

The Parishes of St Andrew Kildwick and St. John Cononley with St Mary Bradley



Weekly notice sheet for the week beginning Sunday 3rd February 2019 **CANDLEMAS**

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.

	Readings
9.30 a.m. St. Mary's Bradley	Isaiah 5. 1-7
11.00 a.m. St. Andrew's Kildwick	Matthew 21. 33-46

Our Interim Priest in Charge is Revd Julie Bacon Contact her on 01274 405170 or at revjulesbacon@gmail.com

What's On in our Parishes: This week...

Tuesday 5 th Feb	10.00 a.m.	Chuffs	Kildwick Parish Room
	7.15 p.m.	Choir Practice	Kildwick Parish Room
Wed 6 th Feb	9.30 a.m.	Midweek Eucharist	Kildwick Parish
	10.15 a.m.	KnottheKnot Group	Rooms.
Thursday 7 th Feb	3.30 p.m.	MiniRingers Club	Kildwick Tower or
			Parish Rooms
	7.30 p.m.	Bell Ringing Practice	Kildwick Tower
Friday 8 th Feb	2.45 p.m.	Kildwick School Collective	St. Andrew's Church
		Worship	

Please pray for those in need:

Peter McNeill, The Barrett Family, Doris Stewart, Michael Baxter, Tyler Manley, John Hall.

The Departed

Isobel. A friend of Lesley Hudson.

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

Dismantling of Christmas Tree TODAY after this morning's service. Please stay if you can and help.

Kildwick School Collective Worship - Fri 8th Feb 2.45 p.m. St. Andrew's Church **CMS/Jigsaw Coffee Morning** – Saturday 9th February 10.30 a.m. – 12 p.m. in the Parish Rooms. There will be a cake stall and Raffle. Please let Sue Hargreaves or Christine Anderton know if you willing to provide cakes or a raffle prize.

Please remember to bring any toiletries for Jigsaw a.s.a.p. and put them in the box in church. Tim will be visiting us the week-end of the 9th February and will take any donations back with him.

Forthcoming Lay Training Courses in Bradford Episcopal Area - January to March 2019

The following courses are being offered across the Bradford Episcopal Area from January to April 2019:

Sharing Faith Naturally – Wednesday February 13th (7.15-9pm) St. John's Clayton Parish room. The Avenue. Clayton BD14 6RL.A chance to build confidence in talking to family, friends and neighbours about faith

Lay Eucharistic Ministry – Saturday February 23rd (9.30am – 12pm) Bradford Cathedral, Stott Hill, Bradford BD1 4EH. For those with permission to assist with communion.

Pastoral Conversations [Level 1] – Wednesday March 13th – (2.00-4.00pm) St. Andrew's Parish Rooms, Kirkgate, Kildwick. BD20 9BB. A 2 hour introduction to Pastoral Care.

Readings First Reading – Isaiah 5.1-7

Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill.

² He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watch-tower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes.

And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard.
 What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it?
 When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes?

And now I will tell you
 what I will do to my vineyard.
 I will remove its hedge,
 and it shall be devoured;
 I will break down its wall,
 and it shall be trampled down.
 I will make it a waste;
 it shall not be pruned or hoed,
 and it shall be overgrown with briers and thorns;
 I will also command the clouds
 that they rain no rain upon it.

⁷ For the vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his pleasant planting; he expected justice, but saw bloodshed; righteousness, but heard a cry!

Gospel Reading - Matthew 20. 1-16

'Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watch-tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to

them, saying, "They will respect my son." But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, "This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance." So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They said to him, 'He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time.'

Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures:

"The stone that the builders rejected

has become the cornerstone;

this was the Lord's doing,

and it is amazing in our eyes"?

Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls.' When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.



Sunday 10th February

4th Sunday Before Lent Readings

9.30 a.m. St. Andrew's Kildwick 11.00 a.m. St. John's Cononley

1 Corinthians 15. 1-11 Luke 5. 1-11

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.