ST MARY AND ST CUTHBERT'S PARISH CHURCH
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SUNDAY 27TH MAY 2018
TRINITY SUNDAY

Collect for Trinity Sunday

Holy God, faithful and unchanging:
enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,
and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,
that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Today's Services

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)
(Readings: Isaiah 6.1-8 & John 3.1-17)

10.00 am Area services at Central, North and South

4.00 pm Sweaty Church, Parish Centre

6.00 pm Evening Prayer (Readings: Ezek 1.4-10,22-28a & Rev 4)

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Prayer for the Bereaved

We pray for the Lord to comfort all those who are mourning the loss of loved ones. We pray especially for the family and friends of Raymond Million (79), Elizabeth Palmer (82), Elizabeth June Grimson (94) and Julie Thompson (58), whose funerals have taken place through the ministry of this church during the past week.

At the 10 am services today - we are asking people who they are praying for and plan to invite to a service on Sun June 17 (Weekend of Invitation). You will be asked to write on a post it note the initials of the person(s) you are praying for.

Songs of Praise Sunday June 17 – 6 pm. Anyone like to choose a hymn and introduce it by sharing something of your faith story? We need more people for this, please see or contact David.

The **June parish magazine** Outreach is available now (50p)

Tuesday	**11-12 noon**	Bereavement Drop in, Church
Thursday	**10.45 am**	Holy Communion (BCP) in Church (Gen 14.18-20 & John 6.51-58)
Friday	**10.00 am**	Service at Brockwell Centre, Pelton Fell
Saturday	**10.00 am**	Coffee and craft morning for a school in Africa Including craft stalls

Services on 3rd June – Trinity 1

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)
(Readings: 2 Corinth 4.5-12 & Mark 2.23-3.6)

10.00 am Parish All Age Communion service

6.00 pm Evening Prayer (Readings: Jerem 5.1-19 & Romans 7.7-end)

The C of E's **Annual Financial Review** booklet is available, it is at the back of church for people (please don't take it away). Feel free to read it.

Parish South are hosting a **BBQ and Family fun event** on **Sat 16th June**, 5 pm – 9.30 pm at Waldridge Village Hall. All welcome & bring a friend. Tickets available from the parish office, £10 family or £4 single.

We are having a fundraising **Ceilidh** to help the Duchar family to support Lola on **Friday 6th July** at 6.30 pm (time slightly changed) in the Parish Centre. Tickets are £10 per adult and £5 per child and are available from the parish office. Shared table, bring own drinks.

Ordination Sunday – July 1. There is to be a shared lunch at 1 pm (after Mark Harrison's ordination in the cathedral) in the Parish Centre. He will provide wine. Everybody welcome. Mark is moving in to 16 Park Road North on Tuesday.

Parish Weekend we have confirmed that our speaker in June 2019 will be Bishop Mark Tanner, Bishop of Berwick in the Newcastle diocese. Previously he was warden of Cranmer Hall, Durham. Application forms for the weekend can still be handed in.