

Activities for the week		
<u>Today</u>	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion No Messy Church
<u>Tuesday 30th</u>	12 noon	Knit and Natter
	7.30 p.m.	Adult tap dancing
<u>Wednesday 31st</u>	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion at St James NO Cub Scouts
<u>Thursday 1st June</u>	9.30 a.m.	Morning Prayer NO Beaver Scouts NO Scouts
<u>Sunday 4th</u>	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	10.30a.m.	All Age Worship

Social Committee

The Social Committee will meet on Wednesday, 7th June at 7.30p.m. in the choir vestry.

Lay Ministry

There is a meeting of the Bradford Episcopal Area Forum on Wednesday 7th June at 7.30p.m.(refreshments from 7.00) at St John's Church, Baildon on the subject of 'Releasing Lay Ministry in the Bradford Episcopal Area'.

Dates for your diary

Saturday, 17th June: 10.00-3.30 Mothers' Union Day Conference 'Embracing Difference' - a look at intercultural marriage and relationships. Harrogate Grammar School.

Saturday, 8th July: 2.00-4.00 Garden Party in the Church Hall and Grounds.

28.5.17

Sunday 28th May 2017

7th Sunday of Easter

Service: Holy Communion

Hymns

432, 203, 480, 26 & 52, 13

Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

(www.stsavioursfwg.org.uk)

Vicar:

The Revd. Dorothy Stewart

Churchwardens:

Mrs. Grace Studholme; Mr. Patrick Preston

Children in Church

Children are most welcome to our services. There is a children's corner at the back of church, with books, toys and colouring sheets for those children too young to sit in the pews.

Refreshments.

Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the service

Please take this service sheet home with you

Collect of the Day

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ has gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Ezekiel 36.24-28

The word of the Lord came to me:

I will take you from the nations, and gather you from all the countries, and bring you into your own land. I will sprinkle clean water upon you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will remove from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. I will put my spirit within you, and make you follow my statutes and be careful to observe my ordinances. Then you shall live in the land that I gave to your ancestors; and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

Acts 1.6-14

So when they had come together, they asked him, 'Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?' He replied, 'It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.' When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up towards heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, 'Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up towards heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.'

Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas,

Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, **Alleluia**

Come, Holy Spirit, Fill the hearts of your faithful people and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia

John 17.1-11

Jesus looked up to heaven and said, 'Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

'I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.

Post-communion Prayer

Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.