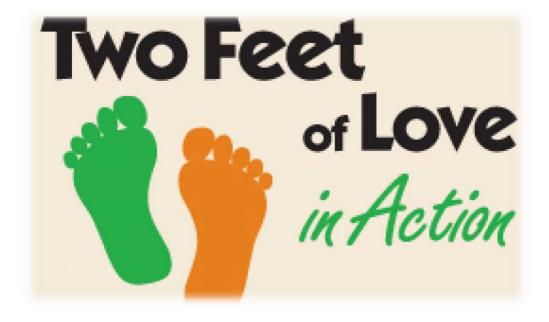


# St John's Church, Baildon



# **Family Communion Service**

## Sunday 3rd April 2022

10.00am

Welcome, notices and Banns of Marriage

Hymn

When I needed a neighbour, were you there, were you there? When I needed a neighbour, were you there?

> And the creed and the colour and the name won't matter, were you there?

I was hungry and thirsty, were you there, were you there? I was hungry and thirsty, were you there?

And the creed and the colour .....

When I needed a shelter were you there, were you there? When I needed a shelter were you there?

And the creed and the colour .....

When I needed a healer, were you there, were you there? When I needed a healer, were you there?

And the creed and the colour.....

Wherever you travel, I'll be there, I'll be there. Wherever you travel, I'll be there.

> And the creed and the colour And the name won't matter, I'll be there.

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All and also with you.

Lord we are here to worship you. Would you meet with us through your Spirit, Teach us through your Word, Show us where we need to change, And give us all we need to serve you in the world. For the glory of your name. Amen

## Saying sorry to God

Loving God we remember how you came to earth to show us how to love;

## All Yet often we let you down and do not to love one another.

Lord Jesus, we remember how you call us to follow you;

#### All Yet often we do not seem to hear your voice.

Holy Spirit you guide us to bring joy to others;

#### All Yet often we think only of ourselves

Father God, we know that we let you down in many ways,

All Father forgive us, and by your Holy Spirit help us to be more like Jesus Amen.

Thank you Lord that when we confess our sins you are faithful and just and forgive us our sins and wash us clean again.

All Amen.

Reading—John 12:1-8

## For what we have received ......

#### Hymn

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name. I've been born again in Jesus' name and in Jesus' name I come to you to share his love as he told me to.

> He said 'Freely, freely you have received, go in my name, and because you believe others will know that I live.

All power is given in Jesus' name in earth and heaven in Jesus' name and in Jesus' name I come to you to share his power as he told me to.

> He said 'Freely, freely you have received .....

God gives us life in Jesus' name he lives in us in Jesus' name and in Jesus' name I come to you to share his peace as he told me to.

> He said 'Freely, freely you have received freely, freely give; go in my name, and because you believe others will know that I live.

How can we be a blessing to others? Who does God want you to bless this week? How are you going to bless them?

## **Prayers**

All Thank you Father that we have received so much from you. Please help us to keep blessing other people by giving to them in different ways. Amen.

In our families Lord,

All help us to love.

In our places of work Lord,

All help us to love.

In our church Lord,

All help us to love.

In our neighbourhoods Lord,

All help us to love.

In our places of relaxation Lord,

All help us to love.

Wherever we meet other people Lord,

All help us to love, for the glory of your name. Amen.

## The Liturgy of the Sacrament

## The Peace

God is love and those who live in love live in God, and God lives in them.

The peace of the Lord be always with you **All and also with you.** 

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace ..

**Hymn** (during which a collection will be taken for the work of this Parish. If you are UK tax payer please consider placing your donation in the gift aid envelopes in the pews and filling out the details, this is a real help to us)

From heaven you came, helpless babe, entered our world, your glory veiled; not to be served, but to serve, and give your life that we might live.

> This is our God, the Servant King, he calls us now to follow him, to bring our lives as a daily offering of worship to the Servant King.

There in the garden of tears, my heavy load he chose to bear; his heart with sorrow was torn, 'Yet not my will but yours,' he said.

This is our God, the Servant King.....

Come see is hands and his feet, the scars that speak of sacrifice, hands that flung stars into space to cruel nails surrendered.

This is our God, the Servant King ....

So let us learn how to serve, and in our lives enthrone him; each other's needs to prefer, for it is Christ we're serving.

> This is our God, the Servant King, he calls us now to follow him, to bring our lives as a daily offering of worship to the Servant King.

## Preparation of the Table

The table is prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.

