



THE BENEFICE of PONTEFRACT

ST GILES'

with ST MARY'S

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SUNDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 2024

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

09.00am—Holy Communion at St Mary's

10.15am—Sung Eucharist at St Giles

12.15pm—Baptism Service at St Giles

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY

- This weekly leaflet contains details of next week's services, together with items of news and calendar dates. Please take it away with you.
- If you have a child and would like them to join the junior church, known as St Giles 3:16, please see the leader of the group. The children will re-join us later in the service.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Tuesday, 10th September: 12.00pm—Funeral Service at St Giles
(Andrew Olbison)

Wednesday, 11th September: 9.30am—Said Mass at St Giles

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES

15th SEPTEMBER 2024—THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

10.15am—Sung Eucharist at St Giles

4.00pm—Messy Church at St Mary's

Wednesday, 18th September: 9.30am—Said Mass at St Giles

Friday, 20th September: 10.30am—Said Mass at St Giles



ST GILES' SOCIAL COMMITTEE

We are looking for volunteers to join our Social Committee, a group who will help with events and fundraising in church. If you are interested, please speak to Fr Ian or any of the churchwardens. Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

PARISH MAGAZINE

The deadline for the October edition of the parish magazine is **Sunday, 22nd September**. Please send any items you have to both Bruce Dagleish, Editor (brucedagleish0@gmail.com) and Vivienne Smales (stgiles.office@cofe-pontefract.co.uk) just in case either is on holiday.

Any items received after this date will be included in the next publication.

Also, if you would like to submit photos or details about any upcoming events that you would like posted on social media, send to:

jonathan.harris@cofe-pontefract.co.uk.

If you would like something posted on our social media platforms, please email: jonathan.harris@cofe-pontefract.co.uk

To keep in touch with the latest news from the Parish, please visit our website: www.stgilespontefract.org.uk

We look forward to hearing from you.

St Giles Food Share School Holiday Food Projects

A sincere thank you to everyone who helped make the August school holiday food scheme such a success: drivers, driver buddies, donors and packers - you all went the extra mile to make the 4 week project possible. Thanks also for your ongoing support especially at this time of the year as we begin to prepare for the October Half-term Holiday Food Project with our stocks much depleted. We are hearing about families experiencing real hardship at this time with the extra demands on family budgets to provide school uniform and shoes. Thank you again for your kind generosity.

Caring for each other....

If you haven't seen someone for a while, please either try and find out how they are or let us know and we will try and make contact. Please also ask the person if they would like to go on the service prayer list (using their full name or just first name). A note to us giving a contact number or address of the person concerned often helps.

Sponsoring a service sheet

Do you have a memory, either happy or sad, that you would like to share with our congregation, a wedding anniversary; a birthday; the passing of a loved one. Please consider sponsoring our service sheet so that we can share this with you. **Write your dedication on a form located in Reception and hand to a church warden or email to Vivienne at stgiles.office@cofe-pontefract.co.uk.** David Leigh will happily receive any sponsorship contributions. Thank you.

Account: St Giles Parochial Church Council

Bank: Virgin Money, 81 Carlton Street, Castleford, WF10 1BW

Sort Code: 05-06-71 Account Number: 16172795

1. Open your phone camera
2. Scan the QR code
3. Click the link displayed
4. Donate



**Citizens Advice Wakefield District
St Giles' Advice Outreach Service**



WEDNESDAYS IN ST GILES, 10.00am—

12.00pm

Email us via www.wakefielddistrictcab.co.uk

(Debt/Benefits/Housing/Employment/Family) - Telephone 03444 111 444

(Universal Credit – Help to Claim) - Telephone 0800 144 8 444

(Consumer goods, services, digital, events, travel etc.) - Telephone 0808 223 1133

Generously supported by the National Lottery



This week at St Giles' Church and Centre

St Giles' Church is open to visitors and for private prayer / lighting of candles: Monday—Thursday: 10:00am—2:00pm

Friday: 10:00am—12.00pm

Monday 9 September		
19:00	Bell ringing	The Tower
Tuesday 10 September		
12:00	Funeral in Church (Andrew Olbison)	The Church
15:00	Chair Exercise	The Café
Wednesday 11 September		
09:30	Said Mass	The Church
09:30	Conexus Weight Management Group	St Bede
10:00—12:00	Coffee Morning	The Café
10:00—12:00	Citizens' Advice	St Aidan
12:30—14:00	Lunch with Us	The Café
17:30—20:00	Choir Practice	The Church
Thursday 12 September		
09:30	Centre Management Committee	St Oswald
18:00	Deanery Synod	The Church
19:00	Bell Ringing	The Tower
Friday 13 September		
10:30	Said Mass	The Church
13:00	Organ Recital	The Church
Saturday 14 September		
09:00—12:00	Coffee Morning	The Café
Sunday 15 September		
10:15	Sung Eucharist	The Church