

# Welcome to St. John's in Farsley

Sunday 18th May – Fifth Sunday of Easter

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## This Sunday

8.30am Holy Communion

10.30am

6.30pm Online Service

Watch online at [www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/our-services/recorded-services/](http://www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/our-services/recorded-services/)

## Readings

Acts 11. 1-18 and John 13. 31-35

## Collect

Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life:

give us compassion and courage  
to risk ourselves for those we serve,  
to the glory of God the Father. Amen

## Diary for the week

### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May

6pm Brownies and 8pm Guides

### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May

10am-11.30am Parents and Toddler Group

12.30pm-2.30pm Get Crafty Group in the Lounge

### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May

6pm Rainbows

### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

10am-12pm Pudsey Community Project Donations

### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

10am-12pm Coffee Morning

### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> May

9.30am-1pm Farmers Market

## Next Sunday

25<sup>th</sup> May – Sixth Sunday of Easter

8.30am Holy Communion

10.30am Service of the Word

6.30pm Online Worship

## Reading

Acts 16. 9-15 and John 14. 23-29

## Contacts

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## Notices

On the 6th of July Bishop Arun is visiting us as we baptise and confirm folk who have come to faith. Have you been baptised or confirmed? Many people have been baptised as children, but not all of us, I (Nathanael) was baptised at 13 years old. Confirmation is a step on our journey of discipleship where we publicly say the faith that we inherited or have received as a child or an adult is now my own faith. If you would like to be baptised and/or be confirmed, then speak to Nathanael and we can get a group together to prepare us for this day over the month of June

**Prayer Book** - We now have a prayer book at the back of church. Please feel free to add any prayer you wish, together with the date and the book will be put on the offertory plate when it is brought forward when a prayer will be said over it. Please ensure if these prayers are for a third party that they are happy to be added to the book.

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May 7pm** - Nathanael would like to invite everyone for a meal at the church hall, food will be a simple meal of daal and rice. Nathanael would like to share with everyone how he's found his first 100 days as vicar of St John's and he'll share a little bit of what he's seen and a bit of vision for where we might be going over the next few months.

**Beetle Drive Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 7pm** – Lorna is organising a Beetle Drive in the Church Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend this fun fundraising event.

## Dates for your dairies;

**Prayer-time (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday)** – 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> June 11am-11.30am

**Sunflower Café (3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday)**- 21<sup>st</sup> June 10am-12pm

**Bereavement Group (4<sup>th</sup> Friday)**- 27<sup>th</sup> June 11am-12pm

**Quiz Nights – (7pm)** 6<sup>th</sup> June, 25<sup>th</sup> July, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 5<sup>th</sup> December

**Friends of St John's Table Top Sales (9am-12.30pm)** – 14<sup>th</sup> June, 12<sup>th</sup> July, 13<sup>th</sup> September, 8<sup>th</sup> November

**Get Crafty Group** - The group will get together every fortnight. Next meeting will be on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 12.30pm-2.30pm.

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Notices for this sheet to be sent by Wednesday 10.30am to [helen.whitaker@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk](mailto:helen.whitaker@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk) 0113 256 6878

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