



St John's Church, Baildon



Family Communion Service

Sunday 6th November 2022

10.00am

Welcome, notices and Banns of Marriage

Hymn

**In Christ alone my hope is found,
he is my light, my strength, my song;
this cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all,
here in the love of Christ I stand.**

**In Christ alone, who took on flesh,
fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness,
scorned by the ones he came to save:
'till on that cross as Jesus died,
the love of God was magnified
for every sin on him was laid,
here in the death of Christ I live.**

**There in the ground his body lay,
light of the world by darkness slain:
then bursting forth in glorious day
up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory
sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
for I am his and he is mine -
bought with the precious blood of Christ.**

**No guilt in life, no fear in death,
this is the power of Christ in me;
from life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
can ever pluck me from his hand:
'till he returns or calls me home,
here in the power of Christ I'll stand.**

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

All and also with you.

O Lord, open our lips,

All and our mouths shall speak your praise.

O Lord, open our minds,

All and our hearts shall know your truth.

O Lord, open our hearts,

All and our lives will reflect your love.

We Say sorry

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.

May the God of love bring us back to himself, forgive you your sins and know that you live in the love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Who is brave?

Story - The Lion Inside

Brave people in the Bible

Let's make our mouse to remind us that 'With God's help we can'!

Hymn

**Be bold, be strong,
for the Lord your God is with you;
be bold, be strong,
for the Lord your God is with you.
I am not afraid (No! No! No!)
I am not dismayed (Not me!)
for I'm walking in faith and victory:
come on and walk in faith and victory
for the Lord your God is with you.**

Prayers

The Welcome

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, N by one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

All We welcome you into the fellowship of faith; we are children of the same heavenly Father; we welcome you.

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

To crown all things there must be love, to bind all together and complete the whole. Let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts.

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 by shaking each other's hand with the words 'Peace be with you'.

Hymn (during which a collection will be taken for the work of the Parish)

**By faith, we see the hand of God
in the light of creation's grand design;
in the lives of those who prove his faithfulness,
who walk by faith and not by sight.**

**By faith, our fathers roamed the earth
with the pow'r of his promise in their hearts:
of a holy city built by God's own hand
a place where peace and justice reign.**

*We will stand as children of the promise,
we will fix our eyes on him our soul's reward.
Till the race is finished and the work is done,
we'll walk by faith and not by sight.*

**By faith, the prophets saw a day
when the longed-for Messiah would appear
with the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death,
and rise triumphant from the grave.**

**By faith, the church was called to go
in the power of the Spirit to the lost
to deliver captives and to preach good news
in ev'ry corner of the earth.**

We will stand as children of the promise

**By faith, this mountain shall be moved,
and the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail,
for we know in Christ all things are possible
for all who call upon his name.**

*We will stand as children of the promise,
we will fix our eyes on him our soul's reward.
Till the race is finished and the work is done
we'll walk by faith and not by sight.*

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

The Lord is here

All His Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give thanks and praise.

The president praises God for his mighty acts and all respond

**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.

The president recalls the Last Supper, after which all respond

All Amen.

At the end of the Eucharistic Prayer we sit to remember the great things God has done for us

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

Everyone here this morning is very welcome to come and receive bread and wine, it doesn't matter if you haven't been confirmed, everyone is welcome. Please come forward at the direct of the Church Wardens.

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 president and people receive communion.

At the distribution of the bread and wine these words will be said

The body of Christ keep you in eternal life
The blood of Christ keep you in eternal life

The communicant replies **Amen**

During the distribution please join in with the singing of these hymns

**Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,
slain for us: and we remember:
the promise made that all who come in faith
find forgiveness at the cross.**

*So we share in this Bread of life,
and we drink of his sacrifice,
as a sign of our bonds of peace
around the table of the King.*

**The body of our Saviour, Jesus Christ,
torn for you: eat and remember
the wounds that heal, the death that brings us life,
paid the price to make us one.**

*So we share in this Bread of Life,
and we drink of his sacrifice
as a sign of our bonds of love
around the table of the King.*

**The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,
shed for you: drink and remember
he drained death's cup that all may enter in
to receive the life of God.**

*So we share in this Bread of Life,
and we drink of his sacrifice,
as a sign of our bonds of grace
around the table of the King.*

**And so with thankfulness and faith
we rise to respond: and to remember
our call to follow in the steps of Christ
as his body here on earth.**

*As we share in his suffering,
we proclaim: Christ will come again!
and we'll join in the feast of heaven
around the table of the King.*

Prayer after Communion

**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

**Hope of our calling: hope through courage won;
by those who dared to share all Christ had done.
Saints of today, Christ's banner now unfurled,
we bring his gospel to a waiting world.**

**Hope of our calling: hope with strength empowered,
inspired by all that we have seen and heard;
this call is ours, for we are chosen too,
to live for God in all we say and do.**

**Hope of our calling: hope with grace outpoured,
from death's despair the gift of life restored;
our call to serve, to wash each others' feet,
to bring Christ's healing touch to all we meet.**

**Hope of our calling: hope by faith made bold;
to sow God's righteousness throughout the world;
bring peace from conflict, fruitfulness from weeds,
the kingdom's harvest from a mustard seed.**

**Hope of our calling: Spirit-filled, unbound,
old joys remembered and new purpose found,
our call refreshed by sacrament and word,
we go in peace to love and serve the Lord.**

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 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

WARM WINTER CLOTHING and footwear are urgently needed by refugees and asylum seekers, arriving in Bradford wearing just flip flops and T-shirts. Please contact Michael Skelton on 01274 582224. Thank you.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY – Sunday 13th November is Remembrance Sunday. There will be a service at St James's at 10.30am and at St John's at 10.00am. There will also be a service at the War Memorial at 2.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

ALTERNATIVE BOOK CLUB – Want to know more? Come to St James's on Tuesday 29th November and Wednesday 14th December! We will be looking at 'And Yet - Find joy in Lament' written by Rachael Newham. Everyone is welcome.

