

WE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND IN OUR PRAYERS:

Vivienne Bell, Joyce Powell, Ann Bordess, Claire Froud, Nathaniel, Pete Henderson, Marion Neville, Harry Hindess, Eileen Smith, Ashley Powell.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY BECOME ILL:

Maureen Palmer, Jennie Willis, Pat Watson, Judith Harrison, Mary Gunn, Colin Graham, Julie Ann Parson, Elsie Smith, Ann Harrison, Jimmy Hunter, Stephen Scott, Shirley Talbot.

WE PRAY FOR THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:

Lylah Rose Robson.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH FALLS AT THIS TIME:

George Marley, June Conley, Molly Rudd, William Knox, Ellen Dobson, Bill Judson, David Evans, Geoff Dowsey, Samuel Scorer, Sally Dobson, Melanie Teasdale.

CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Monday 11 May

1.30pm MU Service & Speaker

Tuesday 12 May

10.00am Holy Communion in church

7.00pm Quiz night (online)

Wednesday 13 May

9.30am Trinity Tots

12.30pm Funeral Lylah Rose Robson

6.00pm Office Hour (drop in)

Thursday 14 May – Ascension Day

7.00pm Ascension Day service at Holy Trinity High Usworth

7.30pm Choir Practice

Sunday 17 May - Sunday after Ascension Day

8.00am Holy Communion in church

10.00am Holy Communion in church and with choir

Bible Readings for next Sunday:

Reading Acts 1. 6-14

Gospel Reading John 17. 1-11

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10 May 2026

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SUNDAY 10.00am Holy Communion in church and with choir

TUESDAY 10.00am Holy Communion in church

COLLECT

Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father.

Amen

POST COMMUNION COLLECT

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen

FIRST BIBLE READING

Acts 2.14a, 36-41

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: ‘Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say.

Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.’

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, ‘Brothers, what should we do?’ Peter said to them, ‘Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.’ And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, ‘Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.’ So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING**John 14. 15-21**

Alleluia, Alleluia

Jesus said 'All who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day'.

All Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

'I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

NOTICES THIS WEEK**Communion Tokens**

Since the first batch of 'Common Cup' tokens were produced, 150 have been made. A further 30 have just been added as there were only 10 remaining at the back of church. We know that some of you hold on to them and use the same one each week, which is of course fine.

The tokens are quite time consuming to make and are not free to produce, although church is very generously not charged for them.

Could you please check at home to see if you have any which could be brought back for use in church? If you would like any for your own use, please speak to Lucas and he will be happy to produce some for you.

Thank you.

Your Church Needs You – Skills, Gifts and Experience Form

Please would you return completed forms and put them in the box at the back of church. Thank you.

The Sunday service will begin at 10am. If you would like to join us online, please email office.htcw@gmail.com to be included in our circulation list. If you would like to join the service by phone, please dial 0131 460 1196. The meeting ID number is 850 2953 3415 followed by # (hash). The password is 473130, followed by # (hash).

Quiz/Games Night – Tuesdays at 7pm

All are very welcome to join in, just click on the link in this month's email, or if you are joining by phone, please dial 0131 460 1196 the meeting ID is 870 6505 4582 followed by # (hash) and the password is 726138 followed by # (hash) and remember to press *6 to talk to us.