#### **This Week**

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2023 10am – Holy Communion



# Our Prayers are asked for:

#### World

For the leaders of the nations, that you will guide them in the ways of freedom, justice & truth. We pray for peace & the laying down of weapons in Ukraine and other conflicts around the world.

### Church

Our Bishops David, Mark & Matthew. Archdeacon David & Area Dean Daniel, Revd Paul & Revd Christine.

## **Community of the Parish**

Staff & Pupils at Hey with Zion Primary School, Springhead Primary & Junior School. The staff & residents of Oakdene Care Home, Millfield Care Home. The streets of our Parish – The Rise.

#### The Sick

Jean Smith, Grace Stansfield, Samantha Baron, Terence Davies, Reverend Canon Marcia Wall, Lauren and baby Jonah Wolfenden.

#### **Anniversary of Death**

Bob Kirkpatrick, Henry Ballantyne.

## What do I do at Communion?

If you receive Holy Communion at any Christian Church, you are welcome to receive it here. Otherwise please come forward with everyone else to receive God's blessing, keeping your head bowed. If you are unable to come forward, please speak to a warden to arrange for Communion to be brought to you.

Everyone is welcome to join us for coffee/tea and biscuits after the 9.30 service in the Church Hall.

# St John the Baptist Hey



Receiving & Sharing the Love of God Everyday

# Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August 2023 Transfiguration of Our Lord

8.00 Holy Communion 9.30 Holy Communion

# Readings & Hymns

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**Processional** 

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	Daniel 7.9 – 10, 13 - 14
	2 Peter 1.16 - 19
43	As the deer pants for the water
	Luke 9.28 - 36
	Through our lives
623	Praise my soul the King of Heaven
424	Let all mortal flesh keep silence
83	Bread of heaven on thee we feed
275	Guide me, O thou great Redeemer
	623 424 83

Alleluia, sing to Jesus

#### **Collect**

Father in heaven, whose Son Jesus Christ was wonderfully transfigured before chosen witnesses upon the holy mountain, and spoke of the exodus he would accomplish at Jerusalem: give us strength so to hear his voice and bear our cross that in the world to come we may see him as he is; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

# **Post Communion Prayer**

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

# **Notices**

#### **Confirmation Classes**

Classes will be held at St Barnabas Church (dates yet to be arranged), with a Confirmation Service on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>

November at Waterhead Church at 3 pm.

Any candidates, adults or children in school year 6 plus, who are interested or want to know more, please complete the form at back of the Church.

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# **Secondary School Forms**

We will be arranging individual appointments for the signing of the additional supplementary forms needed for the schools.

Please email Lindsey at: <a href="mailto:stjohnthebaptisthey@gmail.com">stjohnthebaptisthey@gmail.com</a> with your child's name and school so that we can prepare the information required. Please note that separate forms are required for each Church attended.

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### **Book Exchange**

We have a collection of books at the rear of the Church. You are welcome to bring your books you have read and exchange them for another. There is also a box for any cash donations.

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## **Batteries and Printer Cartridges Recycling**

Used batteries and printer cartridges can be placed in the boxes at the back of church for recycling.

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#### **Food Bank Donations**

We have now reinstated the box at the back of church for donations to St Barnabas food bank. Please remember those in need when you are shopping and purchase an additional item which you can place in the box.

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#### **Finances**

# The Day-by-Day Scheme

You can choose a date, for example in memory of a dear one, a birthday or wedding anniversary, or any day that has a special meaning to you, when you would like to give thanks by sponsoring the Church upkeep. We record that date and show it on the Pew Sheet and include it in the prayers of intersession. For further details, speak with Veronica Royle – 0755 2225220.

# Weekly envelopes

If you would like to start donating by envelope each week, there are spare sets of envelopes available at the back of Church. Just take a set and fill in your name and contact phone number on the sheet provided.

#### Gift Aid

Gift Aid is an arrangement that allows the Church to reclaim tax on donations made by a UK taxpayer. This means that every donation to St John will be worth 25% more at no extra cost to the giver. If you would like to discuss or take forward gift aid, please contact our gift aid officer Stewart Morrish - 079 485 46097/email: giftaid.stjohns@gmail.com

# **Standing Orders/Gifts**

No cash and want to donate to Church? We now have a contactless donation device at back of Church.

If you wish to set up a standing order or make a gift to the Church, the bank details are:

Hey St John the Baptist Church Virgin Bank 05-06-46 60865731



"In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth." - Genesis 1:1, ESV

Please forward any items to be included in the pew sheets by the end of Wednesday each week to Stewart Morrish pewsheetstjohn@gmail.com 079 485 46097