



The Parish of Darfield

All Saints, Darfield and St Michael, Great Houghton

Sunday 3rd October 2021

Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Harvest Celebrations

9:00 a.m. Holy Communion Great Houghton
10:30 a.m. Partnership Service on Facebook
10:45 a.m. A Service for Harvest, Darfield

Focus on Burkina Faso *Share the load this Harvest*

Our Harvest theme for this year is provided by Tearfund with an emphasis on their work in Burkina Faso.

Those of you whose geography is limited to schooldays long past may well not know anything about the country. Originally the French Colony of Haute-Volta in inland West Africa it gained full independence in 1960 and received its present name in 1984. With an area of around 106,000 square miles, it is just larger than the United Kingdom and has a population of around 21½ million, an increase from 14 million in 2006. It is home to more than 60 ethnic groups with the local Mossi group representing 53% of the population. Just over one fifth of the population is Christian with three fifths following Islam. The country is land-locked and surrounded by 6 countries with Ouagadougou as its capital.

Situated on an extensive plateau, its climate is generally sunny, hot and dry with rainfall patterns becoming more erratic through climate change. Around 90% of the population rely on subsistence agriculture or livestock raising.

Tearfund has been working in Burkina Faso for over fifty years with local partners and churches to help communities overcome poverty and reach their God given potential.

A Collect for Harvest:

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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.

Harvest Readings: Psalm 104: 1-23 St Matthew 22: 37-40



In our Services on Sunday we will hear about Loyora who has no other income than from agriculture

She sees at first hand how the changes in climate with more frequent and prolonged droughts have turned her land barren.

Forthcoming Services

Harvest Celebrations

3rd October:	9:00 a.m.	St Michael, Gt Houghton
3rd October:	10:45 a.m.	All Saints, Darfield
3rd October:	10:45 a.m.	Christ Church, Ardsley
10th October:	9:00 a.m.	St Helen, Thurnscoe
10th October:	10:45 a.m.	All Saints, Darfield
17th October:	9:00 a.m.	St Michael, Gt Houghton
17th October:	10:45 a.m.	All Saints, Darfield
17th October:	10:45 a.m.	Christ Church, Ardsley



Next Meeting...

Wednesday 6th October

2:00 p.m. Church Hall

Mrs Sylvia Charles

"The Art of Lockdown"

Prayer Requests

Please pray for

Olive & Raymond Shaw

Pat Bentley

Steve & Val Myers

Stella and Raymond Firth

Barry & Joan Bramall

Our bereaved families

Andrea & Andrew Harrison

The family of Dianne Ramsden

The family of Beryl Wilks

Prayer Contact:

Carol Hunter: 07542 527331

18th Sunday after Trinity Collect

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Readings

Genesis 2: 18-24

Psalms 8

Hebrews 1: 1-4; 2: 5-12

St Mark 10: 2-16

Bible Readings for this week

October:

3rd Hebrews 5: 1-14

4th Hebrews 6: 1-12

5th Hebrews 6: 13-20

6th Hebrews 7: 1-10

7th Hebrews 7: 11-28

8th Hebrews 8: 1-13

9th Hebrews 9: 1-10

The Diocesan Vision Prayer

Living God, Jesus calls his followers to seek first your Kingdom.

RENEW us as we make your love known;

RELEASE us to share freely together in mission;

and **REJUVENATE** us to be fruitful in your service.

Give us courage, wisdom and compassion, that strengthened with the grace of the Holy Spirit, we may, as the Diocese of Sheffield, both flourish and grow through Christ our Lord. Amen

Harvest: Sunday 3rd October

As part of our Harvest celebrations we are supporting Tearfund and the Salvation Army Food bank in Goldthorpe.

Bring your gifts of tinned goods and non-perishables to the service on Sunday and they will be taken to the Food Bank and cash donations sent to Tearfund.

Please select items for the Food Bank from this list— with long use by dates

*Tinned Foods: Vegetables, Fruit, Beans, Soup, Corned Beef
Cereals other than Corn Flakes*

Longlife Milk

Toiletry items - Shampoo, Conditioner, Shower Gel

Cleaning Products & Laundry Detergent

Toilet Rolls

Honey, Jam, Chocolate Spread

From the Parish Registers

Saturday 25th September:

Patricia Dianne Ramsden

Memorial Service and Interment of Ashes

All Saints Church and Churchyard

Wednesday 29th September

Beryl Wilks aged 99

Funeral

All Saints Church and Darfield Cemetery

Resources and Contacts

Churchwarden Peter Robinson 01226 753572

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Tuesday 5:00 p.m.

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