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Sunday 25th July
Welcome to All Saints

This pew sheet contains the Bible Readings for this Sunday. We encourage you to read these at the usual service times of 8am and 10:30am.

Collect: Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

A reading from 2Kings [4:42-end]

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, 'Give it to the people and let them eat.' But his servant said, 'How can I set this before a hundred people?' So he repeated, 'Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the Lord, "They shall eat and have some left." He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the Lord.

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

A reading from Ephesians [3:14-end]

I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to

him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

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

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John [6:1-21] **Glory to you O Lord**

Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming towards him, Jesus said to Philip, 'Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?' He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, 'Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.' One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?' Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down.' Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, 'Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.' So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, 'This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.' When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself. When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, got into a boat, and started across the lake to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The lake became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the lake and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, 'It is I; do not be afraid.' Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land towards which they were going.

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

Post Communion Prayer: Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever. **Amen**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

All those affected by Coronavirus, and those who are providing care and support.

We ask God's healing for: Oliver, Christopher, Michelle, Jacob, Mary, Marie, Mary, Alice, Chris, Dorothy, Richard, Edward, Stuart, Stue, Debbie, Chris, Keith & Christopher.

We pray for those of our congregation in nursing homes and residential care: Cecily, Janet, Jean, Tony & Joan.

Our work with children: Our local schools, Mini Church, Messy Church, Youth Group, First Steps Toddlers and Toddler Praise.

NOTICES

We continue to hold in our prayers all those who are working in the 'front line' as we fight Covid 19, especially those in our parish who work in the NHS and Care homes.

Weekly parish email. If you would like to be added to the weekly parish email (which includes this pew sheet and other useful information) please email office@bingleyparish.org.

Covid guidelines post 19th July 2021

- **Facemasks** are to be encouraged although not mandatory, especially when going up for communion.
- **Social distancing** –the pews in the North & South aisles are to remain as per **Covid restrictions**. All the pews in the central aisles may be used with the exception of the 2 front rows.
- **The Peace** is to remain non-contact for the time being.
- **Communion** – will continue in one kind only (bread).
- **Music & Singing** will be re-introduced

Mothers Union are now taking orders for 2022 diaries @ £4.50 each, A4 calendars @£1.90, and year planners @£3.90 each. Please sign up on the sheet on the M.U. board at the back of church, if orders and monies could be handed to **Denise Craven by 24th August** at the latest that would be a big help. Thank you **Gill Needham**

The church continues to be open for private prayer on Mondays 10.00 – 11.00 am, Thursdays 11.30 – 1.00 pm and Sundays 2.00 – 3.00 pm



Sunday 25th July

Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Parish Diary

Sunday 25th July

10.30 am

Holy Communion

Thursday 29th July

10.30 am

Holy Communion

Sunday 1st August

8.00 am

Holy Communion [BCP]

10.30 am

Holy Communion

1.30 pm

Wedding of Sophie Halliday and Daniel Pearson

The 10.30am Sunday service will be live streamed from church each Sunday.

A link to this, together with an order of service for you to use can be found on the church website.

www.allsaintsbingley.org.uk

Dates for your diary

Sunday 1st August

3-5 pm

Bell Tower Open Day

Sunday 5th September

6.00 pm

Choral Evensong

Ring a Bell for Yorkshire Day

To celebrate the return to bell ringing following the pandemic

the **Bingley Bellringers** are holding a **Tower Open Day** on Yorkshire Day, **August 1st**. Guests will be able to visit the tower, see the bells and have a go at ringing a bell if they wish.

No need to book - just come along between **3.00 pm and 5.00 pm**.