



St John the Baptist Hey



Sunday 10th July
4th Sunday after Trinity

8am Holy Communion
9:30am Holy Communion

Readings and hymns

Processional	27	All he who would valiant be
<i>Old Testament</i>		Deuteronomy 30:9-14
<i>New Testament</i>		Colossians 1:1-14
Gradual	238	God has spoken by the prophets
<i>Gospel Reading</i>		Luke 10:25-37
Intercessions		O Lord hear our prayer
Offertory	91	Brother, sister let me serve you
Communion	61	Be still and know that I am God
	722	The Lord will come and not be slow
Final	819	When I needed a neighbour

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Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong. Nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Day by day scheme

The day by day scheme is still running. If you would like to remember a loved one by making a donation, please speak to the clergy or any member of the PCC.

First communions

After the confirmations last week some of our newly confirmed will be receiving their first Holy Communion today. They will receive first before any of us as we share in this great joy.

This week

Wednesday 13th July

10am Holy Communion

Thursday 14th July

7pm Come and Praise

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Our prayers are asked for:

World

For all experiencing loneliness and depression.

Diocese

Bishops David, Mark, and Mark, Archdeacon David Sharples, Area Dean Revd Daniel Ramble, Lay Chair Liz Dent, Clergy, readers, and ALMs in our mission community.

Street prayers

Huddersfield Road Lower, Middle, and Higher.

Members of our church community

Jean Smith, Enid Firth, Mary Lawton, Mark Crossley, Gordon Jackson, Barbara Brogan, Michael Brogan, and Rev Canon Marcia Wall.

Years mind

Jack Reeves, June Rae, Ann Lees, Harold Ripley

Short thought

“Go and do likewise.” These instructions from Jesus are direct. To be a neighbour we have to show mercy. But what does mercy look like? In the Gospel reading it looks like taking care of someone who others were not interested in looking after. This is huge gesture and if we look deeply into the text we see that the Samaritan is just an average person. The people with status cross the road and look away. The mercy Jesus calls us to replicate is one that doesn't look away, one that doesn't walk pass, one that doesn't ignore. Our mercy that we are called to show must be as wide as the love of God. No one is at the edge of God's love, His love wraps around all so we must go and do likewise. How can we show mercy in our everyday lives? This is the challenge that Jesus calls us to today.

Social and fund-raising group: Help needed

Social and fund-raising group. We had a hard working group of people organising social and fund raising events before COVID and we are now looking to set up another group.

If you are able to help, or have any ideas for event, please contact Carole Owen by phone or text 07736 679704. Thank you.