



**Parishes of St. Saviour's Harden & St. Matthew's Wilsden  
IN THE BENEFICE OF  
HARDEN AND WILSDEN, CULLINGWORTH AND DENHOLME**

**Newsletter for 14 June 2026  
Second Sunday of Trinity  
Today's Services**

9.30am	Communion at St Matthew's, Wilsden
9.30am	Communion at St John's, Cullingworth
10.30am	Sunday Service at Denholme Shared Church
11.15am	Communion at St Saviour's, Harden
3.45pm	Messy Church at Cullingworth



**Midweek Services on Wednesday 17 June**

10.00am BCP Eucharist at Cullingworth  
2.30pm Prayer and Cake at Harden

**\*Please Note\*** Sunday 14 June is the deadline for handing in Children's Society collection boxes.



**Prayer House Group**

The Prayer House group will meet at Cullingworth Vicarage on Monday 15 June at 7pm.

The Rev'd Daniel Furlong will be licensed as  
Team Rector of the Benefice of Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth and  
Denholme in the Bradford Episcopal Area

**at St John's Church, Cullingworth on Sunday 26 July at 2.00pm.**

Please pray for Rev'd Daniel and his family as they prepare for the next  
chapter in their lives

**Singers invited** – Would you like to join the choir at Daniel's  
Licensing Service on 26th July? We will be practising on  
Monday evenings at 6.15 pm at St Saviour's. Anyone who  
would like to sing please just come along or contact contact  
Stuart Faulkner 07470773073.



**At Wilsden** Every Friday from 2.00pm to 4.00pm

**At Cullingworth** Every Tuesday from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm

### **Hewenden Benefice Fantasy Football competition 2025/2026 season**

66 people from across the benefice and diocese entered  
the competition this season with folk from all four areas  
of the benefice represented in the top four places in the  
final. I hope that all those who participated enjoyed  
being part of the competition. Despite the fact that my  
own choices left me fighting for (and just losing my grasp on) the  
wooden spoon, I have coped with the challenge of taking on Richard  
Burge's weekly spreadsheet. Richard has supported me throughout the  
process for which I am very grateful, especially when it came to the FA  
cup and the play offs. If anyone else feels equal to taking over the  
challenge for next season I will be very happy to hand over to them and  
give them every assistance. *Pauline Stern*



Please email me if you'd like to 'have a go'. [Pstern155@gmail.com](mailto:Pstern155@gmail.com).

## St Saviour's Flowers



If you would like to provide flowers for the church during the year to mark a special occasion or in memory of a family member or friend please sign up on the sheet at the back of church or have a word with

Jean Crerar or Brenda Wilkinson.

## Volunteers required for Harden Luncheon Club



Harden Luncheon Club takes place every Thursday during term time at 12 noon in the family room at St Saviour's Church for people over 60 living in and around Harden.

We are looking for new volunteers to join our teams from September onwards. If you would be willing to help and can commit to one Thursday morning per month (approx. 10am -1.30pm) please contact Chris Bendle email [ccbee@btopenworld.com](mailto:ccbee@btopenworld.com) or Judith Hardaker email [jhard96956@aol.com](mailto:jhard96956@aol.com) for more information.

## St Saviour's church is open every Wednesday afternoon from 2.30pm until 3.30pm for quiet prayer.

1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays for private prayer – a quiet space for you to spend time with God, in prayer, in contemplation, maybe even light a candle.

2nd and 4th Wednesdays for prayer and cake – a short, reflective service of Holy Communion or afternoon prayer, followed by tea or coffee and cake.

All are welcome on any of these Wednesdays.



**St Saviour's additional gardening work** - there is a basket at the back of the church for donations towards the cost of additional supplementary gardening work, weeding the garden of rest, moss clearing etc.



**Hewenden Benefice Daily Prayers** Can be found on the [Benefice Facebook Page](https://www.facebook.com/hwcdbenefice) <https://www.facebook.com/hwcdbenefice>  
8 am Morning Prayer and 9 pm Night Prayer



**Prayers for the week beginning Sunday 14 June**

Because of print deadlines this prayer diary cannot respond quickly to breaking news. In addition to the suggested topics, please keep in prayer national and international events as you learn of them.

Sunday 14 June	Pray for all who lead our worship on Sundays and weekdays throughout the Benefice.
Monday 15 June	Pray for all who contribute their gifts of music to worship throughout the Benefice.
Tuesday 16 June	Pray for our churchwardens.
Wednesday 17 June	Pray for those who are willing to be on rotas to read the scriptures or lead intercessions.
Thursday 18 June	Pray for acceptable solutions for ongoing wars throughout the world.
Friday 19 June	Pray for refugees and victims of war.
Saturday 20 June	Pray that we may grow in faith and find ways to share that faith in our communities.

Contributions for the next newsletter to Pauline: 01535 273814 [pstern155@gmail.com](mailto:pstern155@gmail.com)

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**Donations to our local churches**

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Please leave your name so we can send you a “thank you”