

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 25th September 2016

18th Sunday after Trinity

9 a.m.	Holy Communion led by Rev. Stephen Hannam		
10.15 a.m.	Parish Communion led by Rev. Stephen Hannam		
3.00 om	Messy Church		
6.00 pm	Prayer Meeting @ The Vicarage		
Sidesmen:	Julia Tum and Carol Harvey		
Readings:	1 Timothy 6.6-19	Soo Sykes	Page 1194
	Psalm 146	Norman Lake	Page 632
	Luke 16.19-end	Julia Tum	Page 1050
Prayers:	Barbara Rukin		
Chalice:	Janine Morrisroe and Cherry Fancourt		

Sunday 25th August: 18th Sunday after Trinity - Organ (Graham Atherton)

1. 14 All my hope on God is founded
2. 57 Brother, let me be your servant
3. 576 When I needed a neighbour
4. 56 Broken for me, broken for you
5. 34 As we are gathered
6. 25 Amazing grace
7. 509 There's a quiet understanding
8. 74 Colours of day dawn into the mind

Prayers for the week: Collect for today God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

We pray for the suffering, especially, Ann Smith, David Williams, Mandy Rochell, Pat Wilcock, Marjorie Moorhouse, Margaret Hobson, Kathleen Carline, Anne Milnes, 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, especially for those people who live Harley Street, Harley Place, Firth Street, York Street, York Place, Denham Street, Thomas Street and for all our the children and the staff in Woodhouse School.

We pray for those who have died, especially 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 2nd October 2016

19th Sunday after Trinity

9 a.m. Holy Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell
10.15 a.m. Parish Communion led by Rev. Marion Russell

Sidesmen: Derek Davis, Doreen Davis, Simon Davis and Margaret Raine

Readings: Habakkuk 1.1-4;2.1-4 Derek Davis Page 940
2 Timothy 1.1-14 Pat Hobson Page 1195
Luke 17.5-10 David Marshall Page 1051

Prayers: David Marshall

Chalice: Barbara Rukin and Janine Morrisroe

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 McCarthy (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

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. Bible toys may be taken to 'pews' during the service, then returned to the Children's area.

USED POSTAGE STAMPS: Please save used postage stamps for Overgate Hospice and put them in the magazine box.

THE HARVEST FESTIVAL WILL TAKE PLACE ON SUNDAY OCTOBER 16TH. Goods will be taken to B.A.S.H. Goods can be dried e.g pasta or rice ; tinned e.g. soup, beans; jars e.g. jam. Toiletries such as shampoo and baby wipes are most welcome as well as household items such as toilet rolls or washing powder. Thank you for your donations.

MESSY CHURCH: TODAY at 3pm for **ACTIVITIES** in church on an autumn theme. All the **FAMILY WELCOME. REFRESHMENTS** provided plus baking bread.

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - THE ANNUAL PARISH LUNCH organised by the Pantomime Society will be held on Sunday 2nd October from 12 noon onwards, For more details contact David Marshall (718182) and Graham Readshaw (713699).

CAN YOU PROVIDE A SWEET for the Parish Lunch? If you can please contact Graham Readshaw Tel. 713699.

SONGS IN AUTUMN – CONCERT GLEDHOLT MALE VOICE CHOIR WITH SPECIAL GUEST – SATURDAY 15TH OCT 7.15. – Tickets available from Roger Ellis and Barbara Rukin. This Concert has been sponsored and consequently every ticket sold is profit for the Church. Please try and support this event and encourage friends and acquaintances you may know through organisations you are involved in, to come along.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTERS OPEN MEETING SEPTEMBER 28th The next meeting will be at Oriel Kelly's home (8 Healey Wood Gardens) when a speaker from B.A.S.H. will talk about the charity. This will be an open meeting for anybody who may be interested. Our church gives regularly to the charity and donations from this year's harvest festival will also be going to B.A.S.H. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**

CHURCH TIDY UP AND DE CLUTTER-DAY On Tuesday October 11th from 9.30am. Please come along and help tidy up the Church in readiness for the Saturday concert. Stay as long as you can, to be followed by Harvest Lunch at noon, if you can be tempted. All invited.

Start!

22nd September - What's life all about?

29th September - Is there a God?

6th October - Why is there so much mess in life?

13th October - Who is Jesus?

20th October - Why the cross?

27th October - Where do I get started?

Thursdays 7.45pm – 9pm in

St Johns Community Hall

ALL WELCOME

More information call 07756035591 or visit www.stjohnsrastrick.org.uk

ADVENT APPEAL/KNIT AND NATTER Mission and Charities are starting a knit and natter group on Wednesday 5th October 2016 at 11, Lyndhurst Avenue from 10am to 12 noon. The purpose to make hats, gloves, scarves or toys to donate to BASH for children during the winter months.

All are welcome to join us or make at home sizes from babies to teenagers.

If you have any knitting wool you would like to donate there will be a box at the back of church. Many thanks. Missions and Charities.

AS A CHURCH WE ARE SUPPORTING BASH FOODBANK: (Brighthouse and Surrounding Homeless). This is a long term commitment. Donations that would be suitable could be **tins, jars of jam etc, soup, biscuits, pasta, rice, cooking oil, UHT milk, tea, coffee and sugar** and **non-food** items such as **washing up liquid, shampoo, baby wipes, washing powder and toilet rolls.** There is a basket at the back of church for any donations. Thank you.

UKULELE CONCERT at St JOHN'S. As part of the Brighthouse Arts Festival on Thursday 27th October we are hosting a special Ukelele Concert comprising three ukelele bands ending in an ensemble of all the bands and members of the audience with an instrument playing together. A previous ukelele concert was a resounding success so get your tickets from Christine James. All tickets £7.50. Please support this enjoyable concert as the Church will benefit from half the ticket sales and the sale of wine, beer and soft drinks.

THE TURNING POINT COUNSELLING SERVICE - NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Presentation of Reports and Accounts. Followed by light refreshments. www.turningpoint-brighthouse.org.uk

WHEN Monday September 26th, 2016 7.30pm - 9.30pm

WHERE The LinkRoom, Central Methodist Church, Commercial St, Brighthouse, HD6 1AQ

NEWSLETTER ALTERATIONS : If anyone changes their church duties please let me know so the details can be corrected. Thank you. David James.

Please send newsletter items to David James - davidjict@gmail.com - or 01484 715197 by 5 p.m. on Wednesday. It would be really useful if you indicated how long you want the item in the newsletter.

DIARY 2016

- 25th September Messy Church, 3:00pm in church.
- 25th September Prayer Meeting at the Vicarage 6pm.
- 27 September Harvest Lunch, 12:00am-2:00 pm in the Hall (2/4)
- 28th September 10.30 am Holy Communion.
- 28th September 8pm Wednesday Nighters Open Meeting about B.A.S.H.
- 30th September 7.30 am Morning Prayer.
- 4th October Harvest Lunch, 12:00am-2:00 pm in the Hall (3/4)
- 11th October Church tidy up and de clutter-day 9.30 am.
- 11th October Harvest Lunch, 12:00am-2:00 pm in the Hall (4/4)
- 13 October Deanery Synod, 7:30 pm at St John's, Clifton.
- 15th October Gledholt Male Voice Choir with Guest Soloist.
- 27th October Ukelele concert.
- 12th November Fellowship Breakfast, 9:00am at New Road.
- 12th November Table Top Sale, 9:00am-12:30pm in the Hall.
- 5th - 10th December Aladdin in Church Hall.



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



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