



Parish of
BAILDON
St Hugh St John St James



**WELCOME TO OUR
SERVICE FOR THE CORONATION OF
KING CHARLES III**

7th May 2023

Welcome and notices

This is the day that the Lord has made.

All Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Praise God who loves us

All Praise God who cares for us.

Hymn

**Praise the Lord for faithful service,
offered through each passing year;
hear our prayer, 'May God preserve us'
through the times of joy and fear.
Bless our king, and in God's Kingdom
Give us strength to persevere.**

**Praise the Lord for faithful vision,
guide us as we watch and pray,
make us wise in each decision,
all we think and do and say.
Bless our king, and in God's Kingdom
We will play our part each day.**

**Praise the Lord for faithful living:
sharing faith in deed and word,
trusting, hoping, still believing
all that we have seen and heard.
Bless our king and all God's Kingdom,
as we love and serve the Lord.**

**All We come together to build friendships,
we come together to get to know God.
We come together to listen to each other,
we come together to listen to what God wants to say to us.
We are here to be together, to build church and to be
church. Amen.**

Saying Sorry to God

Lord, when you came into the world, things changed. When we came into a relationship with you, things changed. Life became filled with a new sense of purpose and peace. But, Lord, sometimes we let you down by doing wrong things or failing to do right things.

All We are sorry, Lord.

Sometimes, Lord, through pride, stubbornness or fear we build barriers and keep others at arm's length – even you, Lord.

All We are sorry, Lord.

At times we give in to our weaknesses and temptations, failing to draw on your strength. At times we are troubled by difficult situations and find it hard to trust you.

All We are sorry, Lord.

Help us to turn such things around and turn to you. Help us to learn from the past and, drawing on your strength and peace, make a better future.

All Amen.

May God who loved the world so much that he sent his Son to be our Saviour, forgive you your sins and make you holy to serve him in the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

I wonder what you think of when you hear the word 'king'?
What do you think it means to be a 'good' king?

Reading— Matthew 5:6-9

I wonder, why do you think Jesus wanted to share these words with those who were with him?

Hymn

**It's a day of celebration
For our country's coronation
From every corner of the nation
We'll celebrate our King!**

**It's a day to come together
It's a day we'll all remember
From every corner of the nation
We'll celebrate our King**

*Together we sing
God save the King!
May he have wisdom every day
In every decision that he makes
Together we sing
God save the King!
From every street and every town
All of our voices will sing out
God save the King!*

**It's a day of jubilation
As we mark this great occasion
From every corner of the nation
We'll celebrate our King**

**So we're praying for a blessing
May he grow to be a great King
As he serves us
God be with him
Now and every day**

Together we sing

**God bless the King (twice)
Long live the King
Oh let us sing!
God bless this coronation day.**

*Together we sing
God save the King!
May he have wisdom every day
In every decision that he makes
Together we sing
God save the King!
From every street and every town
All of our voices will sing out
God save the King! (x 3 times)*

Reading—Matthew 5: 14-16

Finding the ‘to do’ and ‘to be’ words—which is which?

What is on our ‘to do’ and ‘to be’ lists?

Choir anthem—‘The Call’ by Vaughan Williams

Baptism Welcome

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:
N and 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.**

Prayers—we use our hands as we pray

GIVE THANKS for the opportunity to make such a positive difference in the world

ASK FOR HELP to notice times where we can show goodness and compassion to others and the world around you

REFLECT on our day and think about times you have been able to ‘shine as a light’ so far

SAY SORRY for the times we haven’t always shown goodness or compassion

DECIDE how we will ‘shine as a light’ in the world going forward

We finish our prayers by saying together the Lord's Prayer

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.

Hymn (during which the collection will be taken. 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. There is a contactless giving machine available as you leave Church if you would prefer to give in this way)

**We are marching in the light of God,
We are marching in the light of God.
We are marching in the light of God,
We are marching in the light of God.
We are marching, we are marching Oh
We are marching in the light of God.
We are marching, we are marching Oh
We are marching in the light of God.**

We are living in the love of God...

We are moving in the power of God...

The Blessing

Bless us Lord and help us think about you more. (touch head)

Help us to love your world (touch heart)

and to serve you. (touch hands)

Help us to stay close to you, as we journey through life. (hold hand out as though holding sceptre)

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.

Sisters and brothers, both young and old,
go in the peace of Christ!

All Thanks be to God.

National Anthem

**God save our gracious King!
Long live our noble King!
God save the King!
Send him victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the King.**

NOTICES

REFRESHMENTS—Tea/coffee/juice and biscuits will be served in the Hall after this service. Everyone is very welcome to join us.

CONFIRMATION—We will be welcoming Bishop Toby to St John's Church on Sunday 23rd July at 10am for our Confirmation Service. If your child is Year 7 or above and would like to think about being confirmed please see Canon Sandra after this service. Confirmation is not just for young people, if as an adult you would like to know more please speak to Canon Sandra after this service.

SOCIAL EVENTS – as a Parish we run several events in the year so that we come together, have fun and raise some much needed funds for the Parish. A small group of people meet to plan these and we could really do with some extra help. So, if you would like to join us – you don't have to leave your home for these meetings, they are always held on zoom – that would be great, or if you have an idea of a event we would love to work with you to bring your vision/ideas to life! If you want to know more please speak to Canon Sandra or Sara Daniel.

ST JAMES' CHURCH TOWER—You may or may not have noticed that work on the lower half of the church tower at St James' has recently been completed. Where before it was painted, now it is tiled. It had become increasingly difficult to find an appropriate durable coating with which to paint the wood protecting it from the elements. We are most grateful to the Yorkshire Historic Churches Trust who awarded us a grant of £1,000 towards the cost of the work. We now have a church tower which looks as if it has always been as it is now!

CHRISTIAN AID—This is our charity for May. Christian Aid exists to create a world where everyone can live a full life, free from poverty. During the year 2021 - 2022 Christian Aid reached 1.4m people with their humanitarian programmes, 257 projects were implemented in 14 countries and £7m was raised by supporters to help with humanitarian emergencies. This year's Christian Aid Week (14 – 20 May), celebrates how their partners in Malawi are helping farmers transform their livelihoods using the humble but mighty pigeon pea: a drought-resistant, soil-revitalising, high-protein, low-cost, delicious crop. To donate by BACS into the parish account use the reference CHRISTIANAID, or text CHRISTIANMAY followed by your donation amount to **70085** to give that amount. Texts will cost the donation amount plus one standard network rate message. For further information about Christian Aid's work please see their website www.christianaid.org.uk.

This year the Services of the Word at St Hugh's on 7th May at 9.30am, St James' on 14th May and St John's Communion Service on the 14th May at 10am will all use resources provided by Christian Aid. Prayer booklets and collection envelopes will be available in all three churches during May.

WEDNESDAY COFFEE— Everyone is welcome to join us on Wednesdays at St James' at 10—12noon.

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.

BY BACS to Baildon Parochial Church Council:
Account number: 80028819 Sort code: 20-11-81

BY CHEQUE to:

Parish Treasurer, Richard Nicholas, 11 High Fold, Baildon, BD17 6LE
For BACS/cheque, please add reference: *Donation or Planned Giving*

Thank you for your support!