



## LANCASTER PRIORY

TRINITY SUNDAY 4<sup>th</sup> June 2023

In our prayers *we remember those who are sick*: Linda Bruce, Awena Carter, Stephen Gardner, Michael Greenhalgh, Marilyn Kenny, David Newton, Ann Nicol, Carolyn Parker, Christopher Peasnell & Coralie Shimmons.

*And those who had recently died and their families and friends*: Kathryn Haynes

### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.00am Priory Eucharist (*Occasional Singers*)

President and Preacher: Revd Leah Vasey-Saunders.

Readers: Sue Clark. (Isa. 40 12-17. 27- end)

Christine Dickinson. (2 Cor. 13. 11- end) Gospel (Matt 28. 16-end)

Intercessions: Sarah Hutchins.

3.30pm Baptism Preparation Session

6.30pm Choral Evensong (*Boys & Lower Voices*)

Officiant: Kaarina Leong (Ordinand)

Preacher & Prayers: Richard Carter, Licensed Lay Minister

Readers: Margaret Pattinson (Isa.6. 1-8) Serena Lailey (John 16.5-15)

Responses: Ayleward Canticles: Dyson in F Psalm: 150 (Stanford)

Anthem: Stainer *God So Loved The World*.

Hymns: 206, 343, 373 (Coe Fen) Voluntary: Krebs *Prelude in F*

### Processional Hymn NEH 433

1. O worship the King, all glorious above;  
O gratefully sing his power and his love;  
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,  
pavilioned in splendour and girded with praise.

2. O tell of his might, O sing of his grace,  
whose robe is the light, whose canopy space;  
his chariots of wrath the deep thunder clouds form,  
and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

3. This earth, with its store of wonders untold,  
Almighty, thy power hath founded of old:  
Hath stablished it fast by a changeless decree,  
And round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea.

4. Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?

It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;  
it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,  
and sweetly distils in the dew and the rain.

5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
in thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail;  
thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend.

6. O measureless might, ineffable love,  
while angels delight to hymn thee above,  
thy humbler creation, though feeble their lays,  
with true adoration shall sing to thy praise.

Robert Grant (1779-1838)

Psalm 104

## Gradual Hymn NEH 295

Let all mortal flesh keep silence  
and with fear and trembling stand;  
ponder nothing earthly-minded,  
for with blessing in his hand  
Christ our God to earth descendeth,  
our full homage to demand.

2. King of kings, yet born of Mary,  
as of old on earth he stood,  
Lord of lords, in human vesture-  
in the body and the blood-  
he will give to all the faithful  
his own self for heavenly food.

3. Rank on rank the host of heaven  
spreads its vanguard on the way,  
as the light of light descendeth  
from the realms of endless day,  
that the powers of hell may vanish  
as the darkness clears away.

4. At his feet the six-winged seraphs,  
cherubim with sleepless eye,  
veil their faces to the presence,  
as with ceaseless voice they cry,  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
alleluia! Lord most high.

tr: Gerard Moultrie 1829-1885

## The Offertory Hymn LP31

Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.

2. We are pilgrims on a journey  
and companions on the road;  
we are here to help each other  
walk the milk and bear the load.

3. I will hold the Christ-light for you  
in the night-time of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you,  
speak the peace you long to hear.

4. I will weep when you are weeping;  
when you laugh I'll laugh with you;  
I will share your joy and sorry  
till we've seen this journey through

5. When we sing to God in heaven  
we shall find such harmony,  
born of all we've known together  
of Christ's love and agony.

6. Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.

Richard Gillard b. 1953

## Communion Hymn

Take my life, and let it be  
consecrated, Lord, to thee;  
take my moments and my days,  
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

2. Take my hands, and let them move,  
at the impulse of thy love;  
take my feet, and let them be  
swift and beautiful for thee.

3. Take my voice and let me sing  
always, only, for my King;  
take my lips, and let them be  
filled with messages from thee.

4. Take my silver and my gold;  
not a mite would I withhold;  
take my intellect, and use  
every power as thou shalt choose.

5. Take my will, and make it thine:  
it shall be no longer mine;  
take my heart: it is thine own;  
it shall be thy royal throne.

6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour  
at thy feet its treasure-store;  
take myself, and I will be  
ever, only, all for thee.

Frances Ridley Havergal 1836-1879

## Recessional Hymn NEH 146

1. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

2. Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

3. Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,  
though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see,  
only thou art holy, there is none beside thee  
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

4. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
all thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;  
holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Reginald Heber 1783-1826

## Notices

**New to the Priory** - A warm welcome if you are new to Lancaster Priory. Please stay for a "cake of thanks" to celebrate Pauline Fielding's period as our Churchwarden after our 10.00 service.

**The Practice of Prayer:** An installation by Rachel-Ann Powers will remain in the Regimental Chapel until June 18<sup>th</sup>. Take a moment to delight in and reimagine the nature of our praying through this wonderful interactive installation.

**Associate Priest:** Please pray for Louis and his wife Christine as they prepare to join us on June 25<sup>th</sup> (6.30pm service). The vicar is putting together a new home hamper for them - please sign up to donate something on the list and bring it next week! Thank you.

**Deanery Synod Reps:** we will be electing three deanery synod reps at the June PCC Meeting. Nomination forms at the back of church. Thank you.

**Marsh Community Choir:** Summer Concert on 19<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm in Friends of Williamson's Park Garden. Please come with a chair or a rug and support us.

**Hosts needed** - After a very successful gig under Gaia, The King's Men are returning to Lancaster Priory on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July. Tickets available soon. We still need beds for 6 performers for Saturday night; if you are able to offer a bed/s please let Steph know as soon as possible: [steph@lancasterpriory.org](mailto:steph@lancasterpriory.org)

**Zoom Lectio Divina** next takes place 8- 9.30pm Tomorrow 5<sup>th</sup> June. Join us to see how modern technology adds value to this ancient practice of praying with scripture. To join the online interactive session led by Joop Brouwer, email Nigel Stewart: [n.stewart@lancaster.ac.uk](mailto:n.stewart@lancaster.ac.uk).

## PRIORY DIARY

*Church public opening times are 10am – 4pm Monday – Saturday  
Accessing the garden of remembrance during opening hours*

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	10.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	2.00pm	Sanctuary Guild (Refectory)
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	12.30pm	Lunchtime concert. St Andrew's Madrigal Choir
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Corpus Christie Eucharist President Revd Prof John Rodwell
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Coffee Concert – Lancaster CMC Big Band
<b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June</b>		
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10.00am	Priory Eucharist <b>ALL AGE</b> ( <i>Boys &amp; Lower voices</i> ) President: Revd Tim Evans. Preacher: Kaarina Leong Reader: Evelyn Leong-Smith. Intercessions: Youth prayers
	12.15pm	Baptism service: Barten-Styth
	6.30pm	Solemn Evensong with Benediction ( <i>Girls &amp; Lower voices</i> ) Officiant & Preacher: Revd Leah Vasey-Saunders Readers: Revd Michael Fielding & Tom Barnish Intercessor: Kaarina Leong (Ordinand)

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