

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 28th August - Trinity XI

- Benefice of Belper Christ Church and Turnditch
- ◇ The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
- ✦ *Victor Price; Joseph Wall; Margaret Serjeant; Dora Pickup*

Monday 29th August - Beheading of John the Baptist

- Benefice of Belper St Peter
- ◇ Missionary District of Micronesia - Episcopal Church
- ✦ *Peggy Leech*

Tuesday 30th August - John Bunyan

- Ecumenical friends and partners in the Gospel
- ◇ Milwaukee - The Episcopal Church
- ✦ *Joyce Newmann*

Wednesday 31st August - Aiden

- Benefice of Taddington, Chelmsorton, Monyash, Hartington, Biggin and Earl Sterndale
- ◇ Minna - The Church of Nigeria
- ✦ *Leonard Shipley; John Herring*

Thursday 1st September - Giles of Provence

- Our sisters and brothers in the Church of North India
- ◇ Minnesota - The Episcopal Church
- ✦ *Edward Wass, Priest; Ida Oldfield; Mary McKenna; Nessie MacDonald; Agnes Beecroft*

Friday 2nd September - Martyrs of Papua New Guinea

- The Bishop's Harvest Appeal & eco initiatives
- ◇ Indigenous Spiritual Ministry of Mishamikoweesh - The Anglican Church of Canada
- ✦ *Winifred Jones*

Saturday 3rd September - Gregory the Great

- Benefice of Youlgreave, Middleton, Stanton-in-Peak and Birchover
- ◇ Mississippi - The Episcopal Church
- Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ◇ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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Our prayers have been asked for:

John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Teddy; June Frankland; Michael Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean Madin; Jane Jackson; Robin Glasson; Kenneth Hughes; Jane Stretton; Paul Taylor; Margaret; Ray Hearn; Tom Pierce; the Wolf-Kidd family; Valerie Alice Seene; Christopher Browne; Sandra Jones; Tony Ragan; Richard Harrison; Baby Thea; Liz Parker; Barry Fletcher; Pamela Fletcher; Van; Colin Hutson; Andrea Sutcliffe; Alice Martin; John Grubb; David Staves; Susan Horsfield; Elaine Dutoit; Orla; Greta; Jake Larne; Catherine Larne; Stan Shore; Oscar Shore; Sherly Joseph; Rachel Trueman; Jean Higgott; Jean Morris; David Clark

✦ *Billy Steele, Priest, RIP*

✦ *Elaine Jones, Priest, RIP*

To ensure that our information is up-to-date, the current Prayer List will be cleared at the end of August. If you have a name to be included on the new updated list, please hand in to the Gift Shop or email: vicar@crookedspire.org

Lunchtime Recitals

The next organ recital will be at 12.15pm on Thursday 1st September with Eric Singleton. Entry is free, with a retiring collection for the Church Music Fund.

Well Dressing 2022

The Well Dressing will be on display for the rest of the week. This year's theme is 'Let all the world in every corner sing'.

Christmas Tree Festival 2022

17th - 27th November. Further details to follow.

Next Sunday - 4th September - Trinity XII

- 08.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 09.30 Mass (St Leonard's, Spital)
- 10.30 Sung Mass
Readings: Philemon 1-21
Luke 14.25-33
- 18.30 Evensong with Hymns
Readings: Psalm(s) 22 & 23
Isaiah 43.14-44.5
John 5.30-end

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Sacrifice and Praise

In Hebrews we find ourselves encouraged to maintain a *constant sacrifice of praise* to God.

This may be a hard thing to accept, as we associate praise with joy and sacrifice with pain. Yet there is a fundamental truth here which we could easily lose sight of.

Jesus points us in the right direction when he encourages us to behave like the least rather than the greatest. In God's Kingdom, the greatest joy comes when we defer to each other, when we are humble and give way to each other, when we are sacrificial of our own 'rights' so that others may flourish.

In other words, the greatest praise and the greatest joy comes when we are not at the centre of our own universe.

How will you make a sacrifice of praise this week?



"In the minutes, should I record this as a 'vigorous theological discussion' or a 'serious ecclesiastical debate'?"

TRINITY XI (28th August 2022)

- 08.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's)
- 10.30 Sung Mass
- 18.30 Evensong with Hymns

ALSO THIS WEEK:

Monday 29th August

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Tuesday 30th August

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday 31st August

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday 1st September

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Lunchtime Recital
- 17.00 Evening Prayer
- 17.30 Mass

Friday 2nd September

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 14.30 Tower Tour*
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Saturday 3rd September

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 14.30 Tower Tour*
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

* Tour Tickets from the Gift Shop

TRINITY XI - SUNG MASS

Processional Hymn: 486

Setting: Rawsthorne

Collect Prayer

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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. **Amen**

A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews Heb 13.1-8,15-16

Let mutual love continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it. Remember those who are in prison, as though you were in prison with them; those who are being tortured, as though you yourselves were being tortured. Let marriage be held in honour by all, and let the marriage bed be kept undefiled; for God will judge fornicators and adulterers. Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for he has said, 'I will never leave you or forsake you.' So we can say with confidence: 'The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can anyone do to me?' Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you; consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and for ever. Through him, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 407

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Luke Glory to you, O Lord Luke 14.1,7-14

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely.

When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honour, he told them a parable. 'When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honour, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, "Give this person your place", and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, "Friend, move up higher"; then you will be honoured in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.'

He said also to the one who had invited him, 'When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbours, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ**

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 343

Post-Communion Hymn: 500

Voluntary: Toccata and fugue in B flat

(Johann Pachelbel)

EVENSONG WITH HYMNS

Responses: Ferial

Psalm(s): 136 - 138

First Lesson: Isaiah 33.13-22

Office Hymn: 241

Canticles: Anglican Chant

Second Lesson: John 3.22-36

Hymn: 249

Voluntary: Voluntary in C *(Samuel Wesley)*