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Trinity Sunday

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Services in the Parish next week - 22nd June

10.00am - Holy Communion at St John's

10.30am - Service of the Word at St James'

6.00pm - Craft through Worship at St James'

Hymn

**Affirm anew the threefold name
of Father, Spirit, Son,
our God whose saving acts proclaim
a world's salvation won.**

**In him alone we live and move
and breath and being find,
the wayward children of his love
who cares for humankind.**

**Declare in all the earth his grace,
to every heart his call,
the living Lord of time and place
whose love embraces all.
So shall his endless praise be sung,
his teaching truly heard,
and every culture, every tongue,
receive his timeless word.**

**Confirm our faith in this our day
amid earth's shifting sand,
with Christ as life and truth and way,
a rock on which to stand;
the one eternal Son and Lord
by God the Father given,
the true and life-imparting Word,
the way that leads to heaven.**

**Renew once more the ancient fire,
let love our hearts inflame;**

**renew, restore, unite, inspire
the church that bears your name;
one name exalted over all,
one Father, Spirit, Son,
O grant us grace to heed your call
and in that name be one.**

We meet in the name of God:

All Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

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

All and also with 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

All 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.

Collect

Reading Proverbs 8.1 - 4, 22 - 31

At end of the reading

For the gift of your holy word

All Thanks be to God

Song

**Father, we adore You,
lay our lives before You:
how we love You!**

**Jesus, we adore You,
lay our lives before You:
how we love You!**

**Spirit, we adore You,
lay our lives before You:
how we love You!**

The Gospel

Here the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end of the Gospel reading

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All Praise to you O Christ.

Sermon

The Creed

Let us declare our faith in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**All We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,**

**true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven**

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come.**

Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

To the words, 'Lord, hear us', the response is 'Lord, graciously hear us'.

At the end

Merciful Father,

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

Prayers of Penitence

Holy, holy, holy. When our eyes have seen the Lord of hosts,
we echo the words of Isaiah, 'Woe is me! I am doomed.'

We long for the fire of God's cleansing to touch our unclean lips,
for our iniquity to be removed and our sins are wiped out.

So we meet Father, Son and Holy Spirit with confession on our lips.

After a period of silent reflection

We have not always worshipped God, our creator.
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

We have not always followed Christ, our Saviour.
Christ have mercy.

All Christ, have mercy.

We have not always trusted in the Spirit, our guide.
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

May the Father forgive you, by the death of his Son
and strengthen you to live in the power of the Spirit all your days.

All Amen.

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

Peace to you from God our heavenly Father.
Peace from his Son, Jesus Christ, who is our peace.
Peace from the Holy Spirit, the life-giver.

The peace of the triune God be always with you

All and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

We may exchange a sign of peace, acknowledging one another.

Hymn during which a collection is taken for the work of the Parish

**I bind unto myself today
the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same,
the Three in One, and One in Three.**

**I bind unto myself today
the virtues of the starlit heav'n,
the glorious sun's life giving ray
the whiteness of the moon at even,
the flashing of the lightning free,
the whirling wind's tempestuous shocks,
the stable earth, the deep sea
around the old eternal rocks.**

**I bind unto myself today
the power of God to hold and lead,
his eye to watch, his might to stay,
his ear to hearken to my need;**

the wisdom of my God to teach,
his hand to guide, his shield to ward,
the word of God to give me speech,
his heav'nly host to be my guard.

Christ be with me, Christ within me,
Christ behind me, Christ before me,
Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me;
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all that love me,
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

I bind unto myself the name,
the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same,
the Three in One, and One in Three,
of whom all nature hath creation,
eternal Father, Spirit, Word.
Praise to the Lord of my salvation:
salvation is of Christ the Lord. Amen

Preparation of the Table

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

Holy God, holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
give us the bread of everlasting life,
and make us branches of the true vine.

All Amen.

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

As God's children, and heirs with Christ
we cry in the Spirit, 'Abba', Father.

**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.**

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.**

The president and people receive communion. Everyone is very welcome to receive the bread and wine whether you've been baptised or confirmed. Please come forward at the direction of the Church Wardens. 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 communion after the choir anthem please join in with singing the hymn below

Holy, holy, holy, holy,

holy, holy, Lord God almighty!

**And we lift our hearts before You as a token of our love:
holy, holy, holy, holy.**

Gracious Father, gracious Father,

we're so glad to be Your children, gracious Father;

**as we lift our heads before You as a token of our love,
gracious Father, gracious Father.**

Precious Jesus, precious Jesus,

we're so glad that You've redeemed us, precious Jesus.

