

Welcome to St Edmund's Parish Church

Services for Today **Sunday 15th April 2018** **The Third Sunday of Easter**

Welcome to all who will worship at St. Edmund's today, especially to the family and friends of Minnie and Harry who will be baptised this morning. Refreshments will be served after the 10am service; please stay to meet old friends and make new ones.

8am **HOLY COMMUNION**

Revd Nigel Wright is presiding and preaching.

10am **PARISH COMMUNION AND HOLY BAPTISM**

Revd Nigel Wright is presiding and preaching.

There will be *JAM* activities for children during the service.

5pm **SANCTUARY YOUTH SERVICE**

Led by our young people.

6.30pm **CONTEMPORARY PRAISE**

Led by Revd Nigel Wright.

Services this week

Wednesday 18th April

11am Holy Communion
led by Revd Nigel Wright

Services next Sunday

22nd April

The fourth Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion
10am Parish Communion
with Junior Church
6.30pm Taize Service

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**COLLECT FOR THE THIRD
SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Risen Christ,
you filled your disciples with
boldness and fresh hope:
strengthen us to proclaim your
risen life
and fill us with your peace,
to the glory of God the Father.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Acts 3:12-19

¹² When Peter saw this, he said to them: 'Fellow Israelites, why does this surprise you? Why do you stare at us as if by our own power or godliness we had made this man walk? ¹³ The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus. You handed him over to be killed, and you disowned him before Pilate, though he had decided to let him go. ¹⁴ You disowned the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murderer be released to you. ¹⁵ You killed the author of life, but God raised him from the dead. We are witnesses of this. ¹⁶ By faith in the name of Jesus, this man whom you see and know was made strong. It is Jesus' name and the faith that comes through him that has completely healed him, as you can all see.

¹⁷ 'Now, fellow Israelites, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did your leaders. ¹⁸ But this is how God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, saying that his Messiah would suffer. ¹⁹ Repent, then, and turn to God,

so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord,

GOSPEL READING

Luke 24:36-48

³⁶ While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'

³⁷ They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. ³⁸ He said to them, 'Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? ³⁹ Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have.'

⁴⁰ When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet. ⁴¹ And while they still did not believe it because of joy and amazement, he asked them, 'Do you have anything here to eat?' ⁴² They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³ and he took it and ate it in their presence.

⁴⁴ He said to them, 'This is what I told you while I was still with you: everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms.'

⁴⁵ Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures. ⁴⁶ He told them, 'This is what is written: the Messiah will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, ⁴⁷ and repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. ⁴⁸ You are witnesses of these things.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Minnie and Harry who are to be baptised this morning.

Those who are unwell or in hospital:

Baby Ruby, Antonia & Daniel, baby Fabian

Julie, Stuart, David, Peter, Emily, Thomas, Paul, Daniel,

Dr Jonathan, Beverley, Debra & Oliver

Our CMS Mission Partner,

Rachel Ullmer.

The recently departed.

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 17th April

MID-WEEK WALK: 2½ miles. Burley in Wharfedale to Menston via Hag Farm. Easy walking with great views. We return to Burley by train from Menston so remember your bus pass if you have one.

We meet in the church car park at 9.15am

Tuesday 17th April 2pm

JULIAN MEETING for contemplative prayer in the Side Chapel. All are very welcome to join us. Details from Martha or Sarah.

Thursday 19th April 10.30am - 12.30pm

LITTLE FAITH EXPLORERS, a toddler group held in church every term-time Thursday with toys, crafts, bible story & song and the all-important lunch!

Tuesday 24th April

MID-WEEK WALK: 3 miles around Golden Acre Park taking in Paul's Pond and Breary Marsh. We meet in the church car park at 9.15am

LITTLE FAITH EXPLORERS.

Saturday 28th April

GROUNDS SPRING CLEAN-UP

starting at 9.30am and working till midday. If you could spare just half an hour during this time to help please come along and join us. Refreshments will be provided. Bev Wilkinson on 293 1443 or jennybev@ntlworld.com

Saturday 28th April 10am till 12 noon

ST ED'S COFFEE MORNING with Second hand books, Cakes and Traidcraft Stall.

Tuesday 1st May 2pm

JULIAN MEETING in the Side Chapel.

Tuesday 1st May 7.45pm

EVENING JULIAN MEETINGS will take place in the side chapel on the first Tuesday of the month. There will be a brief introduction which might be a poem or a piece of prose or a bible passage followed by half-an-hour of silence and finishing with some music. Afterwards there is time for a cuppa and a chat. If you would like to give it a try please join us. All are welcome. Further details from Martha on 240 3048 or Sarah 288 8784.

MUSIC AT ST EDMUND'S

Sinfonia of Leeds

Saturday 28 April 2018 at 7.30pm

Dvorak: *Overture "Carnival"*

Sibelius: *The Swan of Tuonela*

Janacek arr. Mackerras: *Suite from "The Cunning Little Vixen"*

Sibelius: *Symphony No. 5*

Conductor: Anthony Kraus

Tickets: Box Office, Leeds Town Hall
[376 0318](tel:3760318) or sinfoniafleeds.eventbrite.com
or on the door.

NEWS AND NOTICES

OUR ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING takes place next Sunday, 22nd April at 12 noon followed by a Bring and Share Lunch. Nomination forms for churchwardens, assistant church wardens and PCC members are at the back of church.

'STEPPING UP TO THE TABLE' by David Honeybone inspired by images of The Last Supper is located in the chancel: please stay after the service to sit at the table, open the books, read the stories and contemplate what you bring to the table.

IF YOU ARE WILLING TO BE A FIRST AIDER there is a course, in church, on Wednesdays 9th and 16th May from 7pm to 9.30pm (the course is five hours run over the two sessions) by Steve Farnill from North Leeds District. Please ask anyone who would like attend to email David Mitchell by Tuesday 10th April

YELLOW DATA PROTECTION FORMS should be returned to church as soon as possible or sent in the envelope provided to Mary Irving. Lost yours or never got one? There are spares in church, help yourself.

CEILI FOR CHERNOBYL with live band on Saturday 28th April 6.30-9.30pm at Queen's Hall, Immaculate Heart. Entry is free but donations are requested to help pay for therapeutic holidays in Leeds for Chernobyl children.

PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT the Christian aid stall at Oakwood Farmer's Market on Saturday 21st April.

EVER FELT A NEED to reach, or had experience of reaching, out to "strangers", asylum seekers, those on the margins of society, or those needing Food Banks? **'Strangers no longer'** is a CMS Learning Day at St Chad's Parish Centre on Saturday 28th April, 10am – 3.30pm to look at our Mission to 'the outsider'. Drinks will be available on the day; you might like to bring your own packed lunch. For details please contact Peter Hemming on 278 2735 or 0776 023 3263 or peterhemming@hotmail.com.

FRACKING IN YORKSHIRE: come along **today** 3pm to 4.45pm, refreshments from 2.30, to a talk and discussion by our local MP, Fabian Hamilton, and the Shadow Secretary of State Rebecca Long-Bailey. There will be plenty of time for questions & debate. All are welcome at St Andrews URC church hall (entrance is through the car park behind the church). Organised by the Roundhay Environmental Action Project (REAP), St Edmunds Green Group and Green Sparks. For information email info@reap-leeds.org.uk

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY ROUNDHAY is planning a series of events in support of Dementia Awareness Week. If you'd be interested in volunteering help on either Monday 21st May pm, or during the day on Wednesday 23rd May, please contact Bridget who would be delighted to hear from you.

GLUTEN FREE WAFERS are always available at Communion. Please speak to one of the church wardens before the service if one is required.