

Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 21st September 2014

Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

We offer you a warm welcome to our worship today.

If you are a visitor to the church please make yourself known to the Vicar, to one of the Churchwardens or to one of the Welcomers. Crèche facilities are available in the tower room at the back of the church. An induction loop is fitted for people with hearing aids – please turn to the T-position. All are welcome to come forward to receive communion or a blessing. Communion can be administered to someone in their seat – please ask. May God bless us as we gather together as his people.

TODAY'S SERVICES

8.15am Holy Communion (Order 2)
10.00am Parish Communion with prayer
for healing
Preacher: Michael Hardin

Readings
Proverbs 3.13-18
2 Corinthians 4.1-6
Matthew 9.9-13

The Collect: Almighty God, whose blessed Son called Matthew the tax collector to be an apostle and evangelist: give us grace to forsake the selfish pursuit of gain and the possessive love of riches that we may follow in the way of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Post Communion: Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostle's teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

the Anglican Communion: for the Province of Uganda, for Stanley Ntagali, Archbishop & Bishop of Kampala;

our Diocese: for Nick, Diocesan Bishop, Tom, Acting Area Bishop of Bradford, for Toby Howarth, Area Bishop-designate of Bradford, for the Deans & clergy of the 3 cathedrals of Ripon, Wakefield and Bradford;

the Cross Hills and District Fellowship of Churches: for St Peter's Methodist Church;

our parish: for Lesley Hudson & John Mitchell, Churchwardens, for Marie Stinson, PCC Secretary & Treasurer, for members of the PCC;

the world Church & mission agencies: for Tim & Kate Lee in the UK and the Jigsaw Kids Ministry Project in Manila, Philippines, for the Church Mission Society (CMS);

our community: for Airedale Hospital, for Manorlands Hospice, for the chaplains, staff and patients;

those in need: Tyler Manley, Christine Bloxham, Barry Houghton, Sue Hargreaves, Simon Mack, Angela, Chris Sutcliffe, Joan;

the departed: Chris (Christine) Sutcliffe, Julia Lee.

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU as a reminder of dates, subjects for prayer etc.
Please pass any items for inclusion to Robin Figg by 10am Friday

Parish Website: www.kildwick.org.uk

Diary

Morning Prayer will be said in church at 7.30am Monday to Wednesday & Friday

This week

TODAY	2.30pm	Tea & Scones (Parish Rooms)
Mon 22 nd	11.30am	Funeral of Chris (Christine) Sutcliffe
	2.00pm	Bible study group (5 Beanlands Drive, Glusburn)
	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Church)
	7.00pm	CDFC Outdoor Nativity planning meeting (Parish Rooms)
Tue 23 rd	10.00am	Chuffs toddler group (Parish Rooms)
	2.00pm	CDFC Grief & Loss Support Group meeting (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Choir practice
Wed 24 th	9.30am	Holy Communion (Parish Rooms)
	10.15am	Not the Knot group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice

... and beyond

Sun 28 th Oct	2.30pm	Last Tea & Scones for this year (Parish Rooms)
Fri 3 rd Oct	2.45pm	Kildwick School harvest collective worship in church
Sun 5 th Oct	10.00am	Harvest Festival Family Communion
Mon 6 th Oct	6.00pm	Kildwick School governors meeting (School)
Sun 19 th Oct	10.30am	CDFC Service for One World Week (Baptist Church)
Sun 19 th Oct	2.30pm	Messy Church
Mon 20 th Oct	9.30am	PCC Standing Committee meeting (Parish Rooms)
Fri 24 th & Sat 25 th Oct		Church & Churchyard maintenance days
Sun 26 th Oct		Bible Sunday
Mon 27 th Oct	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Tue 28 th Oct	10.30am	CDFC Residential Homes Visiting Teams meeting (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Sun 2 nd Nov		All Saints Sunday / All Souls Day
Sun 9 th Nov		Remembrance Sunday
Tue 11 th Nov	6.30pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms)
Fri 14 th Nov	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Mon 24 th Nov	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Sat 29 th Nov	10.00am	St Andrew's Fair (Church & Parish Rooms)
Sun 30 th Nov		ADVENT SUNDAY
	6.00pm	Advent Carol Service
Mon 1 st Dec	7.30pm	Patronal Festival Eucharist. Preacher: Archdeacon David Lee

Next Sunday 28th September 2014

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.15am	Holy Communion (Order 1)
10.00am	Parish Communion

Readings
Ezekiel 18.1-4, 25-32
Philippians 2.1-13
Matthew 21.23-32

Vicar: The Revd Robin Figg, The Vicarage, Kildwick, Keighley BD20 9BB
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WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

Prayers for the Parish and World Church, 7.00pm NEXT Monday 22nd September in the church. After a brief time sharing issues for prayer, we will spend about ½ an hour offering our prayers, followed by a time of reflection and discussion combined with some refreshment. All welcome.

