



The Parish of Darfield

All Saints, Darfield and St Michael, Great Houghton

Sunday 14th November 2021

Second Sunday before Advent

Remembrance Sunday

9:00 a.m. Holy Communion, Thurnscoe

10:00 a.m. Remembrance Darfield

10:30 a.m. Remembrance Gt Houghton Methodist

10:45 a.m. Remembrance Christ Church Ardsley

Remembrance

One hundred years ago in 1921, the British Legion was founded to act as a voice for ex-servicemen from the First World War. In the weeks leading up to Armistice Day, Friday 11th November 1921, they began selling red Remembrance poppies to raise funds for their work with the ex-servicemen to give financial, social and emotional support to them and their families. The need continues...



In Flanders fields the poppies blow between the crosses, row on row

Lieut. Colonel John McCrae wrote these words in May 1915 following the death and burial of his friend Lieut. Alexis Helmer, killed during the Second Battle of Ypres, prompted by the poppies growing around the grave site.

The link between poppies and conflicts had been noted in the Napoleonic Wars of the early 19th Century. The landscapes of the battlefields were fought over and disturbed so much that the existing plants were destroyed, and the land turned to mud. The bright red Flanders poppy was one of the few flowers to survive and flourish in the shell torn lands during the First World War. If we choose to wear a red Remembrance poppy and contribute to the work of the Royal British Legion, let us use it as a symbol of hope for a peaceful future.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:

Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning

We will remember them.

For the Fallen, Laurence Binyon, September 1914

Forthcoming Services

- 14th November: 10:00 a.m. Remembrance, Darfield
- 14th November: 10:30 a.m. Remembrance
Gt Houghton Methodist
- 21st November: 9:00 a.m. St Helen Thurnscoe
- 21st November: 10:45 a.m. All Saints Darfield [HC]
- 21st November: 4:00 p.m. The Well, Darfield Church Hall
- 28th November: 9:00 a.m. St Michael Great Houghton
- 28th November: 10:45 a.m. All Saints Darfield



4:00 p.m.
Sunday 21st November
Darfield Church Hall

A family friendly service where all are safe and welcome, and can explore new ways of worshipping together.

A chance to discover and sing new songs, to ask questions and to encounter Christianity and the Bible anew.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for

Olive & Raymond Shaw
Pat Bentley
Steve & Val Myers
Stella and Raymond Firth
Barry & Joan Bramall
Andrea & Andrew Harrison
Eddie and Elaine
Linda and her family
Hilda Jobling

Our Bereaved Families

The families of
Sadie Wharam
Ada Wakefield
Maureen Mason
Rosemary Whysall

Prayer Contact:

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2nd Sunday before Advent

Collect

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord

Readings

Micah 4: 1-5
Romans 8: 31-39
1 Corinthians 15: 50-58
St Mark 13: 1-8

Bible Readings for this week

November:

14th	1 John 2: 18-29
15th	1 John 3: 1-10
16th	1 John 3: 11-24
17th	1 John 4: 1-6
18th	1 John 4: 7-21
19th	1 John 5: 1-12
20th	1 John 5: 13-21

The Diocesan Vision 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

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select All Saints Darfield as your cause and shop as normal.

Christmas Decorations

Over the next few weeks, Wendy will be planning for the decoration of All Saints for the Christmas Period. She will welcome offers of help and any financial gifts to make this possible.

**When you go home, Tell them of us and say,
"For your tomorrow, We gave our to-day"**

These words are inscribed on the memorial to the English, Indian and Gurkha troops of the 2nd Division in the cemetery in Kohima, a hill town on the border of India and Myanmar. [then Burma].

In 1944, the Japanese armies in Burma were attempting to invade India and fierce battles ensued around Kohima as the Japanese were halted in their advance.

These words are a mis-quotation of an original by John Maxwell Edmonds penned in 1919 for a memorial to the First World War casualties in France.

Mothers' UNION Wednesday 17th November
Christian care for families 2:00 p.m.

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All Saints



St Michael



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Items, preferably via e-mail, to

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Tuesday 5:00 p.m.