



# ST MARGARET'S ILKLEY

**SUNDAY 5 OCTOBER**

**Trinity XVI**

**Harvest Thanksgiving**

**8.00 am – Holy Communion (BCP)**

*Fr Alex*

**10.45 am – High Mass**

*Fr Alex*

**6.30 pm – Choral Evensong**

*Fr Alex*



*Flowers today are given by Philip and Joanne in loving memory of their parents*

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## IN OUR PRAYERS

Ann Bruun, Alan Calder, Teresa Cannell, Anne Clarke, Roy Clarke, David Coleman, Margaret Cooke, Joyce Cross, Ramone Guha, Pam Monkman, Stephen Pilling, Johnny Ratcliffe, Philip Rowbottom, John Sampson, John Sunderland, Molly Sunderland, Shirley Thompson, Brenda Tunstall

**DEPARTED**      John Malcolm Rawse, Penelope Strickland

### YEARS' MIND

<b>Sunday</b>	John Gill
<b>Monday</b>	Paul Gibbons, Mary Lowe, George Sneddon
<b>Tuesday</b>	Kathleen Hornby, Charles Wormald, George Darvill (pr)
<b>Wednesday</b>	Ian Dale, Basil Holt, Marion Spooner, Tony Banks, Barbara Barnes
<b>Thursday</b>	Keith Hanson
<b>Friday</b>	Dora Kellett
<b>Saturday</b>	Barbara (Mary) Thresh

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

## CHURCH DIARY

*Morning Prayer is held Monday through Friday at 9.00 am — all welcome*

Tuesday 7	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thursday 9	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
Friday 10	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12.30 pm	Organ Recital	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
<b>Sunday 12</b>	<b>8.00 am</b>	<b>Low Mass</b>	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity XVII</i>	<b>9.15 am</b>	<b>Family Mass</b>	Fr Alex
	<b>10.45 am</b>	<b>High Mass</b>	Fr Alex (H: Revd Isobel)
	<b>6.30 pm</b>	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	Fr Marc (H: Fr Kenneth)
Monday 13	TBC	Funeral of Penelope Strickland	
Tuesday 14	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
	7.30 pm	Deanery Synod meeting <i>at St John's, Ben Rhydding</i>	
Wednesday 15	4.00 pm	Communion at Abbeydale	
Thursday 16	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Kenneth
	12.30 pm	Lunch Club	
Friday 17	9.30 am	Playtime	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
<b>Sunday 19</b>	<b>8.00 am</b>	<b>Low Mass</b>	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity XVIII</i>	<b>9.15 am</b>	<b>Family Service</b>	Fr Alex (H: Catherine B)
	<b>10.45 am</b>	<b>High Mass</b>	Fr Alex
	3.00 pm	Communion at Abbeyfield	Fr Alex
	<b>6.30 pm</b>	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	Fr Alex (H: Fr Marc)

## CHURCH NOTICES

### Important message for Parish Giving Scheme donors

Due to system changes at PGS, please note that the last date for givers to manage their November giving is 3pm on Monday 13 October. (Their system will then be offline until Friday 1 November.) We also encourage you to make sure that PGS has your up-to-date email address. Thank you. Alison Stretton, Stewardship Secretary.

### **Open the Book**

The Open the Book team is in Ashlands School on Tuesday presenting the story of the baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist. The theme of all our stories this term is to show the children that Jesus just how special Jesus is. Please hold the team and Ashlands School in your prayers.

### **Organ Recital**

**Friday 10 October, 12.30 pm**

The October Recital is a Baroque programme of German (Bach, Buxtehude and Pachelbel), Dutch (Sweelinck) and English (Stanley) music dating from about 1600 to 1750 – all beautiful stuff, culminating in the wild fantasy of a Toccata by Buxtehude. Free entry with retiring collection in aid of the Organ Restoration Fund. All welcome.

### **Lunch Club**

**Thursday 16 October, 12.30 pm**

The next Lunch Club takes place on Thursday 16 October at 12.30 pm. The cost is £7 for the meal and £2.50 for a glass of wine. Tickets are available from Sandy, and you can call to book a place: 01943 603222 (last booking by Monday 13 October). Arrival from 12 noon.

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

### **Methodist Modern Art Collection**

As part of Bradford 2025 City of Culture, the Methodist Modern Art Collection is being exhibited at five locations around Bradford including Ben Rhydding Methodist Church until Sunday 12 October. **St Margaret's will be supporting the exhibition as part of CTI with volunteers** on Sunday 5 October (2.00 pm to 4.00 pm). If you are able to help, please contact Helen Pilling on 07990977040. Further information about the exhibition can be found on Facebook: 'Ben Rhydding Methodist Church – Art Exhibition.'

### **Ilkley Literature Festival – Lamorna Ash**

**Saturday 11 October, 3.45 pm, at All Saints' Church**

All Saints' Church is sponsoring an event at this year's Ilkley Literature Festival on Saturday 11 October at 3.45 pm. Lamorna Ash will be talking about her new book *Don't Forget We're Here Forever: A New Generation's Search for Religion*, which explores why young people in Britain today are turning towards faith. More information about the event and tickets are available online: <https://www.ilkleyliteraturefestival.org.uk/events/32-lamorna-ash-a-new-generations-search-for-religion>. The event will also be livestreamed so you can watch it live online or anytime up to 72 hours after the event has finished. Livestream tickets are available at <https://www.ilkleyliteraturefestival.org.uk/events/32-lamorna-ash-a-new-generations-search-for-religion-livestreamed>.

## 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](http://www.parishgiving.org.uk) and search for 'Ilkley St Margaret;' or by bank standing order. Please contact Alison Stretton, Stewardship Secretary: [astretton1@virginmedia.com](mailto: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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*The clergy rest day is Monday*

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