

The Cathedral Church of St Peter Bradford



The Eucharist

Trinity 18 Sunday, 8th October, 2023 10.30am

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- ❖ Welcome to Bradford Cathedral, particularly if you are visiting or with us for the first time if you are, please do introduce yourself to a Steward or member of the Clergy. We hope you will stay and enjoy refreshments with us after the service, which will be served at the West End of the Cathedral.
- ❖ Large print copies are available from the stewards at the main door.
- ❖ You are invited to join in the words in **bold type** in this order of service and sit or stand as directed as you are able.
- The Cathedral Choir are conducted by Graham Thorpe, Interim Organist and Director of Music, and are accompanied by Lee Ward.
- During the offertory hymn, a plate will be passed around for offerings. You can also make an offering: via the contactless card reader at the back, online via this QR code that will direct you to https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/get-involved/donate/ or by texting SEED followed by the amount you wish to give (max £20) to 70450 (e.g. text "Seed 15" to give £15). NB texts cost gift value, plus one standard message.
- ❖ Communion please follow the directions of the Stewards when the time comes. If you wish to receive a gluten-free wafer, please indicate this to the Eucharistic Minister. For health reasons, we do not permit intinction (dipping the bread in the wine), but you are welcome to receive only the bread if you prefer. If you wish to receive communion in your seat, please speak with one of the stewards at the main door before the start of the service.
- Please do not take pictures or videos during the service this is not permitted for safeguarding reasons. Please either switch off your mobile phone or silence the ringer.
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Organ Voluntary

Suite Antiga, Op. 11: III. Air

Alberto Nepumunceno (1864-1920)

Welcome and Notices

The Revd Nathaniel Osunwa

Silence is kept.

¶ The Preparation

Processional Hymn

We stand as the choir and clergy enter.

All hail the power of Jesu's name; let angels prostrate fall; bring forth the royal diadem to crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, ye morning stars of light, who fixed this floating ball; now hail the strength of Israel's might, and crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, ye martyrs of your God, who from his altar call; praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall, go spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all. Let every tribe and every tongue to him their hearts enthral, lift high the universal song and crown him Lord of all.

> Words: Edward Perronet (1726-92) and others Music: 'Miles Lane', William Shrubsole (1760-1806) CP 163

The Greeting

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you and also with you.

Prayer of Preparation

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Prayers of Penitence

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son Jesus Christ to save us from our sins, to be our advocate in heaven, and to bring us to eternal life.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, firmly resolved to keep God's commandments and to live in love and peace with all.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name.

Amen.

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Gloria in Excelsis

Choir Glory be to God on high,

and in earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee,

we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son Jesu Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of the Father,

have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy, thou only art the Lord, thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Music: 'Communion Service in Bb and F', Sir Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

The Collect

Let us pray.

Silence is kept.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

We sit.

¶ The Liturgy of the Word

The Old Testament Reading

Susan Ibnouzaki

5Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill.

2He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watch-tower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes.

And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard.
 What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it?
 When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes?

5And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard.
I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured;
I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down.
6I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and it shall be overgrown with briers and thorns;
I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it.

⁷For the vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his pleasant planting; he expected justice, but saw bloodshed; righteousness, but heard a cry!

Isaiah 5.1-7

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

Silence is kept.

The Gospel Acclamation

We stand.



Choir Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life.

I Samuel 3.9; John 6.68

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

The Gospel Reading

The Revd Duncan Milwain, Assistant Curate

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. Glory to you, O Lord.

vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watchtower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country.

34When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. 35But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. 36Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. 37Finally he sent his son to them, saying, "They will respect my son." 38But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, "This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance." 39So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. 40Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants? 41They said to him, 'He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time.'

⁴²Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures: "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is amazing in our eyes"?
⁴³Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. ⁴⁴The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls.'

⁴⁵When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. ⁴⁶They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

Matthew 21.33-46

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

Music is played in response to the gospel reading.

Sermon

Revd Canon Ned Lunn

Following an opening prayer, we sit.

The sermon is followed by a time of silence.

The Creed

We stand.

Let us declare our faith in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God. begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

We sit.

Prayers of Intercession

John Chuter

The response to the biddings is:

Lord, in your mercy **Hear our prayer.**

And at the end:

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

¶ The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

We stand.

We are the body of Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life.

cf I Corinthians 12.13; Romans 14.19

The peace of the Lord be always with you and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

During the following hymn, offerings may be made through the offertory plates, via this QR code, or by the other means detailed in the inside front cover.



Offertory Hymn

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want. He makes me lie in pastures green. He leads me by the still, still waters, his goodness restores my soul.

