





Parishes of St. Saviour's Harden and St. Matthew's Wilsden IN THE BENEFICE OF HARDEN AND WILSDEN, CULLINGWORTH AND DENHOLME

## Newsletter for 18th October 2020 Trinity 19

# **Services Today**

- 9.30am Communion followed by APCM at St Matthew's, Wilsden
- 11.15am Communion at St Saviour's, Harden
- 11.15am Café Church on Zoom. The Link is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85337842701 Meeting ID: 853 3784 2701

6.00pm Evening Prayer on Facebook

#### **NEXT SUNDAY: 10.30am UNITED BENEFICE SERVICE ON ZOOM**

We are pleased that our churches can remain open but please think very carefully about whether to come to church or to stay at home with the situation as it is at the moment. We are trying to provide as many different ways as possible that enable us to share together in worship while keeping ourselves and others safe. The current restrictions state that we are not to socialise at church. In order to ensure sufficient places for everyone within the physical distancing guidance we are asking that you let us know you wish to attend Please contact Helen 07788 848830: beneficehwcd@gmail.com

We were sad to hear the news this week of June Waddington's death. We give thanks for a lady of faith and joy and a wonderful member of our church family. May she rest in peace, and rise in glory. Please hold Robert and all her family in your prayers as they prepare for her funeral in the coming days. June's funeral is on Monday 19 October. Obviously with the restrictions it will not be possible for people to attend, but Mavis and Liz have created a short order of service for people to share in on that day. If you would like a copy please contact Liz.

#### **Thursday Prayers:**

Zoom Thursday Prayers return this week at 11am on Thursday. If you would like

to join the link is: Meeting ID: 839 5275 7402 Passcode: Spirit

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83952757402?pwd=eEYrRGFkL3g1dzJLeUcvSDJueTlZdz09

#### **CHURCHES OPEN FOR PERSONAL PRAYER:**

Wilsden Church Wednesday 2pm to 3pm

Harden Church Wednesday 2.30pm to 3.30pm

If you could help out as a volunteer steward at Harden on a Wednesday afternoons, please let Richard know.

#### PURPLE RIBBONS TO REMEMBER LOVED ONES FOR ALL SOULS'

At the start of November we usually celebrate All Souls' with a service where we gather to remember those who have died. It is an important service, which this year we will sadly not be able to hold. Instead, we are asking people to write the names of people that they wish to remember on some purple ribbon. We can get ribbon to you or we can write the names on for you. The ribbons will then be gathered outside our churches over the weekend of 30 October to 2 November. If you would like a ribbon or have a name to be added, please contact Richard on 01535 273758 ecrb@live.co.uk

## **ANNUAL CHURCH MEETINGS**

Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic our Annual Meetings were postponed earlier this year. The Annual Meeting at Harden will be on Sunday 15 November at 12 noon. St Matthew's Annual Meeting is this Sunday 18 October at 10.30am You can join the Wilsden meeting on Zoom with the link:

 $\underline{https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83247577387?pwd=dUh4Tzgyck5WV0wzMmd5ditIZ2hwQT09}$ 

Meeting ID: 832 4757 7387 Passcode: 810721

Copies of the Annual reports can be requested from Helen: 07788 848830:

beneficehwcd@gmail.com

#### **Electoral Roll Revision**

Our electoral roll is revised before our annual meeting. If you would like to join the Harden roll, leave the roll or check your information before the annual meeting then please contact: Gary Dickinson You can also contact Richard ecrb@live.co.uk 01535 273758

The rolls will be closed 15 days before the annual meeting.

#### **QUIZ NIGHT ON WEDNESDAY!**

Congratulations to Richard & Heather and Astrid who were joint winners of Wednesday's excellent Benefice quiz set by Suzy McCarter. Thank you Suzy for a great set of questions. Next week's quiz is on Wednesday evening at 7pm and will be set by Richard the link is:

<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85098439672?pwd=QnVyTTBINGJ0d3JBV1o4TDNZWGhhUT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85098439672?pwd=QnVyTTBINGJ0d3JBV1o4TDNZWGhhUT09</a>

Meeting ID: 850 9843 9672

Passcode: 450797



# DON'T FORGET TO LET RICHARD KNOW YOUR FANTASY STRICTLY COME DANCING CHOICES! CHOICES SHOULD BE WITH RICHARD BY FRIDAY 23 OCTOBER



### Monday to Friday on Facebook:

8am Morning Prayer 5pm Evening Prayer 9pm Night Prayer Join the growing numbers who are praying with us each day. Readings, psalms and prayers, with a little bit of Bible explanation too. If you're late you can still watch on replay too.



## **Generosity:**

We are really grateful to all those who continue to support the church financially. If you find that you have a little extra income and would be able to increase your giving at this time it would help our financial situation enormously.

Donations or regular giving may be done by sending your gift to:

Account name	Sort Code	Account Number
St Saviour's Church Harden PCC	05-02-42	32488873
Parish of St Matthews, Wilsden	40-23-05	42128918

Please include your name as a reference or we will be unable to thank you.

#### Prayer Chains at St. Matthew's and St. Saviour's.



St. Matthew's: Margaret Harrison 272305.

(Reserve is Dorothy 01274 497898)

St. Saviour's: June Thompson 273787.

(Reserve is Hazel 274234)

**Please pray for**: Beatrice Waddington, Malcolm and Di Halliday and June Waddington's family and friends.

## Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 18th 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	18-Oct	<u>St Luke's Day:</u> pray for NHS workers, remembering particularly those retired workers who have volunteered to help during this time of need.
Mon	19-Oct	Although we can't meet in person, people from all four churches join in Zoom services and other church-led activities. Give thanks for this and pray for growing fellowship across the benefice.
Tue	20-Oct	Pray that we may see and grasp ways of bringing help and comfort to our village communities.
Wed	21-Oct	Pray for those in our communities who are finding the long lasting restrictions increasingly difficult.
Thu	22-Oct	Pray for any who have recently lost someone dear in circumstances made more painful by present restrictions.
Fri	23-Oct	Pray for the charities our parishes support as they struggle, at home or abroad, in these difficult times.
Sat	24-Oct	Pray for national and local political leaders and the specialists who advise them, and for responsible behaviour throughout the country to help reduce the threat of infection.

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

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