

Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 8th February 2015

The Second Sunday before Lent

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 1)
10.00am Parish Communion

Readings
Proverbs 8.1, 22-31
Colossians 1.15-20
John 1.1-14

The Collect: Almighty God, give us reverence for all creation and respect for every person, that we may mirror your likeness in Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Post Communion: God our creator, by your gift the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise, and the bread of life at the heart of your Church: may we who have been nourished at your table on earth be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

the Anglican Communion: for the Diocese of Maiduguri (Uganda), for Emmanuel Kana Mani, Bishop;

the Church of England: for the meeting of General Synod 10th -12th February in London;

our Diocese: for Nick, Diocesan Bishop, for Toby Howarth, Bishop of Bradford, for our diocesan representatives on General Synod;

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, Barry Houghton, Rosie Hargreaves, Theo Jowett, Angela, Francis & family, Chris Sutcliffe, David Harrison;

the departed: Leonard Hawkins, Dorothy Eastwood.

***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***

Diary

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

This week

Mon 9 th	9.00am	Inspection of church ceiling begins (continues until Thu)
	9.30am	PCC Standing Committee meeting (Parish Rooms)
	2.00pm	Bible study group (5 Beanlands Drive, Glusburn)
	7.30pm	Summer Fair planning meeting (Parish Rooms)
Tue 10 th	10.00am	Chuffs toddler group (Parish Rooms)
	1.00pm	Funeral of Leonard Hawkins (Skipton crematorium)
	7.30pm	Choir practice
Wed 11 th	9.30am	Holy Communion (Parish Rooms)
	10.15am	Not the Knot group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice
Sat 14 th	10.00am	Coffee Morning in aid of Jigsaw Kids Ministry (Parish Rooms)

... and beyond

Sun 15 th Feb	12 noon	CDFC Lent Hunger Lunch (St Andrew's Church, Cowling)
Wed 18 th Feb	ASH WEDNESDAY	
	9.30am	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes (St Peter's Methodist Church, Cross Hills)
Mon 23 rd Feb	Fairtrade Fortnight begins (until 8 th March)	
Mon 23 rd Feb	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Tue 24 th Feb	7.30pm	Deanery Synod (Keighley Shared Church)
Wed 25 th Feb	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course begins (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Mon 2 nd Mar	6.00pm	Kildwick School Governors meeting (School)
Fri 6 th Mar	7.30pm	Women's World Day of Prayer service (St Peter's Church)
Tue 10 th Mar	6.30pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms)
Sun 15 th Mar	Mothering Sunday	
Fri 20 th Mar	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sat 28 th Mar	6.30pm	<i>From Pharaoh to Freedom</i> musical (Holy Trinity, Cowling)
Sun 29 th Mar	Palm Sunday (Holy Week begins)	
	2.30pm	Messy Church
Sun 5 th Apr	EASTER DAY	
Sat 18 th Apr	9.30am	Margaret Barker seminar on 'The Revelation to John'
Sun 26 th Apr	11.10am	Annual Meeting of Parishioners and Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Next Sunday 15th February 2015

The Sunday next before Lent

8.15am	Holy Communion (Order 2)	Readings
10.00am	Parish Communion with prayer for healing	2 Kings 2.1-12 2 Corinthians 4.3-6 Mark 9.2-9

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WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

Summer Fair planning meeting, 7.30pm NEXT Monday 9th February in the Parish Rooms. If you are interested in being part of the planning group for this year's fair please come along to this meeting or contact Lesley Hudson, 523291. The planning group will include people from the Institute, the school and the church and will appoint a chairperson at the first meeting.

CMS/Jigsaw Kids Ministry Coffee Morning, 10.00am – 12 noon NEXT Saturday 14th February in the Parish Rooms. Come and help raise funds in support of the Jigsaw Kids Ministry Project in Manila. Admission free, donations accepted! Donations of raffle prizes and cakes gratefully received. If you can help please contact Christine Anderton, 633596, or Sandie Walton, 636501.

Ash Wednesday, 18th February. This is one of the Principal Feasts in the Church calendar. Everyone is encouraged to attend a service on this day. There will be services at 9.30am (in the Parish Rooms) and 7.30pm (at St Peter's Church, Cross Hills); both will include the imposition of ashes.

