

#### Sunday 9 November 2025

#### **Remembrance Sunday**

Welcome to today's Parish Mass. A loop system is fitted here for those with hearing devices. A collection will be taken at the Offertory, or if you prefer, a contactless machine is available by the South Porch Door.

Please respect others by not talking now, simply prepare quietly by reading this booklet or today's hymns. You may like to recite this 4th Century prayer of preparation.

Lord Almighty, send down upon this sacrifice your Holy Spirit. May he declare this bread that we shall eat to be the body of Christ, and this cup that we shall drink to be the blood of Christ. May he strengthen and sanctify us who eat this bread and drink this cup, grant forgiveness of our sins and deliver us from the wiles of the devil. May he fill us with his presence to make us worthy of Christ, your Son, and obtain for us eternal life. Amen.

Mass Setting: Overbury E

Please stand when the bell rings and join in with the parts in bold.

#### Hymn 327

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** The Lord be with you. **And with your Spirit.** 

The priest introduces the Mass

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

Lord Jesus, you were lifted up to draw all people to yourself:

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

You shouldered the cross, to bear our suffering and sinfulness:

Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

You open for your people the way from death into life:

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

#### Amen.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Let us pray.

Almighty ever-living God,
life of all that is mortal and joy of the Saints,
we humbly pray to you for your servants that,

freed from the bonds of mortality, they may possess your Kingdom in everlasting glory. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

Please be seated

A reading from the Prophet Ezekial

47:1-2, 8-9, 12

In those days: The angel brought me back to the door of the Temple, and behold, water was issuing from below the threshold of the Temple towards the east (for the Temple faced east). The water was flowing down from below the south end of the threshold of the Temple, south of the altar. Then he brought me out by way of the north gate and led me round on the outside to the outer gate that faces towards the east; and behold, the water was trickling out on the south side.

And he said to me, 'This water flows towards the eastern region and goes down into the Arabah, and enters the sea; when the water flows into the sea, the water will become fresh. And wherever the river goes, every living creature that swarms will live, and there will be very many fish. For this water goes there, that the waters of the sea may become fresh; so everything will live where the river goes. And on the banks, on both sides of the river, there will grow all kinds of trees for food. Their leaves will not wither, nor their fruit fail, but they will bear fresh fruit every month, because the water for them flows from the sanctuary. Their fruit will be for food, and their leaves for healing.'

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

46(45):2-3. 5-6. 8-9. R5

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place, the abode of the Most High.

God is for us a refuge and strength, an ever-present help in time of distress: so we shall not fear though the earth should rock, though the mountains quake to the heart of the sea.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place, the abode of the Most High.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place, the abode of the Most High. God is in her midst, she cannot be shaken; God will help her at the dawning of the day.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place, the abode of the Most High.

The LORD of hosts is with us: the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Come and behold the works of the LORD, the awesome deeds he has done on the earth.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place, the abode of the Most High.

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17

Brothers and Sisters: You are God's building. According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building upon it. Let each one take care how he builds upon it. For no one can lay a foundation other than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ.

Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy him. For God's temple is holy, and you are that temple.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Please stand for the Gospel.

#### Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

I have chosen and consecrated this house, says the Lord, that my name may be there for ever.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

2:13-22

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Passover of the Jews was at hand, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the Temple he found those who were selling oxen and sheep and pigeons, and the money-changers sitting there. And making a whip of cords, he drove them all out of the Temple, with the sheep and oxen. And he poured out the coins of the money-changers and overturned their tables. And he told those who sold the pigeons, 'Take these things away; do not make my Father's house a house of trade.' His disciples remembered that it was written, 'Zeal for your house will consume me.'

So the Jews said to him, 'What sign do you show us for doing these things?' Jesus answered them, 'Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.' The Jews then said, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this Temple, and will you raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking about the temple of his body. When therefore he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the Scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Please be seated

Homily – Fr Garnett



After a time of reflection please stand when the priest stands.

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

At the words that follow, up to and including 'and became man', all bow.

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,

and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day 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.

