



**Parishes of St. Saviour's Harden and St. Matthew's Wilsden
IN THE BENEFICE OF
HARDEN AND WILSDEN, CULLINGWORTH AND DENHOLME**

Newsletter for 22 May 2022
The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Services today

- 9.30am Morning Worship at St Matthew's, Wilsden
- 9.30am Holy Communion at St John's, Cullingworth
- 10.30am Sunday Service at Denholme Shared Church
- 11.00am Café Church with Holy Communion at St Matthew's, Wilsden
- 11.15am Morning Worship at St Saviour's, Harden
- 6.00pm Eucharist at St Matthew's Wilsden
- 6.00pm BCP at St John's Cullingworth

NEXT SUNDAY 29 MAY

UNITED BENEFICE SERVICE

10.30am at St Matthew's, Wilsden

We welcome Bethan Stevens from Compassion UK



Services next week on Wednesday 25 May

- 10.00am BCP Communion at Cullingworth
- 2.30pm Prayer and Cake at Harden

St Saviour's Luncheon Club

The Lunch Club is each Thursday in St Saviour's Family Room.
Just £4 for a fantastic two course meal with a good chance for a chat.
Anyone over 50 is welcome to come along!

St Matthew's Children's Society boxes Jenny Reynolds will be collecting your boxes from church on Sunday June 12th. Please leave them at the back of church by then.

April 100 club draw winners were:

No. 42 Margaret Harrison £25 No. 48 Joan Brown £10



Chatterbox Preschool Mums' & Tots' Group

Tuesday mornings from 9.15am in the Family Room at St Saviour's Church, Harden. Contact Anna or Helen for more information.

Men's Group Evening Walk

Wednesday 8th June 2022

Meet outside The George in Cullingworth (6.15 -6.30pm) and depart at 6.30pm heading for the Hewenden Viaduct, returning to the pub at around 7.30 pm for drinks and food and catch up with news and possibly plan further events. New ideas would be very welcome. Please let Robert (07758 193260) know as soon as possible if you would like to attend.



Anna's Priesting

**Anna is to be ordained Priest in Bradford Cathedral
on Saturday 25 June at 3pm**

Everyone is welcome to come along!

On Sunday 26 June

there will be a United Benefice Service
when Anna will celebrate Communion for the first time

10.30am at St John's, Cullingworth

Followed by a Bring and Share lunch



CHOIR CONCERT

Anna's Choir, The Bluebird Singers

Will be giving a concert in St Saviour's Church, Harden

On Saturday 12 June at 7.30pm



ASCENSION DAY SERVICE

THURSDAY 26 MAY

7.30pm at St Saviour's, Harden

Come to celebrate Christ's Ascension into Heaven!

Could you help?

We are considering starting a Messy Church at St Saviour's, running once a month from September. We would need people to come and welcome families, to help in the kitchen and to help clear up. If you might be willing to volunteer or would like to volunteer someone else then please contact Richard

UKRAINE COFFEE MORNING

Saturday 28 May

10.30am to 12noon

St Matthew's Church, Wilsden

Especially inviting any Ukrainian families in these communities and their hosts.



CHURCH FINANCE

We are grateful for all donations to support the ministry of our churches.

Donations or regular giving may be done by sending your gift to:

Account name	Sort Code	Account Number
St Saviour's Church Harden PCC	05-02-42	32488873
Parish of St Matthews, Wilsden	40-23-05	42128918

Please include your name as a reference or we will be unable to thank you.

Prayer Chains

St. Saviour's: June Thompson 273787 (Reserve is Hazel 274234)

St. Matthew's: Margaret Harrison 272305.

Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 22 May

Because of print deadlines this prayer diary cannot respond quickly to breaking news. In addition to the suggested topics, please keep in prayer national and international events as you learn of them.

Sunday 22 May	Pray for the people of Ukraine and for families of all who have died or are missing in this conflict.
Monday 23 May	Pray for the pastor and CMS partner in Romania, and his church, as they work to help refugees from Ukraine with shelter, food and clothing.
Tuesday 24 May	Pray for helpers, carers and children at Chatterbox today.
Wednesday 25 May	The Leprosy Mission ask for prayer this week for research workers looking for new treatments.
Thursday 26 May	Ascension Day. Pray for those who share in worship at St Saviour's this evening and for the work of Churches Together sharing and spreading the Gospel throughout our villages.
Friday 27 May	Pray for all at Craft and Chat at St Matthew's this afternoon.
Saturday 28 May	Pray for those whose health and confidence have been so damaged over the last two years that they are not yet able to return to former activities.

Contributions for the next newsletter to Pauline: 01535 273814 pstern155@gmail.com
(copy to David Haigh: david@dshaigh.uk and Helen Ludkin)

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Note we can only mention people, by name, in the newsletter with their consent.

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Clergy Days Off: Alison: Monday & Tuesday
Liz: Monday & Thursday

Anna: Saturday
Richard: Saturday