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contact.*

Prebendary Canon Fr Ian writes

'Facts and Figures'

Cricket logic problem

Trinity

WHAve! – With Heart and Voice pop-up choir project

Organ Concerts

Font cover

At present, we have no resident priest.

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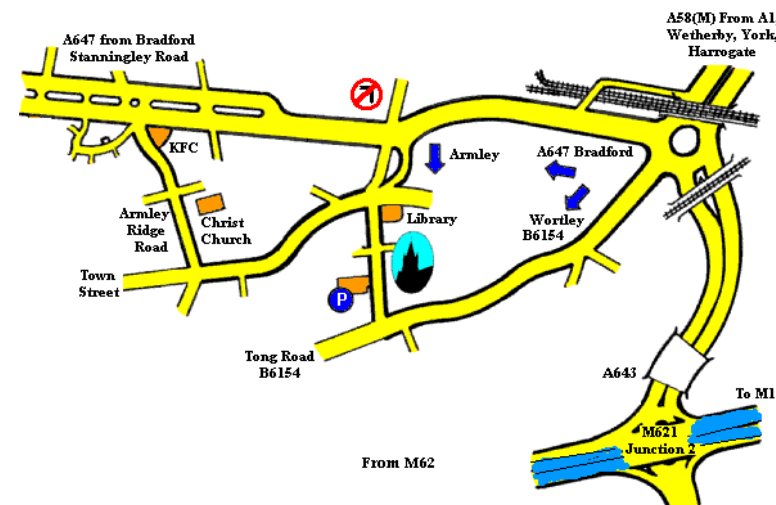
PARISH WORSHIP

SUNDAY: 10:00 SUNG MASS AND ADDRESS

Church Parade, as announced

THURSDAY: 10:00 SAID MASS in the Centenary Chapel

HOW TO FIND US:



Church website: <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/3323/>

Schulze organ website: www.armley-schulze.co.uk

PREBENDARY CANON FR IAN WRITES –

You will remember from last month the story of the early life of Richard Twigg. A product of the famous dean Hook of St. Peter's Leeds.

Hook was responsible for building the then new St. Peter's Church and for also making available education for the poor children of Leeds. He was so innovative and in his early days so unpopular, so much so that the Methodists, who were very strong at the time, attended the AGM and elected from their number church wardens for the church and parish. (Perfectly legal even today).

Richard Twigg, the disciple of dean Hook, became rector of St. James' Wednesbury and built a daughter church dedicated to St. Peter, no doubt reminiscent of his young days at St. Peter's Leeds. He trained a large number of curates, two of whom, Charles Boddington and Dr G Body, were particularly noted for their evangelical zeal. They joined Twigg in missionary activities including the great London Mission towards the end of the 19th century. Their message was one of the need for repentance and a deep and close personal relationship with Jesus. I have copies of some sermons which marked these missionaries as strong evangelicals but also rooted in the sacramental life of the church; Truly Catholic Evangelicals.

We all need to be Catholic evangelicals, embodying the faith as taught at St. Bartholomew's Armley and the proclamation of Jesus, Lord and Saviour as taught at Christ Church.

PS. Have you recalled the statue of Dean Hook in the central square in Leeds City centre. Go and see it some time. He later became dean of Chichester Cathedral.

Prebendary Ian.

Sunday readings

Sunday 7th June: Corpus Christi (Trinity 1)

OT: Deut 8:2-3, 14b-16a Ps 147: 12-13. 14-15. 19-20 .R.12a
NT: 1 Cor 10:16-17 Gospel: Jn 6:51-58

Sunday 14th June: The 11th Sunday of the Year (Trinity 2)

OT: Exod 19:2-6a Ps 100(99):1-2. 3. 5. R.3c
NT: Rom 5:6-11 Gospel: Mt 9:36-10:8

Sunday 21st June: The 12th Sunday of the Year (Trinity 3)

OT: Jer 20:10-13 Ps 69(68):8-10. 14, 17. 33-35. R.14c
NT: Rom 5:12-15 Gospel: Mt 10:26-33

Sunday 28th June: Ss Peter and Paul

NT: Acts 12: 1-11 Ps 34(33):2-3. 4-5. 6-7. 8-9. R.5
NT: 2 Tim 4:6-8 & 17-18 Gospel: Mt 16:13-19

Parish Registers

We welcome into God's family

Recently baptised: Mateo Morey, Amelia Ella Reddington, Belanger
Yunior Morey

Recently married: Laura Marie Barber and Max Oliver Smith

Recently departed: Peter Lee, Michael Campbell

Rest eternal grant unto them ☩ Lord and may light perpetual shine
upon them.

