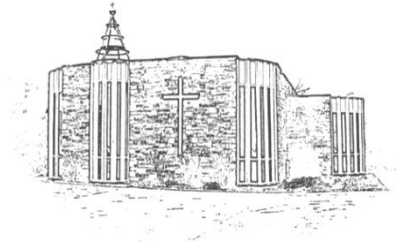


Parishes of Harden and Wilsden



Newsletter for 9th July

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!

Please pray for William Hird being baptised at St. Saviour's today, and for his parents, godparents, family and friends.

Sunday 9 July		Trinity 4		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Pick 'n' Mix		
Harden	11.15 am	Pick 'n' Mix with Baptism of William Hird		
Wilsden	6.30 pm	Evening Prayer	Genesis 24: 34-38,42-49,58-67	Matthew 11: 16-19, 25-30

Next Sunday's Services

Wilsden	9.30 am	Holy Communion
Wilsden	11.00 am	Café Church
Harden	11.15 am	Holy Communion

This week's diary

Mon	7.30 pm	Wilsden Trinity Church charity coffee evening
Wed	10.45 am	Home Communion at Laurel Bank
Wed	2.30 pm	Prayer and Cake at St Saviour's
Wed	3.30 pm	Messy Church at St Matthew's
Wed	7.30 pm	Men's Fellowship meet at the Ling Bob pub
Fri	10.00 – 12.00	Place of Welcome at St. Matthew's
Fri	7.00 pm	'Bastille Day' evening auction
Sat	9.30 am	Prayer Breakfast at Trinity church
Sat	10.00 – 12.00	Coffee Morning at St Saviour's

St Saviour's Coffee Morning - Can you help? We would appreciate donations to our produce stall on Saturday 15th July. Contributions of Cakes, scones, pies, jam, marmalade and chutney are needed! Many hands make light work! Please help if you are able to do so. Come and join us for coffee from 10 a.m. Margaret

Our 'Bastille Day' evening auction is on 14th July at 7pm at Wendy Driver's home (Oak Lee, Wilsden). It is in aid of St. Matthew's sponsored children (World Vision). Please come along and bring a small gift, preferably with a French connection, for Tony Caunt to auction – let's have fun!

The Place of Welcome at St. Matthew's is open from 10.00 am every week. Please spread the word in our villages. Everyone is welcome – do drop in for a cuppa. Please remember to sign up if you can offer to make a cake. Bob

100 club winners of the June draw:-

£25 - 18 - Audrey Marsden £10 - 34 - Jim Waddington

Men's Fellowship We next meet on Wednesday 12th July at the Ling Bob Pub at 7.30pm for a walk around Wilsden and then back for something to eat at 8.30pm. Please let Robert Smith (robertandjasmin@btinternet.com) know if you are able to attend so he can book numbers at the pub. If you can't make the walk join us for some food? All men are welcome – we are a small and friendly group from around the Benefice. Bob

St Saviour's flowers donated today by Margaret Hodgson in memory of Leslie

Wilsden Trinity Church invite you to their charity coffee evening tomorrow from 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm when the charity to be supported will be the Alzheimer's Society.

Lunch with Year 6 Following the success of this event last year, it has been decided to do it again. You are warmly invited to a soup and sandwich lunch to be hosted by Year 6 of Harden Primary School. It is to be on Wednesday 19th July at 1.00pm in St. Saviour's Family room. Booking forms (with food choices) are available at St. Saviour's on Sundays or via Bob and Anne Palmer. Donations are invited to cover cost.

Wilsden Neighbourhood Plan A formal consultation process is underway for the draft Plan. This will end on July 24th and once other legal processes have been completed there will be referendum of all residents later this year to decide whether the Plan is adopted. Before this referendum all households will receive a copy of the final Plan. As part of the consultation process copies of the draft Plan are available at St Matthews as well as online from the parish council website. If people wish to borrow a copy to read would they please sign the sheet and return it as soon as possible in order that everyone has an opportunity to see it. Details of how to submit comments are given in the Plan.

More from the Mission Support Group. We have another newsletter from Awais Mughal which includes photos of her visit to Harden and Wilsden. She describes her work with various groups in Leeds. She also organised a gathering for mission partners from Bradford and Leeds at which Dr Philip Lewis spoke about contemporary challenges we face concerning Muslim communities in Britain. Prayer requests in her letter will continue to be regularly included in the prayer diary on our newsletter. Her whole letter will be on the Mission noticeboards in St Matthew's and St Saviour's over the next few weeks.

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Dates for your Diary

Tues 18 July	7.30 pm	Deanery Synod at St. Peter's Shipley
Thurs 20 July	2.00 pm	St. Matthew's planning meeting at the vicarage
Thurs 20 July	7.00 pm	St. Saviour's PCC meeting at the Vicarage
Fri 4 August	7.15 pm	Yorkshire Quiz 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 those who are not well and those who are no longer able to join us at our services: Beatrice Waddington, Alice Griffiths, Jackie Lancaster and Edwina Butterfield.

Please pray for Victoria Barton & Matthew Smith who will be married at St. Saviour's on 29th July and Katie Louise Barrett & Benjamin Thomas Reynard who will be married on 12th August.

And for Lyla Winnie Beetham to be baptised at St. Saviour's on Sunday 13th August, Betsy Blake Smith to be baptised at St. Saviour's on Sunday 20th August and Elsie May Berry to be baptised at St. Saviour's on Sunday 27th August and for their parents and godparents.

Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 9th July

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 9 th	Pray for our Pick'n'Mix services and Messy Church and that we may discern the best ways to reach and appeal to young families.
Mon 10 th	Pray for relief efforts in El Obeid in Sudan. Pray for all who are hungry in Sudan and South Sudan and for our diocesan Sudan group, for wisdom in the allocation of limited funds.
Tues 11 th	Pray for our CMS partner Awais, particularly for her work with the English Language Project at St Aidan's in Leeds.
Wed 12 th	Pray for churchwardens Malcolm, Chris, Clive and John and for members of our PCCs, that they may be supported and helped in decisions they make for the churches.
Thurs 13 th	Pray for Bob and Suzanne.
Fri 14 th	Pray for the Friends of Wilsden Park
Sat 15 th	Pray for members of the Management Committee of Wilsden Village Hall.

If you become aware of a date contact Pauline Stern so that we can keep the parish diary up to date and please give contributions for the next newsletter to Pauline (and copy to David Haigh and vicar Bob) Tel: 01535 273814 Email: pstern155@gmail.com

Copy Deadline: 12.00h on the **WEDNESDAY** before publication

TEXT reminder service for Pick'n'Mix: Text name to 07789 895949

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