

*Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 1<sup>st</sup> May 2016*

## The Sixth Sunday of Easter

A very warm welcome to our worship today.

If you are a visitor to the church please introduce yourself to the Vicar, to the Churchwarden or to one of the Welcomers after the service. 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)	<b>Readings</b> Acts 16.9-15 Revelation 21.10, 22 – 22.5 John 5.1-9
10.00am	Family Communion with Baptism	
6.00pm	Easter Service of Thanksgiving for Departed Family & Friends	

**The Collect:** Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father. AMEN.

**Post Communion:** God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. AMEN.

### WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

**the Anglican Communion:** for The Anglican Church of Kenya, for Eliud Wabukala, Primate & Archbishop of All Kenya;  
**our Diocese:** for Nick, Diocesan Bishop, for Toby, Bishop of Bradford;  
**the Cross Hills and District Fellowship of Churches:** for St John's United Church, for the Grief & Loss Support Group;  
**our parish:** for our work with young people, for the Chuffs group, for those who lead and all who attend, for Archie Daynes getting baptised today, for the PCC meeting on Friday;  
**the world Church & mission agencies:** for the Church Army;  
**our community:** for Kildwick Out of School Club, local parish counsel, Cross Hills Police Station, for those involved in interviews on 18<sup>th</sup> May for a new Key Stage 2 teacher at Kildwick School;  
**those in need:** Libba Utleay, Joan Houghton, Tyler Manley, John Hall;  
**the departed:** Marjorie Gee, Martin Gray.

**Please take this leaflet away with you so you can refer to the notices contained in it.  
Please also use it to prompt prayers for this parish and all we seek to do in God's service.**

*Please pass any items for inclusion to Robin Figg by 10am Friday*

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## Diary

*Morning Prayer will be said in church at 8.30am Tuesday to Wednesday & Friday*

### This week...

Tue 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.00am	Chuffs toddler group (Parish Rooms)
	1.30pm	Pilgrim group 'The Beatitudes' (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Choir practice (Parish Rooms)
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion with prayer for healing (Parish Rooms)
	10.15am	Not the Knot group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Pilgrim group 'The Beatitudes' (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice
Thu 5 <sup>th</sup>	ASCENSION DAY	
	7.30pm	Holy Communion
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	2.00pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms)
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	3.00pm	Visiting ringers from Halifax Archdeaconry Guild of Ringers

### ... and beyond

Tue 10 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30pm	Archdeacon's Visitation (Keighley Shared Church)
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> – Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Christian Aid Week	
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> May	DAY OF PENTECOST	
	10.00am	Parish Communion with prayer for renewal
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> May	All day	Interviews at Kildwick School for a new KS2 teacher
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30pm	Deanery Synod (Keighley Shared Church)
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> May	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30pm	<i>The Mystery of Everything</i> , Session 1 (Parish Rooms)
Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> May	9.30am	<i>The Mystery of Everything</i> Sessions 2-5 (Parish Rooms)
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> Jun	7.30pm	CDFC Annual Meeting (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Jun	1.30pm	Pilgrim group 'The Eucharist' begins (Parish Rooms)
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> Jun	7.30pm	Pilgrim group 'The Eucharist' begins (Parish Rooms)
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> Jun	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Various	Queen's 90 <sup>th</sup> birthday celebration
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup> Jun	6.00pm	Choral Evensong sung by The Epiphany Singers
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun	12 noon	Summer Fair
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> Jun	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> Jul	6.00pm	Kildwick School governors meeting (School)
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Jul	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> Jul	7.30pm	Concert by The Epiphany Singers
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul	7.00pm	Bradford Episcopal Area Forum meeting (Immanuel School)

*Next Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2016*

### The Seventh Sunday of Easter

<p>8.15am Holy Communion (Order 1)</p> <p>10.00am Parish Communion</p>	<p><b>Readings</b></p> <p>Acts 16.16-34</p> <p>Revelation 22.12-14, 16-17, 20-end</p> <p>John 17.20-end</p>
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## WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

**We welcome in the fellowship of faith** Archie Daynes being baptised today and we pray for him and for his parents and Godparents.

**Annual Church Meetings.** The results of the elections last Sunday were as follows:

**Churchwardens:** Lesley Hudson, Sandie Walton;

**Deanery Synod:** Chris Wright, *one vacancy*;

**PCC:** Tim Chapman, Sylvia Clark, Jill Wright, *three vacancies*.

**CDFC Council:** Christine Anderton, Glyn Evans.

*The following continue as PCC members:* Di Halliday, Sue Hargreaves, Shirley Hoskins, Kathryn Morris, Marie Stinson.

