

Welcome to St Edmund's Parish Church

Services for Today **Sunday 7th October 2018** **The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity**

*Welcome to all who will worship at St. Edmund's today.
Refreshments will be served after the 10am service; please stay to meet old
friends and make new ones.*

8am **HOLY COMMUNION**
Revd Claire Corley is presiding and preaching.

10am **PARISH COMMUNION**
Revd Claire Corley and Sarah Meredith are presiding and we
welcome Anita Shaw, our Diocesan Environment Officer, who is
preaching this morning.
Hymns: 'O Lord of every shining constellation', 74, 552, 921,
104.

Junior church meets today
Scramblers & Explorers for children 3+ and primary years
StEdy for young people – secondary years to age 18

6.30pm **TAIZE SERVICE**
Led by Revd Claire Corley and Sarah Meredith.

Services this week

Wednesday 10th October

11 am Holy Communion
Led by Revd Claire Corley

Services next Sunday

14th October

Harvest Festival

8am Holy Communion
10am Parish Communion & Parade
6.30pm Evensong

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CREATION COLLECT

Creator God,
you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea and the rhythm of
the seasons;
as we thank you for your gracious
providing
may we cherish and respect this planet
and its peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Colossians 1:15-20

¹⁵ The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. ¹⁶ For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ And he is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything he might have the supremacy. ¹⁹ For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, ²⁰ and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross.

GOSPEL READING

Mark 2:23-3:6

²³ One Sabbath Jesus was going through the cornfields, and as his disciples walked along, they began to pick some

ears of corn. ²⁴ The Pharisees said to him, 'Look, why are they doing what is unlawful on the Sabbath?'

²⁵ He answered, 'Have you never read what David did when he and his companions were hungry and in need? ²⁶ In the days of Abiathar the high priest, he entered the house of God and ate the consecrated bread, which is lawful only for priests to eat. And he also gave some to his companions.'

²⁷ Then he said to them, 'The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. ²⁸ So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath.'

3 Another time Jesus went into the synagogue, and a man with a shrivelled hand was there. ² Some of them were looking for a reason to accuse Jesus, so they watched him closely to see if he would heal him on the Sabbath. ³ Jesus said to the man with the shrivelled hand, 'Stand up in front of everyone.'

⁴ Then Jesus asked them, 'Which is lawful on the Sabbath: to do good or to do evil, to save life or to kill?' But they remained silent.

⁵ He looked around at them in anger and, deeply distressed at their stubborn hearts, said to the man, 'Stretch out your hand.' He stretched it out, and his hand was completely restored. ⁶ Then the Pharisees went out and began to plot with the Herodians how they might kill Jesus.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who are unwell or in hospital:

*Brian, Bill, Liz,
Pam, baby Ruby,
baby Fabian, Stuart, Marc, Oliver,
David, Josiah, Peter, Jean, Suzanne,
Liz, Beverley & Daniel,*

Our CMS Mission Partner,

Rachel Ullmer.

The recently departed.

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 9th October

MID-WEEK WALK Carr Gate and Lawns Village. Easy 3 mile walk on the outskirts of Wakefield. We visit part of the Forest of Leeds and pass the site of Outwood Racecourse (closed in 1794). We meet in the church car park at 9.15am. Further information from Brian

Thursdays 11th 18th & 25th October

10.30am - 12.30

LITTLE FAITH EXPLORERS, a toddler group held in church every **term-time Thursday** with toys, crafts, bible story & song and the all-important lunch!

Saturday 13th October

RAMBLE: a varied and scenic, 6½ mile circular walk from the World Heritage centre of Saltaire. Lunch will be at The Salt Cellar pub at the end. Some parts of the walk may be muddy, so suitable footwear is advised. We meet in the church car park at 9.30 am, and new walkers are always very welcome. For more information feel free to contact John.

