



**Parish of
BAILDON**

St Hugh St John St James

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Third Sunday of Epiphany



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Services in the Parish next week

10.00am—Joint Parish Holy Communion Service at St John's

Hymn

**Hail to the Lord's Anointed,
great David's greater Son!
Hail in the time appointed,
his reign on earth begun!
He comes to break oppression
and set the captives free,
to take away transgression,
and rule in equity.**

**He comes with succour speedy
to those who suffer wrong;
to help the poor and needy,
and bid the weak be strong;
to give them songs for sighing,
their darkness turn to light,
whose souls, condemned and dying,
were precious in his sight.**

**He shall come down like showers
upon the fruitful earth,
and love, joy, hope, like flowers,
spring in his path to birth:
before him on the mountains
shall peace, the herald, go;
and righteousness in fountains
from hill to valley flow.**

**Kings shall bow down before him,
and gold and incense bring;
all nations shall adore him,
his praise all people sing:
to him shall prayer unceasing
and daily vows ascend;
his kingdom still increasing,
a kingdom without end.**

**O'er every foe victorious,
he on his throne shall rest;
from age to age more glorious,
all-blessing and all-blest:
the tide of time shall never
his covenant remove;
his name shall stand for ever,
his changeless name of love.**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The Greeting

Blessed are you, Lord our God, King of the universe.

**All From the rising of the sun to its setting
your name is proclaimed in all the world.**

The Lord of glory be with you.

All The Lord bless you.

Prayer of Preparation

**All Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and
from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth
Lord God heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks.
we praise you for your glory.**

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.**

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

**For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.**

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

The Collect

Reading—1 Corinthians 1. 10—18

For the gift of your holy word

All Thanks be to God.

Hymn

**King of glory, King of peace, I will love thee;
and, that love may never cease, I will move thee.
Thou has granted my request, thou hast heard me;
thou didst note my working breast, thou hast spared me.**

**Wherefore with my utmost art I will sing thee,
and the cream of all my heart I will bring thee.
Though my sins against me cried, thou didst clear me,
and alone, when they replied, thou didst hear me.**

**Seven whole days, not one in seven, I will praise thee;
in my heart, though not in heaven, I can raise thee.
Small it is in this poor sort to enrol thee:
e'en eternity's too short to extol thee.**

Gospel Reading

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

All Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

The Creed

Let us declare our faith in the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

All Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures; he was buried; he was raised to life on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures; afterwards he appeared to his followers, and to all the apostles: this we have received, and this we believe. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

At end of the prayers we say together

Merciful Father,
All accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayers of Penitence

Our Lord Jesus Christ says, 'A new commandment I give you, that you love one another as I have loved you.' Let us confess to almighty God our failure to accept his love and to share it with others.

There is one Body and one Spirit, and one hope of our calling.
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism.
Christ, have mercy.

All Christ, have mercy.

There is one God and Father of us all, above all and through all and in all.
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

Period of silent reflection

All God of mercy, we acknowledge that we are all sinners. We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said and done, and are mindful of all that we have failed to do. For the sake of Jesus, who died for us, forgive us for all that is past, and help us to live each day in the light of Christ our Lord Amen

May almighty God cleanse you from sin and make you worthy of the kingdom of his glory.

All Amen.

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The children are welcomed from their worship and notices are given.

The Peace

We are all one in Christ Jesus. We belong to him through faith, heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All and also with you.

Let us share with one another a sign of God's peace.

Hymn *during which a collection will be taken for the work of this Parish.*

**Jesus Christ is waiting,
waiting in the streets:
no one is his neighbour,
all alone he eats.
Listen Lord Jesus,
I am lonely too;
make me, friend or stranger,
fit to wait on you.**

**Jesus Christ is raging,
raging in the streets
where injustice spirals
and all hope retreats,
Listen, Lord Jesus,
I am angry too;
in the kingdom's causes
let me rage with you.**

**Jesus Christ is healing,
healing in the streets
curing those who suffer,
touching those he greets.
Listen, Lord Jesus,
I have pity too;
let my care be active,
healing just like you.**

**Jesus Christ is dancing,
dancing in the streets,
where each sign of hatred
his strong love defeats.
Listen, Lord Jesus,
I feel triumph too;
on suspicion's graveyard,
let me dance with you.**

**Jesus Christ is calling,
calling in the streets,
where each sign of hatred
his strong love defeats.
Listen, Lord Jesus,
let my fears be few;
walk one step before me,
I will follow you.**

Preparation of the Table

As this bread was scattered and then gathered and made one:
so may your Church be gathered into your kingdom.

All Glory to you, O God, for ever.

Wisdom has built her house;
she has mixed her wine; she has set her table.

All Glory to you, O God, for ever.

The 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

Great is the mystery of faith

All Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

The prayer continues and leads into the doxology, to which all respond

All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Being made one by the power of the Spirit, as our Saviour taught us,
so we pray

**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 the bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.

All God here among us,
light in the midst of us,
bring us to light and life.

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

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.

During Communion after the choir anthem please join in with the singing.

Hymn

There is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
holy One.

*Thank you, O my Father,
for giving us your Son,
and leaving your Spirit
till the work on earth is done.*

Jesus, my Redeemer,
name above all names,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
O for sinners slain.

