

PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST CULLINGWORTH IN THE HEWENDEN
TEAM MINISTRY
PEW NOTICES FOR THE WEEK 19th March 2017
The Third Sunday of Lent

Purple

10.00 Holy Communion

Revd Suzy McCarter

HYMNS

205 Glorious things of thee are spoken
32 And can it be that I should gain
252 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer
45 As the deer pants for the water
565 Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven

COLLECT

God for whom we watch and wait, you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son: give us courage to speak the truth, to hunger for justice, and to suffer for the cause of right, with Jesus Christ our Lord.

READINGS

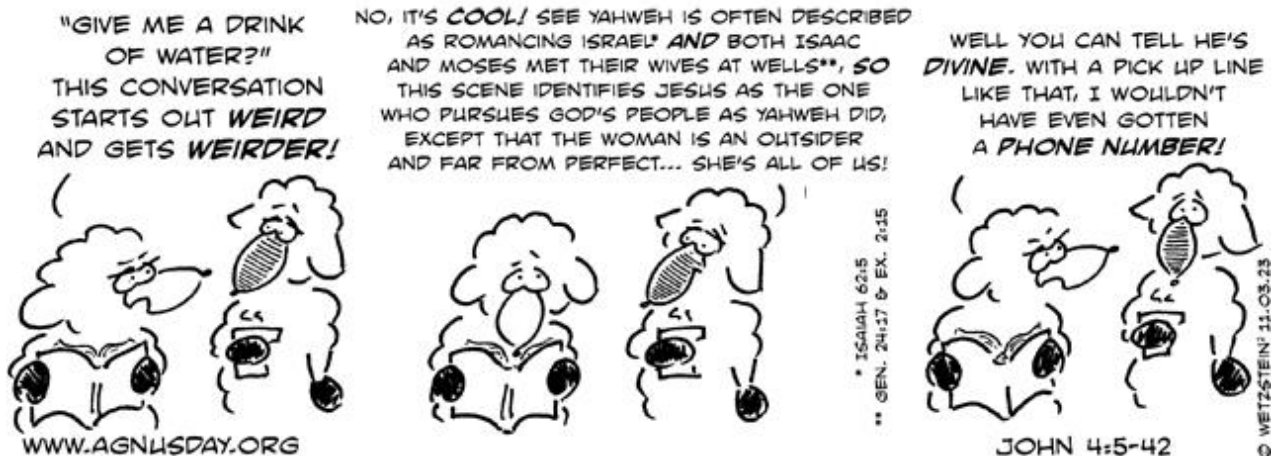
Romans 5 v 1 to 11

John 4 v 5 to 42

(Exodus 17 v 1 to 7 and Psalm 95)

POST COMMUNION

We give you thanks, O Lord, for these heavenly gifts; kindle in us the fire of your Spirit that when your Christ comes again we may shine as lights before his face; who is alive and reigns now and for ever.



FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- Bishop Nick, our area bishop Toby, Archdeacon Andy and the local clergy and their families; Bob Evans, Suzy McCarter, Liz Moy, Ian Slater and Mavis Neville. Our Reader, wardens and our PCC.
- For healing: Sandra Pattinson recovering from a hip operation, Kathleen Sweeney recovering from a cataract operation, Andrew Evans now at home, James Scantlebury now back at home, Revd Christine White and Pam Wright
- Members of St John's, who are unable to attend, Jane Saboula, Marie Bromley, Myra Simmonds and Richard Henry, who is now in Sheltered accommodation.
- For the family and friends of Rita Baxter whose funeral was held in Church on Thursday
- Emily Katherine Hobson who is to be christened on Sunday, her parents, Godparents and Great Grandfather Alan Feather
- For Margaret Healey and Jill and Paul Britton

- For our Junior Christian Clubs in Cullingworth, Harden and Denholme
- For newcomers to Cullingworth and that our church may find ways of making our presence and message known.

As we continue our street prayer project working our way around the village. Suzy intends to walk the street and actively pray for the residents. We invite you to walk and pray for this street along with their residents.

The street for this week is Curtis Court.

COMING EVENTS

- Sunday 19th** **Baptism of Emily Katherine Hobson 12.00**
Alan Feather's great granddaughter
- Wednesday 15th** **6 week Lent Group Course in St John's Room 11.00 to 12.30**
Session 3 Preparation, read John 3 v 11 to 18
- Thursday 16th** **6 week Lent Course in St John's room 7.00 pm**
Session 4 preparation, read Romans 13 v 8 to 14
- Sunday 26th** **Mothering Sunday Family Service 10.00**
- APRIL**
- Monday 10th** **Holy Week Evening reflection** at St John's 7.30pm
- Tuesday 11th** **Holy Week Evening reflection** at Denholme Shared Church 7.30pm
- Wednesday 12th** **Holy Week Evening reflection** at St Matthew's 7.30pm
- Thursday 13th** **Chrism Mass** at Bradford cathedral 11.00am
- Maundy meal at St Saviour's, 6.30pm**
For the benefice, a Lamb based meal and pudding, with wine or fruit juice. During the meal there will an occasional poem or other reading. Primarily a social event, donations will be requested to cover costs. Pre bookings only, there is a sign up list on our notice board to book a place.
- Foot washing and Communion Service** led by Suzy at St. Saviour's 8pm followed by the Vigil
- Good Friday 14th** **1 Hours by the Cross** at St. John's church led by Bob 2pm
- Good Friday liturgy** at St. Matthew's 7.30pm
- Easter Sunday 16th** **Easter Day Family Holy Communion** 10.00am
- Sunday 23rd** **Vestry meeting followed by APCM** at 11.15am

Suzy invites you to use this prayer:-

God of Mission who alone brings growth to your Church, Send your Holy Spirit to give Vision to our planning, Wisdom to our actions, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

EASY FUNDRAISING

The coffee money for March is for Water Aid
As we are supporting Water Aid for Lent; jars are available at the back of church.

Smarties Boxes



A reminder that these boxes are available from Debbie and will take your spare 20p coins to assist church funds.

Please respect days off. Monday - Bob and Tuesday – Suzy

Please only make home phone calls to Suzy between 9 am and 9 pm

REGULAR EVENTS

Sunday 2	10.00 All-Age service
	18.00 Holy Communion
1, 3, 4 & 5	10.00 Holy Communion (CW)
Monday	10.00 Art Group (untutored)
Term Time	3.00 Junior Christian Club in the Primary School
Tuesday	9.00 Baby and Toddler Group (Term Time only)
Wednesday	10.00 Holy Communion with coffee and social time
	7.30 Yoga with Philippa (274630)
Thursday	2.00 Thursday Friends – All welcome (Term Time only)
Friday	9.00 Baby and Toddler Group (Term Time only)

Please remember to support the Food Bank – the box is in the choir room. The latest food shortages are: Meat/fish pastes, UHT milk, small sugar, tinned custard, jams and coffee.

Bob's Curry nights

The first Curry night will be at the Cardamom in Bingley on 2nd April, Sunday evening at 18:45. Booking is via text, e-mail or phone or handing me a note to Bob before Wednesday 29th 9.00pm. 3 course set menu £7.95. Please don't assume previous expressions of interest are a booking! There is a limit to numbers – so first come basis. Bob

OUR TEAM AT ST JOHN'S

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