

Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 3rd May 2015

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

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)	Readings
10.00am	Family Communion with baptism	Acts 8.26-end
6.00pm	Easter Service of Thanksgiving for Departed Family & Friends	1 John 4.7-end John 15.1-8

The Collect: Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father. AMEN.

Post Communion: Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. AMEN.

WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

the Anglican Communion: for the Diocese of Ngbo (Nigeria), for Christian Ebisike, Bishop;

our Diocese: for Nick, Diocesan Bishop, for Toby, Bishop of Bradford, for the human resource & safeguarding work, for all involved in safeguarding and child protection;

the Cross Hills and District Fellowship of Churches: for Farnhill Methodist Church, for the CDFC Council;

our parish: for our work with young people, for the Chuffs group, for those who lead and all who attend;

the world Church & mission agencies: for the Church Army;

our community: for Kildwick Out of School Club, Local Parish Councils, Cross Hills Police Station;

those in need: Tyler Manley, Barry Houghton, Christine Bloxham, Rosie Hargreaves, Francis & family, Kathy French, David Harrison, John Hall;

the departed:

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 8.30am Monday to Wednesday & Friday

This week...

Mon 4 th	2.00pm	Bible study group (5 Beanlands Drive)
Tue 5 th	10.00am	Chuffs toddler group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Choir practice (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Summer Fair planning meeting (Parish Rooms)
Wed 6 th	9.30am	Holy Communion with prayer for healing (Parish Rooms)
	10.15am	Not the Knot group (Parish Rooms)
	11.30am	Burial of cremated remains of Julie Kendrew
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice
Thu 7 th	7.30pm	Archdeacon's Visitation (All Saints Church, Horton)
Sat 9 th	9.30am	'Peace & Justice through Easter Eyes' with Graham Bettridge (Parcevall Hall)

... and beyond

Sun 10 th – Sat 16 th May		Christian Aid Week
Tue 12 th May	6.30pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms)
Thu 14 th May		ASCENSION DAY
	7.30pm	Holy Communion
Mon 18 th May	9.30am	Work commences to install debris netting in nave & chancel
Fri 22 nd May	9.30am	Churchyard tidy-up
Sat 23 rd May	9.30am	Churchyard tidy-up
Sun 24 th May		DAY OF PENTECOST
	10.00am	Parish Communion with prayer for renewal
Mon 25 th May	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Sun 31 st May		TRINITY SUNDAY
Mon 1 st Jun	7.30pm	Summer Fair planning meeting (Parish Rooms)
Tue 9 th Jun	7.30pm	CDFC Annual Meeting (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Wed 10 th Jun	7.30pm	Deanery Synod meeting (Wilsden)
Fri 12 th Jun	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sun 14 th Jun	2.30pm	Messy Church
Tue 16 th Jun	7.30pm	Summer Fair planning meeting (Parish Rooms)
Mon 22 nd Jun	7.00pm	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Sat 27 th Jun	11.00am	Summer Fair
Fri 10 th Jul	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sun 12 th Jul	3.00pm	CDFC Praise in the Park (Sutton Park)

Next Sunday 10th May 2015

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

8.15am	Holy Communion (Order 1)	Readings
10.00am	Parish Communion. Preacher: Canon Graham Bettridge	Acts 10.44-end 1 John 5.1-6 John 15.9-17

Vicar: The Revd Robin Figg, The Vicarage, Kildwick, Keighley BD20 9BB
Tel: (01535) 633307 email: vicar@kildwick.org.uk Day off: Thursday

WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

Special collection for the people of Nepal. If you haven't already made a donation please do so today in church. The money will go to Christian Aid to help their work with the people of Nepal. Give generously and gift aid if you can.

We welcome in the fellowship of faith Nicholas Law 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, *one vacancy*;

Deanery Synod: *two vacancies*;

PCC: Shirley Hoskins, Kathryn Morris, *three vacancies*.

