

Summer Fayre—29th July

Please could we have donations of tombola prizes, cuddly toys for the 'Hook-a-duck', chocolate Tombola, cakes and plants. Help is also required for various stalls. Please see Sue Tagert.

Mothers' Union

The Mothers' Union outing to Beningbrough Hall will be on **Tuesday 22nd August**, leaving St James (New Lane entrance at 12.30 pm). The cost, including entrance fee, is £18. For National Trust members, who will have free entry, the cost of the coach will be £8.20. Please let Margaret Senior know today if you wish to go.

Food Bank

Items required by the Food Bank are: Long life milk, coffee, small bags of tea bags, juice, powdered milk, canned fish and meat, rice, pasta, instant noodles, vegetables, tomatoes, tinned potatoes, rice pudding, custard, fruit and instant potato. Items may be left in the Abbey.

For your prayers.....

The Schools & Colleges in the Parish, especially... the staff and children of Barwic Parade Primary School and the children in the Reception Class at the Abbey School and their staff, Mrs McMullen, Miss Dyer, Mrs Webb, Miss Hull and Mrs Broom.

For Kenzie Elizabeth Hall, Maddison Rose Gatenby and Liam Samuel Dawson who will be baptised in the Abbey later today.

For the organisations who use the Hawdon Institute and the St Richards Centre for various activities.

The sick

David Cliff, Christopher Browne, Archie Tagert, Steven, Nancy Hart, Marlene Ward, Bernadette Almond, Peter Cundiff, Audrey Clarke, Rose Axup, Sheila Baskerville, Carol Ward, Trevor Broughton, Audrey Clarkson, Charles Beecher, Ann, Christine, Nigel, Amy Plows, Lucian and Anne Abbey.

The departed

Eric Caukill and Brenda Elizabeth Wood

Selby Abbey

Welcome Worship Witness



THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

23rd July 2017

HYMNS, READINGS AND PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY

Organ Music:

Chorale No.3 in A minor - *Franck*

HYMN 1

Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adore him;
Praise him, angels, in the height;
Sun and moon, rejoice before him,
Praise him, all ye stars and light:
Praise the Lord! for he hath spoken.
Worlds his mighty voice obeyed;
Laws, which never shall be broken,
For their guidance hath he made.

Praise the Lord, for he is glorious:
Never shall his promise fail;
God hath made his saints victorious,
Sin and death shall not prevail.
Praise the God of our salvation;
Hosts on high, his power proclaim;
Heaven and earth and all creation,
Laud and magnify his name!

Worship, honour, glory, blessing,
Lord, we offer to thy name;
Young and old, thy praise expressing,
Join their Saviour to proclaim.
As the saints In heav'n adore thee,
We would bow before thy throne;
As thine angels serve before thee,
So on earth thy will be done.

COLLECT

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 86 v 11-17

Priest You, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion.

All You, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion.

Priest Teach me your way, O Lord, and I will walk in your truth; knit my heart to you that I may fear your name. I will thank you, O Lord my God, with all my heart, and glorify your name for evermore. For great is your love towards me; you have delivered me from the nethermost Pit.

All You, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion.

Priest The arrogant rise up against me, O God, and a violent band seeks my life; they have not set you before their eyes. But you, O Lord, are gracious and full of compassion, slow to anger and full of kindness and truth.

All You, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion.

Priest Turn to me and have mercy upon me; give your strength to your servant; and save the child of your handmaid. Show me a sign of your favour, so that those who hate me may see it and be ashamed; because you, O Lord, have helped me and comforted me.

All You, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion.