Prayers for the Parish and World Church, new day & time from September. Please note that from next month our monthly gathering for prayer will take place on the 4th Monday evening between 7.00pm and 8.00pm, usually in the Parish Rooms; in September it will take place in the church. It is hoped this new time will enable more people to come and share this time of prayer together.

Harvest Festival, Sunday 5th October. We will be celebrating harvest this year with a Family Communion at 10.00am. This year the collections at the morning services and the proceeds from the auction of produce will be in support of CMS and Jigsaw Kids Ministries.

Messy Church, 2.30pm Sunday 19th October. The next Messy Church will take place on Sunday 19th October. For more information or to offer to help contact Lesley Hudson, 523291.



Church & Churchyard Maintenance Days, Friday 24th & Saturday 25th October. These maintenance days are important times to carry out essential tasks around the church and churchyard. Can you spare an hour or two, please? More details to follow.

Vicar's Stall at the St Andrew's Fair, Saturday 29th November. Robin will be pleased to receive small gifts (guide price £5) from your holiday trip to sell on his stall at this year's St Andrew's Fair.

New Daylight Bible Reading Notes. Copies of the September – December issue of the Bible Reading Fellowship daily notes are available. If you don't use such notes yet do think about doing so. Excellent value at only £4.25.

Prayers for people in need. To have someone prayed for by name in our parish prayers please contact Robin, 633307 or June Whitaker, 655320. Names will be included weekly for 8 weeks or monthly for 4 months; they will then be removed unless a further period of prayer is requested.

Follow the church on Twitter. You can follow St Andrew's at @Kildwick1



Ministry of Healing - laying on of hands and anointing

If you wish to receive the ministry of healing for yourself or on behalf of another person please move to the south aisle after receiving communion.

Please pray for those receiving the ministry of healing. You might wish to use the prayer below.

Come, Lord, with your love and mercy and bless those who come to you for healing. Comfort them in their distress, relieve their sufferings, sustain them with your power, give strength to them in body, mind and spirit and give them the assurance of your presence and your peace.

Come, Lord, and be with each one of us. Pour your love into our hearts, fill us with your power, and direct all our thoughts to your goodness. Be present, Lord; bring faith and healing and peace. Amen.

WHAT'S ON ELSEWHERE...

CDFC Open Air Christmas Nativity Play planning meeting, 7.00pm NEXT Monday 22nd September in Kildwick Parish Rooms. The pageant will take place on Sunday 14th December. Help is needed to plan and prepare for this important outreach event. Please contact Peter Bannister, 636036, for more information.

'Sudan Now', 9.30am Saturday 4th October at St Stephen's, Steeton. Join us for an update on the extraordinary country of Sudan and the lives of our brothers and sisters in the Episcopal Church there. Visas allowing we will be joined by the Rev Elizabeth Aya, The Mothers Union Provincial Leader. She was ordained and lived and worked for many years in the Sudan. We will also have speakers from Christian Aid on the current context in Sudan, fresh footage of visits to and from our Diocese and an update of how money collected has been spent. It will be a packed morning and we look forward to seeing you there. Please would you let office.bradford@westyorkshiredales.anglican.org know if you are able to come.

Cornerstone Christian Bookshop event with storyteller Bob Hartman, from 6pm Thursday 9th October at Christ Church, Skipton. This is to celebrate the new Resources Room at the bookshop. Come from 6pm to view resources, 7pm refreshments, 7.30pm storytelling with Bob Hartman. No charge, donations welcome. Admission by ticket from the 17 Newmarket St, Skipton, 01756 793673, resources@cornerstoneskipton.co.uk

Brian McLaren at Holy Trinity Church, Leeds, Tuesday 4th November. Brian McLaren is a well know inspirational Christian speaker and writer. He will be talking about his latest book *We make the road by walking*. More information and tickets at www.greenbelt.org.uk/boxoffice

Learn a Christian musical in a day. Do you fancy learning a Roger Jones well known Christian musical in a day and giving a public performance in the evening? This will take place on 7th March 2015 at Holy Trinity Church, Cowling. What is required now is a definite commitment to take part, to ensure the project is viable. For details contact Maurice Hatton or Denise Raby, 01535 63261, text to 07578 399211, email emaych186@btinternet.com or pick up a response form in church.

A new Bishop of Bradford. Downing Street has announced the appointment of two Area Bishops for the Diocese of West Yorkshire & the Dales. The Revd Dr Toby Howarth, currently Secretary for Inter Religious Affairs to the Archbishop of Canterbury and National Inter Religious Affairs Adviser for the Church of England will be the Bishop of Bradford. The Revd Dr Jonathan Gibbs, currently Rector of Heswall in the Diocese of Chester, will be the Bishop of Huddersfield. Toby Howarth and Jonathan Gibbs will be consecrated as bishops in a service at York Minster on Friday 17th October at 11am, conducted by the Archbishop of York.

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### ***Sayings from the week and wisdom from the tradition***

The Atonement formula: Humans atone for sins through violence.

God atones for sins through forgiveness.

- **Adam Ericksen**, The Raven Foundation

Your life is not about you. You are about life

- **Richard Rohr OFM**