



## This Week at Christchurch

Further details available from the Church Office and on the website at: [www.christchurchilkley.org.uk](http://www.christchurchilkley.org.uk)

Monday 8th February	09:45	Toddlers
	19:45	Housegroup 2 at the Lamperts
	19:45	Housegroup 3 at the Hiltons
Tuesday 9th February	09:30/10:15	Music Movers
	10:00	Weekday Welcomers
	10:30	Meditation Group
	14:30	Housegroup 4 at Christchurch
	19:45	Housegroup 5 at the Mannalls'
	19:45	Housegroup 6 at the Woollins'
	19:45	Housegroup 7 at the Feathers'
Wednesday 10th February	08:30	Wednesday Wizards
	10:00	Weekday Welcomers
	14:00	Wednesday Fellowship
Thursday 11th February	09:30	Prayer Fellowship
	10:00	Weekday Welcomers
	19:45	Housegroup 9 at the Henneys'
	19:45	Housegroup 10 at the Cades'
Friday 12th February	10:30	Pause For Thought Service

**Wednesday Fellowship— Every Wednesday at 2:00pm**  
All Welcome!

**February 10<sup>th</sup> My Year in Chains**  
Speaker: Elizabeth Sharp

### ALL CHANGE AT ILKLEY - 150 YEARS OF ILKLEY STATION

A presentation by Mike Dixon at Christchurch, The Grove  
Wednesday March 9<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm

Tickets £5 including light refreshments available from  
the office ([office@christchurchilkley.org.uk](mailto:office@christchurchilkley.org.uk)) or the  
Christchurch Café or Malcolm Atkinson (01943 608479)  
Proceeds in aid of church funds



Deadline for items for the Sunday notice sheet is no later than the previous Wednesday morning. Items can be dropped in to the office, or preferably sent via email to [office@christchurchilkley.org.uk](mailto:office@christchurchilkley.org.uk)



# CHRISTCHURCH NOTICEBOARD

## This Week

9:00am —   
Exodus 34: 29-35  
& 2 Corinthians 3: 15-18  
*Unveiled faces*

10:30am — *Led by: Rev Rick Ormrod*  
*Includes Holy Communion*

## Next Week

9:00am —   
Luke 4: 1-13  
*Who am I?*

10:30am — *Led by: Rev Rob Hilton*

6:00pm—*Circuit Service at Burley*

### Ash Wednesday Service

This year we join with Ben Rhydding Methodist Church and St John's to celebrate Ash Wednesday.

The service is at 7:30pm on 10th February at the Methodist Church

10:30am Friday Pause For Thought — A twenty minute time of reflection  
12th February — led by Rev Rob Hilton

Christchurch, The Grove, Ilkley - [www.christchurchilkley.org.uk](http://www.christchurchilkley.org.uk)



Christchurch is fitted with an induction loop system. Hearing aids should be set to "Telephone". You may need to adjust the volume.



Large print hymn books or word sheets of the hymns and songs are available at our morning services. Please ask a Steward.

FAIRTRADE STALL in the Church Cafe TODAY.

We are happy to take early orders for the Real Easter Egg

and will have some in stock next month.

If you are interested in taking over shared responsibility for

Fairtrade at Christchurch, please have a word with us.

See you in the Cafe.

Judith and John



## 7th February

## Prayer Opportunities at Christchurch

Our **Prayer Table** at the entrance to the Sanctuary offers helpful leaflets for private prayer .

The **Red Book** in the foyer is always available for written prayer requests.

text your prayer concerns to the Christchurch Prayer Team on:  
**07562 343622**



Informal Prayer Meeting—Thursday Mornings 9:30am to 10:00am  
Join us, you will be very welcome!

Please contact the **Prayer Chain** for urgent or special prayer needs:  
Val Worrall (01943 601945) or Val Appleton (01943 430553)

### 10.30am service helpers

Are you able to help to steward the 10.30am service? This involves helping people with the lifts and doors, handing out notices and collecting the offering during the service. The rota works out at once every 6 weeks. Also, we need a few more people willing to read the bible readings during the service.

