

Welcome to St. John's in Farsley

Sunday 4th October Harvest Sunday

This Sunday

8:30am Morning Worship – Harvest online service

Available to watch online at www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

9:30am Parish Communion for Harvest – in church

A warm welcome to Revd Paul Hartley who is preaching at our service in church today.

Please arrive early and bring a face covering with you.

9:30am ABC Church

Our weekly services for adults, babies and children.

- Email for invite: abcchurch@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

10:30am Children's Group – meeting via Zoom

- Email for invite: office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

Collect for Harvest

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings

2 Corinthians 9. 6-end and Luke 12. 16-30.

This week's diary

Wednesday 7th October

9:30am Holy Communion – dial-in service

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

8pm Wednesday Home Group

We will be meeting online, if you would like to join us please email office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

Friday 9th October

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

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

Next Sunday

Sunday 11th October

8:30am Holy Communion – online service

9:30am Parish Communion – in church

9:30am ABC Church – meeting via Zoom

10:30am Children's Group

Philippians 4. 1-9 and Matthew 22. 1-14.

A prayer from the Archbishop of Canterbury

Christ accompanies us through any darkness, comforts us by his love, and offers hope through His light. In his name, we pray for the resilience and courage to keep going through this time of trial. 'The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.' (John 1:5)

A message from Revd Sue McWhinney

I will be at Calverley this morning, but please feel free to phone or email me if you would like to talk about anything or would like to ask for prayer. God bless you, Revd Sue.

Notices

New Priest In Charge

We are pleased to announce that we will be welcoming Rev Gareth Howles as our new Priest in Charge here at St John's. Gareth will be licensed at a service in church on 3rd December (subject to coronavirus restrictions). He is joining us from Morton and Riddlesden, in the Bradford area, where he is currently the Assistant Curate. We look forward to welcoming him.

Read more:

<https://www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/news/new-vicar-appointed-to-st-johns-church-in-farsley.php>

Coronavirus precautions

- **Please do not come to church if you have tested positive for Covid-19 or have potential symptoms.**
- Please sit on your own or with members of your extended household bubble only, in the pews indicated.
- Face coverings must be worn unless you have a medical reason for not wearing one. You can get advice about this from our church wardens.
- You must follow physical distancing using our one-way system and our hygiene guidelines.
- Hand sanitiser will be available for you to use.

APCM

We are hoping to have an APCM on 18th October at 2pm. Further details to follow. From Janet and Lorna.

Pudsey Community Project and Harvest Gifts

Any Harvest Gifts will be donated to the Pudsey Community Project. Church Hall open on Thursday's 10am-12pm.

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