

## 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 7<sup>th</sup> June 2015

### 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
10.15 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
Marion will read John Penny's sermon, (John was a former priest at St. John's)  
Sidesmen: Janet Thain, Audrey Belcher and Barrie Belcher  
Readings: Genesis 3: 8-15 page 5 Susan Smith  
2 Corinthians 4: 13-5:1 page 1160 Audrey Belcher  
Mark 3: 20-end page 1005 Julia Tum  
Prayers: David Marshall  
Chalice: Janine Morrisroe and Cherry Fancourt  
Hymns: Old & New – Organ (*Gordon Normanton*)  
1. 314 Love is his word  
2. 233 In full and glad surrender  
3. 302 Lord Jesus Christ you have come to us  
4. 22 All to Jesus I surrender  
5. 470 Take my life and let it be  
6. 1 Abba Father let me be  
7. 300 Lord for the years

### 12 noon VOICES REHEARSAL TODAY

**Prayers for the week: Collect for today:** O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; 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.

We pray for the suffering, especially Kathleen Carline, Barbara Barrett, Stuart Whitaker, Derek Brown, Anne Milnes, Dorothy Taylor, Holly Ferguson, Geoffrey Nicholson, 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 pray for all those who are affected in any way due to the earthquake in Nepal and for aid agencies working tirelessly. We pray for members of Anne's family (Ken Mayhew's daughter) who live in Nepal.

We bring before you the hopes and fears of our own neighbourhood, particularly those who live on Oaklands, Jubilee Mount, Jubilee Terrace, Lillands Lane, Lillands Terrace and William Henry Smith School

We pray for the departed, especially Gemma Mary Holt, Michael Holt's daughter. Surround Michael and Belinda and all who mourn with your love. Give courage and companionship as they adjust to their loss and be with them as they grieve.

### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2015

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
10.15 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell  
Sidesmen: Shirley Stow, Nina Nicholson and Pat Hobson  
Readings: Ezekiel 17: 22-end page 844 Pat Hobson  
2 Corinthians 5: 6-17 page 1160 Ella Campbell  
Mark 4: 26-34 page 1006 Christine Wilson  
Prayers: Julia Tum  
Chalice: Margaret Ellis and David Marshall  
Brasses: Wednesday Nighters

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#### **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 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.

Please send newsletter items to Margaret Ellis (718013) or e mail [ellis700@btinternet.com](mailto:ellis700@btinternet.com) by **N.B. 5 p.m.** on Wednesdays  
*For young children and carers we have a crèche in the Lady Chapel. There is also a children's area at one side of Church with books, toys and service-relevant materials where they can sit and colour. New bible toys may be taken to 'pews' during the service, then returned to the Children's area.*

**PRAYER GROUP AT VICARAGE 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays in the month at 6.30 p.m. ALL WELCOME**

**TRAIDCRAFT:** Clean and Fair products are in stock and many other items. Have a browse.

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Joint Benefice Service with St Matthew's to share in celebrating the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their Anglican and Methodist Local Ecumenical Partnership. **10.00 a.m.** at St Matthew's with The Rt Revd Jonathan Gibbs, Bishop of Huddersfield & The Revd Roger Walton, West Yorkshire Methodist District Chair. **Informal lunch in the Parish Hall afterwards, provided by St Matthew's.** There will be **no** services at St John's on that Sunday – share the blessings at St Matthew's! *Marion*

**SONGS OF PRAISE:** Your votes are in! Wonder what came top? Come and sing Rastrick's favourite hymns at St Matthew's on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 6 p.m., followed by a social evening all together in St Matthew's Church Hall.

**'PAUL BUILDING CHURCHES OF FAITH':** Thursdays 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30 p.m. in the Sturrock Room. Come and join us for fun and fellowship. *Alan and Julia*

**BELATED CONGRATULATIONS:** Freda and Roger Broadbent recently celebrated 50 years of marriage. We wish to congratulate them on this wonderful achievement.

**LUNCH BAGS:** Carol Harvey has been busy decorating them and filling them with yummy Wrights' ginger biscuits and brandy snaps. Centenary packs only £2.

**FLOWER FESTIVAL/ART WEEKEND Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June:** We would like stewards in the Church and also people to prepare and serve refreshments which will be served from 12.30 p.m. - 2 p.m. and 3.30-5 p.m. in the hall on the Saturday. Please see Barbara (718993) or Margaret (718013) **A HUGE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.**

**ST. JOHN'S CENTENARY OPEN GARDENS: Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July** Entrance ticket- £1, for adults, inclusive entrance to all gardens. (Anne B, Ella, Oriel, Margaret H, Cherry, Margaret F, Anne A) **Please grow some plants, seedlings or cuttings for our plant stall.** Phone Anne Aspinall (718969) for programmes **or** purchase from people opening gardens

**WELCOME CENTRE:** We are collecting **tins of vegetarian meals e.g. macaroni cheese in May.** Many thanks.

**RUCKSACK CLUB WALK: Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June** Leader: Stephen Guy (712874) Leaving Church: 1.30pm. This is an easy 5½ mile walk round Temple Newsam Park, Leeds. If you are walking please put your name on the lists in Church or contact the leaders

**Dates for your diary:** Half day walk and barbecue: Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July Walk leaders: Judith and Eric (716652) Barbecue at Jennifer and Stephen's, The Spinney, 8, Lyndhurst Road.

Full day walk: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July Leaders: Sandra, Jenny and Tina

## DIARY 2015

### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June

9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

10.15 a.m. Holy Communion

### Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June

7.30 p.m. in the Sturrock Room (see above)

### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June

7.30a.m. Morning Prayer

9.45 a.m. Rucksack Club walk leaves Church

### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June

6 p.m. Rastrick Songs of Praise at St. Matthew's followed by fun and fellowship in The Parish Hall. Everyone welcome.

### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June

7.30 pm P.C.C.

### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

8 p.m. at the Globe Beer and Banter 'An evening with Mark Cheetham' **MEN ONLY** **PIE AND PEAS AVAILABLE**

### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June: 10-5 p.m. and Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June: 12-2 p.m.

Centenary event: Flower Festival and Art Festival weekend. Refreshments available in the Hall on Saturday

### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July

**NO SERVICES AT ST. JOHN'S TODAY (see above)**

### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July

2-4p.m. and 5-7.30 p.m. Blood Donor sessions in the Hall

### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July

Centenary event Open Gardens (see above)

### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September

Beer Festival: 3-10.30 p.m.

### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September

Beer festival: 1-10.30 p.m.