

"I am the vine, you are the branches"

Family Service - 7th July 2024

Welcome and notices

Hymn

Come on and celebrate, his gift of love, we will celebrate. The Son of God who loved us and gave us life.

We'll shout your praise, O King, you give us joy nothing else can bring, we'll give to you our offering in celebration praise.

Come on and celebrate, celebrate, celebrate and sing, celebrate and sing to the King. Come on and celebrate, celebrate, celebrate and sing, celebrate and sing, celebrate and sing to the King.

All Lord thank you that you are here with us. Make us aware of your presence as we worship you. Speak to us that we might know you better. Fill us again with your Holy Spirit that we would live for your glory. Amen.

FRUIT TASTING

SAYING SORRY

When we sin and do the things that God doesn't want us to do, it is like we are bearing rotten fruit that it bad for us and for those around us. Let's turn to Father God and ask him to forgive us now.

All Father God, please forgive us when we have chosen: to hate instead of loving others, to grumble instead of giving thanks, to be irritable instead of showing patience, to be unkind instead of showing kindness, to be drawn to bad things instead of doing good, to be unfaithful instead of being faithful, to be rough instead of being gentle

and to be greedy and selfish instead of showing self-control. We turn away from these wrong attitudes and ask that you help us to stay connected to Jesus. Please fill us again with your peace. 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

BEING CONNECTED WITH JESUS

READING - John 15:1-5

WHO DO WE WANT TO BE CONNECTED WITH JESUS?



Hymn

You are the vine we are the branches, keep us abiding in you. You are the vine we are the branches, keep us abiding in you.

Then we'll grow in your love, Then we'll go in your name, that the world will surely know that you have power to heal and to save.

You are the vine we are the branches, keep us abiding in you.

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.

OUR RESPONSE - Do we want to be connected to Jesus?

PRAYERS

Praying that we, Jesus' followers will stay connected to him with the response:

Jesus you are the vine.

All Help us stay connected to you.

Praying for Jesus' followers who are going through hard times with the response:

Jesus you are the vine.

All Help them stay connected to you.

Praying for people who don't yet know Jesus with the response: Jesus you are the vine.

All Help them to become connected to you.

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)

Lord, the light of your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness, shining, Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us set us free by the truth you now bring us. Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine
fill this land with the Father's glory
blaze, Spirit, blaze
set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow
flood the nations with love and mercy
send forth your word
Lord, and let there be light!

Lord, I come to your awesome presence, from the shadows into your radiance; by the blood I may enter your brightness, search me, try me, consume all my darkness: shine on me, shine on me

Shine, Jesus, shine

As we gaze on your kingly brightness
So our faces display your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell your story
Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine

BLESSING

Jesus, you are the vine and we are the branches. Help us to stay connected to you each day. 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.

All Lord God, we have met with you in worship, through word, song, through our hearts and minds. We believe that, as we met you so we have been changed. Now send us out to bring your life to the world. In Christ's name. Amen.

NOTICES

REFRESHMENTS - Join us for refreshments in the Hall after the service.

WEDNESDAY COFFEE - Everyone is welcome to join us at St James' Church lounge for coffee and a chat from 10am - 12noon every week.

EXPLORE PRAYER CARDS - At the back of each Church you will find some Explore Cards. You are very welcome to have a look and take 7 them if you would like one or you know of someone who might find them helpful. They offer some thought-provoking images, simple but profound words to help anyone to express their feelings and needs - and find comfort, strength, and hope. We are very fortunate to be able to offer these free.

JIVE NIGHT - Come along to a Jive Night at St John's Church Hall on Friday 19th July. There's a Jive demonstration and instruction, cheese supper and the rest of the evening for you to practice your new moves. The Galilee Bar will be serving drinks and we will have a raffle. Tickets are £8 which includes the cheese supper. Today is the last chance for you to buy your tickets which are available after Sunday Service.

RAFFLE - It would be great to have a raffle at our Jive Evening and there is a box at the back of St John's for your donations.

DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING - Would you know what do in the event of an emergency and need to use the defibrillator? Come along to training offered by Public Access Defibrillators UK on Thursday 25th July 7-8.30pm, St James lounge. Numbers are strictly limited so book your place now with Carolyn 07735297966 or email nurse@parishofbaildon.uk

MEMBERS FOR CHURCH IN THE WORLD COMMITTEE - This committee is one of sub-committees of the PCC looking at our work and witness in the world. It would be great if we could get one or two more

members. We meet 4 times a year in person. If you would like to more please speak to Sandra after this service.

SAVE THE DATE - We have some exciting news! On Saturday 21st September there will be an opportunity to get together as a parish and think about how we become more confident in our faith. More details will follow but, for now, please save the date!

LATE LENT LUNCH - During Lent St Aidan's Roman Catholic Church were unable to put on a Lent Lunch. They are now putting on a Late Lent Lunch on Friday 12th July at 12.30pm at St Aidan's Church Hall. Please do join them for food and fellowship, all donations received will be for Mary's Meals.

JULIAN MEETING – The next meeting of the Julian Group will be on Wednesday 17th July in the Lounge at St James' Church at 2.00pm. These meetings foster the teaching and practice of contemplative prayer in the Christian tradition. Prayer can be incorporated into our everyday lives and we explore encouraging ways of doing this. Everyone is welcome.

DIOCESE OF SUDAN - Our diocesan link with the Diocese of Sudan is our charity for July. Our brothers and sisters in Sudan need our prayers and support more than ever due to the ongoing violence and humanitarian crisis leading to many people having to leave their homes and facing starvation and lack of basis resources. There will be a coffee morning at St James Church on 27th July from 10.00am to 11.30am. To donate by BACS into the parish account use the reference SUDAN or text **BAILDONSUDAN** followed by your donation amount to **70085**. Texts will cost the donation amount plus one standard network rate message.

BIASAN - Thank you to everyone who donated to BIASAN last month. The total raised was £461.20.

YORKSHIRE NIGHT – It is Yorkshire Day at the beginning of August so, to celebrate, we are holding a Yorkshire Evening at St John's Church Hall on Saturday 3rd August at 7.30pm. Included in the ticket price is a Yorkshire Cheese Supper, a quiz and a Presentation of Old Baildon and Yorkshire Spa Towns. The Galilee Bar will be open and we will also have a raffle. Tickets cost £10 and are available after service or from the Parish Office on Tuesdays and Thursdays in office hours. Just press the intercom button on St John's Hall Door or call 01274 594941.

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:



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

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