

PSALM 136 vv1-9 & 23-26

Give thanks to the Lord, for / he is gracious,
for his / mercy en/dures for /ever.

Give thanks to the /God of /gods,
for his /mercy en/dures for/ ever.

Give thanks to the /Lord of/ lords,
for his /mercy en/dures for/ ever;

Who alone /does great /wonders,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

Who by wisdom /made the /heavens,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

Who laid out the earth up/on the /waters,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

Who made the /great /lights,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

The sun to/ rule the /day,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

The moon and the stars to /govern the /night,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

Who remembered us when we /were in /trouble,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever;

And delivered us /from our /enemies,
for his/ mercy en/dures for /ever;

Who gives food to /all/creatures,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever.

Give thanks to the /God of /heaven,
for his /mercy en/dures for /ever.

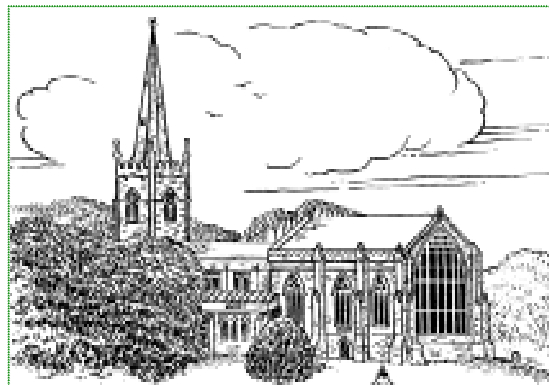
Glory to the Father, and /to the Son,/ and /to the
Holy Spirit;

s it was in the be/ginning, is /now, and shall be
for/ ever./ A/men.

CARE OF THE CHURCHYARD

A few people have kindly offered to help, so
Richard Entwistle is organising a gardening
session in the churchyard each Friday. All are
of course welcome to join in! Please see
Richard for more details, or phone him on
766474.

St John the Baptist Dronfield Weekly Newsheet



**February 16th 2020
2nd Sunday before Lent**

Almighty God,
give us reverence for all creation
and respect for every person,
that we may mirror your likeness
in Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

Readings

Genesis 1:1-23 p.1
Romans 8:18-25 p.154
Matthew 6:25-34 p.6

Give thanks for all those who so willingly give their
time to help keep our church running smoothly.

Pray for St Swithins Church as it prepares to
advertise for a new minister.

Pray for all who suffer from homelessness, hunger
or despair, and for those who work for the relief of
poverty and hardship.

Pray for a diplomatic handling of rising tensions in
Iran and surrounding areas.

Pray for those coping with the effects of terrorism
and also natural disasters around the world.

Pray for our government, for wisdom and integrity

**Items for this service sheet must reach the
Parish Office by 10 am on the Wednesday
before the Sunday of publication.**

Welcome to our Services

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Service led by Revd Ian Price

Common Worship p.229

Readings: Genesis 1:1-23 p.1
Romans 8:18-25 p.154
Matthew 6:25-34 p.6

9.30am MORNING PRAYER

Service led by Revd Peter Bold

Hymns: A&M 194, 635, 588

Psalm 136 vv1-9 & 23-26 see over-page

Readings: Romans 8:18-25 p.154
Matthew 6:25-34 p.6

Song of David

Benedictus

Intercessions Revd Peter Bold

Anthem - The Heavens are Telling (Haydn)

11.15AM ALL AGE HOLY COMMUNION

Service led by Revd Peter Bold

Hymns: Come, now is the time to worship. MP 997,
199, 842, 872, 1003

**No 6.30pm service at St Johns this evening
You are invited to attend the 6.30pm CTDD
united service at Dronfield Baptist Church**

Events of the Week

Monday 17th

5.45pm Young Voices rehearsal in Civic Hall
7.30pm Ladies Voices rehearsal in church

Tuesday 18th

No Bible study at 191 Carr Laneresumes next week
7.30pm Alpha course St Philips
7.30pm Ladies Inc meeting at Rachels home

Wednesday 19th

10am Holy Communion

Thursday 20th

2.00pm Emmaus Bible study group meets at
the Rectory - all welcome
7.10pm Choir practice

Friday 21st

1.30pm Little Fishes
7.30pm Jubilate rehearsal at St Andrews

Sunday February 23rd Sunday next before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion with prayers
for healing
6.30pm Wedding Service

CHURCH NOTICE BOARD

CHURCH CONTACTS. Church-wardens Gill Gill 0114 250
7173, Philip Austin 417663

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ASTORAL CARE Revd. Peter Bold 411531

CLERGY DAYS OFF: Peter Mondays, Paul and Joel Fridays.

CHURCH WEBSITE. Visit us at:

www.dronfieldparishchurch.org.uk,
or contact angelahall@clara.co.uk.

Also see www.dronfieldchurchmusic.com

JUBILATE SINGERS Our Holy Week 2020 programme includes Vivaldi's "Gloria" and other items. Rehearsals continue each Friday 7.30pm at St. Andrews Church, Pentland Rd. All who like to sing are welcome! Not too late to join, so do come along.

FEAST OF FLOWERS 3rd - 5th JULY

David Ward is in the process of organising our part in the Feast of Flowers. All groups that use the church have been approached, and any individuals who would like to be involved in, or provide arrangements would be most welcome to join in - we have a big church to fill with flowers! Please speak to David for more information phone 416726.

CTDD CHRISTIAN AID COMMITTEE - St John's now

requires a representative to serve on the Committee There are five short Committee meetings a year, held on Fridays in the Baptist Church, and four annual events organised - the Lent collection, Christian Aid Week, Coffee Morning/Second-hand Book Sale and Carol Singing at Sainsbury's. If you would like to know more please call Derek (415997) or me (416445). Thank you, Marie.

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

Thursday 27th February 9.30 am -12.30pm at St Swithin's Holmesfield C2 training - now called "Safe-guarding Leadership"

Tuesday March 3rd 1.30-4.30pm St Mark's Brampton C1 training - now called "Safe-guarding Foundation"
"Responding to domestic abuse" 6.15-9.15pm - St Johns Walton.

Thursday 5th March 6.15 - 9.15pm at St Swithins Church. C1 training now called "Safe-guarding Foundation."

Please book these courses via Eventbrite:

www.DerbySafeguarding.eventbrite.com or call 01332 388681

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT 24th February—8th March. The "She Deserves a Living Income" campaign was launched in Dronfield in 2019 to highlight the exploitation behind the production of chocolate. Go to "Fairtrade-Fortnight" for details.

CATHEDRAL ARCHER PROJECT urgently needs tinned food, cereals, sugar, teabags, coffee, pot noodles (not packets), biscuits, squash, sleeping bags, socks and gloves.

MINUTES of the January meeting of the DCC are available for inspection at the back of church. They affect all aspects of your church's life. If you would like a copy please contact the office 412328.