

Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning 29th January 2012
The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

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 the Churchwarden 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)
 10.00am Family Communion with
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Readings
 Malachi 3.1-5
 Hebrews 2.14-18
 Luke 2.22-40

The Collect: Lord Jesus Christ, light of the nations and glory of Israel: make your home among us, and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father, your God, and our God. AMEN.

Post Communion: Lord, you fulfilled the hope of Simeon and Anna, who lived to welcome the Messiah: may we, who have received these gifts beyond words, prepare to meet Christ Jesus when he comes to bring us to eternal life; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. AMEN.

WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR...

the Anglican Communion: for the Diocese of Antananarivo (Indian Ocean), for Samoela Jaona Ranarivelo, Bishop, for the Diocese of Tulear (Indian Ocean), for Todd MacGregor, Bishop;
our Diocese: for Nick our bishop, for our diocesan representatives on General Synod, Bishop Nick, Paul Ayres, Ian Fletcher, Malcolm Halliday, Zahida Mallard, Sam Randall & Ruth Yeoman and David Ison representing the Deans of the Northern Province;
the Cross Hills and District Fellowship of Churches: for St Peter's Methodist Church and St Joseph's RC Church;
our parish: for Lesley Hudson, Churchwarden, for members of the PCC;
the world Church & mission agencies: for Tim & Kate Lee in the UK and the Jigsaw Kids Ministry Project in Manila, Philippines, for the Church Mission Society (CMS);
our community: for Airedale Hospital, for Manorlands Hospice, for the chaplains, staff and patients;
those in need: baby Enid, Julie Kendrew, Joseph Waring, Chris Sutcliffe, David Baxter, Marian Baxter, Joan Hudson, Margaret Lund, Lorraine Plunkett, Kieren Leake;
the departed: Patrick Anderson, Blanche Gormley.

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 7.30am Tuesday to Friday

This week

Mon 30 th	2.00pm	Bible Study group (5 Beanlands Drive, Glusburn)
Tue 31 st	9.00am	Derig Christmas tree and Christmas crib
	10.00am	Chuffs Toddler group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Choir practice (Parish Rooms)
Wed 1 st	9.30am	Holy Communion with prayer for healing (Parish Rooms)
	10.15am	Not the Knot! group (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	<i>The Jesus Driven Life</i> course (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice
Fri 3 rd	10.45am	Funeral of Blanche Gormley
	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church

... and beyond

Tue 7 th Feb	7.30pm	CDFC Council meeting (The Manse, Glusburn)
Sat 11 th Feb	10.00am	CMS/Jigsaw Fundraising Coffee Morning (Parish Rooms)
Wed 15 th Feb	7.30pm	<i>The Jesus Driven Life</i> course (Parish Rooms)
Fri 17 th Feb	10.00am	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Tue 21 st Feb	7.30pm	Deanery Synod meeting (St James, Silsden)
Wed 22 nd Feb	ASH WEDNESDAY	
	9.30am	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes (Parish Rooms)
	7.30pm	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes (St Thomas' Church, Sutton)
Wed 29 th Feb	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course begins (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Fri 2 nd Mar	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Fr 2 nd Mar	7.30pm	Women's World Day of Prayer service (Cowling)
Wed 7 th Mar	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Wed 14 th Mar	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Fri 16 th Mar	10.00am	Prayers for the Parish & World Church (Parish Rooms)
Sun 18 th Mar	Mothering Sunday	
Tue 20 th Mar	6.30pm	PCC meeting (Parish Rooms)
Wed 21 st Mar	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Wed 28 th Mar	7.30pm	CDFC Lent Course (St Peter's Church, Cross Hills)
Fri 30 th Mar	2.45pm	Kildwick School collective worship in church
Sun 1 st Apr	PALM SUNDAY	
Sun 8 th Apr	EASTER DAY	

Next Sunday 5th February 2012

The Third Sunday before Lent

8.15am Holy Communion (Order 2) 10.00am Family Communion with Baptism	Readings Isaiah 40.21-end 1 Corinthians 9.16-23 Mark 1.29-39
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WHAT'S ON IN THIS PARISH...

