

DENHOLME SHARED CHURCH

Website: www.denholmechurch.org.uk



"I'll Do It My Way"

I am sure most of us are familiar with the song "My Way" made famous by Frank Sinatra, often sung with gusto at karaoke sessions or played at funerals. It was God who gave us the freedom to have the choice to do things "My Way", no restrictions on what we can do, or not do in life; no instruction book to follow, just freedom to do as we please. Of course we make mistakes, we are humans, but hopefully we can learn from those mistakes.

Jesus came on earth because God felt people were going in the wrong direction, living "Their Way" not "God's Way". Jesus came to show people a different path. He came so that they could know a God that was loving, forgiving and a healing God. Jesus wasn't afraid to speak out and challenged the authorities, so much so, that he was eventually put to death. He did things "His Way"

This month we celebrate Pentecost (Whit Sunday) the day when the gift of the Holy Spirit fell upon those who had gathered in the name of Jesus after his death. We are told in the Bible that the Holy Spirit came with wind and fire and all the people suddenly found they could speak in foreign tongues. Jesus had promised he would send a "helper" to live and work with all who believe in the way that He taught. Whatever happened that day, we know that a group of frightened, puzzled and mainly uneducated people were suddenly transformed into a force to be reckoned with. The early Christian Church was born.

So we have a choice, we can open our hearts, let the spirit of God enter, to work among us, so that we can live "His Way"; or we can put out the flame and say "I'll do it My Way". Jesus promised a different life, a different way "I am the way, the truth, and the life: no-one comes to the Father except through me". If you want to know more about Jesus, his ways, his life - then to be with other Christians is the way. We always give a warm invitation to join us at any of our events and services.

Judith x

Weekly Services:

Sundays 9.30 a.m.
Jesus for ALL
an informal pattern of
worship with
refreshments available
throughout



Sundays 11.15 a.m.
Morning worship followed
by refreshments

Denholme Shared Church is a partnership of the Baptist, Church of England and the United Reformed Churches.

In our worship and life, together we seek to stay faithful to the traditions of all three denominations

"One faith, three traditions"

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH?

Sunday 2nd June 9.30 - Jesus for ALL
followed by bacon butties

11.15 — Morning worship led by Chris Wilcock

Sunday 9th June 9.30 — Jesus for ALL

11.15 — Communion service led by Liz Maitland

Sunday 16th June 9.30 — Jesus for ALL

11.15 — Morning worship led by Revd Philip
Clements-Jewery

Sunday 23rd June 9.30- Jesus for ALL

11.15 Communion service led by Revd Liz Moy

Sunday 30th June 9.30 - Jesus for ALL

11.15 Morning worship led by Judith Drake



Other Events

Sunday 23rd June at 1pm - Sunday lunch at The Tyke

Saturday 30th June 3.00 - 5.00 pm Strawberry Tea at Janice & Stephen's house. To give an idea for catering please let Janice know if you'll be going (Tel: 07807 627234). No charge but any donations will be shared between DSC and Manorlands



Each month donations received for refreshments are sent to a chosen charity. This month we're supporting the



Revd Richard Burge, currently serving of Hartshead, Hightown, Roberttown and Scholes has been appointed as Interim Rector of Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth and Denholme The licensing will take place on 15th September at 3.00pm at St. John's Cullingworth and BishopToby will officiate.



**RACE NIGHT -
SATURDAY 8TH JUNE
7.00 for 7.30 pm**

An evening of fun and entertainment with pie and pea supper. For catering purposes please let Kath know if you'll be coming along (tel: 07974 135241)

ITEMS FOR FOOD BANK AND WOMEN'S REFUGE



Your continued support and donations of non perishable food and toiletries are very much appreciated; these are forwarded to the relevant organisations on a regular basis.

OTHER ACTIVITIES IN THE CHURCH BUILDING

Mondays 1.30-3pm Yoga

Tuesdays 10.30-midday Creative Writing

6.30—8pm Yoga

Thursdays 7.15- 9.00 pm Denholme Voices

Fridays 9.30 Babes & Tots
1.30-3pm Yoga for All

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