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**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**  
**Welcome to All Saints Bingley**

**Hymn: 21 All people that on earth do dwell**

**Collect:** Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**A reading from Ecclesiastes [1: 2,12-14; 2:18-23]**

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind. I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me—and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

**This is the word of the Lord: Thanks be to God**

**A reading from Colossians [3:1-11]**

You have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is

earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

**This is the word of the Lord: Thanks be to God**

**Hymn: 225 God of grace and God of glory**

**Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke [12:13-21] Glory to you O Lord.**

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'

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

**Hymn: 70 Be thou my vision**

**Communion Hymn: 1 Abba, Father, let me be**

**Post Communion Prayer:** Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

**Hymn: 13 All for Jesus**

### IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

**We ask God's healing for:** Oliver, Christopher, Michelle, Jacob, Mary, Marie, Mary, Alice, Chris, Richard, Edward, Stuart, Stue, Debbie, Chris, Christopher, Janet, Dorothy, Brian, Anne, David, Rosemary, Joyce, Ann and Carrie. We pray for those of our congregation in nursing homes and residential care: Janet, Jean & Tony.

**We pray for our work with children:** Our local schools, Mini Church, Messy Church, Youth Group, First Steps Toddlers and Toddler Praise.

### NOTICES

Come along to our Knit & Natter at St Aidan's on the 1st and 3rd Friday of the month at 10am-11.30am. Knitting skills are not essential...just natter and enjoy coffee /cake together.

We look forward to seeing you. *Carolyn*

On behalf of the volunteers from Bingley Community Kitchen (B.C.K.) a big thank you for your donations towards our sponsored walk. Funds raised will go to the further development of our "grow and eat" garden, directly benefitting those in need within our community.

### HAVE YOUR SAY!

What are your thoughts as the diocese prepares for the new Bishop of Leeds?

Scan the QR code on the posters in church or visit

[www.leeds.anglican.org/vacancy-in-see](http://www.leeds.anglican.org/vacancy-in-see)

**THANK YOU** to all who attended the Children's Society Afternoon Tea.

Although we got a bit damp we managed to raise £410  
Enid & the committee

**Church Opening** - the church is open daily for visitors and private prayer between the hours of 10.00 am and 4.00pm



**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

**Seventh Sunday after Trinity**

### Parish Diary

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

8.00 am	Holy Communion [BCP]
10.30 am	Parish Eucharist
6.00 pm	Choral Evensong

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August**

2.00 pm	Holy Communion at St Aidan's
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**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> August**

10.30 am	Holy Communion
11.15 am	Community Café

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August**

10.30 am	Parish Eucharist
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### Dates for your diary

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September**

6.00 pm	Choral Evensong
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**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September**

7.00 pm	Go Your Own Way
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**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October**

6.00 pm	Choral Evensong
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**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November**

6.00 pm	Choral Evensong
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**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November**

7.00 pm	Explosive Light Orchestra
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