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Parish of SS John Fisher and Thomas More

Burley-in-Wharfedale, Burley Woodhead, Menston, Tranmere Park, Hawksworth

The Presbytery, Bradford Road, Burley-in-Wharfedale, ILKLEY, W Yorks., LS29 7PX

12th/13th January 2019

The Baptism of the Lord

2nd Sunday of Christmas: Year C

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS				
	January	Times	Celebration	FEAST / Intention
Saturday	12 th	10.00am	Mass Baptism	Yorkshire Brethren Poppy Louise Borwell THE BAPTISM of The LORD
		11.30am		
Sunday	13 th	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the Parishioners
		9.00am	Mass	Mgr. Peter McGuire
		11.00am	Mass	Jazef Czternastek
Monday	14 th	6.00pm	Christian Unity Celebration	at St John's Church Menston
Monday	14 th	9.00am	Eucharistic Service	-
Tuesday	15 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	-
Wednesday	16 th	9.00am	Ecumenical Morning Prayer	At S.S.F.M.
		10.00am	Eucharistic Service	-
Thursday	17 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	-
Friday	18 th	9.30am	Morning Prayer & Exposition	-
		10.00am	Mass	Roy Baguley
Saturday	19 th		NO SERVICE (am)	-
		6:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the intentions of E & H Plunkett
Sunday	20 th	9.00am	Mass	Heather Stott
		11.00am	Mass	Mgr John Murphy

Confessions: 5.15-5.45pm each Saturday.

Last Week's Collections:

TOTAL £696.40 = Loose £325.90 + £370.50 Envelopes (51)

Standing Orders: £344.94 per week. THANK YOU.

All cheques should be payable to DOL SS Fisher/More Burley.

Please let us know if we can receive the GAD from any cheques or envelopes. Many thanks.

Second Collection THIS WEEKEND

For the "Poor Mission Fund" This collection helps those parishes in our diocese which are very poor and unable to support a priest by their own efforts and resources.

PEOPLE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS: Maeve Park, Beryl Sawden, Frank & Jan Selby, Jim Clark, Anne Steel, Anne Judge, 'Baby' Thomas Peter Williment, Barbara Smith, Mgr Tony Boylan, Bernie Swale, Peter Longstaff, Bernice James, Philip Molyneux, Janina Pitcher, Christine Jeremy.

THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Please also remember all those who have died recently, Heather Stott, Sandie Guzdek, Maureen Graydon and those whose anniversaries occur about this time, Jozef Czternastek, Mgr Peter McGuire, Fr Norman Copley, Fr Peter Hurley, and all our deceased relatives and friends.

Congratulations and welcome: To young Poppy Louise Borewell who celebrates her baptism at St John Fisher & Thomas More this weekend.

You are all invited to St John's Church Menston

13th January at 6.00pm

for a

United Service of Prayer as we prepare for Christian Unity Week 18th – 25th January.

World Day of Prayer

The service on 1st March 2019, has been written by women from Slovenia and will be held at 6.30pm in Menston Methodist Church, we do hope you will be able to join us. Mary Dale Branch Secretary.

A Parish Retreat: Saturday the 26th January 2019

Last year some parishioners attended the parish group retreat with Otley parish at The Briery Ilkley. This year the retreat is on Saturday, 26th January 2019. A poster/flyer with more information is on the Parish noticeboard.

Ecumenical Morning Prayer Wednesday 9.00am

During the month of January, the weekly Ecumenical Prayers will be in our Church. St John Fisher & St Thomas More, each Wednesday morning at 9.00am. Everybody welcome

THE PARISH WEB SITE: More info added this week

The Parish web site www.ssfishermore.co.uk. If you have any comments or wish to include further information, please email office.ssfishermore@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

N.B. IMPORTANT REQUEST

At the Christmas Eve Children's Mass, a number of photos were taken. We would like to share a selection of these on the parish website. **If you do not wish your child to be included in this way**, please let us know by contacting 07939063120 **before Sunday 27th January**.

Many thanks Sue Rix.

Pastoral Parish Council 24th January 2019 7:30-9pm

PLEASE FEEL WELCOME TO COME ALONG

Do not worry if you are a little late, the drinks will still be hot. Please come and join in, to share what has been going on and help plan the future including the **Summer Barbecue**. Do not worry about having to take something on. It is only if you choose to do so. It is important the PPC meetings involve the many, so it continues to be a growing Parish family. We are so lucky to have our very own Parish Priest, let us continue together to celebrate this great gift by being an active family member, by joining in, once or twice a year, outside visits to celebrate weekly Mass together. **Sue Chair of PPC.**

Thank You

Many thanks to all our parishioners for their advent gifts to PAFRAS. Mary's Meals, Catholic Care and Asylum Seekers charities this Christmas. Letters from these charities are being put on our Church Noticeboard as they arrive.

