

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

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**5 JULY 2026 – FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (Proper 9) (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)*

**Welcome** to our services today.

**A big thank you** to all who supported and helped at the Grand Book Sale and coffee morning at Sherburn yesterday, and an extra big thank you to Ken Stott for his hard work with the bookstall over many years.

**Thank you again** to all who supported last week's concert at Sherburn by the West Yorkshire Police Band, which raised a fantastic £811, thanks to generous donations of refreshments.

**Micklefield:** during the hot weather everyone is welcome 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:** we really do need at least a couple more people to join us! There's still time, but please let Fr Chris or Angie know as soon as possible if you are interested.

<p><b>Morning Prayer, 9.30am:</b> Tues (Aberford)  <b>Evening Prayer, 5.30pm:</b> Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri (Sherburn)  <b>Evening Prayer, 6.15pm:</b> Tues (Micklefield)</p>
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**Day by Day Book (Sherburn):** today, 5 July - in loving memory of Joan Jackson, by Nicholas and Martin Jackson.

**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.

**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:** Cyril 'Syd' Starkey (95) Helen Daniels (39), Margaret Woodall (89), Dorothy Rob Phillips, Stephen Boothroyd (79), Leonard Victor Marshall (92), James (Jim) Barr, Ian Stowe, Christopher Philip Yewdall (66) Humphrey Richard Woolcombe Smith (81), Doris Hayton, Brian Woolley.

**Years Mind:** Emma Silver, Maureen Walker  
*May they rest in peace and rise in glory*

**DIARY**

<b>Today, 5 July</b>	<b>6.30pm Compline (Sherburn)</b>
Monday 6 <i>Thomas More;</i> <i>John Fisher</i>	9.00am Aberford School Collective Worship (in school) 12.30pm Funeral of Stephen Boothroyd (All Saints, Cottenham, Cambridge) <i>followed by cremation</i> 2.00pm Chat-a-Knit (Sherburn Church Hall) 7.30pm Ecumenical Fellowship meeting at the Manse (for address contact Jenny on 07738 735061), led by the Revd Christine Gillespie, on Philippians, starting at chapter 1. All are welcome.
Tuesday 7	9.00am Collective Worship (Micklefield School) 7.00pm Bell ringing practice (Sherburn)
Wednesday 8	9.30am Said Eucharist (Micklefield) 3.30pm Micklefield School Summer Fayre 6.00pm Saxton School Leavers' Production 7.15pm Midweek Eucharist (Sherburn) <i>followed by</i> 8.00pm Sherburn Standing Committee meeting (Vicarage)
Thursday 9	9.00am Fairburn School Collective Worship (in school) 3.30pm Funeral and interment of Christopher Philip Yewdall (Sherburn) 6.15pm 'Sing Joy' children's choir practice (Sherburn) – <i>last before the summer break</i> 7.00pm Choir practice (Sherburn)
Friday 10	
Saturday 11 - Benedict	10.30am Interment of ashes of Brian Woolley (Fairburn) <b>11.00am Coffee Concert</b> (organ music and cake!), organist Matthew Lazenby (Sherburn Church)

**Worship next Sunday, 12 July**  
**SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (Proper 10)**

**No service at Saxton [normally Family Service]**

**9.15am Eucharist (Barkston)**  
**9.30am Eucharist (Micklefield)**  
**10.45am Morning Prayer (Aberford)**  
**10.45am Eucharist (Ledsham)**  
**10.45am Eucharist with Holy Baptism (Sherburn)**  
**12.45pm Holy Baptism (Sherburn)**  
**3.00pm Messy Church (Sherb Methodist Church)**  
**6.30pm Evensong (Sherburn)**

• **Sunday 19 July, 'Come and Sing Evensong' (Sherburn church):** 4.15pm – come and learn some of the beautiful Choral Evensong music, prior to the service at 6.30pm - inc refreshments!

• **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).

• **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).

• **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:** revised date for 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 at the end of September.

**Flower donor/arranger rota (Sherburn)**

5 July	Sue Anderson	Pamela Wrigglesworth
12 July	Trudy Southern	Caroline Jackson
Flower Coordinator Lizzy Allanson 07738 832445. Flowers £25 per week, given to Angie by the end of the preceding month please.		

