



Sunday 9th July, 2023, 5th Sunday after Trinity

Zechariah Ch 9 vv 9 – 12

Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!

Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!

Lo, your king comes to you;

triumphant and victorious is he,
humble and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

¹⁰ He will cut off the chariot from Ephraim
and the warhorse from Jerusalem;
and the battle-bow shall be cut off,
and he shall command peace to the nations;
his dominion shall be from sea to sea,
and from the River to the ends of the earth.

¹¹ As for you also, because of the blood of my
covenant with you,

I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

¹² Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of hope;
today I declare that I will restore to you double.

Matthew Ch 11 vv 16 – 19, 25 – end

¹⁶ 'But to what will I compare this generation? It is
like children sitting in the market-places and calling
to one another,

¹⁷ "We played the flute for you, and you did not
dance; we wailed, and you did not mourn."

¹⁸ For John came neither eating nor drinking, and
they say, "He has a demon"; ¹⁹ the Son of Man came
eating and drinking, and they say, "Look, a glutton
and a drunkard, a friend of tax-collectors and sin-
ners!" Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds.'

²⁵ At that time Jesus said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord
of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these
things from the wise and the intelligent and have
revealed them to infants;

²⁶ yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. ²⁷ All
things have been handed over to me by my Father;
and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no
one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to
whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

²⁸ 'Come to me, all you that are weary and are
carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you
rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me;
for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will
find rest for your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy, and
my burden is light.'

Collect:

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Post Communion:

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you,
that the course of this world may be so peaceably
ordered by your governance,
that your Church may joyfully serve you
in all godly quietness;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Please Turn Over

Those asking for prayer: Catherine, Katrina, Ann, Eleanor, Maureen, Tilly, Maurice, Joe, Stuart, Pauline, Angelika, Glen, Thomas, Chris, Shirley, Nita.

Those who have died: Bill Bagley.

Today: 9th July, 5th Sunday after Trinity

09:30 **Service of the Word** St John's, Hipswell

11:00 **Holy Communion**, St Cuthbert's, Colburn

Monday 10th July

10:00-12:00 **Wellbeing Café + demonstration of flower arranging + presentation of blankets to the Colburn Hub**

St Cuthbert's Community Hall

18:00—19:00 **Wardens' Hour** St Cuthbert's meeting room

Tuesday 11th July

10:00-12:00 **Veterans' & Community Art Group**, in the hall

19:00 **Bible Course Session 3** St Cuthbert's Community Hall

Friday 14th July — Start of Colburn Gathering weekend...

18:00—21:00 **Placement of flower arrangements in church** in memory of loved ones, and opportunity to write in the Colburn Memories books.

Saturday 12th July—Colburn Gathering main day...

10:00-16:00 **Refreshments** St Cuthbert's hall & gardens—all welcome! A great chance to meet up, chat & relax together!

Next Sunday: 09:30 **Holy Communion** St John's, Hipswell

11:00 **The Colburn Gathering Service**, St Cuthbert's, Colburn

12:15 Gathering in hall for 12:30 celebratory **Cake-cutting & refreshments** for the 50th Anniversary of **Oak Tree Court**.

Bible Course: As I wrote last week, it's still not too late to join

The Bible Course: on Tuesday evenings, in the hall. Please don't feel that if you missed the first couple of sessions, you can't join us. You can catch up on the videos on You Tube. This session (no 3) is *this* Tuesday 11th July, at 7pm, in the hall. There's a little bit of reading to do between sessions, and a wonderful opportunity to ask questions and talk together when we meet. Please *do* feel free to come along!



Coming up.... All-age Worship....

- something for everyone!

11am, Sunday 23rd July, St Cuthbert's

9.30am, Sunday 30th July, St John's

Why not come along and bring your family?

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Safeguarding: Safeguarding Children, Young People, Victims/perpetrators
We are committed to supporting victims of Domestic Abuse and Vulnerable Adults.

If you are suffering as a result of present or past experiences, we would encourage you to seek help. Various helpline numbers are shown below, or on the relevant web pages, on our website.

Hipswell Parochial Church Council (PCC) has adopted the Church of England's policy and best practice on Safeguarding, which may be found on the Church of England's website:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/more/safeguarding>

Our **Parish Safeguarding Officer**

(PSO) is Marie Smalley, can be contact by email: mariesmalley02@gmail.com or by phone: 07852156134.

Our **Diocesan Safeguarding Advisers**

(DSA) can be accessed by mail: safeguarding@leeds.anglican.org or by phone T: (0113) 3530 257

If a child or adult is at immediate risk of significant harm, in the first instance you should always contact your local Social Services team North Yorkshire (01609) 780780 or the local police (call 101).

National helplines:

Childline: 0800 1111 NSPCC: 0808 500 8000

Domestic Violence Helpline: 0808 200 0247

MACSAS (Ministers and clergy sexual abuse survivors): www.macsas.org.uk



Great rose bush, vicarage garden, fully in flower!

Please Take Me Home With You