

The Parish of Abbeydale & Millhouses

Loving God, valuing people, caring for His world

Sunday 6th October 2024 Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

At Holy Trinity	10.00am	All Age Communion
Hymns	46	At the name of Jesus (Verses 1, 2, 6 and 7)
	63	Blest are the pure in heart
	On sheet	How deep the Father's love
<i>Communion</i>	295	Let all mortal flesh keep silence
	14	All heaven declares
Anthem:	Ave verum corpus - Corelli	
	4.00pm	The Rehearsal Dinner

Collect: O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; 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

Post Communion Prayer: Holy and blessed God, you have fed us with the body and blood of your Son and filled us with your Holy Spirit: may we honour you, not only with our lips but in lives dedicated to the service of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Welcome, it's good to see you. We are the family of God and all are welcome at his table. If you are used to receiving **communion** you are welcome to do so here. If you do not wish to receive communion but would like to receive a blessing, please indicate this by bringing this leaflet up with you. Gluten free wafers are also available.

Both churches are equipped with a **hearing loop** system. Please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' setting.

Toilet facilities: at Holy Trinity through the vestry door at the front of church on the right. At St John's at the back of church on the right. At both churches there are also toilets in the hall across the car park. All facilities are accessible.

Prayers this week:

Pray **in the morning** for the day and its tasks; the world and its needs; the Church and her life; and **in the evening** for peace, individuals known to us personally, and their needs.

Daily Prayer Diary for:

Mon	The homeless
Tue	Those who are grieving
Wed	Victims of abuse
Thurs	Those living in hostile environments
Fri	Families who are struggling
Sat	All those serving in the armed forces

Readings

Job 1.1:2.1-10

Hebrews 1.1-4, 2.5-12

Gospel: Mark 10.2-16

Some Pharisees came, and to test him they asked, 'Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?' He answered them, 'What did Moses command you?' They said, 'Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her.' But Jesus said to them, 'Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation, "God made them male and female." "For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate.' Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. He said to them, 'Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.'

People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, 'Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.' And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

Notices:

Golden Wedding Julia and Peter Rimmer would like everyone to join them for cake and drinks, to celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary, in the Church Hall, after the 10.00am service at Holy Trinity on Sunday Oct 6th.

St Wilfrid's Centre are having a Quiz & Chips Night on Thursday 10th October, 7.00pm. St Wilfrid's Centre, 524 Queens Road, Sheffield. £10.00 per person (includes chip butties & hot drinks), bring your own bottle. Maximum 6 people per team, free parking available. Tickets to purchase on the website www.stwilfridscentre.org

Bev Ramsey's Retirement After around 20 years of working as our Parish Administrator, Bev is beginning her well-earned retirement on 31 October 2024. We understand that she has a very special birthday on 15 October! Contributions towards her leaving gift can be given to any of the Church Wardens, Vanessa Boddy, Nigel Harwood, Liz Frost or Lynda Tulley. Alternatively, you can pay online marking your payment 'Bev'. We would like to rejoice and give thanks for all that Bev has contributed to the life of the Parish, and to the wider community, at the 10am Service on Sunday 27 October at St John's Abbeydale and in the Hall afterwards. Please do join us as Bev marks this significant milestone in her life.

To join our services via Zoom
 please visit our website www.amchurchsheffield.co.uk go to 'What's On' then
 'Calendar', find the relevant Sunday and click on the link shown.

<i>Open Church from 10 am as follows: Holy Trinity Mon-Sat; St John's Mon-Thu</i>			
Mon 7th Oct	9.30am	Morning Prayer	HT & Zoom
	10.30am	Coffee Morning	Flat 8, 169 Millhouses Lane
	1.30pm	Handbell Practice	St John's 94 Room
	4.30pm	Rainbows	St John's Hall
	6.30pm	Snooker	St John's Hall
Tues 8th Oct	2.00pm	Table Tennis	St John's Hall
Wed 9th Oct	10.00am	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity
Thurs 10th Oct	9.30am	Morning Prayer	HT & Zoom
	10.00am	Trinity Tots	Holy Trinity
	11.00am	Lunch Club	St John's
	2.00pm	Carpet Bowls	St John's
Fri 11th Oct	7.30pm	Choir Practice	St John's
Next Sunday 13th October – Twentieth Sunday after Trinity			
	10.00am	Harvest All Age Communion followed by Harvest Lunch	St John's
	6.30pm	Choral Evensong	St John's

Items for next week's pew sheet to **Rosie** by **latest 5.00pm Wednesday**, please.

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