

# **A warm welcome from St Edmund's Parish Church**

## **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025**

### **The thirteenth Sunday after Trinity**

#### **Serving God with our time**

*We extend a warm welcome to everyone who will worship with us  
whether in church or at home.*

**8am      HOLY COMMUNION, WITH HEALING**

Revd Paul Tudge is presiding and Revd Michelle Lepine is preaching.

**10am      PARISH COMMUNION, WITH HEALING**

Revd Paul Tudge is presiding and Revd Michelle Lepine is preaching.

Junior Church meets today.

*This service will be available on-line.*

Our live streamed services are shared live on our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/StEdsRoundhay>

You do not need a Facebook account to watch them.

**Services this week**

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September**

**11am      Holy Communion**  
Led by Michelle Lepine

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September**

**8.30am      Morning Prayer**

**Services next Sunday**

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September**

**The fourteenth Sunday  
after Trinity**

**Serving God with our talents**

**8am      Holy Communion**

**10am      Family Communion**

**6.30pm Holden Service**

Visit the website or follow us on social media for more information  
and insights into life at St Ed's

[www.stedmundsroundhay.org.uk](http://www.stedmundsroundhay.org.uk)

Facebook: [StEdsRoundhay](https://www.facebook.com/StEdsRoundhay)

Instagram: [@StEdsRoundhay](https://www.instagram.com/StEdsRoundhay)

**COLLECT FOR THE  
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY  
AFTER TRINITY**

**Almighty God,  
you search us and know us;  
may we rely on you in  
strength  
and rest on you in weakness,  
now and in all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our  
Lord. Amen**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

**Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 & 14  
Everything Has Its Time**

- <sup>1</sup> For everything there is a season,  
and a time for every matter under  
heaven:  
<sup>2</sup> a time to be born, and a time to  
die;  
a time to plant, and a time to pluck  
up what is planted;  
<sup>3</sup> a time to kill, and a time to heal;  
a time to break down, and a time  
to build up;  
<sup>4</sup> a time to weep, and a time to  
laugh;  
a time to mourn, and a time to  
dance;  
<sup>5</sup> a time to throw away stones, and  
a time to gather stones together;  
a time to embrace, and a time to  
refrain from embracing;  
<sup>6</sup> a time to seek, and a time to lose;  
a time to keep, and a time to throw

away;

<sup>7</sup> a time to tear, and a time to sew;  
a time to keep silence, and a time  
to speak;

<sup>8</sup> a time to love, and a time to hate;  
a time for war, and a time for  
peace.

<sup>9</sup> What gain have the workers from  
their toil? <sup>10</sup> I have seen the  
business that God has given to  
everyone to be busy with. <sup>11</sup> He has  
made everything suitable for its  
time; moreover, he has put a sense  
of past and future into their minds,  
yet they cannot find out what God  
has done from the beginning to the  
end.

<sup>14</sup> I know that everything God does  
will endure forever; nothing can be  
added to it and nothing taken from  
it. God does it so that people will  
fear him.

**GOSPEL READING**

**John 2:1-10  
The Wedding at Cana**

<sup>1</sup> On the third day there was a  
wedding in Cana of Galilee, and  
the mother of Jesus was there.

<sup>2</sup> Jesus and his disciples had also  
been invited to the wedding.

<sup>3</sup> When the wine gave out, the  
mother of Jesus said to him, 'They  
have no wine.' <sup>4</sup> And Jesus said to  
her, 'Woman, what concern is that  
to you and to me? My hour has not  
yet come.' <sup>5</sup> His mother said to the

servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.'<sup>6</sup> Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons.<sup>7</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim.<sup>8</sup> He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it.<sup>9</sup> When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom<sup>10</sup> and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.'

## HOPE EXPLORED

**We continue our course looking at the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.**

It shows that Christianity is about real hope. Weeks 2 & 3 explore the person of Jesus and on week 4 we will share a meal together.

Come along even if you couldn't make it to week 1!

