

ST. MARGARET'S ILKLEY

PEW SHEET **Sunday, September 25th 2022** **THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**



TODAY IN CHURCH

8.00 am Low Mass

Fr Alex (Homily: Catherine Gibson)

9.15 am Family Service

Fr Alex

10.45 am Sung Mass

Fr Alex (Homily: Catherine Gibson)

6.30 pm Choral Evensong

Fr Alex (Homily: Catherine Beaumont)

A short service for the burial of the ashes of Pat Turner will take place in the memorial garden immediately after Sung Mass this morning

10.45 AM SUNG MASS

Mass Setting

Herbert Sumsion in F

Opening Hymn

377 *Immortal, invisible, God only wise*

Collect God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in 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

1 Timothy 6. 6 - 19

Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honour and eternal dominion. Amen.

As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

Psalm 146



Psalm 146

Lauda, anima mea

- 1 Alleluia. * Praise the Lord, O my soul: * while I live will I | praise the | Lord;
as long as I have any being, I will sing | prai-ses | to my | God.
- 2 Put not your trust in princes, nor in any | hu-man | power,
for there | is no | help in | them.

3 When their breath goes forth, they re-| turn to · the | earth;
on that day | all their | thoughts — | perish.

4 Happy are those who have the God of | Jacob · for their | help,
whose | hope is · in the | Lord their | God;

5 Who made heaven and earth, the sea and | all that · is | in them;
who | keeps his | promise · for | ever;

6 Who gives justice to those that | suf-fer | wrong
and | bread to | those who | hunger.

7 The Lord looses | those that · are | bound;
the Lord | opens · the | eyes of · the | blind;

8 The Lord lifts up | those who · are bowed | down;
the | Lord — | loves the | righteous;

9 The Lord watches over the stranger in the land; *
he upholds the | orphan · and | widow;
but the way of the | wicked · he | turns up-side | down.

10 The Lord shall | reign for | ever,
your God, O Zion, throughout all gener-| ations. * Al-| le-lu-| lia.

Gospel Acclamation

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

Gospel Reading *Luke 16. 19 – end*

Jesus said, "There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames." But Abraham said, "Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us." He said, "Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house— for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment." Abraham replied, "They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them." He said, "No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent." He said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead." "

Homily

Catherine Gibson

Offertory Hymn

O for a thousand tongues to sing



*The second line of each verse is sung twice,
and the last line three times*

O for a thousand tongues to sing
My dear Redeemer's praise, x2
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of his grace! x3

Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
That bids our sorrows cease; x2
'Tis music in the sinner's ears,
'Tis life and health and peace. x3

He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
He sets the prisoners free: x2
His blood can make the foulest clean;
His blood availed for me. x3

He speaks; and, listening to his voice,
New life the dead receive, x2
The mournful broken hearts rejoice,
The humble poor believe. x3

Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye dumb,
Your loosened tongues employ; x2
Ye blind, behold your Saviour come;
And leap, ye lame, for joy! x3

My gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim x2
And spread through all the earth abroad
The honours of thy name. x3

Communion Anthem Christopher Rathbone: *Why so heavy o my soul?*

Communion Hymn 369 *Happy are they, they that love God*

Post Communion Prayer Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn 376 *I heard the voice of Jesus say*

Organ Postlude Christopher Rathbone: *Postlude on St Denio op 109 no 12*

IN OUR PRAYERS

Departed Trevor Allen, Andrew Mann, Audrey Waterhouse

Years' Mind

Sunday Phyllis Glover

Monday Barbara Thorpe, Harry White, Hugh Little

Tuesday Annie Whalley

Wednesday Hilda Ibbotson, Emily Mary Thresh

Thursday Charles Wilkinson

Friday Jean Booth, Celia Lawson, Lilian Mills

Saturday Alice Maud Franklin

Please pray for the sick: Martin Ashby, Jasper Boyton, Brian and Julie Holmes, Elizabeth Horn, Fr Garth Kellett, Anna Lickley, Charlotte Lockhart, David Scottow, Val Smith, Molly Sunderland, Gerry Whittington, Ian Wilson.