Please let Ruth Jones know (mrsruthjones@blueyonder.co.uk) or 01943 608985 and she can put you on the new rota in March. Thank you.

### Position of Organist at Ilkley Baptist Church.

Due to our present organist getting married and moving from the district we will be without an organist from February 7th. Ideally we are looking for a full time organist to cover two services each Sunday, 10.45am and 6.30pm.

Good remuneration for the suitable applicant.

We would consider a part time/shared position. For further details please contact Mr Graham Sunderland, tel: 01943 600337 Email: gsunderland@blueyonder.co.uk

or the church secretary Miss Margaret Illingworth tel. 01943 430982

e mail millingworth0@orange.co.uk

We are sad to announce the death of Irene Williams. Here funeral service will be on Thursday 18th February at 2:20pm at Skipton Crematorium

We are also sad to announce the death of Phillip Chadwick. His funeral will be on Thursday 11th February at 2:30pm at Ben Rhydding Methodist

### Big Day Out 2016 - Flamingo Land

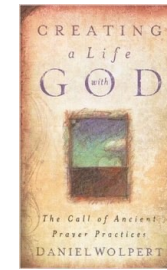
The URC in Yorkshire has organised a Big Day Out on 10th September at Flamingo Land.

Flyers are available in the Foyer. The ticket price per person is £20 (compared to the usual admission price which starts at £31 for adults and children). Please sign up in the Foyer to indicate interest or speak to me for more information. I need to submit our booking by 1st April so ideally I will need a commitment by that date please.

There will be opportunity to share worship led by Matt Stone and Ashley Evans at the end of the day.

Chris Mannall - Church Secretary

**Creating a Life with God**  
- A course in listening prayer, will begin in March.



Meeting on Thursday evenings in non-housegroup weeks, the group will explore different prayer methods, each based on an ancient prayer practice.

All welcome! Please contact Kate at [kate@christchurchilkley.org.uk](mailto:kate@christchurchilkley.org.uk) or 07866170081) to sign up.

A selection of Easter Cards are now available for purchase in the Christchurch Cafe. Please do take time out to view these cards. Thank You.

### Christchurch Café

During summer last year the Café started to open for longer on Saturdays.

This is appreciated by regulars and visitors who enjoy the Special Bacon Baps!

However, from January the paid staff member has stopped working on Saturdays and the students have been supported by the stretched Café Committee - who already give their time during the week. So we need some new adult volunteers to enable the Café to continue to open on Saturdays.

We are now at the point where we are considering the future, we hope to continue until the end of February, and we want to keep the Café open, but we will have to close on Saturdays if we are unable to find new adult volunteers.

In the longer term the Leadership Team is considering how to renew the mission and business of the Café, we will keep you informed!

If you can help please contact Helen Singleton or other members of the Café Committee - Juliet Amos, Val Appleton, Margaret Cook, Pat Feather, Pauline Greenfield, Hilary Williams, or call into the Café!



## Activities at Dan's Den

**Wednesday**  
Lego club  
3:30pm - 4:30pm

**Thursday**  
Happy Hands Crafts  
10:30am - 11:30am

All at Dan's Den for just the regular entrance fee!



Wharfedale and Aireborough Methodist Circuit and MHA host —

## Exploring Spirituality

A day focussing on the spiritual needs of older people

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2016  
at Guiseley Methodist Church  
10.00am-3.00pm  
coffee/tea provided  
(bring your own lunch)

**Workshops include :**

- **Mindfulness (please book in advance)**
- **Bereavement**
- **Circle Dancing (reminiscence activity)**
- **End of life care**
- **Dementia friendly church**

There is no charge for this event  
(donations gratefully accepted)

**Booking essential : contact Liz Day**  
01943 830228 or [e.day@btinternet.com](mailto:e.day@btinternet.com)



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