

ADVANCE NOTICE - CHURCH WALK

Date: Saturday, 27th August
Time: 8:00am
Where: Meet in Civic Hall car park near to St Matthew's

Walk details: Ashness Bridge, Watendlath and Bowder Stone
Distance: 8.5 miles
Elevation: Some uphill walking (small parts of which are steep) but no mountains; this is an exceptionally beautiful walk chosen for its fantastic views over the surrounding area including Derwent Water and Skiddaw. It has a good variety of terrain - lake, woodland, valley, secluded hamlet and a well-known huge isolated boulder called Bowder Stone. This is ideal for anybody who wants to come on a lake district walk but doesn't want to hike up a mountain - the walk is kind, rewarding with views right from the start, without the punishing climb.

Walk rate: Red (because of the distance involved). The walk is suitable for families with older children who are used to walking distances but please be aware that there are some uphill parts. The usual appropriate dress code applies - walking boots, waterproof clothing and do bring a packed lunch. Afterwards a trip into Keswick for fish and chips will be included.

Time: Walk will take 5 - 6 hours with 4 hours driving to and from the area.
Facilities: The walk passes two cafes with toilet facilities.



Mobile number on the day: 07866 836280. It is a long day with an early start, but if the weather is kind it will be a day to get away, enjoy God's beautiful countryside and be with others from the church family, Hope to see you there!

Sunday 24th July
9.15am and 11.15am Family
Services
'Forgiven'
Mark 2:1-12

Monday 25th July
9.15am Family Forum party
7.30pm Small Group
leaders' meeting

Wednesday 27th July
Holiday at Home

Thursday 28th July
Holiday at Home
7.30pm Worship Group

Friday 29th July
2.00pm Natalie and Jon's wedding
at St Chads

Sunday 31st July
9.15am and 11.15am Communion
'Not the life I planned'
Daniel 1:3-21

Welcome

We are delighted that you have joined us for our services today and hope you enjoy your time with us.

We are fairly informal and relaxed. There are activities in the service for them to take part in and a children's song which we'd love them all to come forward to join in with.

If they (or you!) start to get frazzled, there is an area behind the glass screens in the entrance area of church that you can retreat to. You will still be able to hear the service and there are some toys in the drawers which you are welcome to use. Please just return them when you have finished.

If you are a visitor, please make yourself known to one of the Welcome Team who greeted you on the way in – they would be delighted to get you a coffee and give you a welcome pack with information about the church.

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FAREWELL TO LUKE AND ANYA & THE BOYS

We will be saying goodbye to the Briggs family in our services this morning.

Luke's licensing at St George's Leeds will be on **Thursday 1st September at 7.30pm.** It would be good to have a crowd from Holy Trinity to be there to support him – please let Tom know if you'd like to go.



BIBLE READING PROJECT

Following the success of our Philipians Bible reading project, our next project is going to be to read the gospel of Luke so if you'd like to be involved in reading a few verses, please let Peter Bull know and he'll tell you what to do.

If anyone is interested in producing the art work or editing and collating the readings, your skills would also be much appreciated. Again, please speak to Peter or email him on peter@bull.org.uk.



NATALIE AND JON'S WEDDING

Natalie Edkins will be leaving us soon as she is getting married to Jon Lindsay-Scott who is the curate at St Chads Romiley. The service will be at 2.00pm on Friday 29th July in St Chads and Natalie would love it if any from Holy Trinity church family were able to be there!



COLLECTION

We do not pass a collection plate during our services - instead we have a basket near the church entrance where we ask people to place their gifts towards God's work. The work of the church depends upon the regular faithful giving of God's people and we encourage all who consider themselves members of Holy Trinity to give using envelopes or by standing order so that we can reclaim Gift Aid on their donations.

If you don't already give in this way, please speak to Jamie Shepherd or Mark Wilde for more information or pick up a finance information pack from the back of church.

If you do not give regularly but would like to make a donation today, please use one of the envelopes on the cupboards at the back and place it in the basket before or after the service. Thank you!



HOLIDAY AT HOME

Last chance to book for our 'Holiday at Home' event on **Wednesday and Thursday 27th and 28th July** for any who might not otherwise get away on holiday or are lonely or shut in. Forms are available at the back of church - please return them tomorrow at the latest.



This year we are following a Lancashire theme and each day will include entertainment, music, activities, a lovely lunch, laughter and friendship.

YOUTH WORKER POST



We are delighted to announce the appointment of Rev Jonny Hirst as our new part-time Youth Worker. Jonny is currently the minister at Dukinfield Baptist church where he works part time and he will be continuing in this role and also joining us from September to lead our youth work. He will also be joining us at our services once a month. Please welcome him if you see him around!

WAY OF THE SPIRIT

A new course on Biblical and Prophetic faith begins with an introductory and information evening on Monday 12th September at the home of Graham and Veronica Dawson. All are welcome to attend to find out more. The course will cover the themes of praying in, listening to and walking in the Spirit and there are leaflets at the back with more information. Contact Graham and Veronica on grahamandveronicadawson@gmail.com if you would like to attend.

PASTORAL CARE AND VISITING

If you know of someone who is unwell, in hospital or would like a visit because they cannot get to church, please let Cris know through the church office or speak directly to Beryl Pickersgill 01457 762020 who coordinates our Visiting Team.



FOODBANK

For those who regularly donate food, the Foodbank is short of Tinned Fish, Tinned Meat, Tinned Fruit, Dried Milk and Sponge Puddings – if you could please donate these in preference to other items. Thank you.

