



**Do join us for refreshments  
after Mass today**

# St Paul, King Cross, Halifax

Sunday 26 May 2024

## Welcome to the Parish Mass today - on Trinity Sunday

A special welcome if you are visiting.  
If you require Gluten free altar bread - please have a  
word with one of the Welcomers at the door.

**Hymns: 146; 147; 373; 358; 343**

Readers: Tom Oakes & Shaughn Bevan  
Intercessions: Graham Foster

*The contactless payment facility at the back of Church  
if you are without cash for your offering.  
If you pay tax please make use of the Gift Aid  
envelopes – it helps us a great deal - Thank you!*

*During the week please pray for:*

The people of Carrholme Court & Southowram

*Among our congregation:*

Christine Endeacott, George Femi, Christopher Fawcett

Monday – Give thanks that God makes himself  
know to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit

Tuesday – Peace in Ukraine & Middle East

Wednesday – Local schools

Thursday – All who work at Church House (Leeds)

Friday – Housebound members of our church

Saturday – our Sidespeople & Welcomers

*Those who are sick or in need:*

Adam Rose, Louise Stewart, Paul Ainsworth,  
Clifford Brown, Stuart Wade, Julian Haw,  
Michael Benn, Katie O'Halloran, Richard Burns,  
Paul Fawcett, David Hudson, Laraine Cowgill,  
Bronwyn Crowther, Matt Bower, Harrison Stones,  
Christine Palethorpe, Tim Forward, Denise Keenan,  
Jane Brown.

*Those in long term sickness:*

Philippa Wild, Jennifer Fairhurst, Sandra Wright

*Recently departed:* Sharry Cooper, Elva Wood,  
Edward Bundock, Pr. Winifred Hacking

*Anniversaries:*

Leslie Dunstan (27) Mary Mallinson (28)  
Frank Sykes, Philip Guy (29) Jim Francis (30)  
Malcolm Wild, Joan Cockroft, Kimball Politt (31)  
Winnie Pearson, Colin Victor (1)

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May, 10am-12.00  
St Paul's Craft Group meets in the Parish Room

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 10.30am Said Mass  
*followed by refreshments*

**Next Sunday – 2<sup>nd</sup> June**

Corpus Christi Sunday

*~ a day of thanksgiving for the gift of the Eucharist*

11.00am Parish Mass

*To help you prepare for our worship why not look up  
the readings we will use: Exodus 24:3-8;  
Hebrews 9:11-15; Mark 14:12-16, 22-26*

**Peter Cain Guitar Recital – Music from the  
Americas - Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm**

**Come & Sing Evensong - Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June, 5pm**  
with the Bishop of Huddersfield, preaching.  
Rehearsal: 3pm-4.15pm info from David Barker

**A Summer Concert by the Carlton Community  
Choir (CCC) - Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 7pm**

**Summer Fayre – Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June**  
*We welcome the usual items for tombola stalls –  
bottles, sweets, good bric-a-brac, raffle prizes etc  
Following the success of the Christmas Lucky Dip  
Stall, we need small clean jam jars with prizes –  
these can be sweets, small toys or stationary  
items (just be creative!)*

A gentle reminder.... parking cones are placed  
outside the Church gates to allow for easier parking  
for those with mobility concerns - and we have an  
increasing number of people with those.  
*It would be good if that facility can be respected...*

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## TRINITY SUNDAY

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Blessed be God the Father and his only-begotten Son and the Holy Spirit: for he has shown that he loves us.

### OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray [to the one God, Father, Son and Spirit, that our lives may bear witness to our faith].

Father, you sent your Word to bring us truth, and your Spirit to make us holy. Through them we come to know the mystery of your life. Help us to worship you, one God in three Persons, by proclaiming and living our faith in you. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

### FIRST READING (Deut 4:32-34. 39-40)

*A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.*

Moses said to the people: Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors - all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt?

Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today, so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.

*This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.*

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 32)

**R: Happy the people the Lord  
has chosen as his own.**

The word of the Lord is faithful  
and all his works to be trusted.  
the Lord loves justice and right  
and fills the earth with his love. **R:**

By his word the heavens were made,  
by the breath of his mouth all the stars.  
He spoke; and they came to be.

The Lord looks on those who revere him,  
on those who hope in his love,  
to rescue their souls from death,  
to keep them alive in famine. **R:**

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.  
The Lord is our help and our shield.  
May your love be upon us, O Lord,  
as we place all our hope in you. **R:**

### SECOND READING (Rom 8:14-17)

*A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans.*

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

*This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.*

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

### GOSPEL (Mat 28:16-20)

*A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew.*

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

*This is the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ*



