



# St John the Baptist Hey



**Sunday 22nd August**  
*The 12th Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion  
9:30am Holy Communion

## **Readings and hymns**

<b>Processional</b>	670	Soul of my Saviour
<i>Old Testament</i>		Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18.
<i>New Testament</i>		Ephesians 6:10-20
<b>Gradual</b>	248	God of grace and God of glory
<i>Gospel Reading</i>		John 6:56-69
<b>Intercessions</b>		Through our lives and by our prayers
<b>Offertory</b>	840	Ye Holy Angels bright
<b>Communion</b>	803	We pray thee heavenly Father
	706	The God of Abraham praise
<b>Final</b>	181	Fight the good fight

## **Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of 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

### **ASSISTANT TREASURER WANTED**

I took on the role of treasurer when our previous treasurer had to step down due to family and work commitments. I thought that this would be a temporary position until the church was able to find someone willing to take this on permanently. However, I soon realised that it would be better for the smooth running of the church to continue in this role. One of the main duties of the treasurer is counting and recording all the collections, and now that the church is fully open again this job is increasing, and so I am looking for someone to come forward to be Assistant Treasurer to help with this. The counting is always undertaken by 2 people, and usually done after the main Sunday morning service.

If you would like to become more involved with the church, particularly if you attend the family service, and help by taking on this role, or would like to know more, please contact me or the wardens/clergy.

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## **This week**

*Rev Lyn is on leave for two weeks. The parish phone will be monitored by Mthr Amy-Elizabeth and she can be contacted via the contact info on the back of the pew sheet.*

### **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August**

10:00am Holy Communion

### **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> August**

7:00pm Come and Praise on zoom

## **Our prayers are asked for:**

### **World**

Women and children of Afghanistan.

### **Diocese**

Bishops David, Mark, and Mark, Area Dean Revd Daniel Ramble, Lay Chair Liz Dent, Archdeacon David Sharples.

### **Street prayers**

Station Street.

### **Baptism anniversaries**

Bella Texeria, Freddie Lees, Ava Taylor, Roman Lucas Loftus, Hazel Halliwell, Thomas Jason Wilcock-Wood, Isaac Rhodes-Hallas.

### **Members of our church community**

Jean Smith, Enid Firth, David Owen, Charlie Hall, Christine and Stuart Pateman, and Mary Lawton.

### **Year's mind**

Florence Hiron and Clifford Scorer.

### **Recently Deceased**

Barbara Ripley

## Short thought

Today we hear that Jesus' words are spirit and life and when others turn away from His word He asks the disciples if they too will go away. Simon Peter has a wonderful response to Jesus, he says, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

St Teresa of Avila says that "love calls out love" and in the Gospel we see the disciples recognising the love of God and feel that deep knowing that there is no other place that they would want to be - in the presence of love Himself. Today hear and recognise the call of love through Jesus' words that are spirit and life.

**If anyone would like to join in with the DAY BY DAY scheme please speak to our treasurer Edna.**

Please send any notices for the pew sheet each week by Wednesday evening via email to Mthr Amy-Elizabeth.

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