**The United Benefice of Barlborough and Clowne**

**St James the Greater, Barlborough**

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**Eucharist for All Saints Day**

**Sunday 31st October 2021**

**Please take this order of service home with you**

**Notices**

**All Souls**

This year we will have a communion service at which the choir will sing Faure’s Requiem as we remember our loved ones who have died. This will be today at 5pm at Barlborough.

There will be an online only All Souls service on Tuesday 2nd November at 7pm on Facebook for those who would prefer to attend from the comfort of their home.

All are welcome to both these services. Please add the names you would like to have read out to the lists at the back of church. Those who have had funerals in our churches in the last year will automatically be named.

Please start bringing luxury items for our **Christmas Hampers** and place them in the boxes provided at the back of church. This is our main fundraising at Christmas so please give generously.

**Bishop Libby visiting the Deanery**

Come along to Clowne Parish Church at **1.30pm on Monday 1st November** to meet Bishop Libby. There will be a time of worship, a presentation about the bishop’s vision for the Diocese and the opportunity to ask questions. **It would be great to have good representation from across both of our churches at this rare opportunity to meet the bishop face to face.**

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Please note that the clergy’s usual day off is a Friday.

Find out other information about our churches on our website:

http://bcjj.org.uk

**These are our upcoming service times for your diary:**

**Sunday 31st October – All Saints Day (5th Sunday)**

8.30am Morning Prayer, Clowne

10.00am Benefice Eucharist, Barlborough

5pm **All Souls** Fauré’s Requiem Eucharist, Barlborough

**Tuesday 2nd November 7pm** All Souls Service ONLINE ONLY (Facebook)

**Sunday 7th November – 3rd Sunday before Advent**

8.30am Morning Prayer, Barlborough

10.00am Benefice Eucharist, Clowne

**Sunday 14th November – Remembrance Sunday**

9.30am Remembrance Service, Clowne

10.15am Remembrance Service, Barlborough

2.30pm Baptism Barlborough

**Sunday 21st November – Christ the King**

8.30am Morning Prayer, Barlborough

**10.00am Benefice Eucharist, Clowne

*Please remain seated as the choir sings the introit*

*Please stand as you are able*

**OPENING HYMN**

**134 For all the Saints**

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✠In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Grace, mercy and peace  
from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ  
be with you **and also with you.**

Rejoice, people of God, praise the Lord!

Let us keep the feast in honour of all God’s saints,

in whose victory the angels rejoice and glorify the Son of God.

**PRAYER OF PREPARATION**

*We kneel or sit.*

Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**WE CONFESS OUR SINS**

Since we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses,

let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely,

looking to Jesus in penitence and faith.

*Hebrews 12.1*

**Father eternal, giver of light and grace,**

**we have sinned against you and against our neighbour,**

**in what we have thought,**

**in what we have said and done,**

**through ignorance, through weakness,**

**through our own deliberate fault.**

**We have wounded your love,**

**and marred your image in us.**

**We are sorry and ashamed,**

**and repent of all our sins.**

**For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,**

**who died for us,**

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Description automatically generated**forgive us all that is past;**

**and lead us out from darkness**

**to walk as children of light.**

**Amen.**

May the God of love and power

✠forgive you and free you from your sins,

heal and strengthen you by his Spirit,

and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

*Please stand as we sing the Gloria*

**THE GLORIA**

Glory to God in the highest,

**and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King,**

**almighty God and Father,**

**we worship you, we give you thanks,**

**we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,**

**Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world:**

**have mercy on us;**

**you are seated at the right hand of the Father:**

**receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,**

**you alone are the Lord,**

**you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,**

**with the Holy Spirit,**

**in the glory of God the Father.**

**Amen.**

**THE COLLECT**

*The president introduces a period of silent prayer.*

As we stand, let us pray:

**God of holiness,  
your glory is proclaimed in every age:  
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,  
inspire us to follow their example  
with boldness and joy;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Please sit*

**BIBLE READINGS**

**Isaiah 25.6–9**

6 On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples  
   a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines,  
   of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear.  
7 And he will destroy on this mountain  
   the shroud that is cast over all peoples,  
   the sheet that is spread over all nations;  
8 he will swallow up death for ever.  
Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces,  
   and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,  
   for the Lord has spoken.  
9 It will be said on that day,  
   Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.  
   This is the Lord for whom we have waited;  
   let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Revelation 21.1–6a**

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. 2And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. 3And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,  
‘See, the home of God is among mortals.  
He will dwell with them;  
they will be his peoples,  
and God himself will be with them;  
4 he will wipe every tear from their eyes.  
Death will be no more;  
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,  
for the first things have passed away.’

5 And the one who was seated on the throne said, ‘See, I am making all things new.’ Also he said, ‘Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.’ 6Then he said to me, ‘It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**GRADUAL HYMN** *Please stand as you are able*

**518 Thy hand O God has guided**

**GOSPEL READING**

*Please remain standing and face the deacon as he reads the Gospel*

The Lord be with you

**and also with you.**

Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed are the poor in spirit,

for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

**Alleluia.**

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

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

**John 11.32–44**

32When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, ‘Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.’ 33When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. 34He said, ‘Where have you laid him?’ They said to him, ‘Lord, come and see.’ 35Jesus began to weep. 36So the Jews said, ‘See how he loved him!’ 37But some of them said, ‘Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?’

