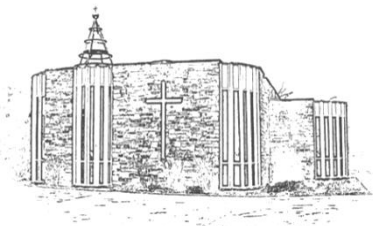
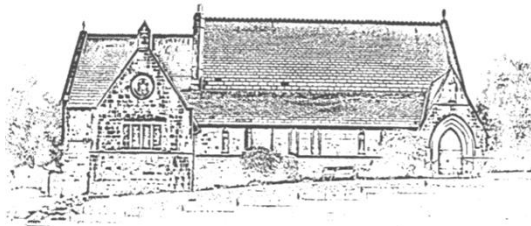


Parishes of Harden and Wilsden



Newsletter for 16 September 2018

Welcome to church today. We hope and pray that you will enjoy your time here and that you may encounter the presence of the living God. If you are a visitor then the following information may be helpful.

- We have a loop system, if appropriate switch hearing aids to "T".
- We have large print copies of most worship material – please ask.
- Gluten free wafers are available – please request before the service begins.
- Whatever your tradition, you are welcome to share in Holy Communion.
- Toilet facilities are available including baby changing and disabled facilities.
- We hope you will join us for refreshments after the service.

Please take this sheet home with you!

| Sunday 16 September | | | Trinity 16 | |
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| Wilsden | 9.30 am | Holy Communion | Isaiah 50:4-9a | Mark 8:27-38 |
| Wilsden | 11.00 am | Café Church | | |
| Harden | 11.15 am | Holy Communion | Isaiah 50:4-9a | Mark 8:27-38 |
| Cullingworth | 6.00 pm | Benefice Harvest Supper at St. John's | | |

| Friday 21 September | | St Matthew's Day | |
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| Wilsden | 7.30 pm | Holy Communion | Followed by cheese & wine |

| Next Sunday's services - Trinity 17 | | |
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| Wilsden | 9.30 am | Morning Worship |
| Wilsden | 11.00 am | Café Church with communion |
| Harden | 11.15 am | Morning Worship |
| Wilsden | 6.30 pm | Holy Communion |

Diary for the next week

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| Wed 19 th | 10.00 am | Holy Communion at St Matthew's |
| Thurs 20 th | 7.00 pm | Bible course at St John's |
| Thurs 20 th | 7.00 pm | PCC meeting at St Matthew's |
| Fri 21 st | 2.00 - 4.00pm | Craft and Chat at St. Matthew's |
| Fri 21 st | 7.30 pm | Holy Communion for St Matthew's Day at Wilsden |

St Saviour's and St Matthew's Mission Support Group invite you to a Coffee Morning and Bring & Buy at St Matthew's on FRIDAY 5th October, 10am to noon. Proceeds to support the church in Sudan as they do their best to provide schools for Christian children and to help displaced people.

Parish Circulation. Thank you to all who sorted and delivered the Parish News Sheets. Let us be praying that some of those who receive it at drawn to come along to one of our services or activities. There are copies for the information of those who do not live in the Parish. Mavis and June.

As part of the local arrangements to mark the centenary of the First World War, St Matthews has been asked to host an exhibition with an emphasis on the involvement in the war of people from the Bradford area along with people from the Commonwealth and South Asia who may have relatives who live in this area. The exhibition will take place on Friday and Saturday 28th and 29th September and will consist of several display panels and a power point presentation. Clive Allsop is seeking volunteers to man the exhibition, perhaps for two or three hour stints although the actual start and end times have not yet been decided. Please speak to Clive if you are able to help

100 Club Draw winners for August - £25 - 12 - Hazel White; £10 - 4 - Chris Bendle.

Churches Together evening service. Joint Worship will be held on Sunday 7th October in Trinity Church, Wilsden at 6pm. The speaker will be Rev Nick Shields, coordinator of West Yorkshire Churches Together. Save the date!

A message from Liz Moy Thank you for all of your prayers, cards, offers of help and caring messages. It is so kind of you all -and is most appreciated. Looking forward to being back with you before too long. Love Liz.

Wilsden W.I. Fashion Show for Manorlands at St Matthew's Church on Saturday, 29th September 2018 at 2.00 pm. Tickets £5 (including refreshments) from Judy Caunt (01535 273709) or on the door.

St Saviour's Flowers today given by the Stern family to celebrate family wedding anniversaries.

Helen Ludkin has, from 1st September, become the administrator for the whole Benefice. It is hoped that this will help us to become a more cohesive unit and further help to unite the four parishes. If you wish to contact her please do so through email – pahardenwilsden@gmail.com or by phone – 07788848830.

Dates for your diary

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| Fri 28 th & Sat 29 th Sept | World War 1 at St Matthews exhibition |
| Sat 29 th Sept | Wilsden W.I. Fashion show for Manorlands |
| Fri 5 th Oct | Coffee and Bring & Buy at St Matthew's, 10am - noon, supporting the Church in Sudan |
| Sun 7 th Oct | Churches Together joint evening service at Trinity Church, Wilsden |
| Sun 7 th Oct | Curry evening at Cardamon, 6.45 pm (names to Helen by 30th Sept) |
| Fri 12 th Oct | Saxaphonics will be giving a music concert at St Matthews at 7.00pm with light supper, more details to follow. |
| Sat 13 th Oct | Autumn fundraiser coffee morning in the Mechanics Institute, Denholme from 10am – 12noon |
| Sat 3 rd Nov | Fair Trade Event at St Matthew's |
| Fri 30 th Nov | Yorkshire's Small Brass Band. At 7:30pm "LB Brass" will be playing a concert at St John's, Cullingworth. Tickets are £10 each and the concert will be followed by a cheese and wine party. Tickets are available from St John's Church, Hair Flair or any member of the PCC. |
| Sat 15 th Dec | Turkey & Tinsel at St. Saviour's |

Prayer chains at St. Matthew's and St. Saviour's.

St. Matthew's: phone Margaret Harrison 272305. (Reserve is Dorothy 01274 497898)

St. Saviour's: phone June Thompson 273787. (Reserve is Hazel 274234)

Please keep in prayer Beatrice Waddington, Alice Griffiths and all those who are no longer able to join us at our services.

Also please continue to pray for **Chris Mitchell**.

Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 16th September

Because of print deadlines this prayer diary cannot respond quickly to breaking news. In addition to the suggested topics, please keep in prayer national and international events as you learn of them.

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| Sun | 16-Sep | Pray for the Benefice harvest supper at St John's, that this new joint activity may help us to get to know each other and work together in Christ. |
| Mon | 17-Sep | Pray that the right person may feel called to serve as our Team Rector. |
| Tue | 18-Sep | Pray for all who help at Bingley food bank and for those who need to use this service. |
| Wed | 19-Sep | Pray for families whose children go to Harden and Wilsden primary schools. |
| Thu | 20-Sep | Pray for all who take part in the Bible study course at St John's. |
| Fri | 21-Sep | On St Matthew's Day pray for those who worship at St Matthew's now and give thanks for those who have contributed to the life of the parish in the past |
| Sat | 22-Sep | Pray for the community life of our villages and all who organise activities promoting fellowship. |

Please give contributions for the next newsletter to Pauline - Tel: 01535 273814

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and Helen Ludkin) **Copy Deadline:** 12.00h on the **WEDNESDAY** before publication

Please note we can only mention people, by name, in the newsletter with their consent.

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