



## LANCASTER PRIORY

3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023

Trinity 13

In our prayers *we remember those who are sick:* Linda Bruce, Awena Carter, David Cummings, Stephen Gardner, Marilyn Kenny, David Newton, Ann Nicol, Rodney Nicholson, Carolynn Parker, Christopher Peasnell & Coralie Shimmons, John Tinsley

### Today's Services (Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September)

Complete orders of service can be accessed on a digital device via the QR code or <https://cutt.ly/pwrbcZF6>



#### Sunday

Trinity 13. 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.00am Priory Eucharist (*Girls and Lower voices*)

President: Revd Louis Johnson

Preacher: Revd Leah Vasey-Saunders

Reader: Peter Hopwood (Jer. 15. 15-21) Dawn Cheetham (Rom. 12 9-end)

Intercessions: Sarah Hutchins

Setting: Haydn – *Little Organ Mass*. Anthem: Tallis – *If ye love me*

Voluntary: Campbell- *Impromptu*

3.30pm Baptism preparation – Revd Louis Johnson

6.30pm Choral Evensong- (*Boys and Lower voices*)

Officiant: Revd Leah Vasey-Saunders Preacher: Revd Louis Johnson

Readers: Margaret Saunders & Margaret Pattinson

Setting: *Ayleward* Canticles: *Stanford in C* Psalm- 119 V 1-8 (219)

Anthem: Purcell – *Rejoice in the Lord* Hymns: NEH 396, 369, 436

Voluntary: Stanford – *Postlude on an old Irish church Melody*

### Processional Hymn NEH 390

Jesus, where'er thy people meet,  
There they behold thy mercy-seat;  
Where'er they seek thee, thou art found,  
And every place is hallowed ground.

2 For thou, within no walls confined,  
Inhabitest the humble mind;  
Such ever bring thee where they come,  
And going, take thee to their home.

3 Dear Shepherd of thy chosen few,  
Thy former mercies here renew;  
Here to our waiting hearts proclaim  
The sweetness of thy saving name.

4 Here may we prove the power of prayer,  
To strengthen faith and sweeten care;  
To teach our faint desires to rise,  
And bring all heaven before our eyes.

5 Lord, we are few, but thou art near;  
Nor short thine arm, nor deaf thine ear;  
O rend the heavens, come quickly down,  
And make a thousand hearts thine own!

William Cowper (1731-1800)

## Gradual Hymn CH4 596 we stand to sing

Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
fill me with life anew,  
that I may love what thou dost love,  
and do what thou wouldst do.

2. Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
until my heart is pure;  
until with thee I will one will,  
to do and to endure.

3. Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
till I am wholly thine;  
until this earthly part of me  
glows with thy fire divine

4. Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
So shall I never die;  
but live with thee the perfect life  
of thine eternity.

Edwin Hatch (1835-1889)

## The Offertory Hymn LP17 *During this hymn a collection will be taken.*

I The Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?  
*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.*

2 I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain,  
I have wept for love of them,

they turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
Give them hearts for love alone,  
I will speak my word to them.  
Whom shall I send?  
*Here I am, Lord ...*

3 I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame,  
I will set a feast for them,  
my hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide  
Till their hearts be satisfied,  
I will give my life to them.  
Whom shall I send?  
*Here I am, Lord ...*

Dan Schutte (b.1947), based on Isaiah 6

## Communion Hymn NEH 431

*We remain seated to sing.*

1 O Thou who camest from above,  
The pure celestial fire to impart,  
Kindle a flame of sacred love  
On the mean altar of my heart.  
2 There let it for thy glory burn  
With inextinguishable blaze,  
And trembling to its source return  
In humble prayer, and fervent praise.

3 Jesus, confirm my heart's desire  
To work, and speak, and think for thee;  
Still let me guard the holy fire,  
And still stir up the gift in me.

4 Ready for all thy perfect will,  
My acts of faith and love repeat,  
Till death thy endless mercies seal,  
And make my sacrifice complete.

