



St John the Baptist
Knaresborough



Holy Trinity
Knaresborough



St Mary the Virgin
Goldsborough



St Paul & St Margaret
Nidd



St John the Baptist
Brearton



A very warm welcome to worship - Sunday 3rd November (All Saints)

If you are visiting with us today, please introduce yourself to the 'welcomers' at the back of the church who will be able to help you with any queries you may have.

If you receive Holy Communion in your own church, you are warmly invited to receive it here. **Gluten-Free wafers** are available – if you require a gluten-free wafer, please make a 'welcomer' aware before the service who will inform the clergy.

Intinction – For hygiene purposes and in line with the guidelines from our Diocesan Bishop, we do not allow intinction (dipping wafer into wine). Receiving the Sacrament in 'bread' alone is sufficient to receive Holy Communion.

If you have any **mobility issues** the clergy are happy to bring communion to you in your pew – please let a 'welcomer' or churchwarden know. In the same way, if you feel you need to, please feel free to **sit down at any point** during the service.

SERVICE OF LIGHT, St John's at 4pm on Sunday 3rd November - Do join us today for our annual service of light when we remember those we have loved and lost. This is a beautiful, peaceful and reflective service during which you will have the opportunity to light a candle in memory of your loved ones.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 2024



This year we are celebrating 10 years of holding the Christmas Tree Festival at St John's Church. If you would like to put a tree in the festival, application forms can be found on our website knaresboroughanglicans.org. **The deadline for these applications is 15th November.**

To make this festival as successful as previous years we will soon be asking for volunteers to help with the martialling, raffle tickets selling, refreshments serving as well as supplying. Please watch this space for more information on how to volunteer.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY COFFEE MORNING

St Mary's Church Goldsborough on Friday 15th November, 10.30 - 12.00

Donations on the door, homemade cakes and a raffle, so please bring cash. Have a sociable morning and help us to raise funds for this very worthy cause, we look forward to seeing you.

CHRISTMAS WREATH MAKING EVENING - FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER



We are holding a Christmas wreath making evening at The HUB@St John's on the above date. If this is something you would like to make for your door/table or whatever, please call Lynn Curl on 01423 868104 or email lynn.curl@ntlworld.com. Tickets are £35 and includes all materials required as well as a glass of fizz.



NIDDERDALE MESSIAH

Nidderdale Messiah is returning to Holy Trinity Church on Sunday 24th November at 1pm. For online booking please visit -

www.nidderdalemessiah.org.uk/join



REMEMBRANCE SERVICE Sunday 10th November



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Left We Forget

The Knaresborough Civic Remembrance Day Service will be held at St John's Church at 9.30am followed by a service at the War Memorial at 10.55am

The parish office is closed from 23rd October until 7th November.



Wisdom 3.1-9

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them for ever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

Revelation 21. 1-6a

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.' And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.'

John 11. 32-44

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

COLLECT

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things:
may we who have shared at this table
as strangers and pilgrims here on earth
be welcomed with all your saints
to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

VAL KEARNEY– THANKSGIVING SERVICE



Val's thanksgiving service will be held at St John's on Monday 4th November at 2pm, and afterwards at the HUB@St John's for refreshments. All are welcome.

We hold in our prayers (as at 21st October):

The escalating conflicts in the Middle East, Ukraine, Sudan and Palestine.

King Charles and the royal family.

Our Diocese, Bishops, Churches & Clergy.

Our local schools, especially for St John's CofE and Goldsborough CofE primaries.

We pray for the NHS; care homes, businesses and charities;

Our mission partners: New Life Ghana and Azaria & David Pocasangre, CMS workers in Guatemala.

For all attending the Alpha course.

Our loved ones and friends.

Those who are being baptised in our parish

Eleanor Joy Metcalfe

Those who have asked for prayer: (we keep names on for 4 weeks until asked to remove or placed on again)

Cynthia Ludwell², , Dennis Greensmith⁴, Revd John Rogers⁴,
Mellon Horsell⁴, Judy Sturley⁴.

Those who have recently died:

Wendy Handley, Val Kearney, Kathy Carlisle

Those whose anniversary of death we keep:

Yvonne Hudson, Irene Leach, William Windsor, Allen Smith, Mary Pearson, David Johnstone,
Frances Houseman

Check out our
Team Website for
Mission Partners
updates & videos

THIS WEEKS DIARY....

