

# Welcome to St. John's in Farsley

## Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July (Seventh Sunday after Trinity)

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### Collect

Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow:  
Though our faith is small as a mustard seed,  
Make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### A prayer to use every day (from Lectio 365)

Father, help me to live this day to the full, being true to you in every way. Jesus, help me to give myself away to others, being kind to everyone I meet. Spirit, help me to love the lost, proclaiming Christ in all I do and say. Amen.

### Readings

Romans 8. 26-39 and Matthew 13. 31-33 and v44-52.

### This week's online services

#### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July

##### 9:30am ABC Church – meeting via Zoom

Our weekly services for adults, babies and children.

- Email for invite: [abcchurch@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk](mailto:abcchurch@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk)

##### 10:30am Holy Communion

Available to watch [on our website](#) from 8:30am at [www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/recorded-services/](http://www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/recorded-services/)

#### Children's Group – Quiz

Email for invite: [office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk](mailto:office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk)

#### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July

##### 9:30am Holy Communion – dial in service

- Call 0330 088 5830 with meeting ID 96872099226
- Join video call <https://zoom.us/j/96872099226>

##### 8:00pm Home group – meeting online

On a break till September

- Email for invite: [office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk](mailto:office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk)

#### Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July

##### 11:00am Friday Coffee with Prayers – dial in meeting

Share a cuppa with a chat and some prayers.

- Call 0330 088 5830 with meeting ID 96872099226
- Join video call <https://zoom.us/j/96872099226>

### Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August Morning Worship

#### Readings

Romans 9. 1-5 and Matthew 14. 13-21.

### A message from Rev Sue McWhinney

If you would like to talk about anything, or to ask for prayer, please feel free to phone or email me. God bless you and keep you safe, Revd Sue.

### Notices

#### St John's reopening for private prayer

We are pleased to announce that we are reopening St John's for private prayer. You are welcome to visit our church building which will be open at the following times:

- Sundays - 9:30am until 11am
- Wednesdays - 2pm until 3pm

We would ask that you visit St John's either on your own or with members of your own household or your extended household bubble only. Please do not arrange to visit in large groups.

We are working hard to make sure that our building is clean and safe for you to visit. Physical distancing and hygiene guidelines need to be observed at all times. Signs will help you to follow a one-way system, some pews will be out of use and hand sanitiser will be available for you to use.

Please do not come to church if you have tested positive for coronavirus and have not yet been given the all-clear, or if you have any symptoms which may be caused by Covid-19.

Our online services will continue for the foreseeable future along with our weekly Dial-in Holy Communion on Wednesday morning and our Dial-in Coffee and Prayers on Friday morning.

**Update on Vacancy** Several people have been asking if there is an update with the Vacancy process. The closing date is the 19<sup>th</sup> August, and the interviews will take place on 7<sup>th</sup> September. We will have no further updates till then. Please pray for the applicants and those on the interview panel.

**Pudsey Community Project** Donations of food can be dropped off at the Church Hall Monday's and Thursday's 10am -12pm.

### Contacts

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