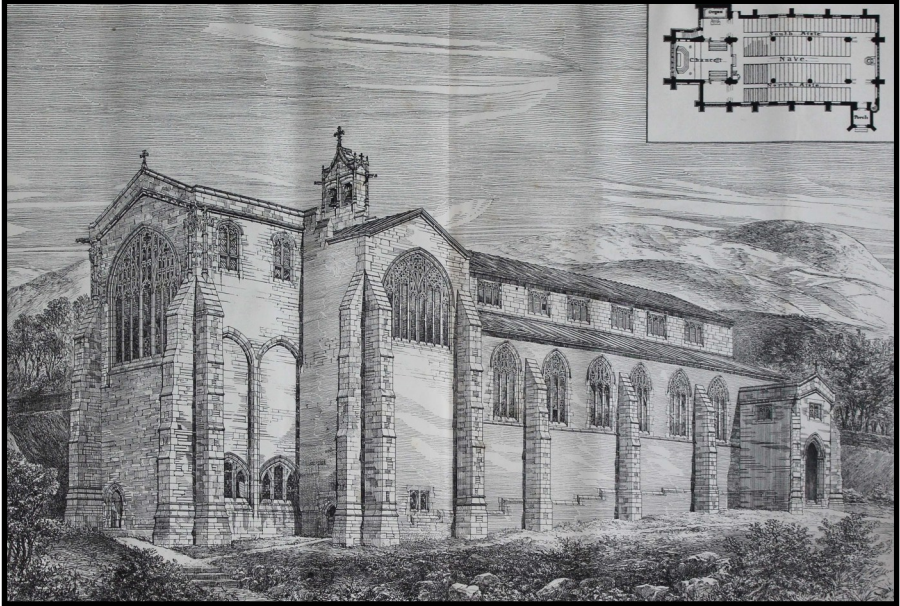




ST MARGARET'S ILKLEY



Lord, we love the house of your habitation and the place where your glory abides.

High Mass
*on the 147th Anniversary of the
Dedication of St Margaret's Church*

Sunday 13 September 2026, 10.45 am

WELCOME

You are very welcome to St Margaret's today. If it is your first time with us, please introduce yourself to the clergy and welcomers. Please see the separate pew sheet for the church diary and notices of upcoming services and events.

Please note that our service is broadcast on our YouTube channel, but only the faces of those in the first few rows at the front will occasionally be visible. The administration of holy communion is not broadcast. Please speak to one of the welcomers if you have any questions.

To receive communion, please follow the directions of the welcomers. If you are not a member of the Church of England, but normally receive communion in your own church, you are welcome to do so here. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please bring this booklet with you and hold it in your hands. We do not dip the host in the chalice. Please let a welcomer know before the service if you require a gluten-free host.

This symbol ✝ indicates where worshippers traditionally make the sign of the cross.

There will be an opportunity during the service to make a cash donation, and we are very grateful for whatever you can give. To donate digitally, please use the card readers by the entrance to church or in the parish hall, or scan the QR code below with your phone. Please consider making a regular donation to support the work of our church. **Thank you for your gift.**

Everyone is welcome to stay for refreshments in the parish hall after the service. Please take this booklet home with you as an aid for prayer and reflection through the week.

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THE GATHERING

Stand at the sound of the bell

HYMN 336 *Angel-voices ever singing*

Angel-voices ever singing
Round thy throne of light,
Angel-harps for ever ringing,
Rest not day nor night;
Thousands only live to bless thee
And confess thee
Lord of might.

Thou who art beyond the farthest
Mortal eye can scan,
Can it be that thou regardest
Songs of sinful man?
Can we know that thou art near us,
And wilt hear us?
Yea, we can.

For we know that thou rejoicest
O'er each work of thine;
Thou didst ears and hands and voices
For thy praise design;
Craftsman's art and music's measure
For thy pleasure
All combine.

In thy house, great God, we offer
Of thine own to thee;
And for thine acceptance proffer
All unworthily
Hearts and minds and hands and voices
In our choicest
Psalmody.

Honour, glory, might and merit
Thine shall ever be,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
Blessed Trinity.
Of the best which thou hast given
Earth and heaven
Render thee.

