

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 8th July 2018

Sixth Sunday after Trinity Sunday

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Marion Russell
10.15 am Parish Communion led by Rev Marion Russell
Sidesman: Shirley Stow and Nina Nicholson
Readings: Ezekiel 2:1-5 9.00 am only Page 831
2 Corinthians 12:2-10 Margaret Ellis Page 1165
Mark 6:1-13 Gerald Savage Page 1008
Prayers: Glenn Tatton
Chalice : Cherry Fancourt and Roger Ellis
Brasses : Julia Tum and Hilary Cartwright

Sunday 8th July: Music Corporate 6th Sunday after Trinity – Both books – Gordon Balmforth & Group

Old & New

1. 353 O for a thousand tongues to sing
2. 281 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
3. 173 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

The Source

4. You are my King (Listen to the Group sing this on their own)
5. 522 Though I feel afraid
6. 123 God forgave my sin (Freely, freely)
7. 246 I, the Lord of sea and sky. (Here I am, Lord)

Collect Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

We pray by name for those known to us who have asked for our prayers: Marion Walton, Elaine Thorpe, Paul Whitaker, David Coop, Keith Redfearn, Christine Whitaker, Jean Hannam, Pam McNulty, 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 residing The Hoods, Delph Place, Star Terrace and all the staff and children at Rastrick Independent School.

We pray for those who have recently died. 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 15th July 2018

Seventh Sunday after Trinity Sunday

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Marion Russell
10.15 am All Age Worship led by Rev Marion Russell / Shirley Stow
There is **NO** Benefice evening service.

Sidesman: Derek Davis, Doreen Davis, Simon Davis and Margaret Raine
Readings: Mark 6: 14-29 **9.00 am only** Page 1008
Ephesians 1:3-14 Pat Hobson Page 1173
Psalm 85: 8-13 Derek Davis Page 595
Prayers: Julia Tum

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 SPECIAL APPEAL. Brighthouse Central Foodbank needs your help! Throughout the summer holidays with children away from school and no free school meals some families will struggle more than ever, with some children going without meals altogether. Please do not let this happen, make summer holidays a great time and pop a tin or packet of food into the basket at the back of church. Any tins of meatballs, tuna, hot dogs, ham, tinned fruit, jellies, rice pudding, custard also cereals, biscuits and squash. The Foodbank try to put together bags of food to replace what they would normally get at school during this period. Thank you. Missions and Charities

TRAIDCRAFT STALL. Half-price ground coffee available now (out of date - May 2018). We are now stocking "Maccu Pichu" ground coffee from Peru to replace the standard coffee. It is a full-bodied coffee, though not bitter, with dark chocolate overtones and is 100% organic arabica coffee. We love it. Give it a try and let us know what you think. Do try out the new "Breakfast Blend" tea which replaces the "one cup" and "everyday tea" and comes highly recommended. Also available - beautiful hand-made cards at reasonable prices. 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.

FLOWER ARRANGING TEAM are looking for additional members. Would you like to join us, you do not need to be a pro, just enjoy arranging flowers. If you would like to join please ask Barbara for more details. Thank you. Barbara Rukin

THE PARENTS AND TODDLERS GROUP would like more parents/carers and children to come to the Thursday sessions (during term time only) from 9.45 am -11.15am.

We are a small, friendly group. Suitable for babies, toddlers/pre-school children. All parents, grandparents and child minders welcome.

We have a play session, craft activities, singing, snack and drink for the children and tea/coffee and biscuits for the adults.

Under 7 months free, 50p per child, £1 per adult. If you know of a family with young children please take them a flyer from the table at the back.

MAIRAED MIDGLEY is the temporary contact for the Brownies. Tel 07806 781228

BARBARA AND BRIAN RUKIN would like to thank all those who have shown concern for us after Brian's fall resulting in him breaking the top of his Humerus bone, he is now making good progress with healing at the stage to be expected. Thank you

THE WEDNESDAY NIGHTERS' STRAWBERRY TEA IS CANCELLED.

THE FIRST OF THE WILFRID CONVERSATIONS exploring the idea of regional identity partly from a theological perspective Bishop Nick Baines and Sir Gary Verity in conversation with each other and the audience.

Saturday 21st July, 10.30am-12.30pm at Ripon Cathedral. Free entry.

Contact judithbustard@riponcathedral.org.uk for more information.

RASTRICK LOCAL HISTORY GROUP Everyone is welcome to join us on a guided history walk along the Calder & Hebble Navigation Canal between Brighouse and Brookfoot

Tuesday 10th July 2018 at 6-00pm

Meet at Daisy Street car park opposite Miller's Bar.

Discover why the canals were built, the history of mills, wharfs and people, that made the area so important in the last 250 years. The walk is over a distance of around 2 miles and is on a tarmac towpath. A charge of £3 per person for non-members, proceeds towards group funds.

Disabled friendly for mobility scooters or wheelchairs

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

8th July **TODAY** Rucksack Club Walk and Barbecue
10th July 6.00 pm Rastrick Local History Group walk along the canal
11th July 9.30 am Benefice Communion **at St Matthew's**
11th July Wednesday Nighters' Wine and Cheese
13th July 7.30 am Morning Prayers.
17th July 7.30 pm Mothers Union and Summer Supper
18th July 7.30 P.C.C.
21st July 10.30 am Wilfred Conversations at Ripon Cathedral
28th July 9.30 am Rucksack Walk



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