St Edmund's Church are hosting the course, in partnership with Lidgett Park Methodist Church & St Andrew's URC **on Tuesdays 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> September 7.30 – 9pm.**

Whether you are a mature Christian, new to faith or just exploring, this is a course for you!

More information from [michelle.lepine@leeds.anglican.org](mailto:michelle.lepine@leeds.anglican.org)

## **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**The recently departed,**  
**among them Marylin.**

### **Those who have asked for prayer:**

**Julie, Marjorie; Ava & Lucy;**  
**Evelyn, Sarah and Jocelyn.**

*As a church community we undertake to pray for those who have asked for prayer for a period of six months, after which time their name will normally be taken off the news sheet.*

**Andy, our CMS mission partner in Brazil, and his family.**

**LITTLE SPARKS**  
@ St Ed's  
**TODDLER GROUP**  
SEE YOU IN THE CHURCH!  
**EVERY THURSDAY TERM TIME 9:30 - 11:30**  
**ALL WELCOME**  
UP TO 3 CHILDREN AND £1 FOR ADDITIONAL CHILDREN  
SNACKS AND REFRESHMENTS INCLUDED!



## **NEWS AND NOTICES**

**JUNIOR CHURCH MEETS TODAY,** for children aged 3+ and young people aged up to 18. We leave after the first hymn and return in time for communion.

**HOPE EXPLORED meets on Tuesday.**  
See inside for full details.

**LITTLE SPARKS Toddler Group**  
meets every term-time Thursday from  
9.30 to 11.30am. Please join us!

**ROCKING ST ED'S YOUNG ADULTS GROUP.** 18+ for young people in and around the Roundhay area at any stage of life (work/ uni etc). Meeting every Thursday, 7pm at Hesco Lounge, Street Lane. Chill chats, card games and a great opportunity to meet some new friends. Please contact Isabelle Lepine at +447847622184 to be added to the group chat.

**CHURCH RAMBLE on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September** will be a 6 mile circular walk starting and finishing in Barwick with a number of stiles but none of them severe. We will take in Garforth Golf Course and return on Bog Lane to Scholes and then Barwick. One patch of a few yards could be very muddy after heavy rain but not impassible. We meet in the Church car park and leave at 9.30am. Any questions to David Mitchell on 07811 918474.

**HERITAGE OPEN DAY at St Edmund's on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September 10 until 1pm.** Take a tour around the church and see our interesting and unusual architecture and learn about the heritage treasures. Refreshments, stalls and children's activities all available. As always, donations of baking would be gratefully received.

**THE MONDAY BIBLE STUDY GROUP** meets on 15<sup>th</sup> September at the back of church from 10:30 till 12. We start with a chat and coffee, with the main meeting starting at 11. We will be looking at the following Sunday's readings, 1 Peter 4:7-11 and Matthew 5:13-16. Do come along or speak to Penny Gray.

**MID-WEEK WALK Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September,** Micklefield and Ledston Lodge. We start on the outskirts of Micklefield going through attractive woodland before entering parkland and passing an old hunting lodge. We meet in the church car park ready to depart at 9.30am. For more information please contact Brian Livesey on 293 7403 or at [b.livesey@ntlworld.com](mailto:b.livesey@ntlworld.com)

**LOOKING FOR THE PERFECT CHRISTMAS GIFT?** Penny Gray has offered to knit a jumper or cardigan for you or a loved one. You provide the wool and then make a donation to St Eds to cover her labour. She loves a pattern, so an Aran would be ideal, but first come, first served and she will knit whatever you would like. Please contact Penny on 0113 294 1063 or see Anne Seller who will put you in touch with Penny.

**A LUNCH CLUB FOR SENIORS in church every Tuesday from 11am to 1pm.** We start with an activity and provide lunch. A voluntary contribution of £3 is welcomed to cover costs. Lifts may be arranged. A warm welcome is guaranteed. Contact Amanda Richardson at [amandarichardson62@gmail.com](mailto:amandarichardson62@gmail.com) for details.

**PLEASE STAY FOR REFRESHMENTS after the 10am service,** served at the back of the church.

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