

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN THE DIVINE, RASTRICK

If you are visiting or have recently moved to Brighthouse and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. Join us for tea/coffee and fellowship in the Church Hall after the 10.15 a.m. service each Sunday.

Sunday 18th November 2018 2nd Sunday before Advent

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Marion Russell

10.15 am All Age Worship led by Glenn Tatton

Pantomime Corporate Service

7.00 pm Healing in Community at St Matthew's

Sidesman : Derek Davis, Doreen Davis. Simon Davis and Margaret Raine

Readings : Daniel 12:1-3 (9.00am) Page 898

Daniel 12:1-3 Member of the pantomime group Page 898

Mark 13:1-8 Member of the pantomime group Page 1019

Prayers : Member of the pantomime group

Sunday 18th November: 2nd Sunday before Advent – The Source – Music Group

Pantomime Society Corporate

1. 539 We are marching
2. 420 Our God is so great
3. 27 As the deer pants
4. 97 Father, I place into your hands
5. 469 Teach me to dance

Collect Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

WE PRAY FOR YOUR HEALING LOVE be at work in each one of these we name, according to their need: Jeremy Aske, Sofia Hageen, Douglas Hartley, Marion Walton, Paul Whitaker, David Coop, Keith Redfearn, Jean Hannam, Marjorie Moorhouse, Pat Wilcock, Helen Hearson, Glynice Lord, David Williams, Jane, James, Anne and John Milnes, and those in local residential provision.

WE PRAY FOR the parishes of St John and St Matthew, for all who live and work in Rastrick, and those who travel through. This week we particularly ask your blessing on Stoney Hill, Little Woodhouse, Bryan Street, George Street and the staff and children at Highbury School.

WE PRAY FOR the recently departed, and for all who mourn that they will know your love through those who grieve with them.

Sunday 25th November 2018 Christ the King

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Stephen Hannam /Janine Morrisroe
10.15 am Parish Communion led by Rev Stephen Hannam /Janine Morrisroe
6.00 pm Prayer Time at the Vicarage

Sidesman : Julia Tum and Carol Harvey
Readings : Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Pat Hobson Page 892
Revelation 1:4b-8 Shirley Stow Page 1233
John 18: 33-37 Pam Dimbleby Page 1087
Prayers : Julia Tum
Chalice : Janine Morrisroe and Barbara Rukin
Brasses : Wednesday Nighters'

Please note photography of all kinds is not allowed in all services

Please contact Rev. Marion Russell (713386) on worship matters (weddings, baptisms, funerals, personal support and prayer).

For administrative matters contact the Church Wardens David Marshall (718182) or Hilary Cartwright (537399)

Website e-mail Alan Hoggard alan.hoggard@blueyonder.co.uk to promote events or information for the website.

Please send newsletter items to David James (01484 715197) or email davidjict@gmail.com by N.B. 5 p.m. on Wednesdays and information to add to the website: www.stjohnsrastrick.org.uk

There is a children's area at one side of Church with books, toys and service-relevant materials where they can sit and colour. Bible toys may be taken to 'pews' during the service, then returned to the Children's area.

KNIT AND NATTER :_Would you like to come and join the knit and natter group? You would be made very welcome at Ella's home 11, Ashlea Avenue; we meet every Wednesday from 10 am to noon.

BRIGHOUSE CENTRAL FOODBANK. This month we are collecting tins of meat, fish, potatoes, vegetables, anything to make a warm meal now winter is well on its way. Any tins and toiletries are always welcome. Any donations can be placed in the basket at the back of church. Thank you for your continuing support. Missions and Charities Committee.

TRAIDCRAFT STALL: This is the last time we will be able to order cards, wrapping paper etc. from Traidcraft which will cease trading on 31 December 2018. Let's try to support Traidcraft one last time. In particular, let me know if you would like a Real Advent Calendar (£3.99 or less) as soon as possible. Christmas catalogues will be available shortly, but in the meantime the Autumn catalogue has Christmas cards, paper and some gifts. Please give your support by ordering from the catalogue and buying from our Traidcraft stall. Rosemary and Norman.

