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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

14/06/2026

### Welcome

Methley with Mickletown Parish is a **Dog-Friendly** and **Inclusive Church** – a church which celebrates and affirms every person and does not discriminate.



*We also welcome baby Minnie and Family here this morning for baptism*

### Today's Service 11am



**Opening:** 935 Take up thy cross  
**Gradual:** 428 Lord for the years  
**Offertory:** 33 And can it be (Sagina)  
**Communion:** 159 Forth in thy name (Angels song), 146 Fill thou my life  
**Closing:** 456 Make me a channel of your peace

**President:** Rev Terry Williams  
**Reader:** Peter Bloodworth  
**Intercessor:** Charlotte Taylor  
**Chalice:** Jill Potts  
**Hymnal:** Stuart Davis  
**Welcomers:** Lynn Williams



### Prayers for those who are unwell

Ann, Sally, David, Michael, Jack, May, John, Steve, Julie, Karen, Joanne.

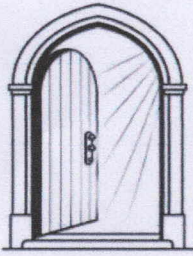
### Looking ahead in June:

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June Trinity 2** 11am  
**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Holy Communion** at St. Margaret's Hall 10am  
**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June Trinity 3** Service of the Word 11am  
**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Holy Communion** at St. Margaret's Hall 10am  
**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June Trinity 4** Eucharist 11am  
**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Holy Communion** at St. Margaret's Hall 10am

### Methley Parish Prayer

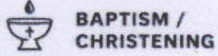


Spirit of God,  
among us here in Methley;  
us one in heart and mind,  
make us one in love.  
Humble, caring, selfless, sharing; Spirit of God, fill our lives with your purpose and love,  
Amen.



# LIFE EVENTS Meeting

## NEED TO BOOK A:



BAPTISM / CHRISTENING



WEDDING



THANKSGIVING SERVICE



MEMORIAL SERVICE



RENEWAL OF VOWS

OR WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPEAK WITH THE TEAM VICAR ABOUT A PASTORAL MATTER?

DROP IN ANYTIME  
**2ND & 4TH THURSDAYS**  
6.00PM – 8.00PM

THE VICARAGE  
8 CHURCH FARM CLOSE  
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FOR CHRIST CHURCH,  
LOFTHOUSE  
AND ST OSWALD'S,  
METHLEY WITH MICKLETOWN

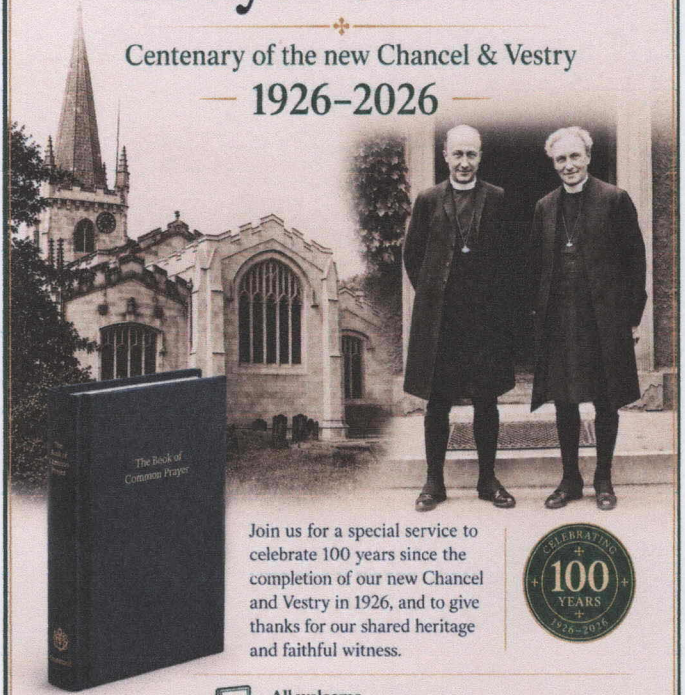


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— Friday 17 July 2026 —  
from 10:00–11:00

# Book of Common Prayer Service

Centenary of the new Chancel & Vestry  
— 1926–2026 —



Join us for a special service to celebrate 100 years since the completion of our new Chancel and Vestry in 1926, and to give thanks for our shared heritage and faithful witness.



All welcome  
We look forward to welcoming you.

# Eco Tip

## June 2026



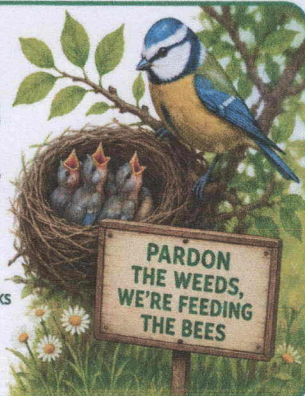
### 1 Protect Nesting Birds



Avoid cutting, trimming, or heavy disturbance of hedges and trees from March to August.



