



Sunday 16 April 2023
10am Service of the Word
Second Sunday of Easter

Bible Readings:
1 Peter 1.3-9 (Pg1217) & John 20.19-end
(Pg1089)

Today's worship

10.00 am Service of the Word

**St Francis Church is a loving family
that is Bible based and Spirit led.
We exist to worship God,
to grow in community,**

23 April 2023
10 am Service of the Word
Third Sunday of Easter
Bible Readings:
Acts 2.14a, 36-41 & Luke 24.13-35

30 April 2023
10 am Holy Communion
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Bible Readings:
Acts 2.42-end & John 10.1-10

Thursday Morning Prayer on Zoom

LET US PRAY FOR: Sheila Eyre, Alan Smith, Yvonne Hellewell, Jackson Lees, Jean Toher, Wyn Hibberd, Graham Watts, John & Audrey Attwood, Tony Carter, Stephen & Miriam Dotse Peter Jackson, and all on the prayer board.

Thy Kingdom Come 24/7 Prayer will start on Thursday 18th May. St. Francis Church will be open on Monday 22 May 8am to 1pm for prayer. There will be a sign up sheet in church for prayer slots and to cover manning of the open times.

The Mothers' Union's lunch outing will be on Tuesday 18th April and we will be meeting at Whitby's Fish and Chip Restaurant (near Morrison's, Catcliffe) at 12 noon.

Cuppa & Chat - the first Saturday every month
10am to 12 noon
Further details please see Sylvia Graham.
Including Baptism & Wedding Enquiries
NEXT CUPPA & CHAT WILL BE ON SATURDAY
3 JUNE 2023

**DUE TO THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES
THERE WILL NOT BE A CUPPA AND CHAT ON
6TH MAY**

This year's **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** will be held on Sunday 30th April after the 10am Sunday Service. Please consider putting your name forward for PCC (3 vacancies), Deanery Synod Reps (2) and Church Wardens (2 vacancies) We will also be having a **bring and share lunch**. There will be a sign up sheet in the church hall for food items.

Should you wish to use the hall or worship area please contact Katy Dunigan, so the correct information can be booked in the church diary

CONTACTS

Church Administrator: bramley.stfrancis@gmail.com or 01709 702576
Church office is open Tue 12.00noon—3.00pm, Thur 9am to 3.00pm
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Magazine items to Irene Magill (magazinesstfrancis@gmail.com) by 15th of the month
Church Wardens: James Moore
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Enquiries about homegroups should be directed to the Church Office 01709 702576
Baptism and wedding enquiries - phone the church office 01709 702576
Please let Sue Watts know if someone is sick or in need

Bible Readings—Please be encouraged to join in our daily bible readings

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| Mon 17 Apr | Psalm 19/Deut 1.3-18 John 20.1-10 |
| Tues 18 Apr | Psalm 8/Deut 1.19-40 John 20.11-18 |
| Wed 19 Apr | Psalm 30/Deut 3.18-end John 20.19-end |
| Thurs 20 Apr | Psalm 28/Deut 4.1-14 John 21.1-14 |
| Fri 21 Apr | Psalm 61/Deut 4.15-31 John 21.15=19 |
| Sat 22 Apr | Psalm 84/Deut 4.32-40 John 21.20-end |

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| Mon 24 Apr | Psalm 5/Josh 1.1-9 Eph 6.10-20 |
| Tue 25 Apr | Psalm 37.23-end/isa 62.6-10 Acts 12.25—13.13 |
| Wed 26 Apr | Psalm 105/Deut 6 Eph 2.1-10 |
| Thurs 27 Apr | Psalm 136/Deut 7.1-11 Eph 2.11-end |
| Fri 28 Apr | Psalm 107/Deut 7.12-end Eph 3.1-13 |
| Sat 29 Apr | Psalm 110/Deut 8 Eph 3.14-end |

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday May 8th—Coronation Picnic 11am-4pm (Band, Fair, Maypole, food trailers, Ice cream van and much more) at Flash Lane Recreation Ground.. St. Francis Church Family are invited to come together and bring our own food. We will have a Gazebo with our Church Banner letting people know we are there.

Saturday June 10th—Village Fete 12noon—4pm Bramley Recreation Ground (more details later)

Sunnyside Supplies—Urgent Appeal

We are seeing unprecedented demand for our services and our stocks are depleted. If you can donate any food please do!. We are low on the following at present. Crisps, coffee, hot chocolate and desserts, but of course we are always grateful for all of your donations. We are open 12 till 2pm on a Tuesday at Sunnyside Community Centre or we have a donation point at Woodlathes Co-op. **THERE IS A DONATION BOX ON THE STAGE IN THE CHURCH HALL**

Bramley Friendship Group 2-4pm.

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month for everyone.
£2.00 voluntary contribution per session. Refreshments are provided. You can bring your own art & crafts projects. We have a selection of games, puzzles, dominos, cards etc, or just come for a social chat. We have occasional guest speakers or other crafts/activities.

Next dates 20th April

Sunday Morning Tea/Coffee Rota

More volunteers are needed to help with refreshments (once a month would be a big help). If you are able to help **please** sign the sheet on the noticeboard. Thank you Sylvia.

We are having a small gathering at Silverwood Nursing Home on Thursday 27th April at 2pm. If you are able to come along to support this let Helen know.

The Diocese of Sheffield Prayer

Living God, Jesus calls his followers to seek first your Kingdom. **Renew** us as we make your love known. **Release** us to share freely together in mission; and **Rejuvenate** us to be fruitful in your service. Give us courage, wisdom and compassion, that strengthened with the grace of the Holy Spirit, we may, as the Diocese of Sheffield, both flourish and grow through Christ our Lord. Amen.