## St Wilfrid's Church Brayton Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025 Second Sunday of Epiphany



### CTiS Holy Communion at St James, Selby

**Boilers!** St James has experienced problems with their heating. The underground boiler-room was flooded, and the boiler is broken beyond repair. The overhead heaters will be on during the service, but the church will be colder than usual; it would be good to attend the service well wrapped up. If you are reading this notice for the first time during this CTiS service, that is why it's a bit parky, but hot drinks will be available in the hall afterwards! **Revd Jason** 

Our Zero Selby. Tuesday 21st January at 6.30-8pm at Portholme Church. The next event on home energy includes Kate Urwin from The Yorkshire Energy Doctor. The talk is for those concerned about the current cold weather. The session will equip residents with the knowledge and tools they need to make their homes more energy-efficient, save money and reduce their carbon footprint. Tickets are free but must be booked in advance. More information available from Ruth Breeze

Selby Abbey Burn's Night Ceilidh. Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January, 6pm to 9pm, Selby Abbey. Come and enjoy a wonderful evening of music and dance. The invitation is open to all family and friends. Please could you let me know (suetagert@ googlemail.com ) if you would like to attend. Sue Tagert.

Drama Reading. Tuesday 28th January, 7pm, in St Wilfrid's Parish Hall. We raise the curtain on 2025 with "Absent Friends" by Alan Ayckbourn. Helen

Coffeemates. Wednesday 29th January, 10am - 12noon, in St Wilfrid's Parish Hall. We hope to see you all for coffee, cake and great company! Lynn

### Community Lunch.

Wednesday 5th February, 12noon-1:30pm, in St Wilfrid's Parish Hall. Soup & roll, plus a pudding for only £5. Pat

Craft Group Coffee Morning. Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 10am to 11:30am St Wilfrid's Parish Hall. A warm welcome awaits you with company, coffee and cakes. June

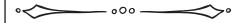
Film At St Francis. Saturday, 8<sup>th</sup> February, 1:30pm, St Francis Church. A spiritual film with coffee, cake and discussion. The film is a conversation between a man and 3 'people' who form the Holy Trinity. Jan Tetley

Changes to Midweek Services in February. In February the pattern of midweek services will be: Thursdays at St Francis: Morning Prayer 6th & 20th February, Holy Communion 13th & 27<sup>th</sup> February. Wednesdays at St Wilfrid's: Holy Communion 5th & 19th February, Morning Prayer 12th & 26th February. Revd. Roy

#### St Wilfrid's Pastoral Care.

Contact Sue Beevers 01757 229515 (susan. beevers1@btinternet.com) if you know of anyone who is sick or in other need, or who would benefit from being visited by a member of the clergy or others in the Pastoral Team. Sue

Safeguarding children and adults. We will take seriously any issues that arise, notifying & seeking advice from the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor where necessary. The Parish Safeguarding Representative is Linda Bunn, telephone 07711 384003, email safeguarding@ stwilfridsparish.com. Linda



Services to be held in St Wilfrid's Church from Monday 20th January:

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 9:30am Holy Communion Sunday 26th January Third Sunday in Epiphany 8am Holy Communion 10:30am Holy Communion with Prayer for Healing



Contributions. Send items to me at magazine@ stwilfridsparish.com please. John

# Sunday 19 January 2025 Second Sunday of Epiphany

#### COLLECT

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

#### FIRST READING Isaiah 62:1-5

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

The LORD says this: For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married. For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

#### PSALM Psalm 36:5-10

R With you, O God, is the well of life.

Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens

and your faithfulness to the clouds. Your righteousness stands like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep;

you, Lord, shall save both man and beast. R

How precious is your loving mercy, O God!

All mortal flesh shall take refuge under the shadow of your wings. They shall be satisfied with the abundance of your house; they shall drink from the river of your delights. R

For with you is the well of life and in your light shall we see light. O continue your loving-kindness to those who know you and your righteousness to those who are true of heart. R

#### SECOND READING

#### 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues.

All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses

#### GOSPEL John 2:1-11

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

There was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

#### **POST COMMUNION**

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.