Francis Pott

E G Monk

GREETING

Priest **†** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

The priest welcomes the congregation and introduces the liturgy

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Deacon We are a temple of God's indwelling Holy Spirit, yet we have grieved him. The temple of our bodies does not belong to us, but was bought at the price of Christ's precious blood. So we come, in sorrow yet with confidence, to ask forgiveness of our Father in heaven.

We keep silence and call to mind our sins

**All Almighty God,
our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.**

We are truly sorry
 and repent of all our sins.
 For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
 who died for us,
 forgive us all that is past
 and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
 to the glory of your name.
 Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Priest Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have
 mercy upon you, † pardon and deliver you from all your
 sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep
 you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Glo-ry to God in the high-est and
 peace to his peo-ple on earth. Lord God, heav-en - ly King, al-
 migh - ty God and Fa - ther. We wor-ship you, (we wor - ship
 you,) we give you thanks (we give you thanks,) we praise you
 for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ,
 on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a-way the

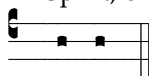
sin of the world:— have mer-cy on us; you are sea-ted at the
 right hand of the Fa-ther; re - ceive our prayer.
 For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a-lone are the
 Lord, you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ,—
 — with the Ho - ly Spi - rit † in the glo - ry of God the
 Fa - ther. A - men, a - men, a - men._____

COLLECT

Priest Let us pray.

Silence is kept

Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here: and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you, and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.



All Amen.

Sit

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Hebrews 12. 18 - 24

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, 'If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death.' Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, 'I tremble with fear.') But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

Reader For the word of the Lord:
All thanks be to God.

Stand

HYMN 206 *Christ is our corner-stone*

Christ is our corner-stone,
On him alone we build;
With his true saints alone
The courts of heaven are filled:
On his great love
Our hopes we place
Of present grace
And joys above.

Oh, then with hymns of praise
 These hallowed courts shall ring;
 Our voices we will raise
 The Three in One to sing;
 And thus proclaim
 In joyful song,
 Both loud and long,
 That glorious Name.

Here may we gain from heaven
 The grace which we implore;
 And may that grace, once given,
 Be with us evermore,
 Until that day
 When all the blest
 To endless rest
 Are called away.

Latin, 7th Century, translated by John Chandler

S S Wesley

Turn to face the Book of the Gospels as it is carried in procession

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 21. 12 - 16

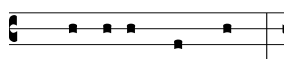
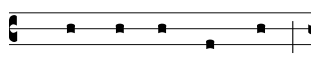
Choir Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.



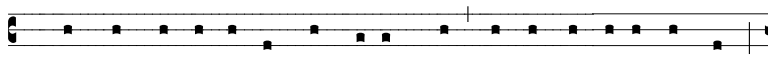
All Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Choir Lord, we love the house of your habitation and the place
 where your glory abides.

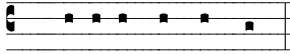
All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.



Deacon The Lord be with you. All And also with you.



Deacon † Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to St Matthew.



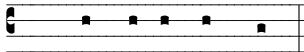
All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who were selling and buying in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money-changers and the seats of those who sold doves. He said to them, 'It is written, "My house shall be called a house of prayer"; but you are making it a den of robbers.'

The blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he cured them. But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the amazing things that he did, and heard the children crying out in the temple, 'Hosanna to the Son of David', they became angry and said to him, 'Do you hear what these are saying?' Jesus said to them, 'Yes; have you never read, "Out of the mouths of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise for yourself"?'



Deacon **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**



All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Turn back as an organ fanfare is played

Sit after the prayer

HOMILY

ORGAN REFLECTION

Stand

CREED

Priest We believe in one God,
All 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

Priest In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ, let us pray to the Father.

Kneel

One of these responses, or other suitable responses, may be used:

I:	II:	III:
Lord, in your mercy:	Lord, hear us:	Let us pray to the Lord:
hear our prayer.	Lord, graciously hear us.	Lord, have mercy.

