



ST MARGARET'S ILKLEY

SUNDAY 6 SEPTEMBER
Trinity XIV

8.00 am – BCP Holy Communion
Fr Marc

from 9.00 am – Breakfast Praise
Fr Alex

10.45 am – High Mass
Fr Alex (Homily: Fr Marc)

6.30 pm – Choral Evensong
Revd Isobel



*"Where two of three are gathered in my name,
I am there among them."*

IN OUR PRAYERS

Graham Birdsall, Ann Bruun, Iris Burns, Alan Calder, Teresa Cannell, Joyce Cross, Ian Donougher, Jerome Farrell, Sean Harrington, Betty James, Alan King, James McIntosh, Arnold Mahon, Pam Monkman, Stephen Pilling, Johnny Ratcliffe, Diana Rees-Jones, Philip Rowbottom, John Sunderland, Molly Sunderland, Tina Warnes, Oliver, Mike

YEARS' MIND

Sunday	Frances Elizabeth Jerry, Peter Gill
Monday	Gertrude Alice Hodges, John Hodges
Tuesday	Peter Cheney, Queen Elizabeth II
Wednesday	Enid Gibson
Thursday	Eric Adams (pr), Gertrude Darley, Vivian Patterson, Wendy Slingsby
Friday	Maureen Dobson
Saturday	Jean Rudge

Please continue to pray for the people of Sudan, whose Church is linked with our Diocese of Leeds

CHURCH DIARY

Morning Prayer is held Monday through Friday at 9.00 am — all welcome

Tuesday 8	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Marc
Thursday 10	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Alex
Friday 11	9.30 am	Playtime	
	12.30 pm	Fabric Committee meeting	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers' rehearsal	
	7.30 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Saturday 12	2.30 pm	Heritage Open Days church tour	
Sunday 13	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Dedication Fest.</i>	9.15 am	Family Mass	Fr Alex
	10.45 am	High Mass	Fr Marc (H: Catherine G)
<i>Eve of Holy Cross</i>	6.30 pm	Solemn Evensong and Benediction	Fr Marc
Tuesday 15	6.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
Thursday 17	11.00 am	Low Mass <i>with social time</i>	Fr Marc
	7.00 pm	Contemplative Mass	Fr Alex
	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting	
Friday 18	9.30 am	Playtime	
	6.30 pm	Junior singers' rehearsal	
	7.30 pm	Choir rehearsal	
Saturday 19	2.30 pm	Heritage Open Days church tour	
Sunday 20	8.00 am	Low Mass	Fr Alex
<i>Trinity XVI</i>	9.00 am	Family Mass	Fr Marc
	10.45 am	High Mass	Fr Alex
	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	Fr Alex

NOTICES

Flowers in church

Flowers are given by Pratima Shaw in remembrance of her brother Ramon who died this year.

Sunday morning coffee rota

Every Sunday our wonderful group of ladies serve coffee after the service on a Sunday morning. We have fourteen on our rota but two more volunteers would make things much easier. It entails being on the rota once every two months. The rota is set four months in advance but a very efficient swapping system means that dates can be easily changed. Although at the moment we only have ladies on the rota, we gladly welcome any gentleman who would like to volunteer. If you would like to join in with this very important ministry of hospitality please be in touch with Anne after church or 07871 591274. Many thanks.

Choral Evensong

This evening sees the return of Choral Evensong after the August choir break. The music is Charles Wood's *Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in E flat (no 1)* and Giuseppe Pitoni's *Cantate Domino*.

Heritage Open Days church tours

Saturdays 12 and 19 September, 2.30 pm

This year's Heritage Open Days festival runs from 11 to 20 September, and Fr Alex will give a tour of the church on Saturdays 12 and 19 at 2.30 pm, focussing on our beautiful glass and furnishings, and the conservation work we have undertaken over the last couple of years. All are welcome. There will also be prayer walk booklets and other literature available for visitors during the week.

Bake for the sake of others – cake sale

Sunday 13 September (please note change of date)

St Margaret's Mission Fund Cake Sale takes place next Sunday 13 September (not this morning as previously advertised). All cakes gladly received. Please bring cakes to the Parish Hall from 8.30 am on the day of the sale or ring Linda Whittaker on 601144.

Tom's 30-day Challenge for Christians Against Poverty and St Margaret's

Tom Williams is undertaking a 60 – yes – 60 km run to raise funds for Christians Against Poverty (CAP) and St Margaret's on Saturday 19 September. If you would like to sponsor him and help reach his £360 goal, go to <https://www.justgiving.com/page/tom-williams1>, or scan the QR code on the poster at the back of church. We'll add the link to make a donation to this week's e-newsletter. Thank you!

Organ Recital

Friday 2 October, 12.30 pm

Our next recital, on Friday 2 October at 12.30 pm, is another all-Bach affair, including the 6th Trio Sonata, three settings of Allein Gott (the Gloria chorale), and the Great A minor prelude and fugue. Free entry with a retiring collection for the Organ Restoration Fund. All welcome.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Refresh your life this Autumn

Tuesday 15 September, 7.00 pm, at Olicanian Cricket Club

Join an inspirational group of speakers for tips on how to revitalise and refresh your life, to include personal organisation, nutrition, health, wardrobe, relaxation and lifestyle. The event is in aid of Bowel Research UK. Tickets £20. Concessions available from Lis Merrick on 07903 287250.

Climate Café,

Monday 21 September 7.00 pm – 8.30 pm, Quaker Meeting House

Sarah Bradley and Kate Graham will host a Climate Cafe at the Quaker Meeting House on Monday 21 September at 7.00 pm. This is a small, structured event, to allow people to access difficult and complex feelings about the climate emergency and the impact it is having and will continue to have on our lives. Refreshments provided. For more information and to book your free ticket (booking is required) go to: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/climate-cafe-listening-circle-ilkley-september-the-21st-at-7pm-tickets-1998487528997>

The Sustainable Church Flowers Northern Conference

Friday 25 September, 9.30 am – 4.00 pm, at Bolton Priory

The Sustainable Church Flowers (SCF) Committee invites church flower and eco teams, SCF supporters, and clergy interested to learn and share experiences of using flowers sustainably to its first conference. Tickets are free but a donation is welcomed. Please bring a packed lunch. For full details of the programme, speakers and how to reserve your space (places are limited) please use this link <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-sustainable-church-flowers-northern-conference-tickets-1992340686626?aff=oddtcreator>

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ONE-OFF DONATIONS can also be made via the Parish Giving Scheme online, the card reader by the entrance to the church, or by scanning the QR code on the right with your mobile phone. Cash donations can be put in the large safe opposite the welcomers' table. Please use Gift Aid where possible to allow us to increase the value of your gift at no cost to you. **THANK YOU.**