Charles Wesley (1707-88)

## Recessional Hymn NEH 338

*During this hymn the servers, choir and clergy move to the west and all turn to face the font.*

1 At the name of Jesus  
Every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess him  
King of glory now;  
'Tis the Father's pleasure  
We should call him Lord,  
Who from the beginning  
Was the mighty Word.

2 At his voice creation  
Sprang at once to sight,  
All the angel faces,  
All the hosts of light,  
Thrones and bright dominations,  
Stars upon their way,  
All the heavenly orders,  
In their great array.

3 Humbled for a season,  
To receive a name  
From the lips of sinners  
Unto whom he came,  
Faithfully he bore it  
Spotless to the last,  
Brought it back victorious  
When from death he passed:

4 Bore it up triumphant  
With its human light,  
Through all ranks of creatures,  
To the central height,  
To the throne of Godhead,  
To the Father's breast;  
Filled it with the glory  
Of that perfect rest.

5 In your hearts enthrone him;  
There let him subdue  
All that is not holy,  
All that is not true:  
He is God the Saviour,  
He is Christ the Lord,  
Ever to be worshipped,  
Trusted, and adored.

Caroline Noel (1817-77)

## Notices

**New to the Priory** - A warm welcome if you are new to Lancaster Priory. Please stay for refreshments after our 10.00 service and get to know us better. Stay in touch, sign up to our mailing list via the QR code or <https://cutt.ly/vwrbRat9>



**Zoom Midweek Fellowship group**- meets on Wednesday evenings from 7.30-8.45pm Before meeting we either watch a 30-min video inviting us to enter imaginatively into a scene from the Gospels or read a chapter from a book. We are currently enjoying reading 'Alive in God' by Fr Timothy Radcliffe. When we meet, we go into breakout rooms in groups of 3 or 4 to share our reflections and have fellowship, as we encourage one another in the Christian faith. If you are interested in joining us, you would be most welcome. Just email [hilary@lancasterpriory.org](mailto:hilary@lancasterpriory.org)

**Zoom Lectio Divina** - Monday 11 September is the next session from 8.00-9.30pm Led by Joop Brouwer. Want to join or find out more email Nigel Stewart [n.stewart@lancaster.ac.uk](mailto:n.stewart@lancaster.ac.uk).

## Advance Notice

Michael & Pauline Fielding's 6<sup>th</sup> series of **Coffee and Theology** is coming soon. This time the Bible studies will be Old Testament characters and their influence Abraham...Moses...David...Elijah.

The meetings will be on Thursday evenings on 19<sup>th</sup> October and 2, 9 and 16<sup>th</sup> November. Coffee in the Refectory from 7.00 pm. The sessions will finish by 9.00 pm. All are welcome.

## Charity of the Month

During September we remember the work 'The Church Mission Society' (CMS). For their continuing work and support for Missionaries across the Globe and we particularly remember our own supported CMS partners Alan and Lex Hamilton for their dedicated missionary work in Southeast Asia.

**Did you know** – On 29<sup>th</sup> November 2021 the Wytch Elm outside the Priory was felled in a storm, this week we expect the damaged section of the path to be reflagged! Our bell ringing team are changing their practise night to Thursday's.

**September Events** – Sat 9<sup>th</sup> – Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Festival of Song- Sounds of Lancaster Priory Opportunities to listen &/or participate in a variety of musical activities Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Sept- Three Wheel Gin Company Gin tasting in the refectory. Tickets on the website and on the door. check the website for concerts and other events.

**Donations-** Regular and One-Off Donations can now be made via QR or <https://cutt.ly/nwrbbFnY>

## PRIORY DIARY

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

Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept	7.30pm	Lancaster Jazz Festival Concert
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.30am	Coffee Concert – The Blue Moon Band
<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b>	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Trinity 14</b>	10.00am	Priory Eucharist ( <i>Full Choir</i> ) President: Revd Louis Johnson Preacher: Revd Peter Howell-Jones Reader: Mark Vasey-Saunders (Gal. 4.4-7) Intercessions: Rachel-Anne Powers
	6.30pm	Choral Evensong ( <i>Adult Choir</i> ) Officiant: Revd Louis Johnson Intercessions: Kaarina Leong (Ordinand) Readers: Brian Kirtley and Tom Barnish

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