CDFC Council: Christine Anderton.

The following continue as PCC members: Di Halliday, Sue Hargreaves, Dorothy Reithermann, Marie Stinson, Sandie Walton, June Whitaker.

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 David Baxter, Barry & Joan Houghton and Libba Utey who stepped down as Sidespersons.

Easter Service of Commemoration and Thanksgiving for Departed Family and Friends, 6.00pm TODAY Sunday 3rd May. Invitations cards are available for you to take and pass on to someone who might wish to come.

Tour de Yorkshire passing through Cross Hills and Kildwick, TODAY Sunday 3rd May. We begin our summer season with Tea & Scones served from 2.00pm in the Parish Rooms and on the church green; the church will also be open to visitors.

Tea & Scones and open church, Sundays 2.30-4.30pm during the summer. Please sign for the lists to sign to indicate when you would be willing to host tea & scones or be a welcomer in church.

'Peace and Justice through Easter Eyes' with Graham Bettridge, NEXT Saturday 9th May at Parcevall Hall. It is still possible to book in for our away day at Parcevall Hall from 9.30am until 4.00pm. Cost £12 including refreshments; bring & share lunch. Graham will also preach at the 10am Eucharist NEXT Sunday 10th May.

Christian Aid Week, 10th – 16th May. As in recent years, individual collecting envelopes will be given out at the Sunday services NEXT Sunday 10th May for those who wish to make a special donation. Please return these by Sunday 24th May.

Churchyards tidy-up, from 9.30am Friday 22nd & Saturday 23rd May. Come along and help make our churchyards ready for summer. More details to follow.

Church ceiling - an update. The debris netting will be installed in the nave and chancel It is intended that the work will be carried out during the week commencing 18th May.

Reordering of the central area of the church. The Chancellor has approved all parts of the proposed reordering scheme except the removal of the 8 rows of pews at the east end of the south aisle. We have asked our architect to prepare the tender document in order to seek quotes for the work. A copy of the Judgement is available to read in church; it can also be found on the church website.

Summer Fair, 11.00am - 2.00pm Saturday 27th 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 or Katharine Calvert, katharine.calvert@yahoo.co.uk. **The next planning meeting takes place NEXT Tuesday 5th May at 7.30pm in the Parish Rooms.**

Summer Fair Raffle Tickets. Raffle tickets are now ready to take away and sell. Please take as many as you can to sell to family, friends and neighbours.

WHAT'S ON ELSEWHERE...

50th Halifax Long March. Robin & Paul Figg successfully took part again in this fundraising event in support of Christian Aid. To date they have raised £250. They will be pleased to receive your sponsor money as soon as possible. Thank you for your generous support.

Archdeacon's Visitation, 7.30pm NEXT Thursday 7th May at All Saints Church, Horton. 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.

Family Ceilidh in aid of Martin House Hospice and Yorkshire Air Ambulance, 7.00pm Friday 15th May at Keighley RU Football Club. Organised by Soroptimist International of Keighley. Tickets £6 adult, £3 children, supper included. Tickets from Christine Anderton.

Mind Your Head, Day exploring mental health in the church, 10.30am – 4.00pm Saturday 16th May at St Peter's Church, Shipley. Morning: drama & discussion; Afternoon: workshops on mental health, with young people, listening skills, mental health in my church. See poster for more details or contact steve.grasham@westyorkshiredales.anglican.org or 650535.

Fast Forward: An event for Year 6 children moving to Secondary School, Monday 15th June at St Peter's Church, Cross Hills. Fast Forward is a fast moving multi-media presentation lasting 1½ hours and is run by CLiKS (Christian Links in Keighley Schools). Helpers are needed at the event, either as part of the team or in a support role. To express interest or for more information contact Alison Way, CLiKS Schools Worker, 07806 869569 or info@cliks.org.uk

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

The more you know yourself, the more patience you have  
for what you see in others. - **Erik Erikson**