I 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 adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Bidding Prayers with the response after each intention: Lord, hear us, Lord graciously hear us.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord And let light perpetual shine upon them. **May they rest in peace. Amen.** 



Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among 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. Amen



After a brief silence the Priest concludes the prayers.

Please then be seated for the Offertory, during which a collection will be taken for God's work here-thank you. The bread, wine, altar, cross, priest and people are censed. Please stand when the thurifer approaches.

#### **Hymn 485**

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

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.

Receive, O Lord, in your kindness the sacrificial offerings we make for your departed servants and for all who sleep in Christ, that, set free from the bonds of death by this singular sacrifice, they may merit eternal life.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And with your Spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just.



It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Christ our Lord.

For as one alone he accepted death, so that we might all escape from dying; as one man he chose to die, so that in your sight we all might live for ever. And so, in company with the choirs of Angels, we praise you, and with joy we proclaim:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Please kneel

The Priest continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

After the words of the Consecration:

The mystery of faith.

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again

The prayer concludes with:

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

Please stand

At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. 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.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever. **Amen**The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And with your spirit.**Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

All offer one another the sign of peace

Please kneel

The choir sings the Agnus Dei – MacMillan, St Anne Mass Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us/grant us peace.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Antiphon
We await a saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ,
who will change our mortal bodies,
to conform with his glorified body.

Please come forward now to one of the three Holy Communion stations. If you are used to receiving Holy Communion, then share with us, otherwise bow your head for a blessing.

The Body (Blood) of Christ. Amen.

The choir sing the Anthem Contakion of the departed - Russian

#### Hymn 225

Please stand when the priest stands

Let us pray.

As we participate in the divine mysteries we pray, almighty God, that they may advance our salvation and bring pardon to the souls of your servants, for whom we implore your mercy.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

Bow down for the blessing:
May the God of all consolation bless you,
for in his unfathomable goodness he created the human race,
and in the Resurrection of his Only Begotten Son
he has given believers the hope of rising again. **Amen.** 

To us who are alive, may God grant pardon for our sins, and to all the dead, a place of light and peace. **Amen.** 

So may we all live happily for ever with Christ, whom we believe truly rose from the dead. **Amen.** 

 come down on you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.** The Mass is ended. Go in peace. **Thanks be to God.** 

Hail, our Queen and Mother blest! Joy when all was sadness, Life and hope you brought to birth, Mother of our gladness!

Pray for us, O Patroness, be our consolation! Lead us home to see your Son, Jesus, our salvation!



You may like to recite this 4th Century prayer of thanksgiving.

Father, we thank you for your holy name which you have made to dwell in our hearts and for the knowledge, faith and immortality which you have made known to us through your servant Jesus. To you be glory for ever.

Amen

Please be respectful of the organist and those who wish to listen to the voluntary by remaining quiet until it is over.



#### **Organ Voluntary**

**Frank Bridge,** pupil of Stanford and tutor of Britten, is still quite overlooked as an English composer of stature in the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century style. He wrote three pieces specifically for the organ, well-crafted and suited to the instrument's nature; here is the first, simply called Allegro Moderato. This set was first published in 1905. "Offstage" type trumpet calls

alternate with full organ, but the prevailing mood is of woven melodies and thoughtful build-ups. At the end there appears a blazing C major resolution approached by darker chords; those shadows don't quite fade.

## Please take this booklet home with you for the coming week's notices. Refreshments are available now at the back of church. Please join us.

NEVER STOP PRAYING

Please pray for . . . .

those baptised this weekend; Constance Limber

peace especially in the DR Congo, the Holy Land, Lebanon, Ukraine, South Sudan, Sudan, Yemen and Syria; all who in need;

our GP surgeries, hospice, hospital, and care homes;

**the sick, especially;** Angela, Angela, Bev, Chris, Christine, Eric, Geoff, Jan, Jon, Mick, Paul, Richard, Richard Francis, Tuomas, Violet and Wendy.

for those who are unable to attend Mass;

Christine, Eileen, Judith, Linda, Maureen, and Tony.

for those who have died recently;