Thanks you, O my Father

When I stand in glory,
I will see his face,
and there I'll serve my King forever,
in that holy place.

Thank you, O my Father

Prayer after Communion

The 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 children share their work.

Hymn

And can it be that I should gain
an interest in the Saviour's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain?
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

'Tis mystery all: the Immortal dies!
Who can explore his strange design?
In vain the first-born seraph tries
to sound the depths of love divine.
'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore,
let angel minds enquire no more.

He left his Father's throne above
so free, so infinite his grace
emptied himself of all but love,
and bled for Adam's helpless race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;
for, O my God, it found out me!

Long my imprisoned spirit lay
fast bound in sin and nature's night;
thine eye diffused a quickening ray;
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
my chains fell off, my heart was free,
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.

No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive to him, my living head,
and clothed in righteousness divine,
bold I approach the eternal throne,
and claim the crown, through Christ, my own.

The Blessing and Dismissal

Go in the peace to love and serve the Lord.

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

NOTICES

CANON SANDRA will be preaching and presiding at Haworth and Stanbury this morning. Please pray for her as she leads worship in this part of our Deanery.

CRAFTS AT ST JAMES'S—Following on from the success of our Christmas craft group at St James's leading up to Christmas, we have decided to continue crafting on a Monday afternoon at the earlier time of 1.15pm. We are learning new crafts through skill sharing, while socialising and having a cuppa. There are still a couple of places available if anyone else would like to join us. Please contact Helen on 07378 745676 or via stjameshub@parishofbaildon.uk for more information.

CRAFT THROUGH WORSHIP will be at St James' Church on Sunday 22 January at 6pm. It's the beginning of 2023 and we are starting a new theme which is exciting! Each month we are going to be looking at a word which ends in'ing'. Our word for January is 'Economising'. Do come along and find out why we have chosen this theme and more about it. If you have not been to Craft through Worship but enjoy crafting or making things and would like to find out more about why we are interested in connecting crafting with our spiritual journey, then do come along. Everyone is welcome. A reflection on the theme and craft resources will be available from Sunday 15 January. Please email Ruth on ruthjyeoman@hotmail.com if you would like to receive the reflection and pick up resources for crafting.

MEETING OF CHURCHES TOGETHER in Baildon will take place on Tuesday 24 January at 7.30pm at St John's Church Hall. This will be the first meeting for some time. Do come along if you are interested in the Churches in Baildon working together as we look to the future.

ADMISSION TO COMMUNION—we will be running this course for children of Year 2 school age and above. It is a very important introduction to the children as to the meaning of communion. If you would like to know more about what's involved or to check on dates etc please speak to either Canon Sandra or Alison Boggie (01274 592339)

WEDNESDAY COFFEE - we have started Wednesday Coffee at St James's Church. Do you fancy a chat with friends in a lovely setting? Do join us from 10.00am—12 noon every Wednesday.

COLLECTION OF NON FOOD ITEMS—There has been a great response to the "take what you need" box outside St John's. Please continue to put any donations in the box and feel free to take anything for yourself or someone you know in need. All the small donations make a big difference to others. Thank you to all who have given items and best wishes to all who have taken items. We all appreciate that every little helps.

WARM WEDNESDAYS - St Hugh's is a Warm Space every Wednesday 9am to 2pm. We have toasted teacakes, crumpets and warm drinks from 9am and homemade soup and cakes for lunch from 12 noon. We have the daily newspapers and our little library available. Warm Spaces are designed to offer companionship, food and drink, and heated seated areas in these times of difficulty. Everybody is welcome and food and refreshments is offered free or on a Pay-As-You-Feel basis. We offer this in association with Bradford Council who have provided a grant for this service.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY HOME BOXES January is the month we open our home collection boxes. Could all our loyal supporters please leave the boxes at the back of our churches to enable the money to be counted. Should you prefer to send a donation via either a cheque or BACS. Please send it direct to Richard Nicholas - making the cheque payable to Baildon PCC As cash is becoming less popular, the decision has been made to continue the house boxes for 1 more year only. On behalf of the Children's Society I must thank you for your continued support over the past year With my Best Wishes. Jennifer Marsh. 01274 - 585790.

WINTER CHARITIES: SHELTER, CENTREPOINT, CRISIS – These are our charities over the winter. They all focus on working with those who are homeless. Donations towards their work will be split equally among the three charities. For more information visit <https://england.shelter.org.uk/>, <https://centrepont.org.uk/>, <https://www.crisis.org.uk/>

DONATE by BACS into the parish account using the reference HOMELESS, or text **WINTERCHARITY** to **70085** to donate £10. Texts will cost the donation amount plus one standard network rate message, and you'll be opting into hearing more from us. If you would like to donate but don't wish to hear more from us, please text WINTERCHARITYNOINFO instead.

SHROVE TUESDAY—this year is Tuesday 21st February and we will be holding our Pancake Party at St James's Church at 6pm. Come and join us for some lovely pancakes and toppings, quiz and sharing together as we prepare to begin Lent.

ASH WEDNESDAY—we will marking Ash Wednesday in the parish with a service of Holy Communion and Imposition of Ashes at St James's Church at 12 noon and St John's Church at 7.30pm.

JULIAN MEETING—the next meeting of the Julian Group is Wednesday 15th February 2023.

Giving to the Parish

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