May they rest in peace and rise in glory †

TRINITY

Easter, Ascension and Pentecost (Whitsuntide) may have come and gone for another year, but we still have The Most Holy Trinity to celebrate this Sunday (31st. May).



*The Pascal candle proclaiming the Light of Christ during Eastertide
(photo by Benita Slater)*

During Trinity we acknowledge God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit; the Three in One

One of my pet hates is that the Sundays in Trinity are called 'Sundays in Ordinary Time'. In my view, all Sundays are special as we celebrate the presence of the Lord at the Mass. It has been suggested that 'ordinary' refers to the ordinal numbers (e.g. 1st, 2nd, 3rd) assigned to a particular week, but I think this is a weak explanation.



I also dislike 'The *n*th. Sunday (and Week) of the Year'; it means very little. The First Week of the Year in 2026 began on 12th. January but the Ninth Week of the Year starts on 1st. June! Totally incomprehensible to your average churchgoer! It may be old-fashioned, but I much prefer the Book of Common Prayer method of naming Sundays. At least you knew where you were with Trinity 1 (The First Sunday after Trinity).

Jon Kaye (PCC Treasurer)

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I Don't Like Cricket, I Love It

Logic Problem by Jon Kaye

This month's puzzle is an easy logic problem. Use your powers of deduction to work out the solution.

		Runs				Position			
		15	30	45	60	Fine leg	Point	Mid-off	Slip
Name	Hoult								
	Noakes								
	Majida								
	Shaka								
Position	Fine leg								
	Point								
	Mid-off								
	Slip								

Four cricketers compared the scores in their last innings. Each one has a specialist fielding position. How many runs did the fielder at point score?

Put a cross in a box if the combination is definitely false and a tick if it's definitely true. Remember that if you have a tick in any box of a larger 4x4 square, then the other three small squares directly above and/or below and directly to its left and/or right must be false, so place a cross in each of them.

Clues

1. Majida fielded at slip.
2. Majida scored 30 more runs than the mid-off fielder.
3. The player that scored the least number of runs is either the fielder at mid-off or at slip.
4. Noakes scored 30 more runs than Hoult.
5. Hoult fielded at fine leg.

When you have a tick or cross in each of the 48 squares, you can complete the box below.

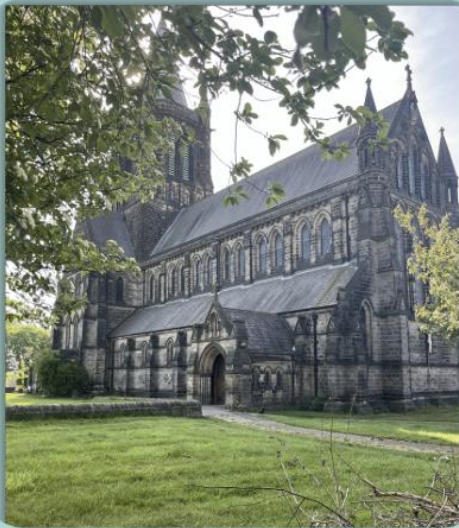
Answer		
Name	Position	Runs
Hoult		
Noakes		
Majida		
Shaka		

Answer is elsewhere in this magazine.

WHA Ve!

With Heart And Voice

A pop-up choir project for Armley,
St Bart's, Wesley Road, LS12 1SR



Suitable for all ages (children must be accompanied by an adult!)



