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DIARY AND NOTICES

2 Before Advent/Remembrance Sunday

13 November 2022

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Harper Anderson, Barbara Bland, Awena Carter, Andrew Cresswell, Delyth Cresswell, Donald Feltham, Stephen Gardner, Michael Greenhalgh, Catherine Haines, Christine Heywood, Marilyn Kenny, Ann Nicol, Coralie Shimmons, Michelle Simpson, Nick Stojic, Rachel Townley and Norman (Nodder) Muckalt.

We are encouraging those who are able to go paperless for our services to do so and a full order of service is available using this QR code:



Processional Hymn (NEH 333)

1 All my hope on God is founded;
he doth still my trust renew.
Me through change and chance he guideth,
only good and only true.
God unknown,
he alone
calls my heart to be his own.

2 Pride of man and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray his trust;
what with care and toil he buildeth,
tower and temple, fall to dust.
But God's power,
hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.

3 God's great goodness aye endureth,
deep his wisdom, passing thought:
splendour, light, and life attend him,
beauty springeth out of naught.
Evermore
from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.

4 Daily doth th'Almighty giver
bounteous gifts on us bestow;
his desire our soul delighteth,
pleasure leads us where we go.
Love doth stand
at his hand;
joy doth wait on his command.

5 Still from man to God eternal
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Christ doth call
one and all:
ye who follow shall not fall.

Robert Bridges (1844-1930)

Offertory Hymn (NEH 294)

1 Just as I am, without one plea
But that thy blood was shed for me,
And that thou bidd'st me come to thee,
O Lamb of God, I come.

2 Just as I am, though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt,
Fightings within, and fears without,
O Lamb of God, I come.

3 Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind;
Sight, riches, healing of the mind,
Yea all I need, in thee to find,
O Lamb of God, I come.

Communion Hymn (LP 11)

1 Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One, is here.
Come, bow before him now,
with reverence and fear.
In him no sin is found,
we stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One, is here.

2 Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
he burns with holy fire,
with splendour he is crowned.
How awesome is the sight,
our radiant King of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around.

Recessional Hymn (NEH 494 T.413) *We turn to face the procession.*

Christ is the world's true light,
its captain of salvation,
the daystar clear and bright
of every land and nation;
new life, new hope awakes,
where peoples own his sway:
freedom her bondage breaks,
and night is turned to day.

4 Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve:
Because thy promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

5 Just as I am (thy love unknown
Has broken every barrier down),
Now to be thine, yea thine alone,
O Lamb of God, I come.

6 Just as I am, of that free love
The breadth, length, depth and height
to prove,
Here for a season then above,
O Lamb of God, I come.

C Elliott (1789-1871)

3 Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place,
he comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister his grace.
No work too hard for him,
in faith receive from him;
be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

David J Evans b. 1957

2 In Christ all races meet,
their ancient feuds forgetting,
the whole round world complete,
from sunrise to its setting:
when Christ is throned as Lord,
lands shall forsake their fear,
to ploughshare beat the sword,
to pruning-hook the spear.

3 One Lord, in one great name
unite us all who own thee;
cast out our pride and shame
that hinder to enthrone thee;
the world has waited long,
has travailed long in pain;
to heal its ancient wrong,
come, Prince of Peace, and reign! G.W. Briggs 1875 – 1959

Act of Remembrance *This will be led at the appropriate moment.*

The Exhortation

They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old.
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun, and in the morning,
We will remember them. **We will remember them.**

Two Minutes' Silence

A Collect

Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Notices

New to the Priory—A warm welcome if you are new to Lancaster Priory. There are a number of opportunities to join with community, study and social groups for all ages and to stay in touch via digital newsletters and on our social media channels. If you would like to know more then please speak to the vicar or the wardens.

Parking in the Castle Grounds - Please note that parking in the spaces next to the castle is no longer available to us. A photo recording of cars parked there is being kept, notices issued, and repeat parking there could mean cars being towed away. The castle are converting that part of the building into offices and so, during the week at least, the spaces will be required.

