

## **Denholme Shared Church**

A partnership between the Baptist Church,  
the Church of England and the  
United Reformed Church

***Three traditions One Faith***



### **Newsletter for 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025**

10.30 am – Morning worship with Chris Wilcock

### **Midweek Services this Week**

10.00am Communion at St Matthew's, Wilsden

10.00am BCP Eucharist at Cullingworth

2.30pm Personal Prayer at Harden



### **DOVES FOR PEACE 2025**

The Denholme Doves for Peace have landed! This amazing installation is now open to view as part of the Bradford and District City of Culture 2025.



A huge thank you to everyone who has made doves and helped in any way to create such an amazing contribution in our community to the City of Culture Celebration.

Special thanks to Creative Lives, Bradford City of Culture, for the grant which made this possible.

**The display is open to view each weekend in June: Saturdays 10am to 3.30pm and Sundays 12noon to 3.30pm. Please spread the word!**

**Quote of the week:** "Peace begins with a smile." — Mother Teresa

### **Richard's Licensing Service**

Richard's final service in the Benefice will be at Denholme Shared Church on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 10.30am. It will be a United Benefice Service. He will be collated and instituted to his new post at Keighley on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 3pm in St Andrew's Church in Keighley. Everyone is invited!



### **Children's Society Afternoon Tea**

On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June the Wilsden Chat and Craft Group are having an Afternoon Tea Party at St Matthew's Church, Wilsden, with a Bring and Buy Sale. Everyone is welcome. Please take along anything you might like to sell.

### **DONATIONS FOR REFRESHMENTS**

Donations for refreshments this month will go towards the mission work of Denholme Shared Church.



## **Safeguarding Training**

### **Foundations Training:**

**St Matthew's Church, Wilsden**

**7pm Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2025**



No need to book, just come along and find out what to do about safeguarding



## **The Bradford Chorale at St John's Cullingworth Hymns & Pimms (and other things!)**

4.00pm on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Tickets £8.00 (including refreshments)

A concert of popular hymns, songs and summer music with plenty of audience participation. Choose your favourite hymn and sing with the choir!

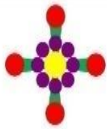


In your prayers this week please remember ...

- Our ministry team, both ordained and lay, especially Richard as he prepares for his new role in July;
- those who work for reconciliation in areas of conflict;
- volunteers with the community of Denholme who give time towards lunch clubs and social events;
- those who lead daily prayers on the Benefice website;
- those who are involved with promoting the Bradford City of Culture;
- pray that we may grow in faith and find the right ways to share that faith in our communities;
- those who provide support to the bereaved.



Denholme Shared Church is a partnership of three denominations;  
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The Church is also part of the Benefice of Harden, Wilsden, Cullingworth  
and Denholme

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