WEDNESDAY 6th NOVEMBER

- 10.00 am - Holy Trinity, Knaresborough - BCP Holy Communion
- 11.00 am - St John's Church, Knaresborough - BCP Holy Communion

SUNDAY 10th NOVEMBER

- 8.00 am - St John's Church, Knaresborough - BCP Holy Communion.
- 9.00 am - St Mary's Church, Goldsborough - Remembrance Service
- 9.30 am - St John's Church, Knaresborough - Civic Remembrance Service**
- 10.30 am - Holy Trinity, Knaresborough - Holy Communion
- 10.30 am - St Paul & St Margaret's, Nidd - Remembrance Service
- 10.55 am - Knaresborough War Memorial - Service of Remembrance
- 10.55 am Goldsborough War Memorial - Service of Remembrance
- 4.00 pm - St John's Church, Knaresborough - Wholeness and Healing Service

MISSION

CAFÉ CHURCH AT THE HUB@ST JOHN'S - Held on the first Friday of the month, 10.30am - 12noon. All are welcome to this informal gathering for coffee, cake, chit-chat and prayer.

TRINITY TEAS - Held on the first Sunday of the month from 12noon until 4pm - selling delicious homemade lunches and afternoon teas. We look forward welcoming friends old and new.

MESSY VINTAGE CHURCH AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH HALL - Held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 11am. A new way of doing church differently. We have discussions on a variety of topics, creative expression, a short act of worship and celebration finished with a simple lunch. All are invited.

For all notices, news and what's going on in the Knaresborough Team Ministry pick up a copy of **ACCORD Parish Magazine** from the back of church for only £2!

COMMUNITY SUPPORT



This weeks list of needed items - **Tinned Meat, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Fish, Coffee, Longlife Juice, Milk Powder, Toilet Roll, Shampoo, Deodorant, Washing up Liquid, Chocolate** The Knaresborough Foodbank is open every Wednesday for Food Collections (referral only) and donations, 10.30am until 12.30pm at Holy Trinity Church Hall.

COMMUNITY STARS CAFÉ - Every Wednesday at The HUB@St John's, 10.30am - 2pm, serving breakfasts and light lunches. *Community Stars main aims are to provide a range of events & community-based initiatives that provide volunteering opportunities for adults with Autism and Learning disabilities.*



PRAYER & CARE

PASTORAL CARE PRAYER CHAIN - If you have a prayer request for the pastoral care team to pray through and would like it to be kept confidential and not shared publicly, please email Pam Thomas, the prayer chain co-ordinator, at pam1943@hotmail.co.uk or telephone 01423 864262.

PASTORAL CARE - TELEPHONE CALLS - Our Pastoral Telephone Team are still there to support you. If you, or anyone you know would like to receive a weekly 'phone call from our friendly team, please contact June on 07759 619780 or Anthea on 01423 797560.

PASTORAL VISITS - If you would like a visit from one of the Clergy, or if you are aware of someone that you feel would benefit or appreciate a call or visit from a member of the Pastoral Visiting Team, then please contact us either via the office (01423 869209, Knaresboroughparishoffice@gmail.com) or direct Revd Garry (07759 614032, garry.hinchcliffe@leeds.anglican.org), Revd Lisa (07526 769193, lisa.holland@leeds.anglican.org).

HOLY COMMUNION WITHIN OUR CARE HOMES - Did you know that we also take monthly services in the 3 care homes within our parish? Thistle Hill hold a service on the second Tuesday of the month at 11am, all are welcome, please speak to Denise at Holy Trinity.

For more information regarding accessing these services please contact the Clergy.

PEW SHEETS - If you would like a family member or friend adding onto the weekly pew prayer sheet please email Faye at knaresboroughparishoffice@gmail.com with their name. The pew sheets are printed on Wednesdays so for prayer requests after Wednesdays please contact a member of the Clergy.

ONLINE COMPLINE (NIGHT PRAYER) 9PM

Online Compline will be said every Sunday at 9pm. Details at www.niddchurch.info/compline

OFFICE CONTACT DETAILS

Mrs Faye Wright (Parish Administrator & Safeguarding Officer)

Parish office telephone: 01423 869209 (Office open Monday - Thursday, 8.30am - 1.30pm)

Parish office email: knaresboroughparishoffice@gmail.com



SAFEGUARDING - For any queries or concerns contact Faye Wright (Parish Safeguarding Officer) at knaresboroughparishoffice@gmail.com Call 01423 869209/07415 009217

Website - <https://www.knaresboroughanglicans.org>