With this bread that we bring

All We shall remember Jesus.

With this wine that we bring

## All We shall remember Jesus.

Bread for his body, wine for his blood gifts from God to his table we bring

All We shall remember Jesus.

## **Eucharistic Prayer**

All	The Lord is here His Spirit is with us.		
All	Lift up your hearts. <b>We lift them to the Lord.</b>		
All	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give thanks and praise.		
Children <b>All</b>	Holy, Holy, <b>Holy.</b>		
	It is always right to give you thanks, God our Creator, loving and faithful, holy and strong. You made us and the whole universe,		

and filled your world with life.

Holy, Children Holy, Holy. You sent your Son to live among us, Jesus our Saviour, Mary's child. He suffered on the cross: he died to save us from our sins; he rose in glory from the dead. Holy, Children Holy, Holy. You send your Spirit to bring new life to the world, and clothe us with power from on high. And so we join the angels to celebrate and sing: All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Father, on the night before he died, lesus shared a meal with his friends. He took the bread, and thanked you. He broke it, and gave it to them, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me. After the meal, lesus took the cup of wine. He thanked you, and gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you. This is my blood, the new promise of God's unfailing love. Do this to remember me.

All	Jesus Christ has died. Jesus Christ has died.	
All All	Jesus Christ is risen. Jesus Christ is risen. Jesus Christ will come again. Jesus Christ will come again.	
	Father, as we bring this bread and wine, and remember his death and resurrection, send your Holy Spirit, that we who share these gifts may be fed by Christ's body and his blood.	
Children <b>All</b>	Amen, Amen, <b>Amen.</b>	
	Pour your Spirit on us that we may love one another, work for the healing of the earth, and share the good news of Jesus, as we wait for his coming in glory.	
Children <b>All</b>	Amen, Amen, <b>Amen.</b>	
	For honour and praise belong to you, Father, with Jesus your Son, and the Holy Spirit: one God, for ever and ever.	
Children <b>All</b>	Amen, Amen, <b>Amen.</b>	
The Lord's Prover		

## The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

All Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

## **Breaking of the Bread**

The president breaks the consecrated bread.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

## The Agnus Dei

All Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

## **Giving of Communion**

Before the Distribution the president says

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

All Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The body of Christ keep you in eternal life.

## All Amen.

Everyone is very welcome to come to the front of Church to receive the bread, it doesn't matter if this is your first time at a communion service or you haven't been baptised or confirmed. Everyone is very welcome to receive. Please come forward at the direction of the Churchwardens.

During the communion you are welcome to join in with the singing of the hymn

Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people, light for the world to see. Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.

Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair. Your word alone has power to save us. Make us your living voice.

Christ, be our light! ...

Longing for food, many are hungry. Longing for water, many still thirst. Make us your bread, broken for others, shared until all are fed.

Christ, be our light! ...

Longing for shelter, many are homeless. Longing for warmth, many are cold. Make us your building, sheltering others, walls made of living stone.

Christ, be our light! ....

Many the gifts, many the people, many the hearts that yearn to belong. Let us be servants to one another, making your kingdom come.

Christ, be our light! ....

#### **Prayer after Communion**

Post-communion prayer is said

All God of our pilgrimage, you have fed us with the bread of heaven. Refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## The Dismissal

#### Hymn

Brother, sister let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you; pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.

We are pilgrims on a journey and companions on the road; we are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.

I will hold the Christ-light for you in the night-time of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.

I will weep when you are weeping; when you laugh I'll laugh with you; I will share your joy and sorrow till we've seen this journey through.

When we sing to God in heaven we shall find such harmony, born of all we've known together of Christ's love and agony.

Brother, sister let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you; pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too. May God the Father watch over us and bless us, may the Lord Jesus smile upon us and be gracious to us, and may the Spirit of God help us to live justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with him, all the days of our life. and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you and with and those whom you love and pray for this day and always.

All Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

## NOTICES

**PALM SUNDAY** - Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. We will meet at the stocks at 9.50am (weather permitting) for a short act of worship before walking to church. Please could bring a branch from your garden to wave as we make that walk.

**NEXT FAMILY SERVICE**—Our next Family Service is 1st May at 10.00am at St John's. This service will remember the work of Christian Aid and there will be an opportunity to make a donation to their work.