> And I will trust in you alone, and I will trust in you alone, for your endless mercy follows me, your goodness will lead me home.

He guides my ways in righteousness, and he anoints my head with oil, and my cup, it overflows with joy, I feast on his pure delights.

> And I will trust in you alone, and I will trust in you alone, for your endless mercy follows me, your goodness will lead me home.

And though I walk the darkest path, I will not fear the evil one, for you are with me, and your rod and staff are the comfort I need to know.

And I will trust in you alone, and I will trust in you alone, for your endless mercy follows me, Endless mercy follows me, your goodness will lead me home.

(Descant) I will trust, I will trust in you. I will trust, I will trust in you. goodness will lead me home.

Words and Music: Stuart Townend (b. 1963), based on Psalm 23

Preparation of the Table

Be present, be present, Lord Jesus Christ, our risen high priest; make yourself known in the breaking of bread. Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer

Prayer A

The Lord is here. **His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, it is our duty and our joy, at all times and in all places to give you thanks and praise, holy Father, heavenly King, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

For he is your living Word; through him you have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in your own image.

Through him you have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving him to be born of a woman and to die upon the cross; you raised him from the dead and exalted him to your right hand on high.

Through him you have sent upon us your holy and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for your own possession.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and singing:

Choir Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts, Heav'n and earth are full of thy glory, Glory be to thee, O Lord most High. Amen.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Music: 'Communion Service in Bb and F', Sir Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, and as we follow his example and obey his command, grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine may be to us his body and his blood; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying:
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross; we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; we look for the coming of your kingdom, and with this bread and this cup we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

Accept through him, our great high priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of your divine majesty, renew us by your Spirit, inspire us with your love and unite us in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, we worship you, Father almighty, in songs of everlasting praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever.

Amen.

We sit or kneel in silence.

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray in our own language

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever.
Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

Agnus Dei

Choir

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

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Giving of Communion

Draw near with faith.
Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you.
Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Please come forward to receive communion as directed by the stewards. Please indicate to those serving communion if you would like a gluten-free wafer. If you would like to receive a blessing rather than communion, please keep your hands down.

Communion Motet

Choir

God be in my head, and in my understanding; God be in my eyes and in my looking; God be in my mouth; and in my speaking God be in my heart; and in my thinking, God be at mine end, and at my departing.

Words: Pynson's Horae 1514 Tune: Philip Wilby (b 1949)

Silence is kept.

Prayer after Communion

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever.

Amen.

Almighty God,
we thank you for feeding us
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies
to be a living sacrifice.
Send us out
in the power of your Spirit
to live and work
to your praise and glory.
Amen.

¶ The Sending Out

Hymn

We stand.

We have a gospel to proclaim, good news for all throughout the earth; the gospel of a Saviour's name: we sing his glory, tell his worth.

Tell of his birth at Bethlehem not in a royal house or hall but in a stable dark and dim, the Word made flesh, a light for all.

Tell of his death at Calvary, hated by those he came to save, in lonely suffering on the cross; for all he loved his life he gave. Tell of that glorious Easter morn: empty the tomb, for he was free. He broke the power of death and hell that we might share his victory.

Tell of his reign at God's right hand, by all creation glorified. He sends his Spirit on his church to live for him, the Lamb who died.

Now we rejoice to name him King: Jesus is Lord of all the earth. This gospel-message we proclaim: we sing his glory, tell his worth.

> Words: Edward J Burns (b. 1938) Music: 'Fulda', William Gardiner (1770-1853) CP 612

The Dismissal

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. In the name of Christ. Amen.

We remain standing as the choir and clergy depart.

Organ Voluntary

Prelude in B Minor BWV 544

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

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BRADFORD CATHEDRAL DIARY & NOTICES

TODAY	8am	Holy Communion
8 th October	10.30am	Choral Eucharist
	11.45am	Just a Minute
	3.30pm	Choral Evensong

The flowers this week are given by Alex McLelland in loving memory of Vera.