Monday 15th October

MONTHLY PCC MEETING. Please pray for God's guidance and wisdom, that at St Edmund's we may be loving and serving God in everything we do.

Tuesday 16th October 2pm

JULIAN MEETING for contemplative prayer in the Side Chapel. All are very welcome to join us. Details from Martha or Sarah.

Friday 19th October 8 – 11pm

ST EDMUND'S MEN'S GROUP meet at Gledhow Sports & Social Club on Gledhow Lane. The meetings are informal & there are no membership formalities, no membership fees and no formal proceedings - all are welcome.

Tuesday 23rd October

MID-WEEK WALK. An easy 3 miles in Middleton Park including the railway, boating lake, café and visitor centre

Saturday 27th October 10am-2pm

CHRISTMAS TRADICRAFT PREVIEW in church. Drop in any time to see the Christmas range of cards and gifts, browse through a catalogue, place an order or buy from stock (usual groceries on sale). 10% discount on the day. Seasonal refreshments and lunch available.

TRAINING EVENT

Lay Eucharistic Ministry Training:

The Bishop advises that all **chalice ministers** should attend one of these sessions at least once every five years as a refresher and as soon as possible after first being licensed to this ministry.

Tuesday 9th October 7:30-9:30 pm or

Monday 22nd October 7:30-9:30 pm
here at St Edmund's.

NEXT SUNDAY, 14TH OCTOBER, IS OUR HARVEST FESTIVAL.

We'd be really grateful for any donations of tins or long-life foods for local charities and food banks.

Many thanks, Revd Claire.

We will be decorating the church for harvest on Saturday 13th October: any donations towards the cost of the flowers will be gratefully received.

The Traidcraft stall will be open before and after the 8am and 10am services. Why not celebrate harvests from around the World with Kilombero rice grown by smallholders in Malawi, ground coffee from a co-operative of farmers in Peru, instant coffee (in large tubs ideal for our charities and small jars for the Food Bank) from Guatemala, sugar from Mauritius to name but a few. The stall will also have festive treats and don't forget the Traidcraft Christmas Preview on Saturday 27th October. If you can't come collect a catalogue from the stall.

THANK YOU to all who supported the Parish Breakfast. A cheque for £142 has been sent to A Rocha International.

ST. EDMUND'S WILL HOST the Women's World day of Prayer in Roundhay on 1st March 2019. The service has been prepared by Christian women of Slovenia. There is a preparation day on Friday 9th November at St. Andrew's 10am to 2.15pm with a member of the National Committee. You need to bring a packed lunch but drinks and biscuits are provided. There is a small charge of £4 (£5 on the day) to cover expenses. Please let Christine know by 28th October if you can come to the preparation day and then take part on 1st March 2019.

TALENTS CAMPAIGN

- **Wallflowers.** The wallflowers are ready for collection at the back of church. Brian.
- **Jeanette is baking cakes** £7 each, tray bake or 7in sandwich, chocolate, Victoria, lemon, ginger, carrot, toffee, peanut butter crunch or coffee and walnut. .
- **Magazine cover photos.** Please remember to send Judith your photos for our Parish Magazine cover competition. See details on Talent Board.
- **Martha is taking orders for Cornish pasties** throughout October & November. Cost is £5, maximum of 4 per order, can be delivered hot to your door.
- **Madeleine & friends** will give a short concert of clarinet music on Sunday 14th October at 3pm in church, followed by refreshments. Music will include TV themes, G&S songs & some clarinet classics! Retiring collection.
- **Fun family quiz night** in church on Friday 19th October with refreshments and a raffle.
- **See Richard as a young man 50 years ago** on Friday 9th November. Illustrated talk on his two years as a VSO in Nepal, with refreshments.
- **Share your prayers.** Jackie Treetops is compiling a St Edmund's anthology. Please find time to share your prayers, hymns, poetry, bible readings or spiritual writings that you have found helpful in your lives. Contributions can be anonymous or named. Please can you give them to Jackie or Jean.

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