

Welcome

We welcome the Revd. Pam Coles, as our Preacher and Celebrant this morning.

Ings Way Lunch Day

The next Lunch Day will be on Wednesday 9th April from 11.30 a.m. Do please come and join us for homemade soup, sandwiches, tea/coffee, a chance to chat and a quiz!

R.I.P. John Ratnik

It is with great sadness we have learned of the passing of our good friend John on Wednesday 2nd April. More details later.

Children's Society Boxes

It is once again time to bring in your Children's Society boxes. Please bring them in as soon as you can and they will go to Val Muff for counting. Thank you!

ACE Cultural Tours visit

ACE Cultural Tours, who came last year, want to visit again on 10th April from 11.00 a.m. for about an hour. It would be good to have 3 or 4 people to welcome them, prepare refreshments and interact with them during the visit. Please see Grace if you can help.

Please pray for all on our prayer list: Dermot, Eric and Wendy, Doreen, Ivan, Pauline, Tracy, Keretha and Simon, Billy, John and anyone known to you.

Activities for the week

Today	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion
Monday 7th	11.00 a.m.	Holy Communion at Crossley House Care Home
Tuesday 8th	12 noon	Knit'n'Natter
	6.00 p.m.	Beaver Scouts
Wednesday 9th	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	2.45 p.m.	Prime Time Junior
	6.30 p.m.	Cub Scouts
	7.30 p.m.	Scouts and Explorers
Thursday 10th	11.00 a.m.	Visit by ACE Cultural Tours
Sunday 13th	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion for Palm Sunday

Sunday 6th April 2025

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Service: Holy Communion

Hymns

310; 422; 549; 548

Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

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Interim Priest-in-Charge:

Vacant

Assistant Curate

Revd. Daniel Furlong (tel: 07749 941348)

Churchwardens:

Mrs. Grace Studholme

Children in Church

Children are most welcome to our services.

Refreshments.

Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the service

Please take this service sheet home with you

Collect of the Day (*Fifth Sunday of Lent*)

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Isaiah 43.16-21

¹⁶ Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, ¹⁷ who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: ¹⁸ Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old.

¹⁹ I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. ²⁰ The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, ²¹ the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

John 12.1-8

¹ Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead.

² There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. ³ Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.

⁴ But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, ⁵ 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?'

⁶ (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.)

⁷ Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. ⁸ You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

Post Communion (*Fifth Sunday of Lent*)

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever.

Easter Services

Sunday 13th April - Palm Sunday

10.00 a.m. with procession of Palm Crosses and the dramatized Passion Gospel

Friday 18th April - Good Friday

12 noon Explore the Easter Story, followed by light lunch and then making the Easter Garden

Sunday 20th April - Easter Day

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion with The Rt. Revd. Toby Howarth, Bishop of Bradford

