**BENEFICES of SHERBURN in ELMET *with* BARKSTON ASH *&* SAXTON, and ABERFORD *&* MICKLEFIELD**

**and LEDSHAM with FAIRBURN**

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**22 June 2025 – FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY *(Proper 7)*** (*Year C)*

*please remember to keep the last five minutes before the services, and especially the time during the administration of Holy Communion,*

*for quiet prayer and reflection (a bell will be rung before the main service at Sherburn)*

**A special welcome** today to Sophia Isla Bone being baptised in the service at Ledsham, and to Ralph George Arthur Holmes being baptised later, also at Ledsham, and to all their families and friends.

**Micklefield Prayer Tree:** please remember to use the leaves to put people/situations to pray and/or to give thanks for. These will be used once a month in the Tuesday evening prayer intercessions.

**'The Bible Course – new edition',** a Bible Society initiative, is being run at Sherburn Methodist Church, on Tuesdays at 7.30pm. Explore the Bible, its overall flow, and its relevance to us today – there is plenty to discover. The course runs for eight weeks (from 3 June), every Tuesday in June and July except 24 June.

**Morning Prayer, 9.30am:** Tues (Aberford) ***(not 24 June)***

**Evening Prayer, 5.30pm:** Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri (Sherburn)

**Evening Prayer, 6.15pm:** Tues (Micklefield)

**Day by Day Book (Sherburn):** 23 June - in loving memory of our late son Julian Richard Moore (4/3/73 to 23/6/16) by John & Ann Moore; 24 June - in memory of Robert John James McGonagle, died this day 2019, by Judith Sterling; 27 June - wedding of John and Hazel Potts (1959).

**Your prayers are asked for those who are ill: Saxton with Towton:** June Pick. **Aberford:** Margaret Taylor, Lauren Ward. **Micklefield**: Michael Needham, Jennifer Hudson, Maggie Moss, June Kelly, Brenda Law, Bill Baines. **Sherburn & Barkston Ash:** Jean Keeling, Dorothy Mills, Greta Wilkinson, Hilary Bower, Emily Barrie, Sandra Jackson, Jacqui Jolleys, Yvonne Lawton, Peter Thompson, Peter McCleave, Jessie Vause, Mike Barnard, Julie Priston, Janet Burgis, June Sams, Doreen, Molly Hoyle, Stuart Richardson, Rose & Poppy Brown, Sue Flaherty, Brenda Laycock, Beryl Walker, Sheila Innes, Freddie Storey (9), Stephanie Stewart, Jimmy Newton, Ben Clarke, Finley Black (12), Paul Shaw, Rosie Fletcher, David Atkinson.

***Please tell Angie of any amendments, or tell any of the clergy if anyone wishes to receive communion at home.***

**We pray for those who have died recently:** Leslie Graham (85)*;* Gillian Fishwick (54); Mike Wood (79); Sr Aileen Taylor CA (80+); William Neville Martin (87); Kenneth Fox (81).

**Years Mind:** Stuart Best

***May they rest in peace and rise in glory***

**D I A R Y**

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| **TODAY, 22 June** | **12.30pm Holy Baptism (Ledsham)** **6.30pm Healing Eucharist (Sherburn)** **7.30pm Wedding rehearsal (Schubert/Cliffe) (Sherburn)** |
| Monday 23 |  2.00pm Chat-a-Knit (Sherburn Church Hall)***NO*** *Ecumenical Fellowship Meeting this week. Next meeting 7 July.* |
| Tuesday 24 – **BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST** | ***NO*** *9.30am Morning Prayer (Aberford) this week****NO*** *'The Bible Course' (Sherburn Methodist Church) this week* |
| Wednesday 25 |  9.30am Eucharist (Micklefield) 7.15pm Eucharist (Sherburn)  |
| Thursday 26 |  6.15pm 'Sing Joy!' children's choir (Sherburn) 7.00pm Choir Practice (Sherburn) |
| Friday 27 – *Cyril*  | *10.00am Saxton and Sherburn Food Bank run* |
| Saturday 28 Irenaeus | 11.00am Marriage of John Martin Schubert and Emily Louise Cliffe (Sherburn 1.00pm Marriage of Joseph William Ball and Ashwathy Manoj (Saxton) |

**Worship next Sunday, 29 June**

**PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES**

**(Second Sunday after Trinity *(Proper 8)***

**A Fifth Sunday, so….**

**10.45am Benefices Eucharist (Aberford)**

***no other services in the Benefices today***

**• Selby Food Bank:** Please continue to donate to the Food Bank: donation boxes in Sherburn, (Vicarage porch & church) – next collection **this Friday, 27 June** – and in Micklefield church (+ envelope for used stamps for Martin House), church open 10.00am-4.00pm Wednesday to Sunday.

**• Next Sunday 29 June, 10.45am:** Benefices Eucharist, Aberford. The following Benefices Eucharist will be at Micklefield on Sunday 31 August at 10.45am.

**• Sunday 6 July, 2.00pm:** join Micklefield church for Hymns and Pimms! Suggested donation £5.

**• Saturday 26 July, 7.00pm (Sherburn):** Concert by Featherstone Male Voice Choir. £10 including cake & bubbly. Donations of cakes, and help, welcomed! Please tell Elizabeth if you can help (wiltonelizabeth@hotmail.com, 07855 305713).

**• Sunday 17 August:** the annual fundraising event at Micklefield church for Leeds Children's Hospital Fund. There will be a short service at 10.30am, followed by games, a cake stall, raffle and tombola. Why not bring a teddy bear and have a picnic outside? Donations of prizes and promises of cakes are very welcome.

**• Friday 5 September, 7.00pm (Sherburn):** Concert by Knottingley Silver Band.

**• Sherburn Church-Sitting:** please contact Brenda Thornton, roger.thornton2@btopenworld.com or 07706 999030, if you can help.

**Altar flowers donor/arranger rota (Sherburn)**

 1 June Kerry & David Luscombe Lizzy Allanson

 8 June Avril Evans Susan Cox

15 June Angie Wilton\* Angie Wilton\*

22 June John Potts Claire Dixon

29 June Sheila Hawking Pam Wrigglesworth

 6 July Sue Anderson Claire Dixon

Flower Coordinator Lizzy Allanson 07738 832445. Flowers are £20 per week, given to Angie by the end of the preceding month.