

Welcome to Worship

THIS WEEK IN CHURCH....

SUNDAY 12th SEPTEMBER - PUBLIC WORSHIP

8.00 am	- St John's, Knareborough	-Holy Communion
9.00 am	- St Mary's, Goldsborough	-Family Service
10.30am	- St John's, Knareborough	-Family Service
10.30am	- St Paul & St Margaret's, Nidd	-BCP Holy Communion
10.45am	- Holy Trinity, Knareborough	-Holy Communion

MONDAY 13th SEPTEMBER – Midday Prayers

(Please note the change of time)

12noon Midday Prayer at St John the Baptist, Knareborough

WEDNESDAY 15th - HOLY COMMUNION

10.00 am	- Holy Trinity, Knareborough	- Holy Communion
11.00 am	- St John's, Knareborough	- Holy Communion

Next Week - Sunday 19th September

8.00am	-St John's, Knareborough,	-Holy Communion
9.00 am	- St Mary's, Goldsborough	-Holy Communion
10.30am	- St John's, Knareborough	-Holy Communion
10.30am	- St Paul & St Margaret's, Nidd	-Matins
10.45am	- Holy Trinity, Knareborough	-Holy Communion

Please remember to take
this pew sheet home with
you for your own personal
reflections and prayers.



The Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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.**



The Word:

God speaks to each of us individually. We need to listen, to hear what He is saying. Let us read the following texts a few times; then listen.

Hebrews 12. 1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

2 Timothy 4.7

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Mark 8. 27-30 & 34

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that I am?' And they answered him, 'John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets.' He asked them, 'But who do you say that I am?' Peter answered him, 'You are the Messiah.' And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him.

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me.'

Post Communion Prayer

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy;
and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall,
keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful,
and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



God of Mission

**Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision and Planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
Help our church grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

We hold in our prayers:

- Our Diocese, Bishops, Churches & Clergy; Our NHS, Ambulance, Emergency services and Volunteers helping with the vaccine programme; Our local schools, especially our two church primaries, care homes, businesses and charities; Our mission partners: New Life Ghana and Azaria Spencer, CMS worker in Guatemala; Those supporting and caring for the vulnerable; Our loved ones and friends; Ourselves.

Those who have been married in our parish:

Philippa Jones & George Kendrick.

Those who are being baptised in our parish today:

Henry Bloor, Mitzy & Ayda Fox.

Those who have asked for prayer:

Diane Barnett, Marta Braizier, Michael Brown, Andrew Calvert, Edna Carrol, Alison Hopkins, Denzil Morris, Andrew Reid, Jan Seager, Isaac Sidaway, Henri Smulders, Helen Watson, Joyce Wright, Fred & Christine.

Those who have recently died:

Sheila Brown, Roger Handley, Joan Adamson, Brenda Abrams.

Those whose anniversary of death we keep:

Ken Dibb, Alice Taverner, Walter Stacey, Vera Inman, Samuel Rumney, George Moore.

If you would like a family member to be remembered on the anniversary of their death then please contact Faye by email or phoning the office number and leaving a message.



The Funeral of Sheila Brown is to be held at St John's Church on Thursday 16th September at 1pm.



A Blessing

May the presence of the Creator refresh you, may the comfort of the Son renew you, may the inspiration of the Spirit restore you, to be love in action, even from a distance, in our neighbourhoods, near and far, this day and for evermore. Amen

ST JOHN'S RE-OPENING DURING THE DAY

We are delighted to be able to announce that St John's will be re-opening again during the day for our townsfolk and visitors to pray, reflect, light a candle and find God's peace.

From **Monday 13th September** we will be open Monday to Thursday **8.30am - 1pm**,
Friday & Saturday **8.30am - 5pm**
Sundays **8am - 5pm**



A big thank you to Margaret & Brian Forshaw who have kindly agreed to help with the opening and closing of the church.



GOLDEN WEDDING

CONGRATULATIONS TO PHIL & JOYCE SKEELS ON THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY. TO CELEBRATE WITH THEM THERE WILL BE FIZZ AND CAKE AFTER THE SERVICE AT HOLY TRINITY THIS SUNDAY.



CHURCH NOTICES

COMMUNITY STARS COMMUNITY CAFÉ AT ST JOHN'S HUB

Don't forget to visit the Community Stars Café at St John's HUB every Wednesday 11-4pm

Where they will be selling a range of lovely handmade savoury lunches & cakes and we look forward to welcoming you and creating new friendships in our local community.



Community Stars main aims are to provide a range of events & community-based initiatives that provide volunteering opportunities for adults with Autism & Learning disabilities.

THISTLE HILL NURSING HOME

There will be no monthly service at Thistle Hill Nursing home this Tuesday due to a Covid outbreak. Please could you remember them in your prayers.



IN SEARCH OF THE WAY

You are invited to join a friendly and informal Ecumenical group, meeting monthly in Goldsborough, to explore the way of Christ. Whether your faith is strong, stuck in a rut or hovering on the edge, you are all very welcome. The first meeting will be on **Wednesday 22nd September at 7.30 pm**

For further details, please contact Sue Michael 07730 942751 or Marilyn Summers 860356.

