



All Saints Church, Darfield
News Sheet

12th July
2020

Morning Prayer - I am via Zoom
With Adam Fingerneissl & Rob Stanton

Please find link on our website:

<http://www.darfieldallsaintschurch.org.uk/>



Please join us for the Zoom service. Please send Adam an email if you haven't already got the information on how to join in.

Getting our Message Across in modern day Britain and the importance of sharing stories

The various books of the Bible present a (mostly) coherent story of God's ways with humanity using various media, including poetry (the Psalms and parts of the prophetic writings), histories (Kings and Chronicles), biographical accounts (Gospels), other narratives (Ruth, Job, and other ordinary folk and their dealings with God) and letters (Epistles). Similarly, there may be different ways in which we can bring God's message so that our neighbours and friends can hear it. Some may respond to a direct account of Jesus, his actions and teachings, while others may initially identify with a story – ours or another's – that resonates with their own experience. Some may find that a dramatic presentation touches them while others find Christ in the loving kindness of neighbours, where actions speak truths more deeply than words. Some may wish to explore the historical background to Jesus' story and think through the evidence, while others find answers to prayer or encounter God through seeing the body of Christ in its everydayness. The diversity of communications here encourages us to think creatively about how the overarching story of God's redemptive work through history, culminating in Christ, might be told afresh in twenty-first-century Britain.

This week's diary and Bible readings

Monday 13th July	John ch 3 v 1-21
Tuesday 14th July	John ch 3 v 22-36
Wednesday 15th July	John ch 4 v 1-26
Thursday 16th July	John ch 4 v 27-42
Friday 17th July	John ch 4 v 43-54
Saturday 18th July	John ch 5 v 1-15
Sunday 19th July	John ch 5 v 16-30

Fifth Sunday of Trinity

*Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.*



IMPORTANT NOTICE OF MEETING

Interregnum Notes:

In 2019, the PCC, after wide consultation, passed a motion in accordance with the House of Bishops' Declaration on the Ministry of Bishops and Priests. This motion, relating to Male headship within the Parish, must be reviewed regularly and more particularly during an Interregnum.

I therefore give notice that an additional meeting of the Parochial Church Council is to be held on:
Tuesday, 28th July 2020 at 7 p.m. where this will be the only item on the agenda.

If any member of the Congregation has any views on this matter which they would wish the PCC to consider, please send them in writing or by e-mail to the Churchwardens by **Sunday 12th July 2020**

Peter Robinson, PCC Vice Chairman and Churchwarden

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When we feel trapped in situations like this pandemic it's easy to get pulled down by its enormity, it's confusion and uncertainty. Despair, confusion and hopelessness can rear their heads. We need to fight! Not with weapons but with our Christian warrior armour. We need its protection for our soul so that we can be fully prepared and able to fight all evil forces and demons which invade our thoughts and influence our actions. It's a scary world out there if we let it have the upper hand! So lets put on our spiritual armour and fight each step of the way towards our ultimate goal -the kingdom of God



Let's pray (confidently & out loud is really good for this one!)

Today I'm putting on the FULL ARMOUR OF GOD so that when the day of evil comes-when I'm under attack, when I face trials or temptations- I will be able to stand my ground.

I stand firm with the BELT OF TRUTH buckled around my waist, with the BREASTPLATE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS guarding my heart, with my FEET READY to take the gospel of peace wherever God sends me. I also take up the SHIELD OF FAITH with which I can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. On my head I place the HELMET OF SALVATION. I grab hold of the SWORD OF THE SPIRIT- the Word of God, sharp and true. Lord, be with me in the heat of the battle and grant me victory I pray, in Jesus' mighty name. Amen



Please contact the Prayer Ministry Team to include prayer needs in this section. Contact Carol Hunter on 07542 527331



A few weeks ago when Wendy had a work party at church, the little garden at the cottage was worked on and once the weeds have all been dug out there will be room for some New plants. If anyone has any low growing shrubs they have cultivated that need a new home they could find one at the cottage.

Thank you.

Please contact Wendy or Sue Holden

Sue Holden.

Don't forget to keep your eyes peeled for online businesses registered with "easyfundraising"

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www.darfieldallsaintschurch.org.uk or to our Facebook page @darfieldallsaints.

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You might like to listen to these hymns/songs:

- Come People of the Risen King:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9j07fbld3uY>
- You Chose The Cross. :
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=njiw2rwCKDk>

Your favourite hymns here

Send me your hymn/songs and I'll share with Youtube

Helpful Resources

- Check the website for updates - darfieldallsaintschurch.org.uk
- Send an email to keep in touch - allsaintschurchdarfield@gmail.com
- Check on Facebook @darfieldallsaints.
- **The Buddy System:** If at any time you become self-isolated and require essentials (food etc.) you can contact: Adam - 07892 800830 or Rachel - 07813 140736

Useful Contacts:

Churchwarden:	Peter Robinson	-	01226 753572
Churchwarden:	Wendy Chorlton	-	07931 408022
Safeguarding Officer:	Adam Fingerneissl	-	07892 800830
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Parish Secretary	Jo Darlison	-	07469 857315

Items for the news sheet by 5pm Wednesday (Ideally!) by email please to: jodarlison94@gmail.com

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