With Heart And Voice

Wednesday 20th May, 1.30-2.30pm

Join us for a cup of tea/coffee and cake and find out more about the project!

Tuesday 2nd June, 1.30-2.30pm

Our first session, looking at music and getting to know each other!

Wednesday 3rd June, 7-8pm

Our second session, looking at music and getting to know each other if evenings are better for you!

Friday 5th June, 1.30-2.30pm

Our third session, looking at music and getting to know each other!

Saturday 1st August, 12-2.30pm

Join us for a longer session to explore the music and have lunch together.

Further dates to be confirmed with a daytime performance on Saturday 19th September. Come along to one or all of the dates above. All sessions are FREE but please book by scanning the QR code.



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6TH APRIL - BACH FAVOURITES
4TH MAY - HANDEL IN THE STRAND
25TH MAY - YOU CHOOSE! (REQUESTED PROGRAMME)
31ST AUG - FORTY YEARS ON!

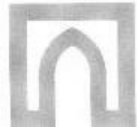
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I Don't Like Cricket, I Love It - Answer

Name	Position	Runs
Hoult	Fine leg	30
Noakes	Point	60
Majida	Slip	45
Shaka	Mid off	15

The fielder at point scored 60 runs

FACTS AND FIGURES

GENERAL FUND – April 2026

Receipts

Leeds City Council grant	£3,500.00
Tax recovered	£967.17
Parish Giving Scheme	£483.12
Collections	£367.94
Gift Aid bankers' orders	£227.00
One Lottery	£215.28

Payments

Insurance	£1,119.61
Parish Share	£1,000.00
Gas	£951.63
Electricity	£161.16
Upkeep of services	£134.49
Photocopier	£26.47

2026 to date

Receipts	£22,344.10
Payments	£15,387.89
Surplus	£6,956.21

Owed to the PCC

HMRC tax reclaimed	£132.29
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Owed by the PCC

2026 Parish Share	-£1,306.85
Historical Parish Share	£228,561.00

J.R. Kaye 30/04/26

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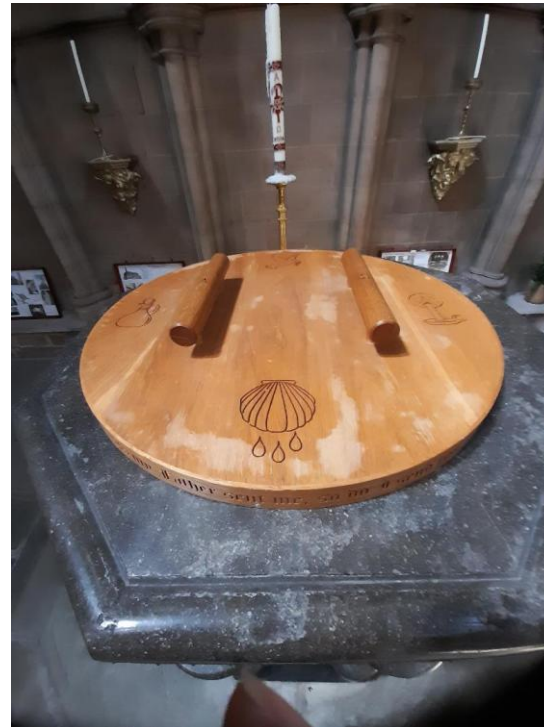
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Closed Wednesday & Sunday

Many thanks to Jim Potter for repairing the font cover. Over the years the edging had started to peel away from the wood underneath and needed re-attaching. Thanks for seeing to this Jim. We'll keep our eyes open for any more jobs that need doing in and around church!

By the way, did you know that the font cover was originally made by none other than Tibby Singh, BBC Carpenter of the Year!



The repaired font cover in situ

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Arrangements for Baptisms & Weddings

Contact Mrs. E. Handley

See above



I've been sending Pat Pilkington the parish magazine by email for a few months now. She writes, 'Many thanks for the Magazines. You are quite right. The Scout Group Executive Committee were approached and asked if there was someone they would like the road to be named after. They kindly chose our name in memory of Ron. A great honour.'

Regards Pat