STAMPS FROM LETTERS AND CARDS. Please can you continue to save your stamps and put them in the magazine box. Thank you.

HEALING - BENEFICE EVENING SERVICES THIS AUTUMN. This series for our monthly evening services will give us opportunity to explore healing in various ways and bring our needs to God. Each service will have opportunity for prayer. They are: **TODAY 18th November, 7.00 pm at St Matthew's: Healing in Community**

16th December, 7.00 pm at St John's: Nine Lessons and Carols - The Incarnation, God with us.

BEER FESTIVAL - The committee are pleased to announce that the Festival made a profit of just over £5,000 and based upon anticipated Gift Aid monies to be claimed it has allocated £6,000 for distribution between the Church, Turning Point and Yorkshire Children's Trust. It is through the generosity of sponsors and people involved in the Festival that once again we have had a successful event. The presentation will take place on Friday 23rd November 7.30 in Church. If you are able to come along and celebrate another great event please advise Hilary or Roger for catering purposes (drinks and nibbles).

RUCKSACK CLUB ANNUAL LUNCH Crow Nest Park Golf Club
Sunday 25th November 1.00pm for 1.30pm. £18 per head for a 3 course carvery meal plus tea and coffee.

Please put your names on the list in Church or let Robert know if you will be attending and please fill in your menu choice form for starter and pudding and return to Anne or Robert along with payment by Sunday 11th November (cheques payable to St John's Rucksack Club).

OFFICE CHAIRS: We have a couple of brand new office style chairs. One is blue with a Chelsea football logo embroidered on the front of the back rest. The other is red with an Arsenal football logo embroidered on the front of the back rest. Please contact Roger or Margaret (01484718013) if you are interested or know anyone who may be interested. Donations are for church funds. Thank you.

PLEASE SUPPORT THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCH 11th December
5 course meal incl. wine for £15.00. See Cherry to book.

TICKETS FOR THIS YEAR'S PANTOMIME are now on sale priced at only £6 and £4 for concessions. To make sure you do not miss out contact Felicity Helliwell on 07849 726354.

There will be a raffle at each performance, so, if you have anything you think could be used as a prize please contact Graham on 01484 713699 or give it to him after a morning service. Thank you.

BACON BUTTIES & CAKES will be on sale before and after this morning's 10.15 service. This is courtesy of St John's Pantomime Committee. Please support us.

AN EARRING HAS BEEN FOUND IN CHURCH. It is a silver diamanté stud. Please contact Margaret Ellis(718013) if it belongs to you.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTERS' 28th November will be an **"OPEN EVENING"** when Julia Tum will give a talk entitled "Come with me up Kilimanjaro." It will be in the Conference Suite at 8 pm. Everyone welcome.

A HUGE THANK YOU TO ALL those who contributed and supported this year's Shoe Box Appeal. A total of 22 boxes from St Johns were taken to the drop off point. Thank you. Gill Mills.

RASTRICK GROWING TOGETHER INVITES YOU TO "Be Still, Be Still, b4 Xmas" Saturdays 9.30 - 10.30 am , 24th November, 1st, 8th and 15th December 2018. At St Matthew's Church, Rastrick. A time to make friends, a guided time of stillness, followed by coffee/tea and cake. **EVERYONE WELCOME.** Contact Revd Marion for more details 01484 713386.

PRAYER FOR OUR CHURCH

God of Mission who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give

Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
And power to our witness.

Help our Church to grow

In numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,

And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

DIARY

18th November	Bacon Butties before and after the morning service
18th November	7 pm Healing in Community at St Matthew's
20th November	Mothers' Union
21st November	9.30 am Benefice Communion at St Matthew's
21st November	7.30 pm P.C.C.
25th November	6 pm Prayer Time at the Vicarage
25th November	1 pm Rucksack Club Annual Lunch
28th November	8 pm Wednesday Nighters' Open Evening - Julia Tum
3rd - 8th December	Panto week - Jack and the Beanstalk
11th December	12 noon Annual Christmas Dinner
16th December	9 Lessons and Carols
24th December	3 pm and 5 pm Christingle
27 th December	St. John's Day walk and lunch
8th January	12 noon Community Lunch



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