Most birds rear their chicks during this time.



### 2 Rethink Summer Travel Toiletries



Swap plastic bottles for solid bars or refillable options.



Reduce plastic waste, prevent leaks, and care for creation.



Small choices. Big difference. Love our world.



this month we will be meeting in the churchyard, or in church depending on the weather

**Sunday 21st June**  
**3:30-5:30pm**



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Stuart Davis

PCC: Ian Kerry,  
Shirley Wright,  
David Holmes, Jackie

Davis, Emma Hilton, Karen Holmes, Pam  
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Lay Chair: Stuart Davis

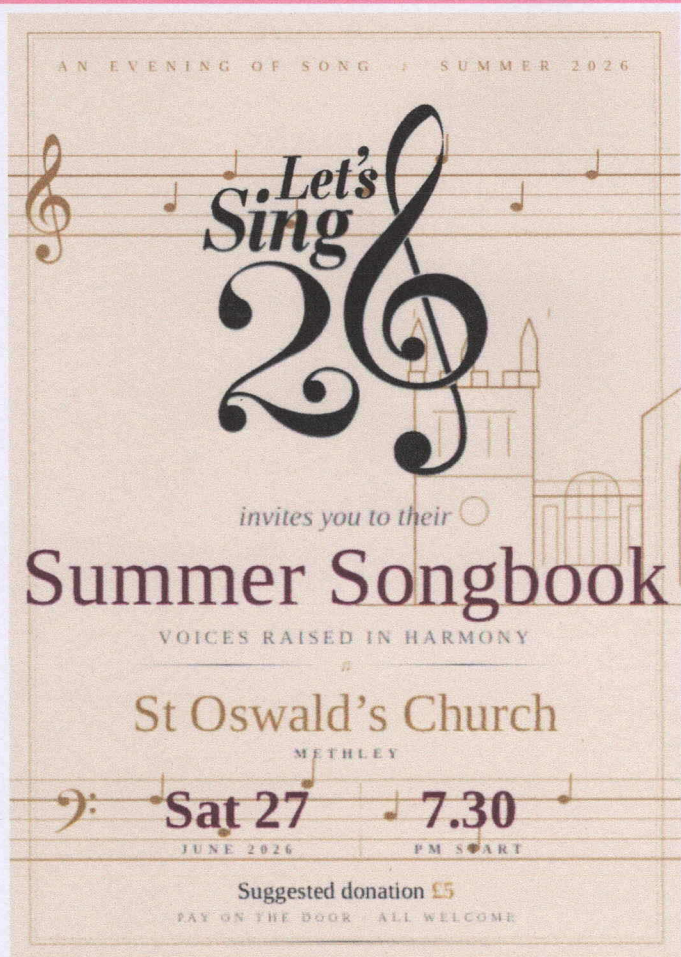
Secretary: Charlotte Taylor

Treasurer: Joanne Taylor

Safeguarding: Jill Potts



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## COLLECT

Lord, you have taught us  
that all our doings without love are  
nothing worth:

send your Holy Spirit

and pour into our hearts that most  
excellent gift of love,

the true bond of peace and of all virtues,  
without which whoever lives is counted  
dead before you.

Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's  
sake,

who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## FIRST READING Exodus 19:2-8a

*A reading from the book of Exodus.*

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the LORD called to him from the mountain, saying, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites." So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. The people all answered as one: "Everything that the LORD has spoken we will do."

Or **Genesis 18:1-5 [21:1-7]**

## PSALM Psalm 100

**R** *The Lord is gracious; his steadfast love is everlasting.*

O be joyful in the Lord, all the earth;  
serve the Lord with gladness  
and come before his presence with a  
song.

Know that the Lord is God;  
it is he that has made us and we are his;  
we are his people and the sheep of his  
pasture. **R**

Enter his gates with thanksgiving  
and his courts with praise;

give thanks to him and bless his name.

For the Lord is gracious; his steadfast love  
is everlasting,

and his faithfulness endures from  
generation to generation. **R**

## SECOND READING Romans 5:1-8

*A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans.*

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person – though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

## GOSPEL

(Short or long reading)

### Matthew 9:35 – 10:8 [9-23]

*Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.*

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest." Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed

him. These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment. [Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for labourers deserve their food. Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. As you enter the house, greet it. If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgement than for that town. See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes."]

## POST COMMUNION

Loving Father,  
we thank you for feeding us at the supper  
of your Son:

sustain us with your Spirit,  
that we may serve you here on earth  
until our joy is complete in heaven,  
and we share in the eternal banquet  
with Jesus Christ our Lord.