The prayers may conclude with the Angelic Salutation ('Hail Mary'):

**All Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst women,
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners
now and at the hour of our death.**

At the end:

Priest O God, from living stones you prepare an everlasting dwelling-place for your majesty. Grant that in the power of the Holy Spirit those who serve you here may always be kept within your presence. This we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Stand

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

PEACE

Priest Peace to this house from God our heavenly Father. Peace to this house from his Son who is our peace. Peace to this house from the Holy Spirit, the life-giver.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

Deacon Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace with their neighbours

During the hymn the altar is prepared and a collection is taken

- *Cash may be given via the bags circulated during the hymn*
- *To donate digitally, please use the card readers by the entrance to church or in the parish hall, or scan the QR code at the beginning of this order of service with your phone*
- *Please consider making a regular donation to support the work of our church. **Thank you for your gift.***

HYMN 205 *Christ is made the sure foundation*

Angularis fundamentum

Christ is made the sure foundation,
And the precious corner-stone,
Who, the two walls underlying,
Bound in each, binds both in one,
Holy Sion's help for ever,
And her confidence alone.

All that dedicated city,
Dearly loved by God on high,
In exultant jubilation
Pours perpetual melody,
God the One, in Threefold glory,
Singing everlastingly.

To this temple, where we call thee,
Come, O Lord of hosts, today;
With thy wonted loving-kindness,
Hear thy people as they pray;
And thy fullest benediction
Shed within its walls for ay.

Here vouchsafe to all thy servants
Gifts of grace by prayer to gain;
Here to have and hold for ever,
Those good things their prayers obtain,
And hereafter, in thy glory,
With thy blessed ones to reign.

Laud and honour to the Father,
Laud and honour to the Son,
Laud and honour to the Spirit,
Ever Three and ever One,
One in love, and One in splendour,
While unending ages run. Amen.

*Latin, c 7th Century,
translated by J M Neale*

*Adapted from the 'Alleluias' in
Purcell's O God, thou art my God,
for BELVILLE in The Psalmist, 1843*

TAKING OF THE BREAD AND WINE

Priest Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be
acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

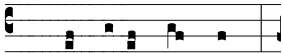
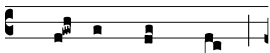
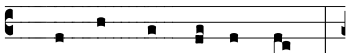
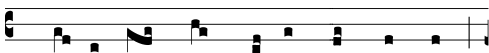
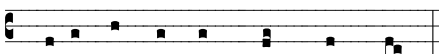
**All May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands,
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good,
and the good of all his holy Church.**

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Priest Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the
splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on
earth is yours. All things come from you, and of your own
do we give you.

All Amen.

EUCCHARISTIC PREFACE

			
Priest	The Lord be with you.	All	And also with you.
			
Priest	Lift up your hearts.	All	We lift them to the Lord.
			
Priest	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.		
			
All	It is right to give thanks and praise.		

Priest It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give you thanks, almighty and eternal Father, enthroned upon the praises of your people. We thank you for this house of prayer, in which you bless your family as we come to you in pilgrimage. Here you reveal your presence in sacramental signs and make us one with you through the unseen bond of grace. Here you build your temple of living stones and bring the Church to its full stature as the body of Christ throughout the world, to reach its perfection at last in the heavenly city of Jerusalem, the vision of your peace. Therefore, in union with the heavenly Jerusalem, with angels in joyful assembly, with all whose names are written in heaven and with the spirits of the righteous made perfect, we lift up our voices to join in the triumphal song of praise:

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Healey Willan in G

Choir Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Amen.
† Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Kneel

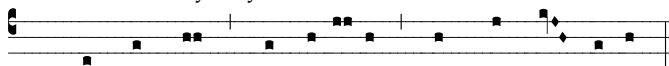
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B

Priest Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness; grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me. †

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me. †



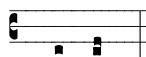
Deacon Great is the mystery of faith.



All **Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.**

Priest And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross, his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world; rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming in glory, we celebrate this memorial of our redemption. As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, we bring before you this bread and this cup and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

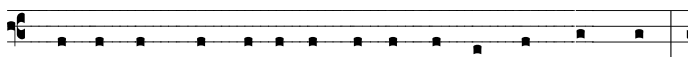
Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your kingdom all who share this one bread and one cup, so that we, in the company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St Margaret, and all the saints, may praise and glorify you for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.