INVITATION

You are invited to the inaugural meeting of Messy Vintage, another new initiative in the Knaresborough team for everyone to meet informally and enjoy a range of activities, discussions, and celebrations.

For more information please contact **Denise Cullingworth** on **07739398197**

When.....**Tuesday 28th September at 11am** (and every 4th Tuesday in the month)

Where.....**Holy Trinity Church Hall**

(Refreshments including a simple lunch will be served)

Creativity-Celebration-Christ centredness-Mission-

Hospitality <https://messychurch.org.uk/messy-vintage>



Messy Vintage

You're invited.

#TryAlphaOnline



Starting **September 14th 2021** online across **Knaresborough**

Day & Time: Weekly on Tuesdays at 7.45pm - 9pm

Run by Christians Together in Knaresborough.
Contact us on knaresboroughalpha@gmail.com for more information and to register. **ALL WELCOME and ALPHA IS FREE!**

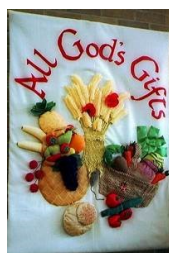
Email: knaresboroughalpha@gmail.com for information.



Starbeck Mothers Union have very kindly invited our former MU members for tea, coffee and cake on **Tuesday 14th September, 1.30pm - 3.30pm** at St Andrew's Church, Starbeck. Please email Jane Holliday on janeholiday57@gmail.com or contact Stroma.



ECO TIP OF THE WEEK - USE NATURAL LIGHT WHEN YOU CAN TO SAVE ENERGY. SIT BY THE WINDOW. DECORATE YOUR HOME IN LIGHT COLOURS TO MAXIMISE NATURAL LIGHT.



HOLY TRINITY HARVEST FESTIVAL
SUNDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER @ 10.45AM

followed by our harvest lunch in the church hall.

Harvest donations for the foodbank will be gratefully received.

Tickets for a delicious hot meal, priced £10 for adults, £4 for children under 12 and are available from Denise 07739 398197 or Dot 01423 441518.

Proceeds in aid of Holy Trinity and Christian Aid.

KNARESBOROUGH MARKET STALL

St. Mary's will be running a stall on Knaresborough Market on **Wednesday 29th September** and would be grateful for donations of bric-a-brac. More details about other items we will be selling, and who to contact, will be available soon. Watch this space!



Coronavirus unlock plan

This plan is provisional, awaiting further information from HM Government and detailed guidance from the national Church and the Diocese of Leeds

Date	General Notes	Social distancing	Refreshments	Masks & cleaning	Singing	Communion
From 19th July 2021	<p>Weddings/Funerals/Baptisms – no longer restricted on numbers</p> <p>Candle lighting (prayer stands) reintroduced</p> <p>Flowers allowed</p> <p>Services to remain as near as possible to a maximum of 45/50 minutes in duration</p> <p>Kneelers reinstated</p> <p>Church doors remain open during worship for improved ventilation</p> <p>HT to 'vote' on keeping nave altar or to reinstate high altar</p> <p>St John's Church to be opened during the day (as long as volunteers can be found)</p>	<p>Space between households on pews to be self-regulated</p> <p>'Sign of the peace' still only verbal</p>	<p>Previous patterns to be reinstated: seated tables of 4-6 for tea/coffee available at St John's.</p> <p>Holy Trinity, Goldsborough & Nidd to follow previous pattern of people approaching tea/coffee distribution table</p>	<p>Masks no longer obligatory but voluntary</p> <p>Hand sanitiser stations remain in place</p> <p>One way system round church still in place but not obligatory</p>	<p>No limits on choir numbers</p> <p>Processing by choir not desirable due to time constraint</p> <p>Choir to use choir stalls</p> <p>3 congregational hymns per service</p> <p>Collection taken by sidespersons with plate/basket</p>	<p>Priest still masked for distribution</p> <p>Communicants to use altar rail</p> <p>Lay Servers at the Altar reinstated</p> <p>Chalice still not distributed to the congregation, however intinction is allowed – this will be 'managed' by the priest, who will dip wafer into wine and then administer it to the communicant... (masked servers to follow Priest with Chalice, to enable this)</p>
Under Review	<p><i>As autumn and winter approaches Church doors to be closed during worship</i></p>	<p><i>Sign of the peace and blessing of children can include physical contact</i></p>		<p><i>One way system dispensed with</i></p>	<p><i>Processing whilst singing by choir allowed</i></p> <p><i>Singing of 'extra' parts of the service resumes, ie, Gloria</i></p> <p><i>4 congregational hymns per</i></p>	<p><i>Priest unmasked at distribution</i></p> <p><i>Return to kneeling reception at altar rail</i></p> <p><i>Administration and sharing of the Chalice reintroduced</i></p>

PASTORAL CARE - TELEPHONE CALLS

Our telephone support volunteers are still there to support you. If you, or anyone you know would like to receive a weekly 'phone call from a friendly volunteer, please contact June on 07759 619780 or Anthea on 01423 797560.



THE KNARESBOROUGH TEAM MINISTRY 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.



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KNARESBOROUGH TEAM MINISTRY

Safeguarding

We are all responsible for safeguarding the integrity, BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY, the people in our church.

Please find helpful information sheets at the back of the church, which inform YOU of YOUR potential responsibilities.

The Office is open every Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 8.30am - 2pm.