

## 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 everyone for fellowship and light refreshments in the Church hall after the service.



### Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

### All Saints

9 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
10.15 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
3 p.m. Memorial Service at St. Matthew's

Sidesmen: Oriel Kelly and Gerald Savage

Revelation 7: 9-end

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Soo Sykes

1 John 3: 1-3

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Audrey Belcher

Matthew 5: 1-12

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Barbara Rukin

Prayers: Julia Tum

Chalice: David Marshall and Roger Ellis

Brasses: Mothers' Union

### 12 noon Rastrick Voices rehearsal

Hymns: **Old & New – Organ** (*Graham Rayner*)

1. 86 Come, let us join our cheerful songs
2. 50 Blest are the pure in heart
3. 324 May the mind of Christ my Saviour
4. 206 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
5. 589 Ye choirs of new Jerusalem
6. . Let saints on earth in concert sing (*Tune: Dundee 505*) (Words on back of newsletter)
7. 173 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

**Prayers for the week: Collect for today:** O almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow thy blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys which thou hast prepared for them that unfeignedly love thee; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

We pray for the suffering, especially Stan Brown, Dorothy Taylor, Holly Ferguson, Geoffrey Nicholson, Neil Shaw, Joan Smith, the patients at our local hospices and those who live in Cygnet Lodge. Ease their pain, and heal the damage done to them in body, mind or spirit. Be present to them through the support of family and friends and in the care of doctors and nurses and fill them with the warmth of your love.

We bring before you the hopes and fears of our own neighbourhood, particularly those who live on Thornton Road, Malham Avenue, Bedale Avenue and Linton Grove

We pray for those whose lives have been affected by the Ebola virus

We pray for the war torn countries and areas where there is conflict, particularly Israel/Gaza, Iraq and Syria

We pray for the departed. Surround all who mourn with your love. Give courage and companionship as they adjust to their loss and be with them as they grieve.

### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November

### Remembrance Sunday

### Parade

9 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Stephen Hannam

10.15 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Stephen Hannam

Sidesmen: Kathleen Fletcher and Julia Tum

Amos 5: 18-24

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Shirley Stow

1 Thessalonians 4: 13-end

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Ella Campbell

Matthew 25: 1-13

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Muriel Coop

Prayers: Muriel Coop

Chalice: Cherry Fancourt and Barbara Rukin

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

Please contact Rev. Marion Russell (713386) or [revd.marion@gmail.com](mailto:revd.marion@gmail.com) on worship matters (weddings, baptisms, funerals, personal support and prayer). For administrative matters contact the Church Wardens David Marshall (718182) or Hilary McCarthy (537399)

Website: [www.stjohnsrastrick.org.uk](http://www.stjohnsrastrick.org.uk) e mail Alan Hoggard [alan.hoggard@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:alan.hoggard@blueyonder.co.uk) to promote events or information for the website.

If you wish to discuss Gift Aid or regular giving by standing order see Cherry or Gerald.

Please send newsletter items to Margaret Ellis tel. 718013 or e mail [ellis700@btinternet.com](mailto:ellis700@btinternet.com) by 5 p.m. on Wednesdays

The Pastoral Care Team is Alan Hoggard, Margaret Ellis, Judith Readshaw, Jo Lewis, Freda Broadbent, Doreen Davis, Anne Aspinall, Cherry Fancourt, Christine James and Dianne Bates.

*For young children and carers we have a crèche in the Lady Chapel -right of the church. For slightly older children there is a children's area with books, toys and service-relevant materials where they can sit and colour should they wish to use this, during the service*

**TRAIDCRAFT:** Superb range of Christmas cards and gifts. Catalogues and order forms on the stall. Please return when completed to Dianne

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| <p>1. Let saints on earth in concert sing<br/>With those whose work is done;<br/>For all the servants of our King<br/>In heaven and earth are one.</p> <p>3. One army of the living God,<br/>To his command we bow;<br/>Part of the host have crossed the flood,<br/>And part are crossing now.</p> <p>5. Jesu, be thou our constant guide;<br/>Then when the word is given,<br/>Bid Jordan's narrow stream divide,<br/>And bring us safe to heaven.</p> | <p>2. One family, we dwell in him,<br/>One church, above, beneath;<br/>Though now divided by the stream,<br/>The narrow stream of death.</p> <p>4. E'en now to their eternal home<br/>There pass some spirits blest;<br/>While others to the margin come,<br/>Waiting their call to rest.</p> |
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Charles Wesley  
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**CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS:** December 2014-November 2015. Would you like to organise or help with an event during this important year in the life of our Church? Contact a member of the co-ordinating group Ann Johnson (769297) [annjohnson@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:annjohnson@hotmail.co.uk), David Marshall (718182) or Stephen Hannam (716053) All suggestions welcome

**PRAYER VIGIL, REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY AND ARMISTICE DAY:** St Matthew's will be open from 8<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> November. They require stewards to welcome visitors and offer tea/coffee. Contact John Mothersdale (716092) to offer.

**BEER FESTIVAL:** To take the opportunity to thank everyone for their help and support in making it a success, the committee extend a warm welcome to attend the presentation evening on 5<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30 p.m. Enjoy a drink and nibbles. If you are able to attend please see Roger, Margaret or Hilary for catering purposes.

**TABLE TOP SALE:** Saturday November 15<sup>th</sup> 9 a. m. to 12.30 p.m. Bring your friends. There will be goods old and new and some craft stalls. Coffee, tea, bacon butties, and home made cakes to enjoy too.

**ASHRAF'S BUS:** The parking of the bus in our car park on occasions has been approved by PCC

**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCH:** Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December in the Sturrock room 12.30 p.m. There will be five courses including wine for £13.50. Tickets available soon from Cherry Fancourt and Barbara Rukin

**BEER AND BANTER:** 8 p.m. Mondays at 'The Globe' 22<sup>nd</sup> December: Christmas Beers & Banter. 26<sup>th</sup> January: Norman Lake: 'Educating Honley.' Further details from Alan

**WELCOME CENTRE:** We are collecting **tins of rice pudding in November.** The box is behind the font.

**RUCKSACK CLUB WALKS:** Saturday November 15<sup>th</sup> Leaders: Roger & Margaret (718013) Leave Church at 8.30 a.m. Parking on Smithy Moor Lane/ Unsliven Road, Stocksbridge Mostly well defined paths. Some rough ground and stiles. 3 reservoirs take in farmland, woodland and a disused railway line.

**Annual Dinner:** Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at Outlane Golf Club at 7 p.m. for 7.30 p.m. Cost is £16 each for 3 courses and tea or coffee. Names on the list or contact Robert and pay Anne or Robert for your meal by Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November.

## DIARY

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> October

9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10.15 a.m. Holy Communion

### Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October

7.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

### Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

6.30 p.m. Powerhouse Prayers in the Lady Chapel

### Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November

7.30 p.m. Beer Festival presentation in the Hall

### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November

Deadline for return of Samaritans Purse shoe boxes

### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December

Blood donor sessions Are you willing and able to donate?

### Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November

9-12.30 p.m. Table Top Sale  
8.30 a.m. Rucksack Club walk leaves Church

### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> November

8 p.m. in the Globe. Beer and Banter Howard Blagborough: 'Life, Politics & God' ALL MEN WELCOME

### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November

7 p.m. 'Let's get spiritual' series looking at personal reflection at Upper Edge Baptist Church (Marina 381079)

### Monday 8<sup>th</sup>- Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Pantomime-Dick Whittington in Church Hall