Hazel Humphreys, Billy Potts

#### and for those whose anniversaries fall around this time.

9 Nov	Joseph Shirtcliffe, Leslie Forester	
10 Nov	Thomas Spellman, Mary Ann Cookson	
11 Nov	Sarah Brunt, Herbert Noel Salmon, Bill Cadman, Joseph	
	Tomlinson, Sydney Henry Canham, John (Jack) Lewis Fricker	
12 Nov	Wallace Molyneux, Edwin Fisher, Stanley Richardson	
13 Nov	Valda Lyn Edwards	
14 Nov	John Charles Brunt	
15 Nov	Mary Elizabeth Ward	

R.I.P.

rest in peace

Services for the week ahead				
Today	9.30am 11.30am	Mass with Junior Church Mass at Clumber		
Monday 10 November St Leo the Great	9.30am	Mass		
Tuesday 11 November St Martin of Tours	6.30pm	Mass		
Wednesday 12 November St Josaphat	9.30am	Mass		
Thursday 13 November Feria	6.30pm	Mass		
Friday 14 November Feria	12.00pm	Mass		
Saturday 15 November Feria	9.30am	Mass		
Sunday 16 November 33 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.30am 11.30am	Mass at Clumber		



Live streaming through Worksop Priory Facebook Page will take place whenever possible and technology allows.



# GIVING as an act of worship BEFORE GOD

2 CORINTHIANS 9:6-15

Due to bank charges for processing cheques and cash, we kindly ask that, wherever possible, people donate money using online banking, even for small amounts. This doesn't cost us a penny. Please indicate in the reference field who it's from, and what for, then we can Gift Aid your donation wherever possible.

Our Virgin Money bank details for standing orders or donations are:

#### **Worksop Priory PCC**

Sort Code: **05-09-89** Account Number: **38125853** 

For convenience there is also a card machine in the Priory which can be used for donations or regular payments.

You can also donate quickly and easily by scanning our QR code, this includes an option to register your donation for gift aid, it takes a matter of seconds!

Those of you that wish to continue to put cash in the collection plate each week, please note that gift aid envelopes are only required for amounts over £30.



Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.



## Sacrament of Reconciliation by appointment, or before Mass on Thursday Evening or Friday Lunchtime.

Please contact Fr Spicer for either prayer or practical need. If requested, we will come and visit if



we can, and especially in extremis. If you go into hospital or a care home please give the staff our contact numbers so that we can visit

Other Activities					
Tuesday 11	1-2pm	CommuniTea at St Paul's			
November	2-3pm	Community Pantry at St Paul's			
	7pm	PCC Meeting in Church			
Wednesday 12	10am	Songs & Stories			
November	5-6pm	Community Pantry at St Paul's			
Friday 14	10.30am	Public Hour at Priory			
November					
Sunday 16	10.45am	Safeguarding Sunday			
November		Fraud Presentation by Richard			
		Kubon in the BCVS.			



#### **Bassetlaw Food Bank**



There is a collection box, near the South Porch door.



#### St Paul's Community Pantry



Opening Hours: Tuesdays 2pm -3pm Wednesdays 5-6pm All are welcome, no referral necessary



£5 buys a mixed bag of produce, fresh and frozen and ambient products depending on availability.

### CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT WORKSOP PRIORY Featuring Carlton Main Frickley Colliery Band & Whitwell Brass Band



Join us for a festive concert in the beautiful surrounding of the Priory which will also be adorned with beautifully decorated Christmas trees.

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm (doors open 6.30pm)

Tickets £10 (U16s free) Tickets available at <a href="https://www.carltonmain.co.uk">www.carltonmain.co.uk</a> or use the QR code.

## 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at 7pm

#### An ADVENT concert in the baroque tradition (free admission)

Evening Music is a tradition dating back to baroque times in Germany, where it thrives still. A short concert is given in town churches, with a mix of sacred and secular music programmed.

Worksop Priory Choir and friends perform with strings, woodwind, and organ directed by Rosemary Field.

