



**22 July to
29 July 2018**

Welcome

All are welcome at Bolton Priory! We hope that you feel at home in this community of Christians.

Who we are

Bolton Priory is in the Church of England Diocese of Leeds, but we are ecumenical in spirit and welcome you from whatever tradition you come. The Priory is more than a building. It is a Christian community committed to welcome, worship, and witness, gathered around Christ in prayer, and seeking to live well with God. Our doors are open every day, and our work and worship continue through the year. Wherever you are from, and for however long you are with us, this is your church and you are very welcome.

St Mary Magdalene

08.00 Holy Communion

10.30 Sung Eucharist

Preacher: The Ven Peter Townley, Archdeacon of Pontefract

18.30 Evening Prayer

If you are new to the Priory please stay for a cup of filter coffee or tea after the 10.30 service so that we have a chance to get to know you. Follow the crowd to the Boyle Room.

If you wish to receive a gluten-free wafer at Communion please indicate this at the Communion Rail.

St Mary Magdalene

Introit Soul of my saviour - plainchant

Hymns

Processional *Sing for God's glory*

Gradual 383

Offertory 628

Final 160

Communion Music As the deer pants - Townend
Jesu the very thought of thee - Lole
Jesu grant me this I pray - Gibbons

Organ Voluntary Langlais – Incantation pour un jour Saint

Preacher The Ven Peter Townley, Archdeacon of Pontefract

Sidesmen Today

Barbara Pickersgill, Adrienne Thomson, John Tinker, Amanda Wood

Please Pray For

Patricia Pollard, Meriel Armstrong, Edwyn Joseph

Anniversary of Death

Bert and Mary Chandler (2014), Peter Lee (2012), Stephen Parker (2011), Kathleen Feather (2009), Beryl Cooke (2009), John Saywell (2008), Martin Midgley (2005)

The Collect of the Feast of St Mary Magdalene

Almighty God, whose Son restored Mary Magdalene to health of mind and body and called her to be a witness to his resurrection:

forgive us our sins, we beseech thee, and heal us by thy grace,
that we may serve thee in the power of his risen life;
who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Processional Hymn

Lobe den Herren

**Sing for God's glory
that colours the dawn of creation,
racing across the sky,
trailing bright clouds of elation;
sun of delight
succeeds the velvet of night,
warming the earth's exultation.**

**Sing for God's power
that shatters the chains that would bind us,
searing the darkness of
fear and despair that could blind us,
touching our shame
with love that will not lay blame,
reaching out gently to find us.**

**Sing for God's justice
disturbing each easy illusion,
tearing down tyrants
and putting our pride to confusion;
lifeblood of right,
resisting evil and slight,
offering freedom's transfusion.**

**Sing for God's saints who
have travelled faith's journey before us,
who in our weariness
give us their hope to restore us;
in them we see
the new creation to be
spirit of love made flesh for us.**

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Old Testament Reading: Song of Solomon 3. 1-4

Reader: Andrew Hartley

Upon my bed at night

I sought him whom my soul loves;

I sought him, but found him not;

I called him, but he gave no answer.

'I will rise now and go about the city,

in the streets and in the squares;

I will seek him whom my soul loves.'

I sought him, but found him not.

The sentinels found me,

as they went about in the city.

'Have you seen him whom my soul loves?'

Scarcely had I passed them,

when I found him whom my soul loves.

I held him, and would not let him go

until I brought him into my mother's house,

and into the chamber of her that conceived me.

Gospel: John 20. 1-2 & 11-18

After the Gospel is announced we all respond:

Glory be to thee O Lord

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.'

Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

At the end of the Gospel:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to thee O Christ.

The service continues with the Creed on page 7 of the service booklet.

Notices

Guest Preacher

Our preacher at the 10.30 Sung Eucharist today, 22 July, is be the Venerable Peter Townley, Archdeacon of Pontefract.

Final Sundays

The Rector's final service at the Priory will be on **Sunday 19 August**. There will be no service at 08.00 on that day to allow as many of the worshipping community as possible to gather together for the 10.30 service. Jonathan's final service will be four weeks later on **Sunday 16 September**.

Farewell Lunch

On Sunday 19 August, after the 10.30 service, there will be a farewell buffet lunch for the Rector in Bolton Abbey Village Hall. All are warmly invited to come along.

Rector's Installation as Dean of Wakefield and Jonathan's Licensing

The Rector's Installation as Dean of Wakefield will take place in Wakefield Cathedral on Saturday 29 September at 15.30. Jonathan's Licensing as Interim Minister in the parish of St James, Woodside, will take place in St James's church on Monday 01 October at 19.30. Needless to say, all will be welcome at both these services.

Your Children's Society Box is Needed

There are still ten boxes which we need so that we can empty them. If you have a box we would be grateful if you could let us have it as soon as possible. You can give it to us, hand it to a sidesman or leave it in the Verger's vestry. Thank you. Margaret Cody and Betty Nelmes.

Choral Evensong

The next Choral Evensong will be on Sunday 29 July at 16.30 with the Priory Choir.

Parochial Church Council Minutes and Agenda

The draft minutes of the meeting on 26 June are on the notice board in the Tower. There is a list of names of those on the PCC who you can speak to about any matters which have been discussed.

July Magazine

The July Magazine is ready for you to collect from the Tower.

Baby Basics Project

Baby Basics aims to support new mothers who are struggling to meet the financial and practical burden of looking after a new baby. Please support this church project by contributing to their starter packs. Items needed are clothes 0-3 months, blankets, towels and Moses baskets. With thanks, Mary Vineall, 01756 753013.

Skipton Food Bank

Items needed regularly are rice pudding, tinned meat and coffee. At the moment they urgently need tinned fish and tinned vegetables. Please ensure your donation is in date. Skipton Baptist Church operates five mornings a week and your contributions are greatly appreciated. If you would prefer to give money instead that is just as useful. Website: skiptonfoodbank.org

Diary for the Week Ahead

Tuesday

19.30 PCC

Wednesday

10.00 Holy Communion

18.45 Choir Practice

Saturday

13.00 Marriage of Will Frost and Anna Rayner

Services next Sunday 29 July

Ninth Sunday After Trinity

08.00 Holy Communion

10.30 Sung Eucharist

Preacher: The Rector

16.30 Choral Evensong with the Priory Choir

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