



St John the Baptist Hey



Sunday 29th August
The 13th Sunday after Trinity

8am Holy Communion
9:30am Holy Communion
11:15am Baptism of Alyssa and Jaxxon Myatt

Readings and hymns

Processional	152	Dear Lord and Father of mankind
<i>Old Testament</i>		Song of Solomon 2:8-13
<i>New Testament</i>		James 1:17-end.
Gradual	298	Help us, O Lord, to learn
<i>Gospel Reading</i>		Mark 7:1-8,14,15,21-23.
Intercessions		Through our lives and by our prayers
Offertory	514	My, God accept my heart this day
Communion	481	Lord Thy word abideth
	79	Blest are the pure in heart
Final	195	For the beauty of the earth

Collect

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear may be drawn to you: through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit one God,
now and for ever.

Amen

DONATION APPEAL

We have had to have nine trees removed, three in the graveyard and six in the church yard because of Ash die back. The cost of this has been substantial totalling £8400.00. If anyone would like to make a donation towards this cost, please give it to Edna or any of the clergy. Thank you in advance for all your continued support and donations.

ASSISTANT TREASURER WANTED

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 1st September

10:00am Holy Communion

Thursday 2nd September

7:00pm Come and Praise on zoom (last service online)

Our prayers are asked for:

World

Refugees and victims of violence.

Diocese

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

Street prayers

Sloane Ave.

Baptism anniversaries

Hallie Edwards, Jennifer Frost, Rubie Clarke, Amelia Hazeldine, Evelyn Hurdus, David Fernandez.

Members of our church community

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

Year's mind

Steve Cronley, Laura Croft, Annie Watson, Private Robert Cocks.

Recently Deceased

Barbara Ripley and Brenda Laird.

Short thought

“The things that come out of a person are what defile, for it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come..” These are stern, striking, and serious words from Jesus in the Gospel today. He knows all and sees all. Our opening prayer preparing us for worship declares that our hearts “are open” and we ask for Almighty God to “cleanse the thoughts of our hearts.” Do we really mean what we say when we pray these words? When we pray these words today make an extra effort to align the intention of the heart to Jesus’ heart. Jesus knows that we are all far from perfect, yet there is no cause for alarm! He calls us to keep coming back to Him over and over again. No one is ever too far gone, or a heart too hardened to love again. Help us Lord to choose to love first in all that we say and do.

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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