3—8 JULY

WORSHIP & ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Tuesday

12.30pm—Mothers' Union Summer Outing

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Wednesday

10am—12pm—Parish Office open

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Thursday

9.30am—Midweek Communion service

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NEXT SUNDAY — 9 JULY — THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

9.30am Zest

11.00am Holy Communion with Revd Dick Watson

7.00pm The Den

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Welcome to **St John the Divine**The Parish Church of **Menston with Woodhead**



THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

2 JULY 2023

9.30am ZEST

Please join us for our Cake and Craft Stall plus

Fairtrade tea and coffee in the Parish Room

between 10 and 11am

11.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Readings: Romans 6: 12—end (New Testament page 152)

Matthew 10: 40—end (New Testament page 10)

Hymns: New every morning is the love

Take my life

Lord of all power

And can it be

6.00pm THE 6PM SERVICE

Reading: Romans 6 (New Testament page 152)

7.00pm THE DEN

WE PRAY FOR



The Sick: Pauline Blake, Eric Wilkinson,

Angela Evans, Enid Holdsworth,

Sheila Glennie, The Robinson family

Memorial Book: Ernest Barber, Sheila North, Wyn Eden,

> Marion Moorby, Donald Rollinson Hannah Robinson, Jeremy Dowell

- * Local government, community leaders
- * All who provide local services
- * Those who work with young or elderly people
- * Schools, colleges and universities
- * Emergency and rescue organizations

Set free, O Lord, the souls of your people from all restlessness and anxiety. Give us your peace and power, and so keep us that, in all perplexity and distress, we may abide in you, upheld by your strength, and stayed on the rock of your faithfulness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CAKE AND CRAFT STALL

Our monthly cake and craft stall takes place today, the first Sunday of the month. Please do visit the Parish Room between the services and support the stall—all proceeds to the information on each charity, please church funds.

PARISH MAGAZINE

The July/August double edition of the Parish Magazine is now available in print. It is also available to read on DO YOU HAVE BURNING QUESTIONS our website by visiting www.stjohnmenston.org.uk/ magazine.

LGBTI+ OUTREACH

Please pray for Andrew and the team as they open up the worship space in Bradford again this evening for those who are looking for an inclusive church. Andrew has been commissioned by Bishop Toby to establish an out reach event for members of the LGBTI+ community and others who are keen to worship together and discover a warm welcome in God's love.

CHARITY BUTTON VOTE

This month we continue voting for which local charity our charitable giving should go to in 2024. The

options are Outside the Box, Ilkley, Behind Closed Doors, Leeds and INN Churches, Bradford. To vote, please leave a button in the applicable jar in the back of church. For further see the June edition of the Parish Magazine (www.stjohnmenston.org.uk/ magazine-back-copies).

ABOUT YOUR FAITH?

Things that you just don't understand, that lead you perhaps even to doubt? Things that your friends and family say which makes faith sound less believable, but you don't know what to say in return? Whether you worry about suffering, science, or just how to untangle spaghetti, it's important to talk about bits of Christianity with which we struggle. If you have questions about faith, then please write them down and put them in the box at the back. Some of these questions will be dealt with during services, and some are already responded to on our website:

www.stjohnmenston.org.uk/churchquestion-box.