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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 24th May 2026

Pentecost Sunday

8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am	Congregational Eucharist (also livestreamed)
<i>President</i>	Revd Canon Jonathan Triffitt, Dean of Bradford
<i>Preacher</i>	Revd Henriette Howarth, Minor Canon for Congregational Life
<i>Reading</i>	Acts 2:1-21 (NT 115)
<i>Gospel</i>	John 7:37-39 (NT 97)
<i>Music</i>	Thorne Gloria, Hymns: 179, 191, 174, 175
5.30pm	Evening Prayer (online)

COLLECT God, who as at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

PASTORAL SUPPORT At the cathedral we care about you and are always ready to offer you pastoral care. If you have any pastoral concerns or want to share prayer requests, speak to one of the clergy or send an e-mail to clergy@bradfordcathedral.org in the first instance.

Weaving Jesus into the rich fabric of the city and beyond

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THIS WEEK

Monday-Saturday	9am	Morning Prayer (online)
	10am-4pm	Cathedral Open
	12noon	Midday Prayer (Lady Chapel)
	5.30pm	Evening Prayer (online)
Tuesday	10am	Half Term Family Activities Session 1
	1pm	Half Term Family Activities Session 2
	1pm	Stitching@Bradford Cathedral
Wednesday	8.15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
	10.15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
Sunday	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
<i>Trinity</i>	9.30am	Prayer for our Life Together (St Aidan's Chapel)
	10.30am	Congregational Eucharist (CW also livestreamed)
	5.30pm	Evening Prayer (online)

NOTICES

CHILDREN'S SPACE will not be held today due to Half Term holidays.

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 chat to them and ask any questions you may have.

PRAYERS FOR OUR LIFE TOGETHER Prayer is at the heart of what we do both in our services and personally. During this time of change at the cathedral community, we invite you to join us in prayer weekly on Sundays at 9.30–10.15am in St Aidan's Chapel.

JOIN US & GET INVOLVED If you would like to explore becoming more involved in our community then please complete a welcome card that are available at the back of the Cathedral. We are looking for people to serve in several ministries. Please be aware that you will need to be safely recruited to all volunteer roles.

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION on Sunday 7th June 3.30pm. This will be a special service with Bishop Toby Howarth. If you, or your child, have never been baptised/christened and you would like to explore this now, or if you have been baptised and want to make a personal commitment to Jesus through confirmation, please email the clergy on clergy@bradfordcathedral.org for a further conversation. Preparation sessions will take place on Sundays 3rd, 10th, 24th and 31st May from 12noon - 12.45pm in St Aidan's Chapel. Candidates are invited to attend as many as they can.

BRING AND SHARE LUNCH, Sunday 14th June after the morning service from 12.30pm. This is a bring and share lunch for all who are part of the cathedral congregation, whether you are new or have been coming for many years. It will be a celebration of our life together, a chance to welcome new people and also to share food. Flyers and sign up sheets are now available at the back of the Cathedral.

WHAT'S ON BOOKLET from May to August. You can now 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 May – September 2026 list at <https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/music>

FORTHCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS

PENTECOST FEST Today at 2pm-4pm in City Park. There will be a gathering of Christians from across the city to witness to our shared faith, worship together and hear some amazing stories of what God is doing amongst us. It's a free event so just come along to be part of this amazing occasion.

HALF-TERM FAMILY ACTIVITIES. Tuesday 26th May. With World Environment Day and the half-term holidays coming up, Bradford Cathedral will be holding free family activities based around animals and nature, with lots of crafts, colouring and quizzes! There will also be the opportunity to make a Father's Day card and family-friendly guided tours at 11:30am and 2:30pm. Book today at <https://bradfordcathedral.churchsuite.com/events/thy0k0s7> (10am) or <https://bradfordcathedral.churchsuite.com/events/mjx3ghn8> (1pm).

MODELLING THE CATHEDRAL Saturday 6th June, 12noon. After more than a year of work, Michael Scott's N Scale Model of Bradford Cathedral will be unveiled with a talk, Q&A, and viewing. The event is free to attend, but guests are requested to reserve their places by booking a free ticket via the Featured Events page of our website or on Eventbrite.

MONDAY FELLOWSHIP Monday 8th June, 2pm. Are you free on Monday afternoons? Would you like to spend a few hours once a month in the company of others, listening to interesting and informative talks on a wide range of topics? Why not join us for Monday Fellowship. New faces and old friends are very welcome, whether you come once for a particular talk or whether you come every month. This month's talk is from Revd Canon Ned Lunn, 'Weaving Stories' talking about the tapestry created during Uk City of Culture year 2025.

MORRIS & CO. STAINED GLASS WINDOW TOURS Saturday 13th June, 11am and 1pm. The famous Victorian artist and designer William Morris founded Morris & Co. and, along with renowned figures such as Dante Gabriel Rossetti, Edward Burne-Jones and Ford Madox Brown, created many pieces of stunning stained glass, some early examples of which are on display in four locations in Bradford Cathedral. Discover more about these works of art through a guided tour. Tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/bradford-cathedral-13158341111>

HAYAO MIYAZAKI'S DREAMS BY MYSTERY ENSEMBLE is an immersion concert in the fabulous atmosphere of anime of the world-famous Japanese director and Oscar winner, Hayao Miyazaki. Mystery Ensemble has collected magical music from his anime and compositions inspired by his creations. For tickets visit our Featured Events page on our website.

IN THE SUMMER GARDEN The Delius Society hosts a free lunchtime recital performed by the Frith Rolfe Piano Duo, Ben Frith and Heidi Rolfe. "Roses, lilies, and one thousand scented flowers...." is part of an inscription from composer Frederick Delius to his wife, Jelka Rosen, included in his score of 'In a Summer Garden'. This quote could easily describe this concert's programme, with its transcriptions of Delius by Peter Warlock and delicious four hand pieces by leading French composers – with their abundance of sensual impressions. Tickets: <https://delius-lunchtime-recital.eventbrite.co.uk>

RE:IMAGINE MIGRATION Thursday 25th June, 7:30pm. An open and thoughtful conversation about one of the defining issues of our time. In a city shaped by many journeys, we will explore what migration means: not only politically, but socially, culturally, and personally. Our main contributor will be Krish Kandiah OBE, a social entrepreneur, author, and broadcaster who has worked extensively with refugees, government, charities, and faith communities. Drawing on years of practical experience supporting displaced people and advising on integration, he brings both insight and realism to a debate that is often more heated than heard. Tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/reimagine-migration-tickets-1984979169129>