

OAKSHAW TRINITY CHURCH

Sunday 6th November 2022



OAKSHAW ORACLE

A warm welcome to all visitors who are reading this online version of our Sunday worship. We have a short worship video based on the church service.

The hymns and the Music for Meditation are played by our Choir Master David Murray.

- 100 O Lord, thou art my God and King
- 425 The Saviour died, but rose again
- The Music for Meditation is 'Romanza' from Piano Concerto No.1 by Chopin.

The Order of Service is for the service in church. It is now good to be back in the church and the minister would encourage you to join us at 11a.m. for our service in church if you are able.

The video is available on the website http://www.oakshawtrinity.org.uk/music (Music menu) and on the Facebook page www.facebook.com/oakshawtrinity.

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Minister:

Rev. Gordon B. Armstrong BD FIAB BRC Cert.CS

Pastoral Assistant:

Rev. George K. Lind BD MCIBS

Director of Music:

Mr. David Murray BMus FTCL, FISM LRAM LTCL

WELCOME & OAKSHAW ORACLE INTROIT CALL TO WORSHIP

Hymn: No. 498

Angel voices ever singing

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER
YOUNG CHURCH

Hymn: No. 145

God made me as I am (Sing twice)

(Sunday School now leaves for the Hall)

PRAYER

READINGS: Haggai 1:13-15, 2:1-9 Page No. 948 (Large print No. 1682)

Reader: Karen Peacock

ANTHEM

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind by C.H.H. Parry

READING: Luke 20:27-40 Page No. 1055 (Large print No. 1863) Reader: Sheena Miller

Hymn: No. 100

O Lord, thou art my God and King;

SERMON

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

<u>Hymn</u>: No. 597

Loving Spirit, loving Spirit,

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Hymn: No. 425

The Saviour died, but rose again

THE BENEDICTION & DRESDEN AMEN



Come along and share your talents with us on Thursday
Evenings at 8.00 p.m.



Both readings today pulse with the theme of HOPE. It was the wise and perceptive late Chief Rabbi, Jonathan Sacks who explained the difference between hope with optimism thus: "Optimism and hope are not the same... Optimism is a passive virtue, hope an active one. It needs no courage to be an optimist, but it takes a great deal of courage to hope. The Hebrew Bible is not an optimistic book. It is, however, one of the great literatures of hope." The little known (and read?) prophet Haggai delivers a powerful message of hope from God, inspiring his people as they set about re-building the Temple. His message reminds us in our day that buildings are important to God as is their purpose and what goes on inside them - a message of hope to us as Presbytery currently reviews its buildings, including ours. In our Gospel Reading Jesus points to the hope of resurrection reminding us that the souls of the faithful of all ages live on with God.

PRAYER: May we live our lives in hope. Through the guidance of your Spirit help us to love the things you love, and continue to serve you in our daily lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord....



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TODAY:

11.00am. Morning Worship by Rev. Gordon conducted Armstrong. Sunday School gather in the hall..



NEXT SUNDAY:



REMEMBRANCE 10.50am Morning Worship conducted by Rev. Gordon Armstrong. Sunday School gather in the hall.

MIDWEEK SERVICE:

These short services followed by coffee or tea are held weekly on Thursday morning in the Wynd Apse.



USED STAMPS:

Seonaid Prentice continues to accept used stamps for the overseas work of the Church in Syria and Lebanon. Please, when doing so, leave ½" on all sides.



Friendly Hour

The Friendly Hour meet every Tuesday at 2.00pm in the large hall where you can be assured of a friendly welcome. This Tuesday a member of the British Legion will

be our speaker. If you would like any further details please speak to Margaret Pearson or telephone her on 0793 437 5191.



The next meeting is on Monday 14th November in the Lang Hall at 7pm. Please do come along and join our group.



If you can assist, the items needed tinned fruit, tinned vegetables, dog food, shaving foam and cleaning materials.

They have enough pasta at present but all items are gratefully received.

ORACLE:

Items for inclusion this week should be sent or handed in to David or Karen in Church/Wynd Office the by Wednesday info@thewynd.org.uk.



TEA & TOAST:

Why not come along for some free Tea & Toast with us in the Wynd Café on Tuesday mornings from 9.30-11.30am.

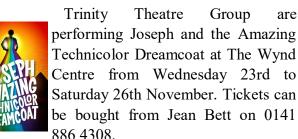
KIRK SESSION MEETING:

Tuesday, 15th November in the Church Hall at 7.30pm. The Wynd AGM will also take place at this meeting and nomination forms for Directors are kept in the Wynd Office.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE:

Saturday 19th November 2022 in The Wynd Centre. Items for the following stalls: Absolutely New, Cake and Candy, Arts and Crafts, Tombola (chocolate for children), Christmas Stall, Surprise in a Bag, would be appreciated. Can these please be left in the box in the Church Hall.

TRINITY THEATRE GROUP: JOSEPH





The Wynd Centre have been selected by Tesco to be one of the three charities in the area to receive their community

grant. This can only be voted for in the following stores: Tesco Express on Renfrew Road, Linwood Superstore on Bridge Street and Paisley Superstore just off Glasgow Road. You will receive a token after purchasing an item which you then use to vote in the store. Voting is open until the end of the year.

Details and lots of extra information about Church events can be found on the web Oakshaw Trinity Church: www.oakshawtrinity.org Facebook: www.facebook.com/oakshawtrinity

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Door Team November 2022

Sandra Wilson, Tom Nixon & Jonathan Sweeney

Bell is temporarily out of order

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Life's journey begins with a single step! The Church Mouse