

First Sunday of Lent

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Welcome to Wakefield Cathedral

8.00 am **Holy Communion**
President *The Dean*

9.15 am **The Eucharist with Junior Church**
President *Canon Tony Macpherson* Preacher *Canon Tony Macpherson*
Pie Jesu *Lloyd Webber*
Hymns CHE 185, 158, 274 (v5 girls only), 97, 319 (Aberystwyth)

11.00 am **The Eucharist**
President *Canon Michael Rawson* Preacher *Canon Tony Macpherson*
Litany in Procession *King*
Mass of the Quiet Hour *Oldroyd*
Strengthen for service *Farrell*
Hymns NEH 393, 67, 65

4.00 pm **Choral Evensong** Preacher *Canon Stephen Kelly*
Responses *Leighton*
Psalm 119 (vv.73-88)
Brewer in D
Call to remembrance *Farrant*
Hymns NEH 59, 358, 72

Rhubarb preserves and chutney on sale in the Coffee Shop and at Pamper Friday event, any remaining on sale at coffee time on Sunday February 28th.

Next Sunday's Readings

Genesis 15.1 – 12, 17 - 18
Luke 13.31 – end

Please bring your Children's Society Boxes in for opening. Thank you Elsie Bouckley

Today's reading at 9.15 and 11.00 am

First Reading

Deuteronomy 26.1 - 11

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.

Moses spoke to the people, saying: When you have come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the LORD your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, 'Today I declare to the LORD your God that I have come into the land that the LORD swore to our ancestors to give us.' When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the LORD your God, you shall make this response before the LORD your God: 'A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labour on us, we cried to the LORD, the God of our ancestors; the LORD heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O LORD, have given me.' You shall set it down before the LORD your God and bow down before the LORD your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house.

Gospel

Luke 4.1 - 13

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "One does not live by bread alone."' Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, 'To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him."' Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, 'If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, "He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you," and "On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone."' Jesus answered him, 'It is said, "Do not put the Lord your God to the test."' When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

Events this week

The Morning Liturgy is celebrated from Monday to Saturday at 8.00 am

Monday 22	12.30 pm 4.30 pm	Holy Eucharist Evening Prayer <i>said</i>
Tuesday 23	1.00 pm 5.00 pm	Lunchtime Concert : Abia Ng on Piano Choral Evensong Responses <i>Bielby</i> Psalm 63 (NEH 533. 1,2) <i>Hylton Stewart</i> in C Lead me, Lord <i>Wesley</i> Hymn NEP 607
Wednesday 24	10.30 am 12 noon 1,00 pm 6.00 pm	Holy Communion Stations of the Cross Cathedral Conversations with Sir Norman Bettison, Chief Constable of West Yorkshire Choral Evensong
Thursday 25	12.30 pm 6.30 pm	Prayers for Peace Choral Evensong
Friday 26	12.30 pm 4.30pm	Holy Eucharist Evening Prayer <i>said</i>
Saturday 27	10.30 am 4.30 pm	Holy Eucharist Missa
Sunday 28	8.00 am 9.15 am 11.00 am 4.00 pm	Holy Communion The Eucharist with Junior Church The Eucharist Choral Evensong

Notices

- **Lent Group** Mondays in Lent from February 22, 10.30 – 12.00 at 4 Pinders Grove. There will be five sessions on the subject of Prayer. Everyone is welcome either for the Lent course or as an introduction to the Monday Fellowship which meets monthly. We hope to welcome many new friends.
- **Christian Nurture Course:** Want to know more about the basics of Christian belief? Please indicate your interest to any of the clergy as soon as possible.
- **Junior Confirmation** If you are interested in being confirmed please have a word with Canon Michael Rawson.
- **Pamper Friday** In aid of the Wakefield Cathedral development, Friday 26 February

from 5.00-8.30 pm. First choice of treatment included in the ticket: Reflexology, Chair Massage, Hand or Facial Massage, Nail treatments, various stalls, raffle. Tickets £5 from the Bookshop or pay on the night.

- **Cathedral Development** Would you be interested in helping us spread the Good News – particularly about the Cathedral Development – to the Media etc. If so, Jane Bower, the Diocesan Communications Officer, is very happy to run some informal training sessions. It would be great to put together a small communications group to take on this role. Please let the Dean know if you'd like to be part of this.
- **Dean of Mara** The Dean of Mara will be in Wakefield from 19 – 21 March. Can anyone please offer him a bed for that period, or a meal during his stay? Please let the office know.
- **Cathedral Community Weekend at Whitby 7-9 May.** Why not come along for a weekend of fellowship, fun and worship for all ages! The approximate cost (excluding transport) is £115 with reductions for young people. Bishop John Flack will be with us for the weekend to lead our thoughts. If you would like to go please ask for a booking form from Canon Michael Rawson with a £20 deposit. Sadly, all the ensuite rooms have now been booked.
- **Cathedral Conversations Wednesday** 1-1.45 pm. Entrance is free, tea and coffee will be available and people are welcome to bring their lunch to eat as they listen. There's a retiring collection to cover expenses. If you can help make the tea or coffee, please let one of the clergy know.

24 February	Sir Norman Bettison, Chief Constable of West Yorkshire
3 March	No conversation - Radio 3 is broadcasting Evensong from the Cathedral
10 March	Joanne Roney OBE, Chief Executive of Wakefield MDC
24 March	Lt Col Alistair Rogers, Commanding Officer, 4 Battalion The Parachute Regiment

Please note that Lt Col Alistair Rogers, Commanding Officer, 4 Battalion The Parachute Regiment is coming on 24 March and not the 17 March as previously advertised.

Please pray for

The Church

Our Bishops, Stephen and Tony; Mara, Bishop Hilkiyah and the Parish of Ikoma in Mugumu Deanery. The Deanery of Barnsley - Rural Dean Stephen Race and Lay Chair Christina Cockroft. Transforming Lives: Pray for all parishes putting their transformational plans into operation.

The World

The people of Haiti, Afghanistan, Iraq, Iran, Zimbabwe, Pakistan, Sudan

The Sick

Eileen Bird, Deborah Burnley, Isabel Marsden, Peter Scholfield, Joseph Baxby, Margaret Toplis, Clare, Michael Power, Nigel Gill, Pat Armitage, Graeme, Winifred Beech, Ernest Bradley, Nikki Cheetham, Gillian Joyce, Peter Ryan, Carolyn Laybourn, Elsie Bouckley, Tony Hurd, Anne Owen, Dawn Webb, Christine Horner, Betty Bellamy, Alison & Carl Turner and family

The Departed

Beryl Sheppard, Ian Kitteringham *priest*, Mabel Hutchinson