Palm Crosses for Ash Wednesday. The ash used on Ash Wednesday is made from last year's palm crosses; please bring your cross back to church and place it in the basket.

'The Revelation to John' Seminar with Margaret Barker, Saturday 18th April. We are looking forward to welcoming back Margaret Barker, Old Testament Scholar and teacher of what is known as Temple Theology, to Kildwick. Margaret will lead a seminar on Saturday exploring **The Revelation to John** and will also preach at the 10am Parish Communion on Sunday. More details to follow.

'Peace and Justice through Easter Eyes' with Graham Bettridge, Saturday 9th & Sunday 10th May. Due to low numbers able to book for the Rydal Hall weekend at this time, it has been decided to invite Graham Bettridge to lead a day on Saturday 9th May and to preach at the 10am service on Sunday 10th May. Enquiries are being made whether the Saturday can take place at Parcevall Hall. More information to follow.

Children's Society Collecting Boxes. Thank you to those who brought a Children's Society collecting box back last week. If you have a box at home which needs emptying please contact Lesley Hudson, 523291. If you would like to have a collecting box please contact Lesley.

Reordering of the central area of the church. The Registrar received four letters of objection to the faculty petition. The Registrar has written to each of the objectors to inform them they have until 14th February to decide whether to become a party opponent to the proceedings or if they wish to leave the chancellor to take their letter of objection into account in reaching a decision on the faculty petition. All the relevant documents pertaining to the application remain on display in the south aisle.

Church ceiling - plaster fall - an update. The PCC approved the quote from Building Conservation Solutions Ltd for the tactile inspection of the church ceiling. This will begin on Monday 9th February and is expected to take 3-4 days. The PCC will then consider the inspection report with any recommendations for the erection of debris netting. A longer term and permanent solution will also be necessary. The Sunday 10am service will continue to take place in the chancel until further notice. Please contact Robin if you have any questions about this.

WHAT'S ON ELSEWHERE...

CDFC Lent Hunger Lunch, 12 noon NEXT Sunday 15th February at St Andrew's Methodist Church, Cowling. All welcome.

CDFC Lent Course - Signs of Hope. This year's series of talks/discussions will look at faith and social justice and will be held each Wednesday in St Peter's Church, Cross Hills starting at 7.30pm and finishing by 9.00pm.

- 25th Feb **The Cinnamon Network** with Peter Smith, Cinnamon Network Ambassador for Yorkshire & the Humber.
- 4th March **Food Banks** with Lucy Irvin of Skipton Food Bank.
- 11th March **Christians Against Poverty** with Nick Smith, Head of Church Partnership, CAP.
- 18th March **Street Angels** with Eileen Appleby, Chairperson of Skipton Street Angels.
- 25th March **Methodist Homes for the Aged** with Ted Britton, MHA Chaplaincy Adviser.

Women's World Day of Prayer Service, 7.30pm Friday 6th March at St Peter's Methodist Church, Cross Hills. All are welcome to attend this service.

From Pharaoh to Freedom Musical, Saturday 28th March, Holy Trinity Church, Cowling. All are welcome to come and sing and perform this musical; rehearsals commence at 9.30am; cost for singers £7. A performance will be given at 6.30pm; tickets £3. See poster for more details or contact Maurice Hatton, 632611 or emaych@btinternet.com, or Denise Raby, 07578399211.

Inclusive Church Conference, 10.30am - 3.30pm Saturday 11th April at All Saints Church, Keighley. The theme of the day is 'Fully Inclusive?' With the National Coordinator, Bob Callaghan. More details from www.inclusive-church.org/events

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

The whole person is a person who is on the one side open to God, and on the other side open to other people. It has been said that there is no true person unless there are two entering into communication with one another. The isolated individual is not a real person. A real person is one who lives in and for others. And the more personal relationships we form with others, the more we truly realize ourselves as persons.

- **Kallistos Ware: *Ordinary Graces***

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A Prayer for Church Growth

God of Mission,
who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give Vision to our planning, Wisdom to our actions and Power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you and in service to our local community; through Jesus Christ our Lord.