



# OAKSHAW TRINITY CHURCH

*Sunday 7th May 2023*

## 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.

- 542—Lord, speak to me, that I may speak
- 562—Through the love of God, our Saviour

The Music for Meditation is 'Morning Prayer' by Tchaikovsky.

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](http://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. 202

Stand up and bless the Lord:

### PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

### YOUNG CHURCH

**Hymn:** No. 193

God is love: his the care,

*(Sunday School now leaves for the Hall)*

### PRAYER

**READING:** Psalm 31: 1-8, 15-16 Page No. 559

*(Large print No. 992)*

Reader: *Joyce Walker*

### ANTHEM

Good Christian Men Rejoice and Sing

*by Ernest Bullock*

**READING:** John 14:1-14 Page No. 1082

*(Large print No. 1908)*

Reader: *Helen Harrison*

**Hymn:** No. 542

Lord, speak to me, that I may speak

### SERMON

### MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

**Hymn:** No. 562

Through the love of God, our Saviour,

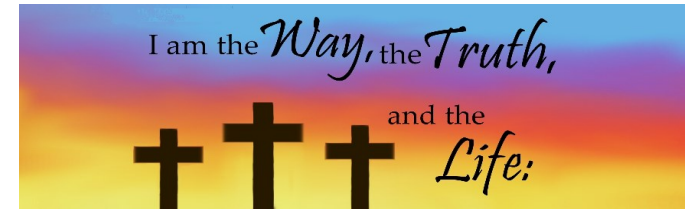
### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

**Hymn:** No. 704

I vow to thee my country,

**'GOD SAVE THE KING'**

**THE BENEDICTION & DRESDEN AMEN**



*The Psalmist set the scene for today in verse 8 when he says: "You have set my feet in a spacious place." This not only speaks of how he felt in the presence of God's world, but also speaks of the enormity of God's world.*

*The power and the wisdom and the love of God are infinite and God has set our feet in a large room and he will give us enormous help through Jesus who said, "I am the Way..." All the religions of the world reveal many ways in which people have tried to get right with God. But there is only one Redeemer - Jesus! He is the Way and the Truth. He is, in his own person, the Revelation of God.*

*But the Kingdom was not just about to come, it was "at hand" in the sense of being already present in the person and ministry of Jesus. The opportunity to respond to the Kingdom was available to those who were willing to receive Jesus and indeed, believing in him leads to a whole inner transformation by which a person both sees and enters the "house of many rooms."*

*PRAYER: Loving God, open our minds as we hear your Holy Spirit answering our questions. Set our hearts free to feel for Christ and with him as he went towards the cross, and above all give us the will to put our trust in him and to pledge our loyalty to him...*





## OAKSHAW ORACLE

### TODAY:

11am Morning Worship conducted by  
Rev. Gordon Armstrong.

**Sunday School** meet in the Hall.



### NEXT SUNDAY:

11am Morning Worship conducted by Rev.  
George Lind.

**Sunday School** meet in the Hall.



### MIDWEEK SERVICE:

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



We continue to meet through the  
summer months. Please feel free  
to drop in and see us. Our next  
meeting is tomorrow 8th May in  
the Lang Hall at 7pm.



### 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.



Please note the changed date of the next  
meeting of the Kirk Session. This will  
now take place on Tuesday 30th May in  
the Lang Hall at 7.30pm.

### BOYS BRIGADE:

Our Parents Night takes place on Friday  
19th May at 7pm. All are welcome to  
attend. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be  
served at the interval.



As the Foodbank are experiencing  
exceptional demand they are in need of all  
types of foodstuffs urgently.

### ORACLE:

Items for inclusion this in next weeks  
Oracle should be sent or handed in to  
Thomas or Karen in the Church/Wynd  
Office by Wednesday.

Email: [info@thewynd.org.uk](mailto:info@thewynd.org.uk)



### WYND FILM SHOW:



West Side Story will be shown in the  
Wynd Centre on Wednesday, 24th  
May. The film will begin at 1pm and  
tickets, including ice cream, are priced at £3. Tickets  
are available to purchase from the Wynd reception.

David will be playing at Kelvingrove on  
the Tuesday 9th & Thursday 18th May at  
1pm. All Welcome.



Please assist the Turkey / Syria  
earthquake appeal fund by using the box  
at the Church door.

Our Annual Fish Supper Quiz will take  
place in the Church Hall on Friday  
26th May at 7pm. Please register your  
teams of 6 or come along on the night  
and be allocated a team. Tickets are priced at a  
reasonable £9 per person including a supper of  
your choice.



The Oakshaw Explorers are putting  
together a programme for the  
summer. Anyone interested should contact Jessie  
Cross or Sheena Miller for more information



**Cheaters never win  
and winners never cheat!**

.....The Church Mouse

## CORONATION AFTERNOON TEA:



Thank you to all who attended  
and helped with the Coronation  
Afternoon Tea. Everyone  
enjoyed the special Coronation  
spread along with some  
entertainment. We were delighted to raise the  
sum of £373.

Details and lots of extra information about  
Church events can be found on the web  
Oakshaw Trinity Church: [www.oakshawtrinity.org.uk](http://www.oakshawtrinity.org.uk)  
Face book: [www.facebook.com/oakshawtrinity](http://www.facebook.com/oakshawtrinity)

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### Door Team April 2023

Lynn Ferguson, Elizabeth McPherson &  
Ann Simpson

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