

Forthcoming services

Date	Time	Church	Service
23 June	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
30 June	10.30	HT	Holy Communion
7 July	10.30	HT	All-Together Holy Communion
14 July	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Morning Prayer
21 July	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Morning Prayer
28 July	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
4 August	10.30	HT	All-Together Holy Communion
11 August	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Morning Prayer
18 August	10.30	HT	All-Together Holy Communion
25 August	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Morning Prayer
1 September	10.30	HT	All-Together Holy Communion
8 September	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Morning Prayer
15 September	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Morning Prayer
22 September	9.30	HT	Holy Communion
	11.30	Ghyll	Holy Communion
	11.30	Bracewell	Morning Prayer
29 September	10.30	Bracewell	Holy Communion (Michaelmas)

The United Benefice of Barnoldswick with Bracewell Sunday 9th June 2024: Trinity 2

Today's services:

9.30: Holy Communion (Holy Trinity)

11.30: Holy Communion (Bracewell)

11.30: Morning Prayer (Ghyll)

The week ahead

Next Sunday's Services

Holy Trinity, 9.30: Holy Communion

Ghyll, 11.30: Holy Communion

Bracewell, 11.30: Morning Prayer

The week ahead... (at Holy Trinity unless stated)

Tuesday, 1.30-3.00: Music Appreciation Group

Wednesday, 10.00-12.00: Café and Sacred Space

Thursday, 10.30: Holy Communion

Friday: Bible Discussion Group **CANCELLED**

Saturday and Sunday: Ghyll Coach House open for teas and coffees and homemade cakes.



PRAYER FOR TODAY

Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

READINGS FOR TODAY:

2 Corinthians 4.13-5.1

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Mark 3.20-end

And the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against

the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'—for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.'

Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

Ukrainian Choir

Svitoch Ukrainian choir will be performing at Holy Trinity church TODAY at 3pm. Tickets £10, to include refreshments, available on the door. It's not too late to come!

Experience Church

We will be visited on Monday and Friday this week by Year 6 children from Gisburn Road and Coates Lane schools for 'Experience Church'. Thank you to everyone who has agreed to help with this. Because of this visit on Friday, the usual Bible Discussion Group will be cancelled this week.

Rev'd Claire's licensing

Rev'd Claire's licensing in her new parish is now confirmed for 8th September at 5pm. We are hoping to organise transport from Barlick on the day. If you would be interested in attending, please sign up (no commitment at this stage, it's just to have an idea of numbers) on the list in church this week. More details to follow. Rev'd Claire's last Sunday in Barlick will be 18th August, and there will be a united service on that day.