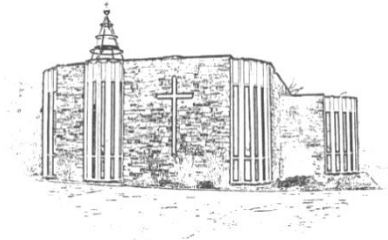
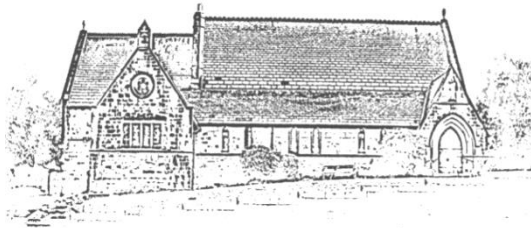


Parishes of Harden and Wilsden



Newsletter for 21 October 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”.s
- 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 21 October		Trinity 21		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Isaiah 53:4-end	Mark 10:35-45
Wilsden	11.00 am	Café Church with Holy Communion		
Harden	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Isaiah 53:4-end	Mark 10:35-45

Next Sunday's services - Trinity 22		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Morning Worship
Wilsden	11.00 am	Café Church
Harden	11.15 am	Morning Worship
Wilsden	6.30 pm	Holy Communion

Diary for the next week

Wed	10.45 am	Home Communion Laurel Bank
Wed	2.30 pm	Prayer & Cake at St. Saviour's
Fri	2.00 pm - 4.00 pm	Craft and Chat at St. Matthew's

Saxophonics A big thank you to everyone who supported the Harvest Concert last weekend especially to those who made soup and puddings and helped in the kitchen. £210 was raised for Inn Churches.

Our Inn Churches Night Shelter this year will be from the evening of Boxing Day, Wednesday the 26th to the morning of Monday the 31st December. As before, many volunteers will be needed to make the project possible. Please contact David Haigh: (david@haigh.demon.co.uk) to book your favourite slot.

Sudan Link It was a bonus to have Revd Dale Barton join us at the coffee morning and give us recent information about Sudan. Other news can be found on the diocesan website, including suggested monthly prayers for Sudan. Go to www.leeds.anglican.org From the home page scroll down to a column headed The Diocese where you will find Overseas Links. (There are all sorts of interesting items on the whole site for those who like exploring this sort of thing.)

There will be an **Advent Course** offered in Denholme for 4 weeks starting after the Bible Course finishes. We hope that many of you will join us for that. Details will follow.

Bereavement service at St. Saviours, 4th November at 4.00pm. A short service to give thanks for the lives of loved ones who have died. Bring friends and family whom it may help – everyone will be very welcome.

Next curry night at the Cardamon will be on Sunday 4th November at 6.45pm, names to Helen please by 28th October

Advent Service. St Matthew's will be hosting a Benefice Advent evening service on Sunday 2nd December at 6.30 pm. All welcome.

Bible Study Course

Sessions 6, 7, and 8 will be held at St. John's at 7pm on Thursdays, the 1st, 8th and 15th November and at 10am on Saturdays the 3rd, 10th and 17th November.

Grace Memorial Church, Lynchburg VA Touch of Grace, which I used to put on the noticeboard, no longer comes by post. You can find lots about them on their website gracelynchburg.org which also give the opportunity to subscribe to their news. Astrid

Village Welcome Packs. Do keep in mind these useful introductions to church and community activities in our villages. If you notice someone new move in near you please call and deliver a pack. To prevent duplication please then record your visit on the lists on church notice boards. The information has been recently updated. At St. Matthew's the packs are kept in the vicar's vestry and at St. Saviour's in the choir vestry. More information is available from Helen Ludkin.

Our Autumn Fair Trade Festival and Coffee Morning will be held at St. Matthew's on Saturday 3rd November from 10am to 12 noon. A wide range of cards, gifts and food will be on display. Free admission, children welcome. Do come along and bring your friends. Help will be welcome on the Friday afternoon from 4pm and also after the event on the Saturday. (A quick turnaround is needed to prepare the room for the Lego Club.) You may be aware that Traidcraft is in some financial difficulty and may not be able to continue in its present form. Your support this autumn is therefore especially welcome.

St. John's brass band concert at 7:30pm on Friday 30th November "LB Brass" Yorkshire's Small Brass Band 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 or please contact Suzy McCarter (suzanne_mccarter@msn.com, 01535 270687) or Robert Smith (07342267080)

Dates for your diary

Sat 3 rd Nov	Fair Trade Event at St. Matthew's at 10.00 am
Sat 3 rd Nov	Lego Club at St. Matthew's
Sun 4 th Nov	Bereavement Service at St. Saviour's at 4.00 pm
Sun 4 th Nov	Curry night at Cardamon
Sat 17 th Nov	St. Saviour's Coffee Morning
Fri 30 th Nov	Brass Band Concert at St. John's, Cullingworth at 7.30 pm
Sun 2 nd Dec	Advent Service at St. Matthew's at 6.30 pm
Weds 12 th Dec	Benefice Men's Group Christmas Meal at the Ling Bob at 7.30 pm
Sat 15 th Dec	Turkey & Tinsel at St. Saviour's
Wed 26 th Dec – Monday 31 st Dec	Night shelter at St. Matthew'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.

Pray for the family and friends of Chris Mitchell who died last Saturday 13th October. The funeral will be at St. Matthew's on Thursday 25th October at 11.30am.

Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 21st October

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.

Sun	21-Oct	Pray for peace with justice in the many troubled parts of the world.
Mon	22-Oct	Pray for those who lead this country, for wisdom, and willingness to work together for the common good.
Tue	23-Oct	Pray for Members of Parliament, that their decisions and actions may be guided by a genuine call to service.
Wed	24-Oct	Pray for Parish Councils in Harden and Wilsden, that they may be responsive to local needs and able to influence decisions made at other levels of local government.
Thu	25-Oct	Pray for Christians in Sudan, particularly for church leaders in Kadugli working to provide a much needed school.
Fri	26-Oct	Pray for our Bishops Nick and Toby.
Sat	27-Oct	Pray for all who serve at Bradford Cathedral, the mother church of our Episcopal Area.

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

Email: pstern155@gmail.com (and copy to David Haigh: david@haigh.demon.co.uk 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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