



Sunday 22nd February

First Sunday of Lent

You are welcome!

SUNDAY

This Week
Next Week

8:30

Holy Communion
Holy Communion

9:30

ABC Church
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10:30

Holy Communion
Service of the Word

18:30

Online Worship
Online Worship

Collect

Heavenly Father,
your Son battled with the powers of
darkness,
and grew closer to you in the desert:
help us to use these days to grow in wisdom
and prayer that we may witness to your
saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

This week's readings

Genesis 2. 15-17; 3. 1-7
Romans 5. 12-19
Matthew 4. 1-11

Next week's readings

Genesis 12. 1-4a
Romans 4. 1-5, 13-17
John 3. 1-17

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Sunday School is on this morning

Tuesday 24th February

10am - Parents and Toddler Group
12.30pm - Crafty Group in the Lounge

Wednesday 25th February

2pm - Lent Course at the Community Church
7.30pm - Lent Course at the Vicarage

Thursday 26th February

9am - Morning Prayer in Church
10am - Pudsey Community Project
Donations

Friday 27th February

10am - Coffee Morning
11am - Bereavement Group in the Lounge
7pm - Quiz Night

Saturday 28th February

9.30am - Farmers Market

Notices

Lent Course

Will be on Wednesday 25th February 2-3pm at the Community Church and 7.30pm at the Vicarage.

Quiz Night Friday 27th February

Please come along to the Quiz Night, Lesley and Deborah will be organising this as the winners of the Christmas Quiz.

Passion Play

We are planning to enact a dramatic reading of the Passion, written in a contemporary way by our own Lesley Gibbens. The play will be performed outside on Easter Saturday, April 4th, at 2pm, using various parts of Farsley as a stage. If you would like to be part of the cast, which would not involve memorising lines, please speak to Nathanael or Lesley. Rehearsals will be on the 10th, 17th, and 24th of March, with a run through outdoors, as per the day on Saturday 28th March.

Diary dates

- **Get Crafty Group** – 10th March from 12:30pm in the Lounge.
- **Claremont Nursing Home Service** – 3rd March at 2pm.
- **Prayer-time** – 6th March at 11am in the Lounge.
- **Sunflower Cafe** – 21st February from 10am.
- **Bereavement Group** – 27th March from 11am in the Lounge.
- **Quiz Night** – 1st May from 7pm
- **Friends of St John's Church Tabletop Sale** – 11th April from 9am

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