38 Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. 39Jesus said, ‘Take away the stone.’ Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, ‘Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.’ 40Jesus said to her, ‘Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?’ 41So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, ‘Father, I thank you for having heard me. 42I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.’ 43When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, ‘Lazarus, come out!’ 44The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, ‘Unbind him, and let him go.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please sit for* **THE SERMON**

**The Nicene Creed** *We stand to say the Creed together.*

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**the Father, the Almighty,**

**maker of heaven and earth,**

**of all that is,**

**seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only Son of God,**

**eternally begotten of the Father,**

**God from God, Light from Light,**

**true God from true God,**

**begotten, not made,**

**of one Being with the Father;**

**through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,**

**was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary**

**and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;**

**he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again**

**in accordance with the Scriptures;**

**he ascended into heaven**

**and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,**

**and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,**

**the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,**

**who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,**

**who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,**

**and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

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Description automatically generatedPRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*We kneel or sit for our prayers. After each prayer we respond*

Lord in your mercy

**hear our prayer.**

**This week our prayers are asked for:**

*The sick and in need:*

Wyatt & Garrett Ruthven, Barbara Needham, Veronica Blackwell, Luke Firth, Chloe Parkes, Betty Wood, Lillie Wood, Richard Abbiss, Margaret Malpass, Mark Bolton, Susan Proffitt, Joan Phillimore, Alan Taylor, Steve Short, Kath Adams, Heather Davies, Pat Ashley

*The dearly departed:*

Audrey Greetham

***We Share Holy Communion***

**The Peace**

*We stand and the president introduces the Peace.*



To crown all things there must be love,

to bind all together and complete the whole.

Let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts.

*Colossians 3.14,15*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**and also with you.**

*Please share the peace in a safe manner!*

**OFFERTORY HYMN**

*Please remain standing as you are able for the offertory hymn*

**567 Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones**

**PRAYER AT THE PREPARATION OF THE TABLE**

To you we come, Father of lights,

with angels and saints,

where heaven and earth unite.

May Jesus meet us in the breaking of the bread.

**Amen.**

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**THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

*Please stand as you are able*

The Lord be with you

**and also with you**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

**It is right to give thanks and praise**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,

that we should always sing of your glory,

holy Father, almighty and eternal God,

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

For you are the hope of the nations,

the builder of the city that is to come.

Your love made visible in Jesus Christ

brings home the lost,

restores the sinner

and gives dignity to the despised.

In his face your light shines out,

flooding lives with goodness and truth,

gathering into one in your kingdom

a divided and broken humanity.

Therefore with all who can give voice in your creation

we glorify your name,

for ever praising you and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,**

**God of power and might,**

**heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**+Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*Please be seated*

We praise and bless you, loving Father,

through Jesus Christ, our Lord;

and as we obey his command,

send your Holy Spirit,

that broken bread and wine outpoured

may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends

and, taking bread, he praised you.

He broke the bread, gave it to them and said:

Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;

do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine.

Again he praised you, gave it to them and said:

Drink this, all of you this is my blood of the new covenant,

which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did,

in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice

made once for all upon the cross.

Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation,

we proclaim his death and resurrection

until he comes in glory.

Great is the mystery of faith…

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Description automatically generatedChrist has died,**

**Christ is risen,**

**Christ will come again**

Lord of all life,

help us to work together for that day

when your kingdom comes

and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth.

Look with favour on your people,

gather us in your loving arms

and bring us with the Blessed Virgin Mary, St John the Baptist, St James

and all the saints to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours,

O loving Father, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

Looking for the coming of his Kingdom, as our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,**

**hallowed be thy name;**

**thy kingdom come;**

**thy will be done;**

**on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation;**

**but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,**

**the power and the glory,**

**for ever and ever. Amen.**

**BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

Every time we eat this bread

and drink this cup,

**we proclaim the Lord’s death**

**until he comes.**

**AGNUS DEI** *we sing*

**Lamb of God you take away, the sins of the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away, the sins of the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away, the sins of the world, grant us peace.**

**THE GIVING OF COMMUNION**

I heard the voice of a great multitude crying, Alleluia.

The Lord our God has entered into his kingdom.

**Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.**

*Please come to receive communion when prompted and follow the markings on the floor to remain at safe physical distance. Take your time, no need to rush. Please bring this booklet with you if you would prefer a blessing. Please wear a mask as you move around the building (unless you’re exempt).*

**COMMUNION HYMN**

**73 Brother, sister, let me serve you**

**PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION**

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things:  
may we who have shared at this table  
   as strangers and pilgrims here on earth  
be welcomed with all your saints  
   to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Almighty God,**

**we thank you for feeding us**

**with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.**

**Through him we offer you our souls and bodies**

**to be a living sacrifice.**

**Send us out**

**in the power of your Spirit**

**to live and work**

**to your praise and glory.**

**Amen.**

**FINAL HYMN**

**13 All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name**

**THE BLESSING**

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

May Christ who makes saints of sinners,

who has transformed those we remember today,

raise and strengthen you that you may transform the world;  
And the blessing of God almighty,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with you

and remain with you this day and always.  **Amen.**

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Description automatically generated**THE DISMISSAL**

*The deacon dismisses the congregation:*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**In the name of Christ. Amen.**