FOOD BANK – St Hugh's food bank has become very busy. As a consequence, our stocks are really low. Donations can be left in the boxes outside St John's and St James's churches and inside St Hugh's foyer (the door is always open on Wednesdays 9am to 3pm). We are particularly short of: UHT milk, cereals, toilet roll, tinned meat (eg ham, minced beef in gravy, chicken in sauce, hotdogs), coffee, sugar, bread (we will freeze the loaves to make sure we give them in time), cat and dog food. There is more information on www.sthughs.org. See 'Food Bank' on the homepage and click on 'Latest News' below. Anyone who needs help can call our claim line: 07421 328187.

OCTOBER CHARITY APPEAL - In October we raised £267.50 which will go to the DEC Appeal for Pakistan. Many thanks to all who donated.

CHARITY OF THE MONTH: THE CELLAR TRUST – Our charity for November is the Cellar Trust, a Shipley based charity which offers a range of mental health support services including 24hour crisis support, peer support and help to find or stay in employment.

For more information visit www.thecellartrust.org

WAYS TO SUPPORT THE CELLAR TRUST:

DONATE through the collecting bucket at the back of church, by BACS into the parish account using the reference CELLAR TRUST text DONATECELLAR to 70085 to donate £10. Texts will cost the donation amount plus one standard network rate message.

COFFEE MORNING

Saturday 12th November St James church lounge 10.00 -11.30am

CELLAR TRUST CAFE

Visit the Cellar trust cafe Farfield Rd Shipley for coffee, cakes or lunch Monday-Friday 10 am to 14.30.

TOYS – For many families, Christmas will be more challenging this year than ever before. At the St Hugh's Centre, we are running our annual Christmas Hampers for Baildon Families in Crisis Project. We are collecting donations of toys and books to add to the hampers which need to be in new or excellent condition. Donations can be brought to Sunday services between now and preferably on 27th November. However we can accept items up to Sunday 4th December. Please do not wrap the toys so we can easily match suitable gifts to children.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – On Sunday 27th November after the Sunday morning we will be putting our Christmas Grotto together so that Father Christmas has a place to see children the next weekend. We need volunteers to help with putting up Christmas trees and making the stage festive. With enough helpers it should take a couple of hours - you will be refreshed with drinks and mince pies!

ST JAMES'S CRAFT GROUP - We invite you to join our new Craft Group every Monday from 2pm to 4pm in St James's Lounge. In the lead up to Christmas, we will be making a variety of festive items. Each session costs £3.50 and all materials are provided. Booking is essential and this can be done by contacting Helen on 07378 745676 or via email stjameshub@parishofbaildon.uk.

WEDNESDAYS AT ST JAMES'S - Join us in St James's Lounge every Wednesday from 12 noon to 4pm. We offer you our Wednesday Kitchen from 12 noon to 2pm with a Pay-As-You-Feel Soup lunch. This is followed at 2pm to 4pm by Wednesday Wellbeing , an opportunity to chat and keep warm over a cuppa, socialise with others or be creative with some simple craft activities. On the first Wednesday of each month at 12 noon there will be a short Holy Communion Service in church for those who would like to attend. For more information please contact Helen on 07378 745676 or email stjameshub@parishofbaildon.uk

Parish Christmas Market:

Saturday 3rd December 10am - 4pm:

Stalls, wreaths, raffle, games, Father Christmas and refreshments to raise much needed money for Parish funds.

Baildon at Christmas:

Sunday 4th December 11am-4pm:

We are hiring stalls in the main hall & upper room for the community 'Baildon at Christmas' event, plus Father Christmas, raffle and refreshments for Parish funds.

How can you help?

Donations needed— boxes to accept donations as you come into church.

- Chocolates (boxes of chocolate, individual bars) - for a chocolate tombola
- Bottles (mainly alcohol bottles, soft drink bottles) - for a bottle tombola
- Raffle prize donations for our luxury raffle
- Preloved Christmas clothes for us to display and sell.

Cakes—buns—scones: showcase your baking skills with some bakes for either our cake stall on Saturday, or for refreshments on Saturday and Sunday!

Please drop off your creations up to 30 minutes before we open or as early as possible at the start of the event, and if you could advise either Sandra Brickley, Anthea Petts, Julie Coles, or Sara Daniel (sara.j.daniel@gmail.com) what you are planning to make that would be helpful.

Would you like to help on one or both of the days? Many hands make light work and means we can all enjoy the event too. Please contact Sara Daniel if you would like to help on 07860 889766 or

sara.j.daniel@gmail.com



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.



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BY BACs:

Account name: Baildon Parochial Church Council
Account number: 80028819 Sort code: 20-11-81

BY CHEQUE:

Send to: Parish Treasurer, Richard Nicholas,
11 High Fold, Baildon, BD17 6LE.

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