

Denholme Shared Church is a partnership of three denominations - Baptist, Church of England and the United Reformed Church.

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See also our Facebook pages **Denholme Shared Church** or  
**Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth, Denholme Benefice**  
<http://www.denholmechurch.org.uk>



**Donations or Regular Giving** - a plate is provided for donations or envelopes during our services. You can also send your gift to Denholme Shared Church Sort Code 30-63-55 account number 56734560 but please include your name as a reference or we will be unable to thank you. Cheques can be sent to the treasurer c/o Denholme Shared Church, Keighley Road, Denholme BD13 4JT  
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## **DENHOLME SHARED CHURCH**



**Sunday 7th August 2022**

**Three traditions - One Faith**

**Loving God - Following Jesus - Serving Community**



**10.30am**

**Morning Worship**  
Chris Wilcock

**6.00pm**

**Traditional Evening Prayer**  
on Facebook

**Bible Readings**

Genesis 15:1-6;  
Psalm 33:12-22;  
Hebrews 11:1-3;  
Luke 12:32-40

**August on Facebook** - during August we will not be streaming Morning, Evening and Night Prayer. We will resume the Daily Office again in September. Each day though Richard will read a chapter from the Book of the Acts of the Apostles. It will be available on the Facebook Page and on our YouTube channel too. The Acts of the Apostles has 28 chapters and is the story of the early church from the ascension of Jesus. It tells stories of Peter and Paul as they spread the word of Jesus and share the Good News. If you are not able to join online, why not join in by reading the Acts of the Apostles, a chapter each day in August!

### **What's Happening This Week**

**Wednesday 10.00-12.00noon-** Place of Welcome at the DMI Community Centre. Come for a cuppa and chat.  
**Little Stars and the Sanctuary Youth Group** will not be meeting during the school holidays.

## Prayers for This Week



### Please pray for:

- Our ministry team, Anna, Richard, Alison and Liz and those in church leadership in all the local churches;
- For those who are worried about financial problems and for the charities who work to help people burdened by poverty and debt;
- For our URC Commitment for Life partner in Zimbabwe and their work with local groups through Christian Aid;
- For the people of Ukraine as the war continues;
- For the continuing raising awareness of climate change and the groups challenging governments to end the crisis we are all facing;
- For those in ill health and awaiting hospital appointments.

**Bingley Food Bank** - we are able to help individuals and families access the Food Bank. If you are aware of anyone in need, please contact Richard so that we can bring assistance with food. At the moment Bingley Food Bank are in need of: Tinned Custard, Tinned Fruit, Long life Milk, Tea, Coffee, Soup, Small bags of sugar and Toilet Rolls. The box for donations is by the back entrance.

**Women's Refuge** - we are still collecting toiletry items for the refuge and there is a list of items required on the table.

**Curry Night has been cancelled due to a fire at the restaurant.**

**Men's Group** - the next meeting will be on **Wednesday 10th August** at the Malt in Harden at 6.30pm for a walk before a meal at 7.30pm. Please let Rob know if you will be attending - 07758 193260.

**Next Sunday 10.30am  
Morning Worship Robert Priestley**

**Raising Awareness of Domestic Abuse Monday 8<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm** - we will learn about types of domestic abuse, explore impacts, myths and barriers, evaluate needs and support strategies. Please try and come along, no need to pre-book and it is open to everyone. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. The members of the SCC are particularly asked to attend.

**URC Wilsden Trinity Church** would like to invite you to a Jubilee Party to celebrate 50yrs of the U.R.C this **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 2-4pm**. Refreshments, games, activities and crafts for all ages. Everyone Welcome!

**Congratulations** - Alison and Malcolm have set a date for their wedding day! They are to be married at St John's, Cullingworth on Saturday 1 October this year. We pray for them in their preparations for the big day!

### **Benefice Fantasy Football First Week Update!**

Jasmin Smith from Cullingworth and Michael Richardson from Harden share the lead after the first week of football fixtures. Liz Moy, followed by Richard are next in the table. The top Wilsdeners and Denholmers are just outside the Top Ten. Unusually it is Dan Miller from Denholme currently with an eye on the wooden spoon!



**Messy Church Wednesday 17th August 3.30-5.30pm** - the theme is Messy Vision. We will be celebrating all we have done together and thinking about our future too! What would you like to see at Messy Church - bring your ideas along.



**This month donations for tea and coffee will be sent to Christians Against Poverty (Keighley)**