Epiphany. We conclude our celebration of the season of Epiphany TODAY Sunday 29th January when we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas).

Children's Society Collecting Boxes. The collection at the Family Communion Service TODAY Sunday 29th January will be for the Children's Society. If you have a Children's Society collecting box at home which needs emptying please bring it to church by Sunday 12th February or contact Lesley Hudson, 523291.

CMS/Jigsaw Project Fundraising Coffee Morning, 10.00am – 12 noon Saturday 11th February in the Parish Rooms. Come and help raise funds in support of Tim & Kate Lee, our CMS Mission Partners, and the Jigsaw Kids Ministry Project in Manila. Admission free, donations accepted! For more information contact Sue Hargreaves, 633777.

Christmas Services Collections. The Midnight Eucharist and Christmas Day collections totalled £861.77 (including £104.93 gift aid) to be shared between St George's Crypt and Barnardo's Children Charity. The Crib Service collection totalled £171.42 (including £24.40 gift aid) for The Children's Society.

Parish Weekend Away 18th – 20th May 2012. The weekend will take place at Rydal Hall in Cumbria. The theme will be "The Jesus Driven Life: Reconnecting Humanity with Jesus" and the speaker will be Michael Hardin, the author of the book *The Jesus Driven Life*. The cost will be £141 per adult. Pick up a leaflet or contact Robin, 633307, if you are interested.

Stamps. Don't forget to save your stamps for the Mission to Seafarers charity. They can be left in the box by the church door. Postcards are also collected.

New Daylight Bible Reading Notes. The January–April issue of the Bible Reading Fellowship daily notes is now available. If you don't use such notes yet why not give them a try. Excellent value at only £3.90.

Church Heating. The heating is being put on each week to warm the church for the 10am Eucharist. The cost each week is approximately £85. If anyone would like to make a special donation to the church to assist with this costs this would be most gratefully received. Don't forget that donations to the church can be gift aided increasing the value to the church by 25p for every £1 given.



WHAT'S ON ELSEWHERE...

Sung Eucharist for Candlemas at Christ Church, Skipton, 7.30pm NEXT Thursday 2nd February. Our friends at Christ Church invite us to join them for this service. Please let Robin know if you are interested in going so we can share transport.

Choral Evensong for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, 4.00pm NEXT Sunday 5th February at Keighley Shared Church. To include the coronation anthem 'Zadok the Priest'. Preacher: Canon Malcolm Grundy. Service following by refreshments.

Choral Evensong for Candlemas, 6.00pm NEXT Sunday 5th February at the Community of the Resurrection, Mirfield. The Community church has been reordered and friends of the Community are invited enjoy a sung evensong in the 'new' space, followed by a wine and cheese celebration, followed by an evening of music in the church - this will include the new organ, a string quartet, a brass ensemble and singing 'reminiscent of the Last Night of the Proms'. Please let Robin know if you are interested in going so we can share transport.

Women's World Day of Prayer Service, 7.30pm Friday 2nd March at St Andrew's Methodist Church, Cowling. Both men and women are welcome at this service. For more details or if you would like to take part please contact Brenda Brock, 633938 or Judith Bousfield, 636326 (between 31st January and 15th February).

Will Ford running the Bath Half-Marathon in aid of Sue Ryder, 11th March. If you would like to sponsor Will please complete the sponsor form in church or go to <http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/will-ford>

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### **A Prayer for The Children's Society**

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your disciples, 'You are the light of the world':  
grant that The Children's Society may bring light, hope and happiness to children, young people, and families who face particular darkness or need; help all staff members and volunteers to be inspired by your understanding and strengthened by your grace, that the care they give may be both a special support and a sign of your kingdom, where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God now and for ever.

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Sayings from the week and wisdom from the tradition

The good news of the resurrection of Jesus is not that we shall die and go home to be with him, but that he has risen and comes home with us, bringing all his hungry, naked, thirsty, sick prisoner [brothers and sisters] with him.

- *Clarence Jordan*