

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 21st October 2018 Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Marion Russell

10.15 am All Age Worship and Parade Sunday led by Rev Marion Russell
Harvest Sunday

7.00 pm Benefice Healing Service at St John's

Sidesman : Gerald Savage and Oriel Kelly

Readings : Joel 2:21-27	9.00 am only	Page 913
Psalm 126	Uniformed	Page 623
Matthew 6: 25-33	Organisations	Page 971

Prayers : Uniformed organisation

Sunday 21st October: 21st Sunday after Trinity – The Source – Music Group Harvest (Parade)

1. 262 I will enter his gates with thanksgiving
2. 189 How lovely on the mountains
- 3 . We plough the fields and scatter (Words in Newsletter)
4. 292 Jesus put this song into our hearts
5. 69 Colours of day

Collect Almighty God, in whose service lies perfect freedom: teach us to obey you with loving hearts and steadfast wills; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

We pray by name for those known to us who have asked for our prayers: Sofia Hargreen, Douglas Hartley, Margaret Yuile, Marion Walton, Elaine Thorpe. Paul Whitaker, David Coop, Keith Redfearn, Christine Whitaker, Jean Hannam, Majorie Moorhouse, Pat Wilcock, Helen Hearson, Glynice Lord, David Williams, Anne and John Milnes. Please pray for Jane and James who are two young people with cancer. Move deeply within the lives of each of these people for your healing power to meet them at their point of need. May they each know your love and presence in new ways. We pray also for your healing love to flow through all those who live and work in residential provision in Rastrick.

We bring before you the hopes and fears of our own neighbourhood, especially those Thornes Park, Bell Row, Closes Road, Longroyde Road, Calder View and the staff and children at Rastrick High School.

We pray for those who have recently died, especially Marjorie Sanderson.. Grant them peace and rest. Be close to those who mourn and give them comfort of human affection and strength to continue in their own lives.

Sunday 28th October 2018 Simon and Jude, Apostles

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Canon Michael Storey/ Glenn Tatton

10.15 am Morning Prayer led by Glenn Tatton

Sidesman : Janet Thain, Audrey Belcher and Barry Belcher

Readings : Isaiah 28: 14-16 Ella Campbell Page 711
Ephesians 2:19-end Norman Lake Page 1174
John 15:17- end Nina Nicholson Page 1083

Prayers : Barbara Rukin

Brasses Mothers' Union

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 10am to noon.

BRIGHOUSE CENTRAL FOODBANK The Harvest Appeal this year 2018 is for Brighthouse Central Foodbank. Make up a 'Goody Box' by filling a washing up bowl (kept at the back of church)

Any gift for Harvest large or small will make a big difference to our vulnerable local people. Thank you. Missions and Charities Committee.

ARE THERE HYMNS AND SONGS YOU'D LIKE US TO SING? Please add them to the Treasured Hymns and Songs List at the back of church and then those who lead worship will weave them into our services at appropriate times.

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

TRAIDCRAFT STALL: Traidcraft plc's trading operations will cease on 31 December 2018. You will still be able to order your cards and gifts from Traidcraft as usual this year, but I will not be restocking the Traidcraft stall. For more information read the letter from the CEO of Traidcraft on the stall. Traidcraft Exchange which campaigns against injustice in trade will continue. Make sure you are signed up to receive Traidcraft Exchange's regular updates by emailing hello@traidcraft.org. Rosemary and Norman.

VISITORS FROM TANZANIA : In October, Leeds Diocese welcomes 4 visitors from Tanzania – Arthur, the Mara Link Officer, Peter, the Rorya Link Officer, Charles, the Tarime Link Officer and Melina, who is now managing the Safe House. They arrive on Wednesday 3rd October and will be out and about around the Diocese until they leave on Monday 22nd October. The annual Tanzania service will be held on Sunday 21st October at 3pm at Christ the King Battyeford and will be followed by light refreshments. The visitors will be attending the service.

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: **21st October, 7.00 pm at St John's: Healing Service**
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.

THERE IS TO BE A CRAFT FAIR ON 10TH NOVEMBER 10am until 2pm at St John the Divine. This is not a table top sale, only crafts please. If you can book a table at the low cost of £9.

Anyone wanting to book a table please contact Soo Sykes email - soosykes@yahoo.co.uk or text 07702892097.

SHOE BOX APPEAL : The leaflets have now arrived for this year's shoe box appeal. They are on the notice board at the rear of the church. I am happy to make shoe boxes up for people. The cost for this is £15.00 which includes the shipping cost. Please put the cash in an envelope and put on it your name and the gender and age of the child you wish the Shoe Box to go to, before **SUNDAY 21ST OCTOBER. Last date for shoe boxes is SUNDAY 11TH NOVEMBER AT 10.15 SERVICE.** Contact 01484 544749 for further details. Thank you. Gill Mills
UPDATE PLEASE DO NOT ADD ANY SWEETS OR CHOCOLATE TO YOUR SHOE BOX AS THE CUSTOMS OF THE COUNTRY TO WHICH THESE SHOES BOXES ARE DESTINED DO NOT PERMIT

FRIDAY BRUNCH AT MARGARET'S : On Friday 9th November from 10am-1pm at 43, Woodhouse Lane, there will be a fund raising event for the Safe House in Mara. Tickets £1 for a cup of tea/coffee. A bacon or sausage "butty" available on the day for £2-50. There will also be a Raffle and Cake Stall.

RUCKSACK WALK : Saturday 27th October Full Day Walk.
Leader :Martyn Haigh 01484 711824.
Leave church 9.30 am.

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

21st October	Harvest Festival - Morning Worship and Parade
21st October	3.00 pm Tanzania Service at Christ the King, Battyeferd
21st October	7.00 pm Benefice Healing Service at St John's
24th October	9.30 am Benefice Communion at St Matthew's
24th October	Wednesday Nighters'
26th October	7.30 am Morning Prayers
27th October	9.30 Rucksack Walk



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Parish Calendar : <http://tinyurl.com/jcjrehp>



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