The vacancies can be filled at any time during the year by the PCC. Please prayerfully consider if you are being called to serve as a member of the PCC.

Thank you to Dorothy Reithermann and June Whitaker who stepped down as PCC members and to Kathryn Morris who stepped down as a Sidesperson.

**Easter Service of Commemoration and Thanksgiving for Departed Family and Friends, 6.00pm TODAY Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May.** All are welcome to this special service as we remember those we love but see no longer.

**Tea & Scones and open church, Sundays 2.30-4.30pm during the summer.**

We are again offering hospitality to visitors each Sunday afternoon in the Parish Rooms from TODAY Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May. Look out for the lists to sign to indicate when you would be willing to host tea & scones; please note that you don't have to provide the scones, they can be provided for you!

**Ascension Day Eucharist, 7.30pm NEXT Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May.** Book this special service in your diary. The preacher will be the Revd Helen Collings, Vicar of Sutton, Cowling & Lothersdale.

**Christian Aid Week, 15<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> May.** People will be invited to make a special donation at the Sunday services on 15<sup>th</sup> May or 22<sup>nd</sup> May

***The Mystery of Everything, Friday 27<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> May.*** As there are not enough people for a residential weekend at Parcevall Hall, the proposal is to follow the 5 session course ***The Mystery of Everything***, by meeting in the Parish Rooms on the Friday evening at 7.30pm for Session 1 and then for the day on the Saturday from 9.30am until 4.00pm for Sessions 2 – 5. Please sign the list if you are interested.

**Summer Fair, 12 noon - 3.00pm Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June.** Planning is well under way for this year's event, but we do need lots of offers of help; please complete the helpers' form to indicate how you can help. **We especially need people to offer to help on the day.** We also need prizes for the tombola, bottle stall, etc, as well as books and toys, as well as gazebos. Items can be delivered to the church or to the Parish Rooms; collection can be arranged. If you would like to be involved please complete a helpers' form or contact Lesley Hudson, 523291 or [churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk](mailto:churchwarden@kildwick.org.uk) or Katharine Calvert, [katharine.calvert@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:katharine.calvert@yahoo.co.uk).

**Collection of non perishable goods for Skipton Food Bank.** Please continue to be generous with your support; buy an extra item or two when you go shopping. Items should be placed in the box just inside the church entrance. (Note: tinned items only, please.)

**Weekly Notices by email.** If you do not presently receive a copy of the weekly notice sheet by email and would like to do so please send an email to [vicar@kildwick.org.uk](mailto:vicar@kildwick.org.uk)

**Lent collection in aid of WaterAid.** A total of £165 (including £24 gift aid) was raised from our collecting boxes. Thank you.

**Message from Joan Houghton.** 'Joan would like to thank you all for your prayers, for cards and messages received before and after my operation and for the lovely flowers and cards at Easter. I hope to be back with you all soon.'

**Churchyard boundary wall.** Two trees close to the dangerous section of the wall below the car park have been felled. Further work to make safe the wall at the south-east corner of the churchyard is expected to continue soon. During the period of work the bottom half of the car park will not be available.

### **WHAT'S ON ELSEWHERE...**

**Archdeacon's Visitation, 7.30pm Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May at Keighley Shared Church.** All are welcome to attend this service at which the Archdeacon of Bradford will deliver a charge to the clergy and churchwardens of the Episcopal Area of Bradford and admit churchwardens for the coming year into office. If you would like to attend to support Lesley and Sandie, our churchwardens, please sign the list.

**Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers for Kildwick School.** If you shop at Sainsbury's please ask for the Active Kids vouchers and bring them to church to be passed on to Kildwick School.

**The Europe debate.** *Reimagining Europe* is a blog hosted by the Church of England and the Church of Scotland. Its aim is to create a space for Christian reflection and debate on Britain's future relationship with Europe ahead of the referendum. Find out more at [www.reimaginingeurope.co.uk](http://www.reimaginingeurope.co.uk)

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

A community which has a sense of work done well, quietly and lovingly, humbly and without fuss, can become a community where the presence of God is profoundly lived.

— **Jean Vanier**, *Community and Growth*

We are all called to do, not extraordinary things, but very ordinary things, with an extraordinary love that flows from the heart of God.

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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.