

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 week's list of needs – UHT Milk, coffee, washing-up liquid, custard, rice pudding and deodorants. The Knaresborough Foodbank is open every Wednesday for Food Collections (referral only) and donations, 10.30am until 12.30pm at Holy Trinity Church Hall. Donation can now be left in the collection box by the north door in St John's Church.



COMMUNITY STARS CAFÉ - Every Wednesday from 4th February 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 AND 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 coordinator, 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 holds 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 on how to join are on our website (see below)

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 knaresboroughsafeguarding@gmail.com
Call 01423 869209/07415 009217

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

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Sunday 7th June – First Sunday after Trinity

A warm welcome to our service today

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.



We are running an Adult and a Youth Alpha course this autumn at The HUB@St John's. The course is open to everybody: from those who have grown up in the church and want to deepen their faith, to those exploring and wanting to know more about Jesus. Simply email knaresboroughparishoffice@gmail.com for more information or to book a place.

HOLY TRINITY invites you to their

Midsummer Lunch



Sunday 14th June at 12noon
Tickets £15 (children 12 and under £5)
Available from Dot 01423 441518 or Denise 07739 398197

OPEN GARDENS WEEKEND

27th & 28th June

St John's re-wilding area will be featured in the upcoming open gardens weekend. The Horticultural society will be having a plant stall at The HUB@St John's on both days. Tea, Coffee and cakes will also be available, 1pm – 4pm.



TEAS ON THE TERRACE, The HUB@St John's
Every Sunday from 28th June until 30th August
2pm – 4.30pm

Homemade cakes, scones, hot and cold drinks.
Enjoy the best view in Knaresborough

COFFEE MORNING – 11th July
The HUB@St John's



The 8 o' clockers will be holding a coffee morning on the above date at 10am – 12noon. All are welcome to come and join them for tea, coffee, cakes and company.

What's on this week... WEDNESDAY 10th JUNE

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

SUNDAY 14th JUNE – Second Sunday after Trinity

8.00am - St John's Church, Knaresborough – BCP Holy Communion
9.00am – St Mary's Church, Goldsborough – Songs of Praise Communion
10.30am – St John's Church, Knaresborough – Town Twinning Thanksgiving service with Baptisms
10.30am – Holy Trinity, Knaresborough – Holy Communion
11.45am – St John's Church, Knaresborough – Receiving of the Sacrament
4.00 pm – St John's Church, Knaresborough - Wholeness & Healing Service

TODAYS BIBLE READINGS

God speaks to each of us individually. We need to listen so we can hear what He is saying.

Hosea 5:15-6:6

Then I will return to my lair until they have borne their guilt and seek my face - in their misery they will earnestly seek me." "Come, let us return to the Lord. He has torn us to pieces, but he will heal us; he has injured us but he will bind up our wounds. After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will restore us, that we may live in his presence. Let us acknowledge the Lord; let us press on to acknowledge him. As surely as the sun rises, he will appear; he will come to us like the winter rains, like the spring rains that water the earth." "What can I do with you, Ephraim? What can I do with you, Judah? Your love is like the morning mist, like the early dew that disappears. Therefore, I cut you in pieces with my prophets, I killed you with the words of my mouth - then my judgments go forth like the sun. For I desire mercy, not sacrifice, and acknowledgment of God rather than burnt offerings.

Romans 4:13-25

It was not through the law that Abraham and his offspring received the promise that he would be heir of the world, but through the righteousness that comes by faith. For if those who depend on the law are heirs, faith means nothing and the promise is worthless, because the law brings wrath. And where there is no law there is no transgression. Therefore, the promise comes by faith, so that it may be by grace and may be guaranteed to all Abraham's offspring - not only to those who are of the law but also to those who have the faith of Abraham. He is the father of us all. As it is written: "I have made you a father of many nations." He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed—the God who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that were not. Against all hope, Abraham in hope believed and so became the father of many nations, just as it had been said to him, "So shall your offspring be." Without weakening in his faith, he faced the fact that his body was as good as dead - since he was about a hundred years old - and that Sarah's womb was also dead. Yet he did not waver through unbelief regarding the promise of God, but was strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God, being fully persuaded that God had power to do what he had promised. This is why "it was credited to him as righteousness." The words "it was credited to him" were written not for him alone, but also for us, to whom God will credit righteousness - for us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead. He was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification.

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

As Jesus went on from there, he saw a man named Matthew sitting at the tax collector's booth. "Follow me," he told him, and Matthew got up and followed him. While Jesus was having dinner at Matthew's house, many tax collectors and sinners came and ate with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they asked his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" On hearing this, Jesus said, "It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. But go and learn what this means: 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners." While he was saying this, a synagogue leader came and knelt before him and said, "My daughter has just died. But come and put your hand on her, and she will live." Jesus got up and went with him, and so did his disciples. Just then a woman who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years came up behind him and touched the edge of his cloak. She said to herself, "If I only touch his cloak, I will be healed." Jesus turned and saw her. "Take heart, daughter," he said, "your faith has healed you." And the woman was healed at that moment. When Jesus entered the synagogue leader's house and saw the noisy crowd and people playing pipes, he said, "Go away. The girl is not dead but asleep." But they laughed at him. After the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took the girl by the hand, and she got up. News of this spread through all that region.

Town Twinning Service

**St John's Church, Knaresborough
Sunday 14th June at 10.30am**

We are delighted to welcome our friends from Germany and Ukraine to a special service at St John's, Knaresborough, on Sunday 14th June at 10.30am. Please do join us as we gather together in worship and unity. Everyone is very welcome.



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| <p>The Collect God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.</p> | <p>Post Communion Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.</p> |
| <p><i>We hold in our prayers (as of 1st June):</i> All conflicts and natural disasters around the world. 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. Our loved ones and friends.</p> <p><i>Those who have asked for prayer:</i> <i>(we keep names on for 4 weeks until asked to remove or placed on again)</i> Joan Rockcliffe⁴, Freda Lyon², Sheila Slack², Barbara Gibson², Richard Jelbert¹, Bob Stirling¹, Patrick White¹, Judy Sturley¹</p> <p><i>Those who have recently died:</i> Penny McNeil, Chris Seager, Eileen Ferguson</p> <p><i>Those whose anniversary of death we keep 7th June- 13th June)</i> Colin Powell, Robert Langham, May Broadbent, Ernest Gill, Geoff Lofthouse, Nancy Rowland</p> | |

A Prayer for Ukraine

**God of peace and justice,
we pray for Ukraine,
Grant comfort to those in fear,
wisdom to Leaders,
and protection for all your children.
We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.**

A prayer for the Middle East

**God of mercy,
look with compassion
on all who are affected by the present
conflict.
Grant insight to hardened hearts,
comfort to the fearful,
protection to those in danger,
and hope to those who are despairing,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**