

## Denholme Shared Church

A partnership between the Baptist Church,  
the Church of England and the  
United Reformed Church

***Three traditions One Faith***



### Newsletter for Easter Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026

**Sonrise Service at 6.30 am with Holy  
Communion followed by bacon butties  
Morning Worship at 10.30 am  
with Chris Wilcock**



Midweek Services on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April  
10.00am BCP Eucharist at Cullingworth  
2.30pm Prayer and Cake at Harden



The next meeting of the Prayer House group will be held at the Vicarage in Cullingworth on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm.

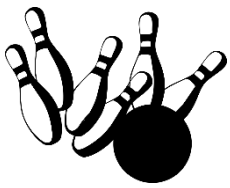
*The Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 3rd May following worship. The revision of St Paul's Electoral Roll will commence on the 30th March and close on the 17th April. If you would like to be added to the roll please ask Margaret Spencer, the electoral roll officer, for an application form.*

*We also have a membership roll for Denholme Shared Church, if you would like to know more about this please speak to Judith Drake. A list of both these rolls is displayed on the notice board in the meeting room.*

**Quote of the week:** "Our Lord has written the promise of resurrection, not in books alone, but in every leaf in springtime." – Martin Luther

## **DONATIONS FOR REFRESHMENTS**

Donations for refreshments are forwarded to a chosen charity each month. This month we're supporting



Men's Group Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April – Tenpin bowling at Shipley Bowling.

Please contact Robert Priestley if interested

[Louiseandrobert22@gmail.com](mailto:Louiseandrobert22@gmail.com)

We were awarded the Eco Church Silver Award last year and, as you may know, we're now working towards the Gold Award.

We all have a role in this, not just within the church building, but in our homes and leisure activities as well.

This month we're thinking about conserving water and here are some helpful reminders of how we can all play a part.



- Don't leave the tap running when brushing teeth;
- Only put full loads of washing in the washing machine;
- Place a water saver in the toilet cistern e.g. a one pint or one litre milk carton full of water in the cistern is a good method;
- Use the shower instead of the bath.

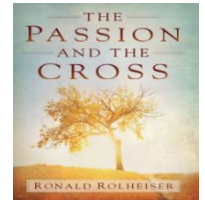
Together we can achieve!

The Zoom Lent study group will meet to discuss chapter 5 of Ronald Rolheiser's 'The Passion and The Cross' on Tuesday, 21 April at 7 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87528143685?pwd=bThgNLYik2Dn4Qj7mJSGYjVSZO8dEM.1>

Meeting ID: 875 2814 3685 Passcode: bQ5xex



### **Advance Notice ...**

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 10.30am.

Plant sale at Denholme Shared Church

### **Hewenden Benefice Daily Prayers**

Can be found on the [Benefice Facebook Page](https://www.facebook.com/hwcdbenefice)

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8 am Morning Prayer and 9 pm Night Prayer



This Easter please remember ...

- Our ministry team, both ordained and lay;
- for the appointment of a new Team Rector and those on the interview panel;
- our Christian brothers and sisters in the Holy Land and all areas who are caught up in war zones and conflict;
- that at a this holy time of year we may be true disciples of the Risen Christ;
- those who have lost, or struggling with their faith that they may be Strengthened;
- that friends and family may experience the true blessing of Easter;
- the bereaved and those facing painful anniversaries.

**THANK YOU!** Denholme Shared Church is hugely grateful to all those who continue to support the Church financially. However, if you find that you have a little extra income and would be able to increase your giving at this time, it would help our financial situation enormously. You can donate or set up regular giving by sending your gift to Denholme Shared Church Sort Code 30-63-55, account number 56734560. Please include your name as a reference, so we can thank you. Cheques can be sent to the Treasurer c/o Denholme Shared Church. Alternatively, you can scan this code to donate through Give a Little.



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The Church is also part of the Benefice of Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth and Denholme

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(Days off: Alison - Thursday; Liz – Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday)

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