



*Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> October 2017*

## The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

### A very warm welcome to our worship today.

If you are a visitor to the church please introduce yourself to the Vicar, to the Churchwarden or to one of the Welcomers after the service. Crèche facilities are available in the tower room at the back of the church. An induction loop is fitted for people with hearing aids – please turn to the T-position. All are welcome to come forward to receive communion or a blessing. Communion can be administered to someone in their seat – please ask. May God bless us as we gather together as God's people.

### TODAY'S SERVICES

8.15am	Holy Communion order 2	<b>Readings</b>
10.45am	Service for One World Week at St Thomas' Sutton. <b>NB No Service at Kildwick</b>	Isaiah 25: 1-9 Philippians 4: 1-19 Matthew 22: 1-14

### PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

**the Anglican Communion:** for the diocese of Swaziland (Southern Africa) for Bishop Ellinah Ntfombi Wamukoya

**our Diocese:** for Nick, Diocesan Bishop, for Toby, Bishop of Bradford, for the Deaneries of the Ripon Episcopal Area and those who serve them.

**the Cross Hills and District Fellowship of Churches:** for St Thomas' Church, Sutton, Holy Trinity Church, Cowling, and Christ Church, Lothersdale, for the Care Homes worship teams;

**our parish:** for Peter Bannister, Edward Gee and Di Halliday, retired clergy; for Julie Bacon as she prepares for her licensing to this parish and Cononley with Bradley

**the world Church & mission agencies:** for the United Society Partners in the Gospel (USPG);

**our community:** for nursing and residential homes, especially Townend Close;

**those in need:** Matthew Warham, William Brown, Tyler Manley, Oliver Holland, the Barrett family, Michael Baxter, Louise Spilman, David Baxter, Peter McNeill,

**the departed:** Janice Wrigglesworth

**Please take this leaflet away with you so you can refer to the notices contained in it. Please also use it to prompt prayers for this parish and all we seek to do in God's service.**

*Please pass any items for inclusion to Lesley Hudson by 10am Friday*

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**Who to contact during the vacancy.** Initial contact about parish matters should be made with the Churchwardens, Lesley Hudson (01535 523291 or [churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk](mailto:churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk)) or Sandie Walton ([churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk](mailto:churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk)).

## WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

**Collection of non perishable goods.** We have decided that as most Supermarkets now have a collection point for donations to food banks, we will no longer have collections in church. We encourage you to continue to support the food banks when you are shopping.

**Recycling for Good Causes** We recently sent off a big red bag full of goods for recycling and should soon have a cheque for Kildwick funds. People often ask what goes in – so here's a list: jewellery (costume or posh, including broken things and single earrings), currency (coins or banknotes) and stamps. The list of electrical goods which are acceptable is a bit more specific: mobile phones, cameras (video, film and digital), sat navs, games consoles, games and accessories, Ipads, MP3 players, laptops and tablet computers. I will put a list of what's acceptable with the bag as well – but thank you for supporting this: it's a painless way of adding to our much-needed reserves!

**Treasure Hunt.** St Mary's Bradley are having a car treasure hunt on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October. For further details or to register please contact Sue Lancaster 01535 634264

**Redecoration of the Parish Rooms.** During half term week (October 23<sup>rd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>) we are planning to decorate downstairs in the Parish Rooms. It would be good to have as many helpers as possible. Please sign the list at the back of church if you are able to help.

**Church cleaning.** We will be giving the church a clean on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November from 9.30 am in preparation for the service the next day, please come if you can.

**Licensing service for Revd Julie Bacon.** (St Andrew's) on Tues 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30 pm. We will be serving refreshments in church after this service and will need volunteers to assist with serving and to make cakes and biscuits. Please have a word with Lesley or Sandie.

### This week...

Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	10.am	Chuffs (Parish Rooms)
	2.00pm	Standing Committee (Riddlesden)
	7.15	Choir practice (In Parish Rooms)
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion (Parish Rooms)
	10.15 am	Not the Knot group. (Parish Rooms)
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup>	3.30 pm	MiniRingers Club
	7.30pm	Bellringing. In the tower.

### ... and beyond

Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	CDFC Residential Homes Worship Teams meeting (St Peter's)
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Standing Committee (Riddlesden)
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	4.00pm	Renovation group meeting
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup>	All week	re-decoration of Parish Rooms (downstairs)
	7.00 pm	Prayers for the Parish and World Church.
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup>	11.30 am	Funeral service of Janice Wrigglesworth
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am	Coffee morning for people who are relatively new to our congregation. (Parish Rooms -upstairs)
Sun 29 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Choral Evensong sung by Concordiamici
Sun 5th Nov		ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY (8.15 am service to move to Parish Rooms)

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 9.45 am Remembrance Sunday followed by Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial  
Tues 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30 pm The licensing service for Revd Julie Bacon (St Andrew's)

### **Collect and Readings for Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity**

#### **Collect**

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

**Post Communion:** We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. AMEN

#### **First Reading**

*Isaiah 25.1-9*

O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you, I will praise your name;  
for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure.  
For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin;  
the palace of aliens is a city no more, it will never be rebuilt.  
Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you.  
For you have been a refuge to the poor, a refuge to the needy in their distress,  
a shelter from the rainstorm and a shade from the heat.  
When the blast of the ruthless was like a winter rainstorm,  
the noise of aliens like heat in a dry place, you subdued the heat with the shade of clouds;  
the song of the ruthless was stilled.  
On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples  
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines,  
of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear.  
And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples,  
the sheet that is spread over all nations;  
he will swallow up death for ever.  
Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces,  
and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,  
for the LORD has spoken.  
It will be said on that day,  
Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.  
This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

#### **Second Reading**

*Philippians 4.1-9*

My brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life.

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

**Gospel**

*Matthew 22.1-14*

Once more Jesus spoke to the chief priests and Pharisees in parables, saying: ‘The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, “Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet.” But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, “The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet.” Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests.

But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, “Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?” And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, “Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” For many are called, but few are chosen.’

CHORAL EVENSONG (Book of Common Prayer)  
**CONCORDIAMICI**

Directed by Judith Blezzard  
 Accompanied by John Chapman

will sing full Choral Evensong on **Sunday 29th October**  
 6.00pm at St Andrew's, Kildwick

*Next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2017*  
*19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity.*

8.15am Holy Communion order 1  
 10.00am Parish Communion

**Readings**  
 Isaiah 45: 1-7  
 Thessalonians 1: 1-10  
 Matthew 22: 15-22