**as we lift our hands before You as a token of our love,
precious Jesus, precious Jesus.**

Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,

come and fill our hearts anew, Holy Spirit! -

**and we lift our voice before You as a token of our love,
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit.**

Hallelujah, hallelujah,

hallelujah, hallelujah -

**and we lift our hearts before You as a token of our love,
hallelujah, hallelujah.**

Prayer after Communion

The Post-Communion prayer for the day 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

**Thou, whose almighty word
chaos and darkness heard,
and took their flight;
hear us, we humbly pray,
and where the gospel-day
sheds not its glorious ray,
let there be light.**

**Thou, who didst come to bring
on thy redeeming wing
healing and sight,
health to the sick in mind,
sight to the inly blind,
O now to all mankind
let there be light.**

**Spirit of truth and love,
life-giving holy Dove,
speed forth thy flight;
move on the water's face,
bearing the lamp of grace
and in earth's darkest place
let there be light.**

**Holy and blessed Three,
glorious Trinity,
Wisdom, Love, Might;
boundless as oceans tide
rolling in fullest pride,
through the earth far and wide
let there be light.**

Blessing

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

NOTICES

REFRESHMENTS Everyone is very welcome to refreshments served in the Church Hall at St John's after this service.

MESSY CHURCH Our next Messy Church session is this afternoon when we will be thinking about Pentecost. All families are welcome.

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 St John's Church you will find some Explore Cards. You are very welcome to have a look and take 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.

PARISH DAY OUT There are limited places for the Auckland Project visit on Friday 18th July. There are fully accessible heritage attractions, galleries, gardens and parkland. Our ticket price includes a one-hour guided tour of the palace, chapel, state rooms and the Spanish gallery. There's unlimited access to the faith museum, gardens and tower. There are on site cafes, restaurants and gift shop. For more information go to: www.aucklandproject.org. Email Loraine for more information or to book your place: loraine.radcliffe@parishofbaildon.uk. Tel: 07301 060954

CALLING ALL SCONE BAKERS Can you help us by baking a batch of fresh home-made scones for our Hymns and Pimm's event on Sunday 22nd June? Please bring them to St John's on that morning. Thank you!

CRAFT THROUGH WORSHIP During June we will be thinking about 'People we admire' as part of our reflections on culture, in this special year for Bradford and the district. An email with resources and the craft box outside St James' Church will be available from 15th June. We will then be gathering at St James' Church on Sunday 22nd June at 6pm for a time to be together and craft, sharing in conversation. If you have not been to Craft through Worship but enjoy art or crafting 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. Please email Ruth if you would like to know more and receive resources.

HYMNS & PIMMS Sunday 22 June at 3pm at St James Church. Come and spend a Summer afternoon singing your favourite hymns and enjoy a glass of Pimm's (or non-alcoholic drink) and a delicious strawberry tea with scones and cakes in the lovely setting of St James's church. Please help us pick your favourite hymns by adding your choices to the list at the back of church. Tickets cost £5 each and are available after service from a member of the choir.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF JUNE Our usual practice is for a joint service on the fifth Sunday of the month and on 29th June this will be held at St John's Church at 10am. This is our Confirmation Service with Bishop Toby so please do put the date in your diary and come and support the candidates to be confirmed.

FOOD BANK Thank you to all those who have responded to our appeal for food and cash donations for St Hugh's Food Bank. Our shelves are looking healthier but we are still busier than normal. If you are able to donate: soup, baked beans, UHT milk, tea/coffee, biscuits, cereal, are what we need most. Collection boxes are positioned outside St John's Church, in Baildon Co-op by the self-service tills, outside St James's Church and inside St Hugh's entrance. Thank you!

REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS are the focus for this month's charity, with Refugee Week 2025 running from 16 to 22 June. **BIASAN** (Bradford Immigration & Asylum Support & Advice Network) offers free legal advice, English classes, haircuts, clothing, household items and hot food every Thursday throughout the year. Denise Hopker and Michael Skelton attend regularly and will happily show you round the refurbished premises. The contribution to society is exemplified by a former child refugee from Iran, who has just been appointed the UK's High Commissioner to Fiji. Payment details are on the back of this service sheet. Please use the reference **REFUGEES**. Thank you.

FUN AUCTION The Parish Events Group presents 'A Fun Auction' on Saturday 5th July 2025 in St John's Church Hall. Bring along up to two **good quality** items which will be auctioned, with the proceeds going to Parish Funds. It is also your opportunity to snap up a bargain! Arrive at 7pm with your items and grab yourself a drink at the Galilee Bar with the auction starting at 7.30pm. Ticket price is £7.50 which includes a pie and pea supper. Tickets are available after service or email lo-raine.radcliffe27@gmail.com / 07960 018025. This event has always proven to be lots of fun so be prepared for a night of entertainment and laughter!



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