**THE CROSS OF CHRIST**—You may recall that in previous years we have used this service on Palm Sunday evening. This year we are putting on this very moving act of worship today at St John's at 4pm. The choir have been practicing very hard for this service and they will be supported by members of other local church choirs. Please do come and support our choir.

**MESSY CHURCH**—Our Messy Church for Easter is on Sunday 10th April at 4.00pm in St John's Church Hall. All families are welcome.

**LENT LUNCHES**—Churches Together in Baildon are organising Lent Lunches this year across all the churches. They start at 12 noon, it is good to be there as near as 12 as you can get. The last date and place is:-

Friday 8th April—Moravian Church

**FOOD BANK**—We are running very low on some items for in our Food Bank as demand has continued to be high over the past few months. There are certain items that are needed and these are -

UHT milk (long life) and cereal Tinned meat, hotdogs and tuna Tins of fruit, rice pudding and custard Jars of coffee, boxes of tea Tins of potatoes, veg and spaghetti

## SERVICES IN HOLY WEEK AT ST JOHN'S

Tuesday I 2th April	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross (a reflective service using the Stations of the Cross)
Thursday 14th Apri	I 7.30pm	Maundy Thursday—a celebration of the Last Supper with a light supper, moving into the vigil
Friday I5th April	10.00— 12noon	Pilgrimage around the Church using prayer stations for reflection on the events of Holy Week events
	I2noon	Good Friday lunch in Church Hall
	2.00pm	Last Hour of the Cross

**LENT APPEAL**—As a Parish we always have a Lent Appeal and because of the war in the Ukraine, the Government has launched The Disasters Emergency Committee Ukraine Appeal and will match fund all donations. The situation is critical, they are being invaded.

**MORE THAN A MILLION** people have fled their homes to escape conflict in Ukraine. Leaving behind jobs, belongings and loved ones, they now face an uncertain future.

**18 MILLION** people are projected to become affected by the conflict

**4 MILLION** people expected to be displaced due to the conflict in Ukraine

# DEC charities are in Ukraine and neighbouring countries meeting the needs of all refugees and displaced people:

- £30 could provide essential hygiene supplies for three people for one month
- £50 could provide blankets for four families
- £100 could provide emergency food for two families for one month

There will be buckets in each of the three Churches during Lent for your cash donation but the best way to donate is by:-

## BACS:

Account name: Baildon Parochial Church Council Account number: 80028819 Sort code: 20-11-81 Please add a reference to your payment—UKRAINE

## **Text Donation**

You can make your donation via a text message. Text **BPARISHUKRAINE** followed by your donation amount to **70085** to

give that amount. Texts will cost the donation amount plus one standard network rate message and the maximum donation is £20.

#### **Cheque:**

You can send a cheque to our Parish Treasurer, Richard Nicholas, at 11 High Fold, Baildon, BD17 6LE. Again, please state that your donation is for the Ukraine Appeal, but make the cheque payable to Baildon Parochial Church Council..

**WORSHIP BAND** - We have some exciting news! We are looking to reform the Worship Band at St John's in time to play on Easter Day. Any adults and children who play an orchestral or band instrument drums, electric or acoustic guitar, woodwind or brass instruments would be very welcome. You will need to have your own instrument and not be a complete beginner. Rehearsals will be straight after the morning service for about 45 minutes until Easter Day. If you would like to know more please see Helen after Sunday worship to contact her at hmamusic@yahoo.co.uk

## **Giving to the Parish** You can help to **make a difference** to support the work of our parish. We've made it easier for you to help, you can now donate in more ways to suit you:



#### VIA THE PARISH GIVING SCHEME

You can now set up easy and safe regular giving which provides maximum benefit to the Parish. Join the Parish Giving Scheme by calling: 0333 002 1271 quoting the Parish Reference: 460646042, Baildon St John, Diocese of Leeds. Alternatively ask for a form in church.

#### VIA JUST GIVING



Hover over the code with your phone camera to reach our Just Giving page. You can donate this way, or maybe even start your own fundraising campaign for us?

#### **BY TEXT**

You can donate up to £20 by text: To donate £20 text *BAILDONPARISH 20* to 70085 To donate £15 text *BAILDONPARISH 15* to 70085 To donate £10 text *BAILDONPARISH 10* to 70085 To donate £5 text *BAILDONPARISH 5* to 70085

You can Gift Aid your donation using the link in the confirmation text you will receive later. Texts cost the value of the donation plus one standard rate message. The donation platform is provided by donr.com – they take 5% commission from each donation (25p from £5).

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