THIS WEEK	9am	Morning Prayer online
Monday-Saturday	5.30pm	Evening Prayer online
Monday	2pm	Monday Fellowship (de Lacy Centre)
9 th October	5.30pm	Choral Evensong
Tuesday	10am, 1pm	Primary School Visits
10 th October	5.30pm	Choral Evensong
Wednesday	8.15am	Holy Communion (St Aidan's Chapel)
II th October	10.15am	Holy Communion (St Aidan's Chapel)
	lpm	Organ Recital: Andrew Prior
	5pm	Reception of Christine Yates' coffin into the Cathedral (St Aidan's Chapel)
Thursday	1.45pm	Funeral of Christine Yates (Committal at
12 th October		Nab Wood Crematorium at 3.20 pm)
Friday	11.30am	Funeral of Michael Oversby (Commital at
13 th October		Elland Crematorium at 1.30pm)
Saturday	7pm	Yorkshire Association of Bell Ringers
14 th October		training course

NEXT SUNDAY	8am	Holy Communion
15 th October	10.30am	St Lukestide Eucharist with Prayers for Healing, Bishop Tony presiding
	11.45am	Just a Minute
	3.30pm	Choral Evensong
	4pm	Safari Evensong, St Paul's Birkenshaw

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

JOURNEYS OF HOPE EXHIBITION In partnership with the University we are hosting an exhibition of Ugandan Asian migration stories, alongside stories from the Windrush Community. These two exhibitions will open up dialogue between different journeys of hope from two communities who continue to tell important, positive stories of Bradford's own black history as well as stories of migration to our city of sanctuary. You may see the exhibition in the Quire Ambulatories during normal opening hours.

INTERNATIONAL CHORISTER DAY Today is the day and we've created a special video to mark the day, which you can watch on our social media. You can find out more at https://www.rscm.org.uk/whats-on/international-chorister-day/

MONDAY FELLOWSHIP Monday 9th October at 2pm in the de Lacy Centre. Mary White will be talking about the parents of the Brontë sisters, with her talk, "A Brontë Love Story", which will be followed by refreshments. All are welcome.

WEDNESDAY@ONE ORGAN RECITALS The next concert will be performed by Andrew Prior on Wednesday, I Ith October. The recital, which starts at Ipm, will be preceded by a buffet lunch (£4) at 12.30pm. Details: https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/organ-recitals

HEALING SERVICE Next Sunday, our 1030 Eucharist will include Prayers for Healing both in the form of the Laying on of Hands with Anointing and Prayer Ministry. The Bishop of Wakefield, the Rt Revd Tony Robinson will be presiding. Please do invite anyone you know who might appreciate this service.

SAFARI EVENSONG Next Sunday at St Paul's, Birkenshaw at 4pm. All welcome.

SERVICE OF HOPE AND REMEMBRANCE On Monday 16th October at 7.30pm we are hosting a service marking National Hate Crime Awareness Week (which begins on Saturday 14th October). The service focuses on 'religiously motivated hate' and we are proud to be hosting this interfaith service to celebrate our city's long and meaningful history of interfaith relationships. All are welcome, and you can book your free places at service-hope-remembrance.eventbrite.co.uk

INTERNATIONAL CAROL SERVICE On Saturday 23rd December we plan to host a carol service that celebrates Christmas songs and traditions from around the world. If you would like to be involved in this, please speak with Revd Pete.

ALPHA COURSE We plan to run an Alpha Course on Tuesdays during the Spring Term, starting on 9th January. Alpha is an opportunity to gather with others and ask questions about the Christian faith. Please spread the word. If you are interested, please contact Revds Pete & Duncan via alpha@bradfordcathedral.org

WHAT'S ON BOOKLET Our full services and events listing are available to view online, and you can pick up a copy from the welcome desk.

NOTICES

JOIN US Whether you've been coming for some time or you are new with us today, if you would like to explore becoming part of our community then please complete a welcome card that are available at the back of the Cathedral.

GET INVOLVED We are looking for people to serve alongside us in several ministries across our community, including with our children and to operate the livestream during our 10.30am Sunday Service. Please speak to a member of the clergy team or to one of our stewards if you want to know more.

CATHEDRAL CHOIR RECRUITMENT

CHORISTERS As well as our annual recruitment drive during the Lent term, we have a number of spaces in the Cathedral Boys' Choir. If you know of anyone suitable aged 7-13, please pick up a 'Join Bradford Cathedral, speak with a member of music department staff, or see www.bradfordcathedral.org.uk/get-involved/join-the-choir

GRACE NOTES is our community choir for children aged 6-12. Daisy Widdicombe, the choir's new director, writes: Hello everyone, please spread the word about Grace Notes. We have all sorts of exciting projects coming up, including a collaboration with the Royal Opera House, London. Please invite anyone interested to get in touch with me on daisy.widdicombe@bradfordcathedral.org

CHAPERONES We are seeking volunteers to support the Cathedral Choristers during their choir commitments. Chaperones attend rehearsals and services, working with the music department staff to ensure the choristers' wellbeing. They are an invaluable part of the music team. Please contact Marta Libs, our Choir Matron, if you would like to find out more. marta.libs@bradfordcathedral.org