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Sunday 5th October
Welcome to All Saints Bingley

Hymn: 716 We have a gospel to proclaim

Collect: Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

A reading from Habakkuk [1:1-4; 2:1-4]

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw. O Lord, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you 'Violence!' and you will not save? Why do you make me see wrongdoing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous— therefore judgement comes forth perverted. I will stand at my watch-post, and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me, and what he will answer concerning my complaint. Then the Lord answered me and said: Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay. Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

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

A reading from 2Timothy [1:1-14]

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of

cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

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

Hymn: 161 Father hear the prayer we offer

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke [17:5-10] Glory to you O Lord.

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you. 'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!" '

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

Hymn: 67 Be still for the presence of the Lord

Communion Hymn: 674 This is my body

Post Communion Prayer: Lord of the harvest, with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation and have shared in the bread and the wine of the kingdom: by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us and make us generous and wise stewards of the good things we enjoy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Hymn: 503 O Jesus I have promised

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, Carrie and David. 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.

First Steps Toddlers Group

I have been running First Steps since September 1997, originally on a Thursday morning then, due to a long waiting list, we started a second group on Tuesdays. It is now just on a Tuesday, term time only 9.30 to 11.00, although I go down to set up the room at 9.10. Mums come and help me on a rota basis. I had wanted to retire in July this year but decided to carry on until Christmas in the hope that someone would come and assist me between now and then and take over fully in January. I have a rota of volunteers from the Ladies Group who make the refreshments for the parents and children. There is a cupboard full of toys and craft supplies. Although the group meets on Tuesdays now, it could be any morning to suit whoever wishes to take over. I do hope someone (or maybe two) would be interested in taking this on as it would be a pity if the group were to finish after so many years. Please call me for any further information on **07975 753866**

Christine Bondarenko

PARISH QUIZ EVENING

**Come & join us at St. Aidan's for a fun evening
Test your brain & enjoy a good supper with friends**

Friday 17th October 7pm

**Soft drinks available but bring your own alcohol &
glass**

**City of Bradford Brass Band concert
at All Saints**

Friday 24 October at 7:30pm

Tickets £12

Available from church or

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/allsaintschurch1/1873323>



Sunday 5th October

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Parish Diary

Sunday 5th October

8.00 am	Holy Communion [BCP]
10.30 am	Parish Eucharist
12.30 pm	Baptism of Jessiah Hashmi
6.00 pm	Choral Evensong

Thursday 9th October

10.30 am	Holy Communion
11.15 am	Community Café

Sunday 12th October

10.30 am	Parish Eucharist
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Dates for your diary

Friday 17th October

7.00 pm	Quiz Night at St Aidan's
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Friday 24th October

7.30 pm	City of Bradford Brass Band Concert
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Sunday 2nd November

6.00 pm	Choral Evensong
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Saturday 29th November

7.00 pm	Explosive Light Orchestra
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Bishop Nick's Farewell Service is being held at Ripon Cathedral on Sunday 23rd November at 3.30pm. Please note that seating is limited and seats will be unreserved. To book a seat, please click on the link below.

<https://riponcathedral.org.uk/events/a-diocesan-farewell-to-bishop-nick/>