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See also our Facebook pages Denholme Shared Church or Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth, Denholme Benefice http:www.denholmechurch.org.uk
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Donations or Regular Giving - a plate is provided for donations or envelopes during our services. You can also send your gift to Denholme Shared Church Sort Code 30-63-55 account number 56734560 but please include your name as a reference or we will be unable to thank you. Cheques can be sent to the treasurer c/o Denholme Shared Church, Keighley Road, Denholme BD13 4JT. If you prefer you can make a donation on our 'Just Giving' Page, scan the QR code for a link to https://givealittle.co/c/5vzZ0GoctFGbN4R0fcu5Z3

DENHOLME SHARED CHURCH



Sunday 28th April 2024 Three traditions - One Faith



Loving God - Following Jesus - Serving Community



Service of Holy Communion 10.30am Rev Alison Young Readings: Acts 8:26-end John 15:1-8

Midweek Services on Wednesday

10.00am BCP Eucharist at Cullingworth 10.00am Eucharist at Wilsden 2.30pm Personal Prayer at Harden

Midweek Services daily on Facebook

8am Morning Prayer, 5pm Evening Prayer, 9pm Night Prayer Join in or catch up later

150 days of Psalms through Lent and Easter

Richard will be reading through the Psalms every day until Sunday 19 May Pentecost. Watch on the Benefice You Tube Channel "Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth, Denholme Benefice" or Facebook There is easy access to Facebook and You Tube on the church website

What's Happening This Week

Monday 7.00pm - SCC meeting Thursday 7.00-8.45pm - Denholme Voices Friday 9.15-11.00am - Little Stars

Prayers for this Week

- Pray for our Benefice Leadership Team, both ministry and lay;
- Pray for those suffering in Gaza, and that political leaders may find a way to bring peace and stability to the region. Pray also for Ukraine as the war continues to cause hardship and loss of life;
- Pray for the local community, especially those who are coming new to our village;
- Pray for the natural world, for care for the countryside and a real reduction in waste and pollution;
- Pray for those who are struggling with their health, physical or mental;
- Pray for those recently bereaved and those facing painful anniversaries.

Annual Meetings - Electoral Roll - the revision of the St. Paul's Electoral Roll has now commenced. If you would like your name added to the roll, please ask Margaret Spencer for the appropriate form and ensure that it is returned to her, by Sunday 5th May when the period of revision will end. A list of those on the current roll is displayed on the notice board in the meeting room. The membership roll of the Denholme Shared Church LEP is also displayed, if you would like to know more about becoming a member, please see Judith.

Funeral Jennifer Shackleton - the funeral service for Jennifer will be on Friday 10th May at 12.30pm. The service will be followed by burial in the graveyard, and then refreshments in the Meeting Room. Is here anyone who could help with the provision of tea/coffee on the day? If so please see Judith.

Plants Eco Garden - thanks to Rob, the garden has had a tidy after the winter months. He is still looking for plants, do you have any at home you can share? Could you donate towards the cost of the purchase of plants, if so please see Rob.

Next Week Sunday 5 May Morning Worship Chris Wilcock



Well Being Café - The next gathering of the Well Being Café will be at St Matthew's in Wilsden next Tuesday 30 April at 2pm until 3.30pm. It is a great place if you are beginning to struggle with memory, if you have dementia or are caring for

someone who has, or if you would just like some company on a Tuesday afternoon! It's a very friendly afternoon! Come along and join in!

Annual Meeting Sunday 19th May after worship - please try and stay behind for the meeting. It's a time when we can look back over the last year, and thank those who have served in the various roles. At the meeting we will be electing people to both the PCC and Shared Church Council, and there will be nomination forms in the church from next Sunday. It is becoming difficult to fill all the various positions, so please can you prayerfully consider if there is anything you could offer to do.

Rev Suzy McCarter - on the 16 June at 3.00pm Rev Suzy will be licensed as the new Vicar of Sutton with Cowling & Lothersdale. If you would like to attend the service can you let Helen Ludkin know.



Wilsden Village Lego Club Saturday 4 May 1pm at St Matthew's Church - it's always great to see different generations enjoying the Lego! And there is a wonderful community café with amazing cakes. Even if you don't want to get stuck into the Lego, do come and enjoy the

cakes, tea and coffee!

Making Disciples Day 18 May 10.00-3.30pm Longcauseway Church, Dewsbury - led by Andrew Roberts author of Holy Habits, and Linda Rayner, URC Co-ordinator of Fresh Expressions. More details about the event from Judith.



Donations for tea/coffee - the charity for May Christian Aid /Denholme Community Gardens