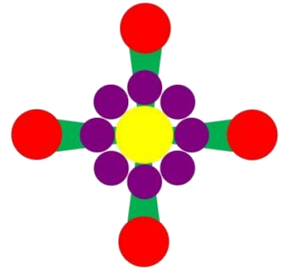


# THE BENEFICE OF HARDEN & WILSDEN, CULLINGWORTH & DENHOLME



## Hoping for a good 2021. Happy New Year!

As we prepare to begin the New Year, we are more aware than ever of the changing nature of the COVID situation and our hope that the vaccine will enable us to move forwards to a more stable future.

As I write this letter, the situation in the country as a whole is worsening while our local position is improving. It seems highly likely though that our local status will worsen again before any hope of lasting change for the better.

In the light of this, please continue to think very carefully about whether it is right for you to come to church. It has been a joy to welcome people to our church services, while celebrating too the much wider church community who are united through our written services and by technology. All of these will continue so that we can support and encourage one another through the dark days of January and February and on into spring and summer.

If you wish to come to any of the January services please book in as normal. **For 3 January please book with Richard:** 01535 273758 [richard.burge@leeds.anglican.org](mailto:richard.burge@leeds.anglican.org) and for any other week please book with Helen: 07788 848830 [beneficehwcd@gmail.com](mailto:beneficehwcd@gmail.com)

We continue to pray for every member of our communities.

Keep Safe and Take Care.

God bless,

Richard

**It is compulsory to wear masks in church, unless you have a valid reason for not doing so.  
If you feel unwell or experience any COVID-19 symptoms you must not attend the church.**

**Once you have booked please assume you have a place unless we contact you.**

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