and I saw visions of God. When I saw this, I fell on my face, and I heard the voice of someone speaking. He said to me: O mortal, stand up on your feet, and I will speak with you. And when he spoke to me, a spirit entered into me and set me on my feet; and I heard him speaking to me. He said to me, Mortal, I am sending you to the people of Israel, to a nation of rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have transgressed against me to this very day. The descendants are impudent and stubborn. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, 'Thus says the Lord God.' Whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house), they shall know that there has been a prophet among them.

GRADUAL Psalm 123



- 1 To you I lift | up my | eyes,
to | you that · are en-|throned in · the | heavens.
- 2 As the eyes of servants look to the | hand of · their | master,
or the eyes of a | maid to · the | hand of · her | mistress,
- 3 So our eyes wait upon the | Lord our | God,
un-|til he · have | mercy · up-|on us.
- 4 Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have | mercy · up-|on us,
for we have had | more than · en-|ough of · con-|tempt.
- 5 Our soul has had more than enough of the | scorn of · the | arrogant,
and | of the · con-|tempt of · the | proud.

ACCLAMATION

I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord. No one comes to the Father except through me.

GOSPEL READING Mark 6. 1 – 13

Jesus came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.' And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, 'Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.' So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

HYMN 485 *Thy hand, O God, has guided*

1. Thy hand, O God, has guided
 Thy flock, from age to age;
The wondrous tale is written,
 Full clear, on every page;
Our fathers owned thy goodness,
 And we their deeds record;
And both of this bear witness,
 One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

2. Thy heralds brought glad tidings
 To greatest, as to least;
They bade men rise, and hasten
 To share the great King's feast;
And this was all their teaching,
 In every deed and word,
To all alike proclaiming
 One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

3. Through many a day of darkness,
 Through many a scene of strife,
The faithful few fought bravely
 To guard the nation's life.
Their gospel of redemption,
 Sin pardoned, man restored,
Was all in this enfolded,
 One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

4. And we, shall we be faithless?
 Shall hearts fail, hands hang down?
Shall we evade the conflict,
 And cast away our crown?
Not so: in God's deep counsels
 Some better thing is stored;
We will maintain, unflinching,
 One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

5. Thy mercy will not fail us,
 Nor leave thy work undone;
With thy right hand to help us,
 The victory shall be won;
And then, by men and angels,
 Thy name shall be adored,
And this shall be their anthem,
 One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

MOTET *William Harris: Come, my way, my truth, my life*

*Come, my way, my truth, my life:
Such a way, as gives us breath;
Such a truth, as ends all strife;
Such a life as killeth death.*

*Come, my light, my feast, my strength:
Such a light, as shows a feast,
Such a feast, as mends in length;
Such a strength, as makes his guest.*

*Come, my joy, my love, my heart:
Such a joy, as none can move;
Such a love, as none can part,
Such a heart, as joys in love.*

(George Herbert)

HYMN 357 *Father, hear the prayer we offer*

1. Father, hear the prayer we offer:
 Not for ease that prayer shall be,
But for strength that we may ever
 Live our lives courageously.

2. Not for ever in green pastures
 Do we ask our way to be;
But the steep and rugged pathway
 May we tread rejoicingly.

3. Not for ever by still waters
 Would we idly rest and stay;
But would smite the living fountains
 From the rocks along our way.

4. Be our strength in hours of weakness,
 In our wanderings be our guide;
Through endeavour, failure, danger,
 Father, be thou at our side.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN 466 *Thou whose almighty word*

1. Thou whose almighty word
Chaos and darkness heard,
 And took their flight;
Hear us, we humbly pray,
And where the gospel day
Sheds not its glorious ray
 Let there be light.

2. Thou who didst come to bring
On thy redeeming wing
 Healing and sight,
Health to the sick in mind,
Sight to the inly blind,
O now to all mankind
 Let there be light.

3. Spirit of truth and love,
Life-giving, holy Dove,
 Speed forth thy flight;
Move o'er the waters' face,
Bearing the lamp of grace,
And in earth's darkest place
 Let there be light.

4. Blessèd and holy Three,
Glorious Trinity,
 Wisdom, Love, Might,
Boundless as ocean's tide
Rolling in fullest pride,
Through the world far and wide
 Let there be light.