Midnight Mass- We have been invited to record Midnight Mass for the Church of England's National Online Service. This will be happening on the 20th of November instead of the published Evensong. Please spread the word and help us draw a big congregation for some early carol singing. Congregation must be seated for 6.15pm. Thank you.

Experience Christmas- On Wednesday 30th November and Thursday 1st December we are hosting almost 200 local school children as they explore the Christmas story through 6 interactive stations around the Priory. We need volunteers to help man the stations and help with refreshments. If you can spare a couple of hours to help, please sign up on the sheet at the back of church. Speak to Susan if you want to know more.

Christmas Concerts – Tickets now on sale for the 16/17 December.

<https://www.trybooking.com/uk/events/landing/34181> Or QR code to book:

Advent Groups – This year's groups will be announced shortly. Please could you add your name to the sign up list for the book Sleepers Wake by Nicholas Holtam at the back of church and we will order them together. The cost will be approximately £9, possibly less if lots of people order. The book can be used in groups or on your own. Thank you.



Youth Groups – We are launching our two new youth groups in November. The Sunday Knights (younger) and Pilgrims (older). To find out more please see the fliers at the back of church.

Communion—Communion is now available in both kinds. Intinction will be strictly not allowed by anyone. It is perfectly valid to receive communion in one kind and you may prefer to continue to do this. Those administering will wear masks.

Coffee and Theology - This will start again in January, meeting on the 5,12,19, 26 and then February 2 and 9. Sessions will start with coffee at 7pm in the Refectory and the study will be of Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians.

Priory Visitor Scheme. We recognise that it can be hard sometimes to ensure people in our congregation feel part of the church family. We would like to be more intentional in ensuring people have a named person who can be their link, helping them to find their place and to notice when they might need some additional help. Please prayerfully consider whether God is calling you to be one of our Priory Visitors. There are flyers at the back of church with more information

Olive Branch - Please continue to donate food items in the bin at the back of church.

Notices—Please email notices to info@lancasterpriory.org by 5pm on Wednesday each week

Priory Prayer Lists—This List will be renewed on Advent Sunday. If you would like a name to remain or be included on the list please contact the vicar via email info@lancasterpriory.org

The Priory Occasional Singers - new members welcome. Please see Ian Pattinson if you might be interested in joining.

Weekly E-News Letter - To subscribe to our new weekly e-news, please use visit <http://eepurl.com/ibduZf> or use this QR code:



Today,	4.00pm	Sunday Knights, Youth Group
	6.30pm	Choral Evensong Choir: Girls and ATB Hymns: 417, 372, 490. Readings: Daniel 6, Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23 Responses: Clucas Psalm: 97 Canticles: Sumsion <i>in A</i> , Anthem: <i>And I saw a new Heaven</i> (Bainton) Voluntary: <i>Nimrod</i> (Elgar)

The week ahead *Priory Open to the public from 10.00am-2.00pm Monday-Saturday.*

Mon 14 8.30am Morning Prayer in Zoom (*email for link*)

7.30pm Music Trust Meeting

7.30pm Property Committee Meeting

Tue 15 10.15am Holy Communion (BCP)

11.00am Tuesday Fellowship

Wed 16 2.00pm Sanctuary Guild

7.30pm Standing Committee

Fri 18 *Organ Exam: Church closed until 11am*

4.00pm Children's Choir

5.30pm Pilgrims Youth Group

Sat 19 10.30am Coffee Concert: Jeremy Truslove

Next week: Christ the King, Sunday 20 November

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.00am Choral Eucharist with Young Church.

Readings: Jeremiah 23.1-6, Colossians 1.11-20

6.30pm Midnight Mass Recording (*Please be seated for 6.15pm*)

Today's Notice sheet is sponsored by....

Joe Beighton

In memory of Barry Greenwood