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Welcome, 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.

Sunday 26th October 2025

Last Sunday after Trinity

8am	Holy Communion (BCP)		
10:30am	Congregational Eucharist (CW, also livestreamed)		
President	Revd Canon Ned Lunn, Intercultural Mission and the Arts		
Preacher	Revd Duncan Milwain, Assistant Curate		
Reading	2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 (NT p.211)		
Gospel	Luke 18:9-14 (NT p.78)		
Music	Music Thorne Gloria (Mass of the Trinity), Bach Fantasia and Fugue in C Minor BWV 537, Hymns: 621, 174, 376		
3:30pm	Saying Goodbye Service		

COLLECT Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Weaving Jesus into the rich fabric of the city and beyond

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THIS WEEK

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Monday- Saturday	9am	Morning Prayer (online)
	10am-4pm	Open with Weaving Stories and From Rubble Reborn
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	5:30pm	Evening Prayer (Mon-Sat) (online)
Tuesday	AM & PM	Half Term Family Activities
	lpm	Stitching@Bradford Cathedral
	7.30pm	The Difference Course (de Lacy Centre)
Wednesday	8:15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
	10:15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
Thursday	12.30pm	Intercultured Festival: Drumming Circle
Friday	AM & PM	Organ Tuning
Saturday	7.30pm	Music from the Movies concert
Sunday	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10:30am	All Saints Choral Eucharist (CW)
	11:45am	Just a Minute
	5:30pm	All Souls Choral Eucharist (CW)

NOTICES

JOYCE MITCHELL sadly died this week. Please hold her family and friends in your prayers. Details of the funeral will be shared soon.

16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM As part of Bradford Cathedral's ongoing commitment to safeguarding and community wellbeing, we are supporting the *16 Days of Activism* campaign from 25th November to the 10th December. Learn more at https://www.unwomen.org/en/get-involved/16-days-of-activism

WHAT'S ON BOOKLET You can pick this up from the Cathedral and around the city, or view it online at https://www.bradfordcathedral.org.uk/featured-events

SERVICES AND MUSIC LIST You can now view the Sep - Dec 2025 list at https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/music

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE The Community Committee is a valuable link between our Clergy and Chapter and the congregation. Community Committee members wear blue lanyards to make them more identifiable to the congregation. Please feel free to chat to them and ask any questions you may have

NEW DONATION STATION This week we were pleased to install our new Cathedral donation box with a tap-to-donate screen making it easier to donate by card. Its integrated Gift Aid option will also make it easier for people to seamlessly increase their donation by 25% at no additional cost. We hope the eye-catching design will encourage donations to help with the upkeep of our beautiful Grade I listed building, which costs over £2,850 a day to run.

FORTHCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS

WEAVING STORIES You are invited to come and weave on our loom! Weaving Stories is an exciting art and heritage project as part of our contribution to the UK City of Culture, with funding from the National Lottery Heritage Fund. Find out more at https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/2025/05/12/places-of-worship-in-yorkshire-hit-the-national-lottery-jackpot/

FROM RUBBLE REBORN Monday 20th October to Friday 28th November. In response to Jyoti Sahi's *Dalit Madonna*, this evocative sculpture invites reflection on birth, hope and humanity across borders. A baby emerges from rubble – fragile, sacred, universal. Who do the hands belong to? Encounter this work in the Chapel of the Holy Spirit as part of our Global Connections season.

SAYING GOODBYE SERVICE Sunday 26th October, 3.30pm. A service of remembrance for anyone affected by the loss of a baby at any stage of pregnancy, at birth or in infancy, whether recently or historically, and for those grieving never having had children. Organised in partnership with the Mariposa Trust.

HALF-TERM FAMILY ACTIVITIES Tuesday 28th October. At Bradford Cathedral there are lots of things to see, do and discover for children (and adults!) of all ages! We will be doing autumn crafts and colouring, there will be family-friendly guided tours of the Cathedral at 11:30am and 2:30pm, or you could do one of the Cathedral Trails with your family, spotting interesting things along the way. All are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Book your places via Churchsuite: https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/event/half-term-family-activities-afternoon-session-4/ (10am session) and/or https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/event/half-term-family-activities-afternoon-session-4/ (1pm session)

DRUMMING CIRCLE (INTERCULTURED FESTIVAL) Thursday 30th October, 12.30pm. No musical experience necessary, there are no wrong notes or mistakes. Everyone is born with a heartbeat, our own internal rhythm. We all can add something to the drum circle rhythm. The experience will offer you a feeling of being connected, health and wellbeing, release and reenergise, and a feeling of empowerment.

MUSIC FROM THE MOVIES BY CANDLELIGHT Saturday Ist November, 7.30pm. Experience the magic of cinema's greatest soundtracks in a breathtaking candlelit setting. From the sweeping themes of Jurassic Park and The Godfather to the adventure of Superman and James Bond, London Concertante's world-class musicians bring these legendary scores to life in an unforgettable evening of music and atmosphere.

THE EUCHARIST OF THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED Our annual All Souls' Eucharist will take place on Sunday 2nd November at 5.30pm. This year's beautiful service will feature Bradford Cathedral's Consort singing the Duruflé Requiem. The service is a peaceful remembrance of the faithful departed and will include the full requiem mass sung liturgically, to accompany prayerful commemoration of the dead. If you would like the name of a departed loved one to be read out during that service, please sign up at the back of the Cathedral or email info@bradfordcathedral.org

EXPLORING VOCATION Which of the Church's five marks of mission calls you most? Proclaiming the Gospel, nurturing faith, serving others, challenging injustice, or safeguarding creation? Join Bishop Toby Howarth and the Diocesan Vocations Team on Thursday 6th November at 7pm in the de Lacy Centre to explore your vocation, discern your calling, and reflect on how all five shape Christian life. Tea and coffee provided.

THE MUSIC OF HARRY POTTER Friday 7th November, 7pm. Immerse yourself in the world of magical music from the cult fantasy based on the novels by J.K. Rowling – the most enchanting event of autumn for the whole family, an experience not to be missed! The evening programme includes music from unforgettable fantasy films of Harry Potter performed by the extraordinary Mystery Ensemble.

ECCLESIASTICAL TEXTILES' TOURS Saturday 8th November, I lam and Ipm. Bradford Cathedral is fortunate enough to have in its collection a number of beautiful, intricate and historically significant ecclesiastical textiles. Join us as we tour the Cathedral, seeing these stunning textiles in situ- some of which are rarely on displayand hearing the fascinating stories behind them. Book your places via Eventbrite: https://tour-nov25-11.eventbrite.co.uk (I lam session) or https://tour-nov25-13.eventbrite.co.uk (I pm session)

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 9th November. As always we will be having a Choral Eucharist at 10:30am including an act of Remembrance at the Cathedral Memorial and Dean Andy will be leading a civic service at the cenotaph in the city centre starting just before 1 lam.