FIRST READING: Romans 8: 12-25

So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh—for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and

Parish Diary

Sunday 23rd July **SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

8.00 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Sung Eucharist
12.00 noon Baptism
12.30 pm Baptism
6.30 pm Evensong (said)

Monday 24th

12.00 noon Holy Communion

Tuesday 25th

12.30 pm Lunchtime Celebrity Recital
- Franz Hauk (*Ingolstadt*)
2.00 pm Holy Communion - St Richards

Wednesday 26th

11.30 am Taize Prayers
2.00 pm Afternoon Fellowship Group

Thursday 27th

10.00 am Holy Communion

Friday 28th

12.00 noon Mid-day prayers
- *in the Lady Chapel*

Saturday 29th

10.00 am onwards Abbey Summer Fayre

Sunday 30th **SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

8.00 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Sung Eucharist
12.00 noon Baptism
12.30 pm Baptism
6.30 pm Evensong (said)

NOTICES

Neil Woodhall is at Hambleton and Haddlesey this morning

Fellowship Groups

The next meeting of the Evening Fellowship group will be at 7.30 pm on **Tuesday 1st August** at Kath Robson's house in Hensall. All welcome. For details and/or a lift, contact Chris Bywell on 01757 241723 or chrisbywell@yahoo.co.uk.

The **Afternoon Fellowship group** meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month at 2pm in the St Nicholas Centre. The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 26th July**.

All our efforts are nothing worth
 unless God bless the deed;
 Vain our hopes for the harvest tide
 till he brings to life the seed;
 Yet ever nearer draws the time,
 the time that shall surely be,
 When the earth shall be filled
 with the glory of God
 as the waters cover the sea.

Words from 'Hymns Old & New'

Organ Music:

War March of the Priests [Athalie] - *Mendelssohn*

joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him. I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes* for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

HYMN 2

Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
 the Holy One, is here;
 come, bow before Him now
 with reverence and fear.
 In Him no sin is found,
 we stand on holy ground.
 Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
 the Holy One, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord
 is shining all around;
 he burns with holy fire,
 with splendour He is crowned.
 How awesome is the sight
 our radiant King of light!
 Be still, for the glory of the Lord
 is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord
 is moving in this place;
 he comes to cleanse and heal,
 to minister His grace.
 No work too hard for him,
 in faith receive from him.
 Be still, for the power of the Lord
 is moving in this place.

Words from 'Hymns Old & New'

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GOSPEL: Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43

He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, "Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?" He answered, "An enemy has done this." The slaves said to him, "Then do you want us to go and gather them?" But he replied, "No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn." ' Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, 'Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.' He answered, 'The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. Just as the weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!

HYMN 3

Rock of ages, cleft for me,
let me hide myself in thee;
let the water and the blood,
from thy riven side which flowed,
be of sin the double cure:
cleansing me from its guilt and power.

Not the labours of my hands
can fulfil thy law's demands;
could my zeal no respite know,
could my tears for ever flow,
all for sin could not atone:
Thou must save, and thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring,
simply to thy cross I cling;
naked, come to thee for dress;
helpless, look to thee for grace;
tainted, to the fountain fly;
wash me, Saviour, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath,
when mine eyelids close in death,
when I soar through tracts unknown,
see thee on thy judgement throne;
Rock of ages, cleft for me,
let me hide myself in thee.

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POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN 4

God is working his purpose out
as year succeeds to year,
God is working his purpose out,
and the time is drawing near;
Nearer and nearer draws the time,
the time that shall surely be,
When the earth shall be filled
with the glory of God
as the waters cover the sea.

From utmost east to utmost west
wherever foot has trod,
through the mouths of his messengers
goes forth the voice of God:
'Listen to me, ye continents,
ye islands, give ear to me,
that the earth shall be filled
with the glory of God
as the waters cover the sea'.

How can we do the work of God,
How prosper and increase
Harmony in the human race,
And the reign of perfect peace?
What can we do to urge the time,
the time that shall surely be,
When the earth shall be filled
with the glory of God
as the waters cover the sea?

March we forth in the strength of God,
his banner is unfurled:
let the light of the gospel shine
in the darkness of the world:
strengthen the weary, heal the sick
and set ev'ry captive free,
That the earth shall be filled
with the glory of God
as the waters cover the sea.