

Newsletter for 7 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".
- 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 7 October		Trinity 19		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Genesis 2:18-24	Mark 10:2-16
Wilsden	11.00 am	Café Church		
Harden	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Genesis 2:18-24	Mark 10:2-16
Wilsden Trinity	6.00 pm	Churches Together Joint Evening Service		

Next Sunday's services - Trinity 20		
Wilsden	9.30 am	Pick 'n' Mix - Harvest
Harden	11.15 am	Pick 'n' Mix -Harvest
Wilsden	6.30 pm	Holy Communion

Churches Together Joint Evening Service at Wilsden Trinity this evening at 6pm. The speaker will be Rev Nick Shields, co-ordinator of the West Yorkshire Churches Together organisation. Do come along.

Diary for the next week

Wed	10.45 am	Home Communion at Laurel Bank
Wed	2.30 pm	Prayer & Cake at St. Saviour's
Wed	3.00 pm	Messy Church at St. Matthew's
Fri	2.00 pm - 4.00 pm	Craft and Chat at St. Matthew's
Fri	2.00 pm - 4.00 pm	Preparation at St. Matthew's of materials for P&M in the two churches.
Fri	7.00 pm	Saxophonics Harvest Concert and Supper at St. Matthew's
Sat	10am – 12 noon	Decorating the churches for Harvest
Sat	10am – 12noon	Autumn fund-raiser coffee morning in the Mechanics Institute, Denholme

Sudan Coffee Morning Thanks to everyone who supported this event. It was a pleasant social occasion and raised £115 for church schools in Sudan.

Harvest Festivals At both Harden and Wilsden there will be working parties on Saturday 13th October from 10 am to prepare the church for Harvest. Baskets are available today at the back of church. Please take one home to decorate and return on Saturday.

Gifts for the Food Bank will be especially welcome at this time.

Saxophonics Harvest Concert and Supper in aid of Inn Churches on Friday 12th October at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew's Church. Tickets are £5 each (under 18s free) and include a Harvest Supper (soup, bread & apple pie). Tickets available from the Maitlands and Overends or phone 01535 273181.

Harden Wilsden Cullingworth and Denholme Men's Group The next meeting is on Wednesday 17th October at 7.30. It is a dominoes competition at the Ling Bob and some food afterwards. Please let Robert (07342267080) know if you are coming so he can confirm numbers.

The meeting after will be the Christmas Meal at the Ling Bob. This will be Wednesday December 12th at 7.30. Again we will need numbers nearer the time.

Autumn Coffee Morning at St. Saviour's Saturday 20th October from 10.00 am. Following the success of our 'Produce' stall in September, please help us by donating cakes, scones, chutney, jam or fresh produce. We look forward to welcoming you for tea/coffee & biscuits. Only £1!

Harden WI invite you to a Cheese and Wine tasting at St. Saviour's Church, Harden, Friday 26th October at 7.30pm.

Fundraising for Keighley Dementia Drop-in Centre and Harden WI local activities. Challenge your tasting skills on a range of 6 wines and cheeses, enjoy a social drink of wine with nibbles, take part in the fun quiz and raffle.

Tickets £12 from Beverly - 01535 270586 or 07949568333 or Mandy 07443625243.

100 Club After this year's annual draw the 100 Club will re-commence, with the first monthly draw of the new season being held on the last Sunday of October 2018. For this next year we hope to continue with two numbers being drawn each month – as well as the annual draw for three large prizes at the end of September 2019. A final decision on the amount of the monthly and annual prizes will be made in a few weeks time when we see how many members we have in the coming 12 months. It is hoped that all existing members will want to participate again and that some new members will want to join us.

As before, each member will pay £2 per month per number by banker's order or £24 per annum by cash/cheque. Prospective new members are asked to contact Michael Richardson (tel: 01535 272540: e-mail: mrich8888@tiscali.co.uk) as soon as possible to "sign up" for this next year.

This is a good, fun way of raising money for the church (over £14,000 raised in the 11 years we have been running), so let's make it even more of a success during the next 12 months. The proceeds will be split between the two parishes based on the congregation with which individual members are associated.

Dates for your diary

Wed 17th Oct	Men's Group Meeting at the Ling Bob	
Sat 20th Oct	St. Saviour's Coffee Morning	
Sat 3 rd Nov	Fair Trade Event at St. Matthew's	
Sat 17th Nov	St. Saviour's Coffee Morning	
Fri 30 th Nov	Yorkshire's Small Brass Band "LB Brass" at St. John's, Cullingworth.	
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 7th 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	07-Oct	Pray for the work of Churches Together throughout West Yorkshire.	
Mon	08-Oct	Pray for Suzy, Liz, Mavis, Ian and Paul as they minister in our	
		churches and to individuals throughout our parishes.	
Tue	09-Oct	Pray for Liz Maitland and all who contribute to Cafe Church.	
Wed	10-Oct	Pray for lay readers Gordon, Malcolm and Chris.	
Thu	11-Oct	Pray for those who take Holy Communion to Laurel Bank, to others in	
		hospital or care homes and to the housebound.	
Fri 12-Oct	12_Oct	Pray for a happy and successful concert and supper at St. Matthew's	
	12-001	supporting Inn Churches.	
Sat	13-Oct	Pray for all who worship at St. Saviour's and St. Matthew's, that we	
		may be enabled to bring the Gospel of our Lord to the busy world.	

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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