ORGAN *Eugène Gigout: Scherzo in E*

CHANGES TO SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 14 JULY

Please note that, owing to the Ilkley Half Marathon road closures, there are only two services next Sunday: 8.00 am Low Mass (Trinity VII) and 4.00 pm Parish Mass (St Margaret's Sunday).

6.30 pm – CHORAL EVENSONG

HYMNS 150 (ii), 391, 394
PSALM 64
READINGS Jeremiah 20. 1 – 11a Romans 14. 1 – 17
SETTING Charles Villiers Stanford in B flat
ANTHEM Malcolm Archer: Who would true valour see (*for a version of the text, see NEH 372*)
ORGAN Samuel Wesley – Prelude and Fugue in C minor (from Op. 6, Bk 1)

We are very grateful to Tim Raymond for playing the organ for us this evening.

Fr Alex is preaching at St Chad's, Headingley, on their Dedication Festival.

CHURCH DIARY

Morning Prayer in church, Monday to Friday, at 9.00 am. All welcome.

Tuesday 9	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thursday 11	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
Friday 12	9.30 am	Playtime	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Saturday 13	4.00 pm	Cricket in the park <i>at Riverside Gardens</i>	
Sunday 14	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity VII</i>	<u>4.00 pm</u>	Parish Mass	Fr Alex
<i>St Margaret's Sunday</i>			
Tuesday 16	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thursday 18	11.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
	12.30 pm	Lunch Club	
Friday 19	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12 noon	Funeral of Terry Smith	Fr Alex
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Sunday 21	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity VIII</i>	9.15 am	Family Mass	Fr Alex
	10.45 am	Sung Mass	Fr Alex (H: Catherine G)
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Alex (H: Catherine B)

NOTICES

Terry Smith

We are sorry to share the news that Terry Smith died last weekend. Many will remember Terry as a kind and generous and good man, and he will be deeply missed. Please pray for Terry, and for Val and all the family. Terry's funeral will be in church on **Friday 19 July at 12 noon**, and he will be received into church the day before at 5.00 pm. All are welcome.

Fr Garth Kellett – thank you

Rachel Miller has been in touch to thank everyone for their kind words following the death of her father, Garth Kellett. She has asked us to share that Fr Garth's funeral took place on Friday 5 July. If anyone would like to make a donation to Compassion UK in memory of Fr Garth please follow the link here: dignityfunerals.co.uk/funeral-notices/17-06-2024-ronald-garth-kellett/

St Margaret's Sunday Celebrations

Saturday 13 July, 4.00 pm

All are welcome for some fun family cricket in the park at Riverside Gardens – weather permitting!

Sunday 14 July, 4.00 pm

Please join us at 4.00 pm on Sunday 14 July for the celebration of our patronal festival. It would be wonderful to fill the church to celebrate our patron and our life together. The Mass will be followed by afternoon tea in the hall, and if you are able to contribute food for this family party we would be very grateful. There is a list of suggestions at the back of church and in the hall where coffee is served. Please put your name by whatever you would like to bring or make suggestions of your own at the foot of the list. If you have any questions or are willing to help, please speak to Marie, Anne or Jane Armstrong.

Summer Schools in the Parish Hall

We welcome back two regular summer schools to the hall this summer. Joze School of Dance joins us for the first week of the school holidays (week commencing 22 July) and Articulate Drama School follows a couple of weeks later (week commencing 5 August). For more details contact Vickie.

DIARY DATES

Lunch Club

Thursday 18 July, 12.30 pm

Lunch club takes place on Thursday 18 July 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 on Sunday, or people can call Sandy on 01943 603222 to book a place. Arrival from 12.00 pm with lunch served at 12.30 pm.

GIVING

We rely on your generous donations to fund the work of our church, and to support the cost of ministry in the diocese. Please consider making a regular donation to St Margaret's. Thank you for your support.

REGULAR GIVING is via the Parish Giving Scheme: visit www.parishgiving.org.uk and search for 'Ilkley St Margaret;' or by bank standing order. Please contact Alison Stretton, Stewardship Secretary: astretton1@virginmedia.com or on 01943 430024 for more details.

ONE-OFF DONATIONS can also be made via the Parish Giving Scheme online, the card reader by the entrance to the church, or by scanning the QR code on the right with your mobile phone. Cash donations can be put in the large safe opposite the welcomers' table. Please use Gift Aid where possible to allow us to increase the value of your gift at no cost to you. **THANK YOU.**



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