6.30 pm CHORAL EVENSONG

Hymns	152, 367(ii), 250
Psalm	134, 135
Setting	Thomas Tertius Noble in A minor
Anthem	Edward Elgar: The Spirit of the Lord
Readings	Nehemiah chapter 2 John 8.31 - 38, 48 - end
Homily	Catherine Beaumont
Organ Postlude	Edward Elgar: Sonata 2 movement 1

FORTNIGHTLY CHURCH DIARY

Morning Prayer at 7.45 am and Evening Prayer at 5.15 pm daily (Tuesday to Friday)

Please note the new time of the Contemplative Mass: 6.00 pm

Tues 27	10.00 am	Magazine Committee meeting	
	<u>6.00 pm</u>	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thur 29	11.00 am	Low mass with social time	Fr Alex
	5.00 pm	Reception of Audrey	Fr Alex
		Waterhouse into church	
	7.30 pm	PCC meeting	
Fri 30	9.30 am	Playtime	
	11.00 am	Requiem Mass for Audrey	Fr Alex
		Waterhouse followed by a wake in the hall	
	6.15 pm	Cant and Dec rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
OCTOBER			
Sun 2	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Harvest Festival</i>	11.00 am	Parish Mass and lunch	Fr Alex (H: Fr Nicolas Stebbing CR)
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Bernard
Tues 4	<u>6.00 pm</u>	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thurs 6	11.00 am	Low Mass with social time	Fr Alex

Fri 7	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12.30 pm	Organ Recital	
	6.15 pm	Cant and Dec rehearsal	
	7.45 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Sun 9	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex (H: Revd Isobel Rathbone)
	9.15 am	Family Mass	Fr Alex
	10.45 am	High Mass	Revd Isobel Rathbone
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Alex

NOTICES

Volunteer(s) wanted for the Parish Magazine team

With the Parish Magazine back up and running after the pandemic we are now in need of a volunteer (or two) to manage the subscribers list and to liaise with our advertisers. We produce 4 issues each year and our team meets quarterly in the Parish Hall meeting room. Our next meeting, to plan the Christmas issue, takes place on Tuesday 27th September at 10.00 am. If you would like to become part of the team or explore what is involved before deciding, please contact Hayes Williams, Editor, on 01943 601116.

Book of Condolence for Queen Elizabeth

We'll keep the book of condolence open for another week or two, in case anyone would like to write a message before we close it. It's on the big chest at the back of church, next to the letter from the late Queen.

Contemplative Mass now at 6.00 pm

Please note the change to the earlier time of 6.00 pm from Tuesday 27 September. We will hold the Mass at this time each week. If you haven't tried it before, why not come along?

Parish photo book

Over the coming weeks we'll be asking if we can take your photo for a little book to help new members, and especially new church officers and volunteers, get to know everyone a bit more easily. Perhaps there's someone you've known for years, but you've never learnt their name! It won't be left around for anyone to access, but will be put out on Sunday mornings for the congregation to consult. If you would rather not have your photo taken, that's perfectly fine (please just say 'no' when you're asked).

Suggest your favourite hymns

A box will shortly appear at the back of church, giving you an opportunity to suggest your favourite hymns to be sung during the 10.45 am service. We'll endeavour to include them over the coming months and, for any non-Advent and Christmas suggestions, into the new year. *Please note, any suggestions are merely advisory and not legally-binding on the Vicar!*

DIARY DATES

Cake My Day!

Sunday, September 25th

St Margaret's Mission Fund Cake Sale takes place on **Sunday, September 25th** after the 9.15 am and 10.45 am services. All cakes welcomed. Please bring them to the Parish Hall from 8.30 am on the day of the sale or ring Linda Whittaker on 601144.

Harvest Lunch

Food contributions needed!

Sunday, October 2nd

On Sunday, October 2nd, we will continue our celebration of Harvest with a buffet lunch in the hall. If you would like to contribute some food toward the lunch could you please sign up on one of the lists available (in the hall by the coffee server or on the table at the back of church). Alternatively see Judith for information. Any offers of help are welcome and any new ideas would be most welcome! This is a lovely opportunity for you to invite someone along to share in the hospitality that we all enjoy at St Margaret's, so please do invite someone along to join us. Thank you in advance, Judith.

Beamsley Flower Event

Saturday, October 1st 2.00 pm - 4.30pm

Addingham Memorial Hall

The Beamsley Project's Flower Event aims to raise money to help children with disabilities who come from disadvantaged backgrounds to have a free holiday at Beamsley. The theme of the Flower Event is 'Autumn Splendour'. As well as a display of flower arrangements, there will be a demonstration of flower arranging, a couple of stalls, a raffle and refreshments. If you love flower arranging and would like to take part in a flower arranging competition please get in touch with Lynda Duttine on 07930325508 for more details. (beamsleyproject.org/)

Organ Recital

Friday, October 7th at 12.30 pm

The recital on Friday, October 7th at 12.30 pm is built round an early piece of mine, written as a graduate student at Cambridge in 1969, called October Music. The rest of the programme includes two Psalm Preludes by Howells (from the 1940 2nd Set), a touching Andantino by César Franck, and a brief set of variations on the Veni Creator plainsong hymn (we sing it to 'Come Holy Ghost, our souls inspire') by Maurice Duruflé. Christopher

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