



THE PARISH OF

HOLY TRINITY

BOLTON LE SANDS



& ST MARK'S NETHER KELLET



The Link

Sunday, 3rd September, 2023

Thirteenth Sunday After Trinity

St Mark's 9am - Holy Communion Service (Common Worship)

Holy Trinity 10.30am - Family Communion Service

'Disciples who obey Jesus' teaching'

HYMNS (NEW HYMNS AND WORSHIP)

113 Great is Thy Faithfulness

289 Seek ye first the Kingdom of God

165 I watch the sunrise

362 When we walk with the Lord

COLLECT:

Almighty God, you search and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **All: Amen.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING:

Today's reading is from the **Acts** of the Apostles.

Acts 2:42-47

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL:

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **Matthew**.

All: Glory to you, O lord.

Matthew 28:16-20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

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

PRAYERS:

We pray for our communities and in particular those living on: The Nook, Crosshill Court, Oakwood Grove, Old Station Lane and Orchard Avenue.

We joyfully pray for Reid Gallagher who is to be Christened this Sunday, and for their parents, family and friends.

We pray for those who are sick or in need: Harry, Rodney, Peter, Helen, Wendy Hilling, Elizabeth, Noel, Paul, Ollie & a local grieving family.

We pray for the family and friends of Michael Duckett and Joan Noice, who have recently died.

From our book of remembrance, we remember in prayer: James Richard Stewart, Bert Hill and Gwyn Humphreys

POST COMMUNION PRAYER:

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **All: Amen.**

Notices and Announcements

Tickets for the **Harvest Lunch** are now available at the back of church, also a list if anyone is able to make or provide any items for the lunch.

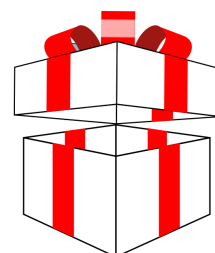


Holy Trinity Coffee Morning, Thursday 7th September, 9.45am:

Please invite friends, neighbours and family along for our coffee morning next week at Bolton- Le- Sands community centre. **Volunteers** are also **needed** to help on the day plus any **baking, home produce, raffle prizes** and **saleable goods**. There is a collection box at the back of the church. Thanks 😊

Children's Society Box Opening Season!

If you have a collecting box or give an annual donation, please contact Margaret Hutchinson as soon as possible on 824110. Thank you for your continued support.



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St. Mark's service time Sunday 10th September

Our Morning Prayer service for the second Sunday will be at **10am** NOT 10.30am on this occasion.

✝ Our Upcoming Services and Events ✝

Sunday, 3rd September, 12.15pm: Christening of Reid Gallagher

Tuesday, 5th September, 1.30pm: First Tuesday Hub, Holy Trinity.

Tuesday, 5th September, 7pm: Welcome and Coffee Team Meeting, Holy Trinity.

Wednesday, 6th September, 10am: Wednesday Communion Service with MU Corporate Worship.

Thursday, 7th September, 9.45am: Community Coffee Morning, B-L-S Community Centre.

Thursday, 7th September, 11.30am: Funeral Service for the late Derek Mason

Friday, 8th September, 9.30am: Shining Stars, Christchurch URC.

Saturday, 9th September, 9am: Men's Breakfast, Holy Trinity.

Sunday, 10th September: **Education Sunday**

Sunday, 10th September, 9.15am: All-Age Family Service, Holy Trinity.

Sunday, 10th September, 10am: Morning Prayer Service, St Mark's

Sunday, 10th September, 10.30am: Sunday Communion Service, Holy Trinity and on Zoom

Tuesday, 12th September, 2pm: Women in Fellowship Autumn Service

Tuesday, 12th September, 7.45pm: Prayer Meeting, Holy Trinity.

Wednesday, 13th September, 10am: Wednesday Communion Service, Holy Trinity.

