

**BENEFICES of SHERBURN in ELMET with BARKSTON ASH & SAXTON, and ABERFORD & MICKLEFIELD
and LEDSHAM with FAIRBURN**

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19 JULY 2026 – SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (Proper 11) (Year A)

*please remember to keep the last five minutes before the services, and especially the time during the administration of Holy Communion,
for quiet prayer and reflection (a bell will be rung before the main service at Sherburn)*

A special welcome today to Freddie Andrew Shepherd being baptised at Sherburn, and to all his family and friends.

PLEASE NOTE: during August, there will be NO Sunday evening services and no midweek services or activities, apart from Chat-a-Knit.

A final thank you to Ken Stott for his hard work with the bookstall over many years! The final 'takings' from recent months and the coffee morning on 4 July was £274.

Micklefield: during the hot weather everyone is invited to use the church as a cool space – soft drinks available at the back of church.

Pilgrimage to Turkey 'In the Footsteps of St Paul', Tues 6 to Sat 17 April 2027: a couple more people needed to join us! Please let Fr Chris or Angie know as soon as possible if you are interested.

Morning Prayer, 9.30am: Tues (Aberford) (<i>not in August</i>) Evening Prayer, 5.30pm: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri (Sherburn) (<i>not Aug</i>) Evening Prayer, 6.15pm: Tues (Micklefield) (<i>not in August</i>)

Day by Day Book (Sherburn): 15 July - wedding of Kenneth & Margaret Stott (1961)

Your prayers are asked for those who are ill: **Saxton with Towton:** June Pick. **Aberford:** Lauren Ward, Trevor Limbert. **Micklefield:** Michael Needham, Jennifer Hudson, Maggie Moss, June Kelly, **Sherburn & Barkston Ash:** Jean Keeling, Dorothy Mills, Greta Wilkinson, Hilary Bower, Emily Barrie, Sandra Jackson, Jacqui Jolleys, Yvonne Lawton, Peter Thompson, Peter McCleave, Jessie Vause, Mike Barnard, June Sams, Doreen, Molly Hoyle, Sue Flaherty, Beryl Walker, Jimmy Newton, Ben Clarke, Paul Shaw, Rosie Fletcher, Tony Cotter, John Potts, Janine Marshall, Margaret Tighe, Kate Flynn, Brian Riddle, Laurie Harwood, Martin Otter, John Townend, Jenny Forster.
Please tell Angie of any amendments to this list, or tell any of the clergy if anyone wishes to receive communion at home.

We pray for those who have died recently: Dorothy Rob Phillips (90) Ian Stowe, Christopher Philip Yewdall (66) Humphrey Richard Woolcombe Smith (81), Doris Hayton (87) [funeral Barkston Mon 27 July, 12 noon + burial Sherburn], Brian Woolley (87), George Barrowman (34); Keith Whitlow (88).

Years Mind: Gordon Render

May they rest in peace and rise in glory

D I A R Y

Today, 19 July	12.45pm Holy Baptism (Sherburn) 4.15pm 'Come and Sing Evensong!' come and learn some of the beautiful Choral Evensong music prior to the service. Refreshments provided! 6.30pm Evensong (Sherburn)
Monday 20 <i>Margaret of Antioch; Bartolomé de las Casas</i>	2.00pm Chat-a-Knit (Sherburn Church Hall) 7.30pm Ecumenical Fellowship meeting at Lynda Woods' (for address contact Jenny on 07738 735061), continuing reading Philippians, Chapter 3. All are welcome.
Tuesday 21	9.30am Selby Deanery Clergy Chapter meeting (St Mary's, Hambleton) 7.00pm Bell ringing practice (Sherburn) [<i>last practice until September</i>]
Wednesday 22 MARY MAGDALENE	9.30am Midweek Eucharist (Micklefield) (<i>NB there will be NO midweek Eucharist next week, 29 July</i>) 2.00pm Strawberry Teas (Sherburn Methodist Church) 7.15pm Midweek Eucharist (Sherburn) followed by 8.00pm Sherburn PCC meeting (Church Hall)
Thursday 23 <i>Bridget</i>	1.15pm Funeral of Dorothy Rob Phillips (Sherburn) followed by cremation at Pontefract at 2.20pm <i>NO 'Sing Joy' children's choir practice (Sherburn) – summer break, return 10 September</i> <i>NO Choir practice (Sherburn) – summer break, return 10 September</i>
Friday 24	3.00pm Ministry Team meeting (Vicarage)
Saturday 25 - JAMES	1.30pm Sherburn Bell Ringers mini ringing tour: Wistow, Escrick, Sherburn, followed by tea in Church Hall

Worship next Sunday, 26 July EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (Pr 12)

9.15am Eucharist (Saxton)
9.15am Eucharist (Barkston)
9.30am Eucharist (Micklefield)
10.45am Morning Prayer (Aberford)
10.45am Eucharist (Ledsham)
10.45am Sung Eucharist (Sherburn)
12.30pm Interment of ashes of Keith Whitlow (Sherburn)
5.00pm Wedding rehearsal Scatchard/Patterson (Sherburn)
6.30pm Healing Eucharist (Sherburn)

• **Sunday 16 August, 2.00pm-4.00pm** - West Yorkshire Police Band playing at Lotherton Hall, proceeds to St Leonard's Hospice.

• **Saturday 22 August, Sherburn Church, 11.00am:** second of the three coffee concerts, featuring organ music and cake, with organist Peter Sharp. Final concert 26 September (Alistair Timmis).

• **Sunday 30 August, 10.45am:** a Fifth Sunday, so Benefices Eucharist at Aberford. No other services that day.

• **Saturday 12 September, 7.00pm:** Concert by Knottingley Silver Band in Sherburn church.

• **Saturday 3 October, 10.00am:** Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan (Sherburn Church Hall).

• **Sunday 18 October, 12 noon:** sale of cakes etc after the morning service at Sherburn in aid of Sunday School funds.

• **Sunday 15 November, 10.45am:** Confirmation service with the Archbishop, at Sherburn. If you are interested, please let Fr Chris know. Preparation classes will begin Sunday 27 September at 3.00pm.

• **Saturday 5 December: Change of date for Grand Prize Draw and Christmas Fair (Sherburn).** Donations for Prize Draw prizes, and tombolas, welcome!

• **Selby Food Bank:** Donation boxes in Sherburn church, Vicarage porch (**next collection Friday 31 July**) and Micklefield church (open 10am-4pm, Weds to Sun; also for used stamps for Martin House).

Flower donor/arranger rota (Sherburn)

19 July	Rosie Farrar *	Rosie Farrar*
26 July	Brenda Thornton	Lizzy Allanson
2 August	Jenny Clark	Joan Mackin
9 August	Judith Brindle	Susan Cox

Flower Coordinator Lizzy Allanson 07738 832445. Flowers **£25** per week, given to Angie by the end of the preceding month please.