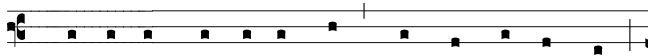
All **Amen.**

Silence is kept

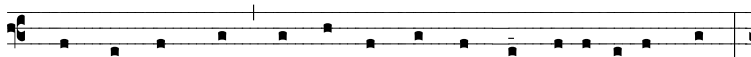
LORD'S PRAYER



Priest Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us:



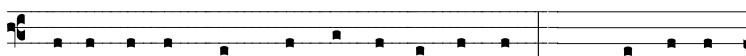
All Our Father, who art in heav'n, hallowed be thy name;



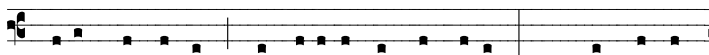
thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heav'n.



Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,



as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not



into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the



kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

AGNUS DEI

Healey Willan in G

Choir O Lamb of God that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Priest † Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

All **Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word
and I shall be healed.**

The people receive communion

- *If you are not a member of the Church of England, but normally receive communion in your own church, you are welcome to do so here*
- *If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please bring this booklet with you and hold it in your hands*
- *If you are currently unconfirmed in your faith and would like to enter more deeply into your relationship with God, please speak to the priest about the sacrament of confirmation after the service*

The choir sings during the administration of communion

MOTET *Come down, O Love divine*

Discendi, Amor santo

Come down, O Love divine,
Seek thou this soul of mine,
And visit it with thine own ardour glowing;
O Comforter, draw near,
Within my heart appear,
And kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.

O let it freely burn,
Till earthly passions turn
To dust and ashes in its heat consuming;
And let thy glorious light
Shine ever on my sight,
And clothe me round, the while my path illuming.

Let holy charity
Mine outward vesture be,
And lowliness become mine inner clothing;
True lowliness of heart,
Which takes the humbler part,
And o'er its own shortcomings weeps with loathing.

And so the yearning strong,
With which the soul will long,
Shall far outpass the power of human telling;
For none can guess its grace,
Till he become the place
Wherein the Holy Spirit makes his dwelling. Amen.

*Italian, Bianco da Siena,
translated by R F Littledale*

William Henry Harris

Remain seated for the hymn

HYMN 211 (tune 452) *O Word of God above*

O Word of God above,
Who fillest all in all,
Hallow this house with thy sure love,
And bless our festival.

Here at the font is given
The new birth from above,
And here the Spirit's gift from heaven
Confirms the soul in love.

Here Christ to faithful hearts
His body gives for food,
And here the living Lord imparts
The chalice of his blood.

Here guilty souls that pine
May health and healing win,
Forgiveness free and grace divine
Restore the dead in sin.

The God enthroned on high
Comes to this house to dwell,
Here souls at prayer may find him nigh
And know that all is well.

All glory evermore
To God the Three in One,
The God whom heaven and earth adore
While endless ages run.

Editors of the NEH, based on the Latin of Charles Guiet

Charles Lockhart

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Priest Let us pray.

Stand

Father in heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven, and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

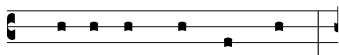
BLESSING

Priest The Lord be with you.

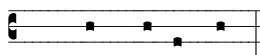
All And also with you.

Christ, whose glory is in the heavens, fill this house and illuminate your hearts; and the blessing of God almighty, † the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.



Deacon Go in the peace of Christ.



All Thanks be to God.

HYMN 427 *O praise ye the Lord*

O praise ye the Lord!
Praise him in the height;
Rejoice in his word,
Ye angels of light;
Ye heavens adore him
By whom ye were made,
And worship before him,
In brightness arrayed.

O praise ye the Lord!
Praise him upon earth,
In tuneful accord,
Ye sons of new birth;
Praise him who has brought you
His grace from above,
Praise him who has taught you
To sing of his love.

O praise ye the Lord!
All things that give sound;
Each jubilant chord,
Re-echo around;
Loud organs, his glory
Forth tell in deep tone,
And sweet harp, the story
Of what he has done.

O praise ye the Lord!
Thanksgiving and song
To him be outpoured
All ages along:
For love in creation,
For heaven restored,
For grace of salvation,
O praise ye the Lord! Amen, amen.

H W Baker

from the anthem Hear my words by Hubert Parry

ORGAN *Trumpet Minuet*

Alfred Hollins