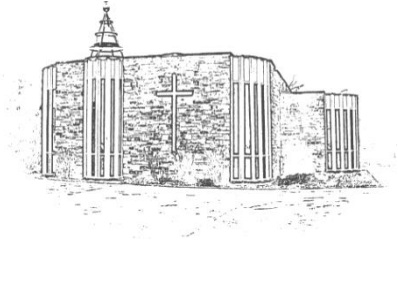
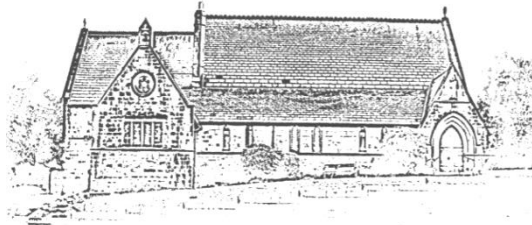


Parishes of Harden and Wilsden



Newsletter for 9th June 2019

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 9 June		Pentecost
Wilsden	9.30 am	Pick 'n' Mix
Harden	11.15 am	Pick 'n' Mix
Wilsden	6.30 pm	Churches Together service

Churches Together. Our local churches first formed an association back in 1979 with the aim of working more closely together. This year marks the 40th anniversary. The next joint service is this evening at 6.30pm at St Matthew's. Do come along to join with friends from Denholme, Cullingworth, Harden and Wilsden. There will be birthday cake!

Next Sunday's services - Trinity Sunday		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Holy Communion
Wilsden	11.00 am	Café Church
Harden	11.15 am	Holy Communion

Diary for the next week

Wed	10.45 am	Home Communion at Laurel Bank
Wed	2.30 pm	Prayer and Cake at St. Saviour's
Wed	3.00 pm	Roots After School Club at St. Saviour's
Wed	3.30 pm	Messy Church at St. Matthew's
Fri	2.00 pm - 4.00pm	Craft and Chat at St. Matthew's
Sat	10.00 - noon	Coffee Morning at St. Saviour's

Dates for your diary

Sat 15 th June	Harden Children's Gala from 2.00 pm
Sat 29 th June	Janice & Stephen's Strawberry Tea at Denholme at 3.00 pm (if you'd like to come please email: jemilyb@outlook.com)
Sun 30 th June	Wilsden Gala
Sat 6 th July	Denholme Gala
Sun 7 th July	Curry Evening at Cardamon, book with Helen by 30 th June
Sun 14 th July	Cullingworth Gala
Fri 19 th July	Quiz with Pie & Pea Supper at St John's at 7.30 pm
Fri 26 th July	Churches Together Quiz at Trinity Church at 7.00 pm
Sun 15 th Sep	Licensing of Revd Richard Burge 3.00 pm at St. John's

Beatrice Waddington – Saturday 15th June sees Beatrice celebrating her 100th birthday! Her nephew invites you to an 'open house' at Beatrice's home from 10.00am on that day and hopes that her church family will join with this celebration of a wonderful life. There is a card in St Saviour's for all to sign.

Appeal for the Church in Sudan. Thank you to everyone who supported the coffee morning and stall at St. Matthew's on 1st and 2nd June. Though numbers were low on Saturday morning a total of £108 was raised during the weekend.

Coffee Morning at St. Saviour's - Saturday 15th June from 10 am
Cake stall, raffle and kitchen bonanza! Bring your friends!

Trinity Charity Coffee Evening. The second in the series of popular summer coffee evenings will be held at Trinity Church tomorrow, Monday 10th June, at 7pm. This month's event is in support of research into K1F1A syndrome, a rare neurological disorder. All are welcome.

Regular Social Events in the Benefice

Curry night @ Cardamon, Bingley, 6.45pm on the 1st Sunday of the month (book 1 week in advance through Helen Ludkin)

Fellowship Lunches @ St. John's, 12.30 on the 2nd Saturday of the month (Contact Jasmin for more details)

Coffee morning with stall @ St. Saviour's, 10-12 noon, 3rd Saturday of the month – all welcome

The Church in Sudan, a chance to learn more about our Christian partners and the situation in Sudan, will take place at:

St. George's Church, Leeds LS1 3BR

Monday 10th June 7.30pm (refreshments from 7pm)

Speakers: **Ludia Shukai**, a leader among Sudanese people in Yorkshire, daughter of the late Bishop Butrus Shukai, with special interest in the Bible Training Institute in Omdurman.

Dr Kevin Ward, expert in Africa studies and church history

Bishop Nick Baines who recently visited Sudan to lead a conference on Freedom of Religion.

Bradford Cathedral is celebrating the centenary of its cathedral status with a wide range of activities. The programme covering May to August is available in both our churches.

An Immortal Legacy by The Sixteen, an outstanding chamber choir, in celebration of Bradford Cathedral's 100 year anniversary, will take place on Saturday 14th September at 7.30pm.

Tickets are available on-line from bradford-cathedral.ticketlight.co.uk

A Strawberry Tea will be hosted by Janice and Stephen from Denholme Shared Church at their home on:

Saturday 29th June, from 3.00 to 5.00 pm.

There is no charge but donations, which will be shared between Manorlands and the church, will be welcome. If you would like to go along please email Janice at jemilylb@outlook.com

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

Please pray for Gordon Nevill and for Bob Evans

Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 9th June

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	09-Jun	Give thanks for the gift of the Holy Spirit and pray that we may grow towards the courage and inspiration of those who first experienced the wind and fire. Pray for the work of Churches Together throughout Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth and Denholme and that we may discover the best ways of working together to share our faith.
Mon	10-Jun	Pray for the church in Sudan as the movement for change in the country enters a dangerous phase with more opposition to the peaceful protesters.
Tue	11-Jun	Pray for young people in our villages in secondary schools, remembering those facing important exams this summer.
Wed	12-Jun	Pray for all at the Roots After School Club at St Saviour's.
Thu	13-Jun	Pray for children and staff at Harden and Wilsden primary schools.
Fri	14-Jun	Pray for the helpers, carers and children at the Chatterbox toddlers group.
Sat	15-Jun	Pray for Harden Gala, for a happy day of family fun.

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 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

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