Baby Loss Matters

Baby Loss Matters aims to raise awareness and provide support for people suffering after a loss of a child(ren). Baby Loss Matters week begins in our Diocese on Sunday 3rd February. This date has been chosen because the readings are particularly appropriate. Life will provide, free of charge, the materials your parish might need to create a memorial as a way of commemorating the lives of those lost before, during, or shortly after birth for any reason.

FIRST FRIDAY FRIENDS

A very big thank you to all who came along on the First Friday Friends of the New Year and made it such an enjoyable occasion!

The next get together will be on 1st February. A great way to meet people if you are new to the Parish, and to catch up with parishioners from other masses, if you are not!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME to come and join us for cake, a cuppa and a good chat in our church hall between 1.45 and 3.30.

Contact Margaret (01943-874352) if you want more information or need to arrange a lift.

Burley-Tereli Friendship Trust 2019 Calendars

These will be available from Chris Inglehearn, Pauline Roy and John Wood until early January 2019 at £6 each.

The same price as this year's Calendar.

Proceeds will go towards vital Water, Health, Education and Environmental projects in Mali, West Africa – one of the poorest countries in the world.

Chris Inglehearn and John Wood, BTFT Trustees.

ILKLEY TALKING NEWSPAPER

Do you know of ANY person who will benefit from receiving this disc publication, for any reason whatsoever, published weekly, by post, based on the Ilkley Gazette, together with an additional monthly issue based on The Dalesman magazine. Equipment provided and all free of cost.

Tony Hopkins 01943 873017

GROWING OLD GRACEFULLY.

The Diocese is supporting all dementia friendly initiatives which many Parishes (including our own) are making to be Dementia Friendly and aware. More information is available from: www.growingoldgracefully.org.uk

Calendar Dates of future events:

23rd January 2019 In Church at 7pm

First Reconciliation meeting for all parents and carers

Next Parish Meeting 24th January 2019

In our Church Hall 7.30—9.00pm

26th January 7.00pm onwards:

Beetle Drive at the Burley Methodist Church

26th /27th January Fair trade at all Masses in the Church Hall

27th January 10-10.45 am 1st Reconciliation meeting Church Hall

1st February First Friday Friends 1.45 – 3.30pm

2nd /3rd February PAFRAS Collection after all Masses

3rd February 10-10.45 am 1st Reconciliation meeting Church Hall

Sat 2nd & Sun 3rd February before each Mass,

Candidates for Confirmation are invited to sign the Parish Confirmation Record [before Mass in the Foyer]. Then, during Mass the candidates will be presented to the Parish Family.

Sun 3rd February at 11am Mass.

Bronte House children from Sacred Heart Primary school with Mrs Hogan will take a leading role in all Ministries

Baby Loss Matter Week 3rd - 9th February 2019

Support and awareness for anyone who has lost a child(ren)

9th/10th February SPUC "white Flower appeal after all Masses

10th February 10 - 10.45 am 1st Reconciliation meeting Church Hall

Thursday 28th February 7pm

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation:

For Year 6 and 7 who have completed the Parish Family Preparation programme.

1st March World Day of Prayer (for both villages)

at Menston Methodist Church at 6:30 Men and Women welcome

9th March at Hinsley Hall Catechists meeting 10.00-1.00pm

gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Saturday 23rd March at 9:45am

Celebration of Sacrament of First Reconciliation for Year3

ALL WELCOME

23rd /24th March

Talk by Liz Andrews Leeds Diocese's Medaille Trust (post- Human Trafficking Care Organisation) at all Masses.

Sunday 31st March [Mother's Day] 11am Mass.

Wilberforce House children, from Sacred Heart Primary school with Mrs Hogan, will take a leading role in all Ministries.

9th May 2019 Parish Meeting (The AGM)

Saturday 15th June 11am Celebration of Sacrament

First Holy Communion Year4/5

Sunday 16th June 11am Celebration of Sacrament

First Holy Communion Year4/5

Sunday 23rd June 12:15 pm

Parish Family Feast Day Bar-B-Q

2019 Lourdes LEEDS Pilgrimage is the 5th –11th July 2019

Parish Office: Items for the Bulletin should be emailed to

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by 9.00am each Thursday.