

## For Your Prayers

- For the congregation at Trinity Methodist Church and for their minister David Flavell
- For *Gemma Hamilton and Shaun Webb* who were married in the Abbey yesterday.
- For those who are unwell or who have asked for our prayers including: *Ed Doyle, John Patterson, Alan Rowell, Enid Alexander, Joan Peugniesz*
- For those who have died including *Sir Nicholas Beaumont* and for those who mourn.

### Music in the Abbey lunchtime concerts

12.30pm – Free with retiring collection

- 16<sup>th</sup> July **Michael Haynes** (Hexham Abbey)  
23<sup>rd</sup> July **Young Musicians' Concert**  
30<sup>th</sup> July **Daniel Cook** (Salisbury Cathedral)

## HEXHAM ABBEY

*The Priory and Parish Church of St Andrew*



## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2011 Second Sunday after Trinity St Thomas the Apostle

**Welcome to all who are with us today.** If you are new to the Parish, please complete one of the address cards in the pews so that we may contact you. If you are visiting the Abbey, we hope you will enjoy your time with us. Communicant members of all Christian Churches are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive, you, as well as any children with you, are invited to come up to the altar for a blessing. Please indicate that you would like a blessing by bowing your head and keeping your hands down.

**The Parish Centre Office is open Monday-Friday  
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Web site: [www.hexhamabbey.org.uk](http://www.hexhamabbey.org.uk)**

### Abbey Staff

**Rector:** Revd Canon Graham B Usher  
*(on sabbatical study leave until 25<sup>th</sup> July)*  
**Associate Priest:** Revd Joanna Anderson  
Tel. 01434 604935 *(except Friday)*  
**Assistant Priest:** Revd Alan Currie  
Tel. 01434 607614 *(except Saturday)*  
**Readers Emeriti:** Roger Milton and Douglas Vigor  
**Director of Music:** Michael Haynes Tel. 01434 606169  
**Assistant Organist:** Alex Woodrow  
**Administrator:** Jane Musto  
**Finance Officer:** Rachel Ogilvie  
**Vergers:** John Arthur & Gareth Barham (01434 607090)  
**Shop Manager:** Hugh Fearnall  
**Children's Education Officer:** Toni Bush  
**Hexham Abbey Project:**  
**Heritage Development Manager:** Jane Gibson  
**Technical Project Manager:** Andy Pye  
**Lay Chair of the PCC:** Canon Gill Alexander  
**Hon. Treasurer:** Susan Robson  
**PCC Secretary:** David Ratcliff  
**Churchwardens:** Roy Dallison, Fiona Finnon, Fiona Kelsey, Paul Myles, John Robinson.

### TODAY'S SERVICES

**8.30am Holy Communion**  
President & Preacher: *JOANNA ANDERSON*

*(Pew Bible: Romans 7.15-25a pg 153; Matthew 11.16-19, 25-end pg 11)*

**10.00am Abbey Pr@ise**  
President: *JOANNA ANDERSON*  
*Followed by a Fairtrade Stall*

**11.45am BCP Holy Communion**  
President: *CHRISTOPHER ELLIOTT NEWMAN*

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**  
Preacher: *ALAN CURRIE*

Reader: *JOYCE CHRISTIE*  
Psalm: 139:1-9, 23-24  
Responses: Ayleward  
Canticles: Collegium Regale - *Howells*  
Anthem: The Lord Bless You - *Rutter*  
Hymns: 424, 188  
Organ: Crown Imperial - *Walton*

*(Pew Bible: Job 42.1-6, pg 499; 1 Peter 1.3-12, pg 229)*

### NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

**8.30am Holy Communion**  
President & Preacher: *ALAN CURRIE*

**10.00am Deanery Eucharist**  
President: *JON RUSSELL*  
Preacher: *RICHARD ADAMS, TRAIDCRAFT*

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**  
Preacher: *JOANNA ANDERSON*

**At Hexham Abbey we have a vision of a world in which God's love is enjoyed,  
celebrated and shared**

## **Services, Meetings and Events this Week**

### **Monday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

*Reflective 20 minute service to start the day.*

**2.00pm** House Group at 14 Elvaston Road  
*all welcome to join. Contact Sue Snow (604818).*

**8.00pm** Women's Group or Men's Group  
*Groups for working age women/men meet alternate  
Mondays in term time at 5 St Cuthbert's Terrace. Contact:  
Rachel Usher (603121) or Paul Binks (601678).*

### **Tuesday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

**10.30am** Open House

*Ecumenical bible study group meets in the Parish Centre  
weekly during term time. Contact: Elizabeth Fish (601142).*

**12 noon Holy Communion** (Frank Dexter)

**5.00pm Evening Prayer**

### **Wednesday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

**9.30am Holy Communion** (Jean Mayland)

**10.15am Tots' Praise**

*Songs, stories and fun for babies, toddlers and pre-school  
children and their carers.*

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**

### **Thursday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

**10.00am** Prayer Group meets in the Treasury

*A group that prays the petitions left at the Prayer Board.  
Contact: Elizabeth Fish (601142).*

**10.30am Holy Communion** (Joanna Anderson)

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**

### **Friday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

**12.45pm** House Group at 5 Alexandra Crescent

*Contact: Ron and Jenda Harbottle (605323)*

**5.00pm Evening Prayer**

### **Saturday**

**9.00am Morning Prayer**

**12.30pm** Music in the Abbey organ recital

**5.00pm Choral Evensong (RSCM Voices)**

Please submit items for inclusion/deletion between Monday  
and Wednesday in the week prior to publication.



**Thanks to all** who organised and supported the recent Hexham Abbey Project fundraising events. The Safari Supper raised £700 and the Hexham Abbey Brownies a further £170. Our total is in the ascendency – it now sits at approximately £40,000 – a great effort by all.

**Music in the Abbey** is pleased to continue its annual recital programme with **Jonathan Hellyer Jones** from Magdalene College, Cambridge. The recital will take place on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July commencing at 12.30pm. Admission is free with a retiring collection.

### **CANDLES QUIZ NIGHT**

*(in aid of their trip to Taizé this summer)*

**SATURDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 7pm**

In the Monastic Workshop

Come either as a team or ready to join one.

Cost: DONATIONS!

There will be nibbles & refreshments and great prizes!

PLEASE SIGN UP USING THE SHEET ON THE TABLE.

**The Deanery Eucharist** for all of the 23 local churches will be held in the Abbey on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 10.00am. The Preacher is Richard Adams from Traidcraft.

**New Members' Afternoon Tea:** Brian and Margaret Massey are hosting an afternoon tea for those who have recently joined the congregation and invitations have been sent out for this event which will take place on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July from 3-5pm. If you are a new member and have not received an invitation, our apologies. Do please contact Brian and Margaret on 673413.

**THE BIG SING** will take place on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm. Come along and sing some of your favourite hymns. Why not bring a friend with you? This will be Michael Haynes' last service with choirs in the Abbey before moving on to pastures new.

Bishop Martin and Marlene warmly invite the clergy and people of the Diocese to Bishop's House on Monday 4th July, 2011 between 2.30 p.m. and 4.30 p.m. to express our gratitude to **Canons Richard Bryant, Audrey Elkington and Dave Elkington** for their service to the Diocese over so many years.

It would be helpful if you would let us know that you intend to come before the end of June - tel: 0191 285 2220 or e mail: [bishop@newcastle.anglican.org](mailto:bishop@newcastle.anglican.org)