

Sunday 28th April 2024



10am Holy Communion 5th Sunday of Easter
Bible Readings: Acts 8.26-end (Pg 1101) & John 15.1-8 (Pg 1083)

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GET IN TOUCH—CHURCH OFFICE

Church office hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays **9am—3pm**
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We'd be happy to help you if we can. You can also contact our pastoral team using the details below, or members of staff using the 'Get in Touch' page on the church website.

PASTORAL CARE

Our pastoral care team are ready to help you or offer any support they can. You can contact the church office by email or phone or please contact our Lay Reader Sue Watts for pastoral support and emergency prayer suki.watts46@gmail.com, and for pastoral support please contact Rev Judy Leverton at judy.leverton@yahoo.co.uk

CHURCH INFORMATION

Priest in Charge: Revd. Helen Terry
Church Administrator: Katy Dunigan
Church Wardens: James Moore and John Greaves
Safeguarding Lead: Rita Morse
PCC Secretary: Irene Magill

Items for the Bulletin to Sylvia Graham by Wednesday afternoon please: 01709 540947 or email: sylvia.i.graham@hotmail.co.uk
Signpost Magazine items to Irene Magill by 15th of the month email: magazinstfrancis@gmail.com

Hall Booking enquiries please contact the office

UPCOMING SUNDAYS

5th May 2024
10am Service of the Word
6th Sunday of Easter
Bible Readings:
Acts 10.44-end & John 15.9-17

4PM FAMILY SERVICE

12th May 2024
10am Holy Communion
7th Sunday of Easter
Bible Readings
Acts 1.15-17,21-end & John 17.6-19

Refreshments after the Sunday Morning Service

Please do join us for refreshments after the service served in the hall.

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. *Donations of individually wrapped biscuits would be appreciated.* Thank you Sylvia.

LET US PRAY FOR

Sheila Eyre, Alan Smith, Yvonne Hellewell, Jackson Lees, Wyn Hibberd, Graham Watts, John & Audrey Attwood, Tony Carter, Stephen & Miriam Dotse, Peter Jackson, Nora Smith and all on the prayer board.

Please do let us know if you or someone you know would like prayer

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL MEETING

Will be held on Sunday 28th April after the 10am service

NEWS AND EVENTS

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 4 MAY 2024**

Bramley Friendship Group 2pm -3.30pm

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.

NO MEETING 2ND MAY (DUE TO ELECTIONS)
Next dates 16th May 2024

COMMUNITY EVENTS

SAT 18 May 1-3pm Table Top Sale at St. Francis Church –contact church office for to book and pay for a table.

SAT 8 June 12-3pm. D-Day 80th Anniversary Celebrations and outdoor Craft Fair @ Bill Chafer Centre Flash Lane

GIVING AT ST FRANCIS

The church is funded by the generous giving of the church family. If you can, we encourage you to give joyfully in response to God's loving mercy. You can do this by:
Giving each Sunday during the offertory hymn
Speaking to our Treasurer Rita Morse and setting up a Standing order with your bank

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.

Bible Readings

Please be encouraged to join in our daily bible readings

Mon 29 Apr	Psalm 145/Num 9.15-end,10.33 -end Luke 4.38-end
Tues 30 Apr	Psalm 19/Num 11.1-33 Luke 1.26-38
Wed 1 May	Psalm 139/Prov 4.10-18 John 1.43-end
Thurs 2 May	Psalm 57/Num 13.1-3, 17-end Luke 5.27-end
Fri 3 May	Psalm 138/Num 14.1-25 Luke 6.1-11
Sat 4 May	Psalm 146/Num 14.26-end Luke 6.12-26
Mon 6 May	Psalm 65/Num 16.1-35 Luke 6.27-38
Tue 7 May	Psalm 126/Num 16.36-end Luke 6.39-end
Wed 8 May	Psalm 132/Num 17.1-11 Luke 7.1-10
Thurs 9 May	Psalm 110/Isaiah 52.7-end Hebrews 7.[11-25]26-end
Fri 10 May	Psalm 81/Num 20.1-13 Luke 7.11-17
Sat 11 May	Psalm 47/Num 21.4-9 Luke 7.18-35

Thursday Morning Prayer

10.00am on Zoom for more details please speak to Sue Watts

Sunnyside Supplies — Urgent Appeal

We are low on the following at present.

Baby needs—Wipes, baby rice and porridge, jars of food, nappies etc.

General needs Longlife Milk, Crisps, Jams and Chutney, Salad Cream or Mayo, Chocolate biscuits, Sweets for the children. Ready meals—for example Fray Bentos, tinned cold meats. Tinned meats to warm. Easy desserts, for example Angel Delights. 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. DONATION BOX ON THE STAGE

MEMBERS OF MOTHERS' UNION

Will be welcoming Rt Rev Sophie Jelley, Bishop of Doncaster, to our meeting in church on 13th May as our guest speaker. The meeting will be at the usual time of 1.30pm. Everyone is invited to come along to meet with Bishop Sophie and enjoy a cup of tea/coffee and lots of biscuits.