

PARISH NOTES

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



REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

14 NOVEMBER 2021

9.30am Zest

Reading: **John 14: 27** (New Testament page 106)

Self-service Fairtrade tea and coffee will be available in the Parish Room after Zest

10.45am **Remembrance Service**
This service takes place outside Kirklands

6.00pm **The Junction**
Exploring faith, learning together
*Followed by **The Den** in the Parish Room*

Reading: **Mark 15: 21-39** (New Testament page 51 - 52)

WORSHIP AND ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

14—20 November

Wednesday *Parish Office 10am—12.30pm*
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Thursday 9.30am Midweek Communion
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NEXT SUNDAY— 21 NOVEMBER—CHRIST THE KING

9.30am Zest

11.00am Parish Communion with Baptism

3.00pm The Core

6.00pm The Junction

The Den (following The Junction)

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WE PRAY FOR



The Sick: Ken Parker, Pauline Blake, Sylvia Bradley,
Marjorie Thompson, Eric Wilkinson, Margaret
Bailey, Steve Brookfield

Memorial Book: John Reynolds, Michael Turton, Joan
Buckingham, Walter Temple, Alan Greig

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- * The universal Church
- * Bishops, synods and all who lead the Church
- * The leaders of the nations
- * The natural world and the resources of the earth
- * All who are in any kind of need

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O God of truth and justice,
we hold before you those people
who have died in active service.

As we honour their courage
and cherish their memory,
may we put our faith in your future;
for you are the source of life, peace and hope,
now and for ever.

Amen.

ANNUAL LEAF CLEARANCE

Our annual leaf clearance is being held next week, on Saturday 20 November, starting at 9.30am. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

PARISH MAGAZINE

The deadline for the December/January double edition is today, Sunday 14 November.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The Parish Administrator is on holiday from Tuesday 23 November, returning Wednesday 1 December.

The notes will be printed in advance, so please send any notices by 10am on Wednesday 17 November.

11AM SERVICE ELECTION

On Sunday 21 November a vote will be held to decide whether we continue to use the screens or return to the use of service and hymn books. At the 11am service that morning you will be given a simple voting slip to mark your preference. You can then put this in a box at the back and we will count the votes and action accordingly.

LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH

Have you ever wondered how questions about identity, sexuality, relationships and marriage fit within the bigger picture of the good news of Jesus Christ? The Living in Love and Faith course explores this question and so much more! The six week course will be held by Revd. Andrew Howorth, taking place on Zoom from 7.45-9pm on the following Tuesdays: 23 & 30 November, 7 & 14 December,

4 & 11 January. If you would like to join the course, email Andrew at associate@stjohnmenston.org.uk

GIFT SUNDAY—5 DECEMBER

Once again, all gifts will be donated to Meadowlea Children's Home in Menston. Please ensure all items are suitable for children aged 6 - 10 and are left unwrapped. Thank you!

MONTHLY CHARITABLE GIVING BUTTON VOTE

This month's winner of the 'local charities button vote' was Beacon (Bradford Ecumenical Asylum Concern), with 92 votes. Wheatfields Hospice received 88 votes and Caring for Life received 80 votes. Thank you to all who voted! The voting for November has started, which determines which National charity we will support. The options are:

1. Church Urban Fund
2. Transforming Lives for Good
3. Church Action on Poverty

NOSTALGIA NIGHT

Nostalgia Night raised a total of £1,391.28 for St John's Roof Appeal. Many thanks to all who organised and helped in the running of the night.