#### **CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL & PRIORY FAIR 2025**

Another week has passed and more entries for trees at the Tree Festival and stalls at the Christmas Fair have been received. Only three weeks to go! Please continue to spread the word to any organisations you think may like to display a tree and be in with a chance of winning the generously donated £100 prize!



Thank you so much to everyone who has already volunteered to help! If you haven't yet, please do consider if you are able to fill in some of the gaps to assist steward or provide refreshments in church through the festival. Please either give me a call (07355 850735) or add your name to the sheet in church. *Thank you, Gusan* 

#### WORKSOP REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY PARADE - 9 NOVEMBER 2025

"On Remembrance Sunday, we stand together as a community not only to pay tribute to those who gave their lives for us, but also to pass the responsibility of remembrance to the next generation. We should take great pride in seeing our young people stand in the brisk autumn weather, paying their respects to all those from every war who never returned".

At around 10:40am, the parade will 'march off' from the Market Square down to the War Memorial via Potter Street and Watson Road.

The public can observe a short wreath laying Service and Act of Remembrance conducted by Canon Nicolas Spicer, which will take place at the War Memorial at approximately 10:50am. The Worksop Salvation Army Band will play 'The Last Post' before a two minutes silence at 11:00am followed by the playing of the 'Reveille'.

Following the Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial, the parade will return to the Old Market Square at Worksop Town Hall for 'Parade dismissal'.

LETTING OUR COMMUNITY KNOW WE ARE HERE!

Last Saturday Fr Spice and Fr Willett managed to deliver Worksop Priory leaflets to 200 homes within the parish. A fantastic achievement in an hour or so. The date for the next leafleting spree will be Saturday 29<sup>th</sup>



Source: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk

November from 10am. Please do let us know if you are able to assist. If you aren't available on that day, would you be willing to leaflet a road or two in the parish at a time that is more convenient for you? Please get in touch and have a chat with Susan if you feel able to help.

#### FRAUD PRESENTATION - SUNDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

Priory is delighted to welcome Richard Kubon, from Nottinghamshire Police Fraud Connect, to speak to us **straight after 9.30am** Mass on **16<sup>th</sup> November**.



He is offering practical advice and powerful insights into fraud and scams, exposing common tactics used by fraudsters face to face and over the telephone. He'll be sharing strategies to protect us from risk.

The talk is after Mass and everyone is welcome, please do invite or bring along any family or friends who you think may be interested in hearing Richard's short presentation.

Do take advantage of this opportunity and join us in learning how to remain vigilant about this type of crime.



**ATTENTION MEMBERS OF THE 100 CLUB**: The weekly draw now takes place on Friday mornings during the public hour with winners announced one week later in the mass booklet/newsletter. We would like to inform

winners straight away if they have won, but we need your permission to contact you, and also check any details we do have are up to date. With this in mind if you are a member of the 100 Club, could you either email or call Susan to confirm your contact details and consent for Priory to store them.

#### PARISH COMMUNITY LUNCH

The next parish lunch is on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>
November at 12.30pm in church. On the menu
this time is; Meat & Potato Pie with Mash &
Veg followed by Treacle Sponge & Custard.



Cost: £8.

Add your name to list at the back of church or contact Susan who will be happy to add your name for you.

admin@worksoppriory.co.uk 07355 850735

#### Congratulations!

#### Friday 31st October Draw Winners



£20	16	Mrs A Oldfield
£10	55	Mr S Batty
£5	77	Mrs L Spridgeon
£5	22	Mrs I Underwood

**Subscription Information:** To make this enterprise simpler to manage we please ask that subscriptions be paid by bank transfer if possible and referenced '100 CLUB'. Cash or cheque payments (payable to 'Worksop Priory PCC') should be in an envelope clearly marked '100 CLUB' with your **NAME** and **NUMBER**. Each number is £1 per week. Envelopes can be placed in the collection plate or passed to a member of the clergy, Keith Wake or Susan Bekisz.

AVAILABLE NUMBERS 29,32,34,59,62,63,72,74,80,81,82,84,86,89,91,92,96,97

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