



**Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning Sunday 9th December 2018**  
***2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent Sunday***

A very warm welcome to our worship today. Do please introduce yourself!  
 A hearing aid loop is fitted at St Andrew's, St Mary's & St. John's.  
 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 God's people.

9.30 a.m. St.Andrew's Kildwick	<b>Reading</b> Malach 3. 1-4
11.00 a.m. St.John's Cononley	Luke 3. 1-6

Our Interim Priest in Charge is Revd Julie Bacon  
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**What's On in our Parishes: This week...**

Sun 9th Dec	4.00 p.m.	CDFC Christmas in Park	Sutton
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	7.00 p.m	PCC Social	Slater's Arms
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m 7.15 p.m.	Chuffs Standing Committee Mtg Choir Practice	Parish Rooms Jill Wright's Home Parish Rooms
Wednesday 12th Dec	9.30 am. 10.15 a.m.	Mid-Week Eucharist Knotheknot stitching group	St. Andrew's Parish Rooms
Thursday 13th Dec	3.30 p.m. 2.00 p.m. 6.00 p.m. 7.30 p.m.	Mini Ringers Club Reception & KS1 Nativity Reception & KS1 Nativity Bell Ringing Practice	St. Andrew's Church Kildwick

## **And beyond.....**

Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2.30 p.m.	Messy Christmas	St. Andrew's Kildwick
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	6.00 p.m	School KS2 Carol Service	St. Andrew's Kildwick
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2.00 p.m	School Christingle Service	St. Andrew's Kildwick

## **St. Andrew's Kildwick.**

### **Please pray for those in need:**

Tyler Manley, Michael Baxter, Jill Isbeque, Peter McNeill, Doris Stewart.

**Gluten Free** Communion Wafers are now available. Please speak to one of the Welcomers if you require one of these.

**Bible Study & Fellowship Group** – The group will meet on Tuesday 18th December at 2.0 p.m. in the home of Sue Hargreaves in Sutton. Please let Sue know if you are going to join the group.

**Chocolate Advent Calendar £ 3.99 each.** We will be giving to our young children, Chuffs and Mini-Ringers, an Advent Calendar and would be very grateful for any donations towards the cost of these calendars. There is a basket at the back of the church for donations or see Lesley Hudson.

## **ST. JOHN'S CONONLY**

### **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December**

9:30am Holy Communion

2:30pm - Carol service – words and music with the Cononley Singers. Everyone welcome.

### **Sunday 23rd December**

4pm - Christingle Celebration - a family service. All children receive a Christingle. No need to book, just come along and enjoy.

**Christmas Eve** 11:15pm - Midnight service Holy Communion

**Christmas Day** 11am – Holy Communion

**Sunday 30th December** – 10am Joint service at St. Mary's Bradley.

### **Disability Representative**

At present, St. John's does not have a Disability Representative. If this is something which you think you would like to do, please speak with Reverend Julie Bacon. In addition, there is some training available which is in the KCB section of the main notice sheet.

## KCB

The 2019 introduction to Theology course will be running from January to April at each of the four School of Ministry Hubs. The course will be taught on weekday evenings for 12 weeks in the Leeds (Wed) Bradford (Wed) and Ripon (Tues) areas. The Mirfield Hub will be on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month for the day. The course is aimed at those wondering what theology means and how to study it. Please contact Charlie Scott, Ministry & Mission Administrator on 0113 3530 238 if you are interested.

**Leading Intercessions** event to be held at Denholme Shared Church, Keighley Rd, Denholme on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2018, 7.15 – 9.00 p.m. For those who would be grateful for a Refresher on tis and any who might be thinking of taking up the challenge and want to see what it involves.

**The Bible in a Day** – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2019 10.0 a.m.-4.0 p.m. St. Margaret's Parish Hall, Queens Rd, Ilkley. This day is for all who want to get the big picture of the bible, following the storyline from Genesis through to Revelation. Contact <https://learning.leeds.anglican.org/course/bible-in-a-day/>

**CDFC Christmas in the Park Sunday today at 4.00 p.m.** Please come along and support this event. Mince Pies and Mulled Wine will be served at the Baptist Church.

**Disability Representative Training** – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2019, Christ Church, 37 Church Street, Moldgreen, Huddesfield HD5 9EA. 10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. Phone 0113 3530238 or contact [charlie.scott@leeds.anglican.org](mailto:charlie.scott@leeds.anglican.org). Every Parish is encouraged to have a disability rep. This training outlines the role of the disability rep and explains the support and information available. For existing reps and those considering the role. Refreshments will be provided but please bring a packed lunch with you.

## Readings

### First Reading – Malach 3. V1-4

See, I am sending my messenger to prepare the way before me, and the Lord whom you seek will suddenly come to his temple. The messenger of the covenant in whom you delight—indeed, he is coming, says the Lord of hosts. But who can endure the day of his coming, and who can stand when he appears?

For he is like a refiner's fire and like fullers' soap; he will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver, and he will purify the descendants of Levi and refine them like gold and silver, until they present offerings to the Lord in righteousness. Then the offering of Judah and Jerusalem will be pleasing to the Lord as in the days of old and as in former years.

## ***Gospel Reading – Luke 3.1-6***

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, during the high-priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah,

‘The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:

“Prepare the way of the Lord,  
make his paths straight.

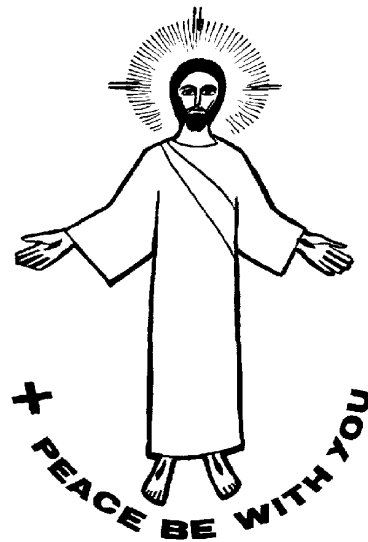
Every valley shall be filled,

and every mountain and hill shall be made low,

and the crooked shall be made straight,

and the rough ways made smooth;

and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.” ’



### **Sunday 16th December**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

9.30 a.m. St. John's Cononley

Philippians 4. 4-7

11.00 a.m. St. Mary's Bradley

Luke 3. 7-18

Take this leaflet away with you so you can refer to the notices contained in it. Please also use it to prompt prayers for this parish and all we do in God's service. Pass any items for inclusion to Sandie Walton on 01535 636501 by Thursday.