

This Weeks Notices

COMMUNITY CARDS, MELTHAM

Working for the Welcome Centre,
Huddersfield

If anyone would like to join the Card Group or find out more of what we do please contact me. We meet each Friday morning 10.00am-12 noon at St James' Church, Meltham Mills.

Christine Rolls 01484 340342 or
p.c.rolls@hotmail.com

Electoral Roll 2017

It is that time of year when we are preparing for our Annual General Meetings.

If you would like to be on the Parish Electoral Roll please complete the relevant form in church or speak to a Church Warden or a member of the clergy.

You must be aged 16 or over, baptised, live in the Parish or worship regularly in the Parish.

A member on the Electoral Roll can stand for Office in the Parish or vote at the Annual General Meeting.

The funeral of
Raymond Newsome
will take place at
St. Bartholomew's
on Monday 13th March
at 1.30pm

May he rest in peace,
rise in glory and may light
perpetual shine upon him.

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PASCHAL CANDLES 2017

Have you ever thought of designing or painting the image on our Paschal Candles?

There are 'four candles' in my study waiting for four people to do just that! This opportunity is open to everybody no matter of previous experience. It is a good way to draw close to God both in thought and prayer throughout this holy season of Lent.

Help will be given if needed.
Please ask Maureen or Charlene for further details.

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OASIS for LENT

Just resting and reflecting

The next OASIS DAY will take place in
St James, Meltham Mills
on **WEDNESDAY 29th March 2017**
beginning at 10.00am and ending about 3.00pm.
Coffee and tea will be available, but bring a packed lunch if you are staying all day.
Please feel free to stay and share this time of PEACE for as long as you wish or for as long as you feel comfortable.

The day ends with a short Communion Service at 2.30 – 3.00pm.

More information from
Rev Peter Rolls 340342, Christine Woods 852268



St Mary's, Wilshaw
Wilshaw Road (B6107) HD9 4DZ

Dear Friends
You are invited to

a Service of Remembering and Sharing
For parents who have suffered the loss of a child of any age and from any cause. Siblings, grandparents, family and friends are also welcome.

On Saturday, March 25th 2017
at 2.30pm

If you wish, bring a flower to place during the service in memory of your loved one.



Welcome to Worship

Sunday, 12th March 2017

2nd Sunday of Lent

Clergy Contact Details

Revd Maureen Read: 01484 850050
Revd Charlene Smith: 01484 851334
Revd Peter Rolls: 01484 340342
Revd John Radcliffe: 01484 348806
Revd Dennis Shields: 01484 850074
Revd Judy Kenworthy: 01484 851158



Parish Links

Web - www.melthamparish.co.uk

Worship Today

9.30am	Holy Communion and baptism, St Bartholomew's
11.00am	Holy Communion - St Mary's
11.15am	Holy Communion - Christ Church
5.00pm	5 Alive - St James
Readings	Genesis 12.1-4a
Gospel	John 3.1-17

Parish Weekly Diary (Sunday 12.03.2017 - Sunday 19.03.17)

Weekly Prayer Intention: Father of light, in you is found no shadow of change, but only the fullness of life and limitless truth. Open our hearts to the voice of your Word and free us from the original darkness that shadows our vision. Restore our sight that we may look upon your Son who calls us to repentance and a change of heart, for He lives and reigns with you for ever. Amen

Sunday: 9.30am - Holy Communion with baptism - St Bartholomew's
11.00am - Holy Communion - St Mary's
11.15am - Holy Communion - Christ Church
5.00pm - 5 Alive - St James

Monday: 9.10am - Shop Prayers
9.15am - Helme School Worship
10.00am - Meltham CE Worship
1.30pm - Funeral of Raymond Newsome - St Bartholomew's
4.00pm - Evening Prayer - St Bartholomew's
7.45pm - Lent Group - Pat Radford's

Tuesday: 9.30am - Morning Prayer - St Mary's
1.30pm - Lent Group - St Bartholomew's
1.30pm - Greenacres Songs of Praise
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - Christ Church

Wednesday: 9.00am - BCP Communion - St Bartholomew's
10.00am - MCT Prayers - St Bartholomew's
10.45am - Lent Group - Methodist Church
7.30pm - Special PCC meeting - St Bartholomew's
7.30pm - MCT - Methodist Church

Thursday: 9.15am - Helme School Holy Week Journey - Christ Church
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - St Bartholomew's
7.30pm - Lent House Group - Val White's

Friday: 10.00am - 12noon - Card Craft Group - St James
10.30am - Open Church - Coffee Morning - St Bartholomew's

Saturday: 9.30am - Coffee Morning - St Bartholomew's
10.00am - onwards - Open Church - St Bartholomew's

Sunday 9.30am - Holy Communion - St Bartholomew's
10.00am - Morning Worship/Meditation - St James
11.00am - Holy Communion - St Mary's
11.15am - Holy Communion - Christ Church
11.00am - St Bartholomew's AGM - Church Hall
12.15pm - Baptism of Alfie Turner - St Mary's



Useful Information/Numbers:

MCT Prayer Chain - If you have prayer needs, however small or big, there is a prayer chain group, who operate in strict confidentiality, who await your requests.

Contact Revd Peter Rolls 01484 340342,
Hester Deacon 01484 657069

Crossroads Centre - Citizen's Advice Bureau, Benefit's Advice, Debt Advice, Free Legal Advice, advice and support. The Centre is open weekdays 10.00am - 12.30pm. Call in or telephone: 01484 854400 to make an appointment.

Crossroads Foodbank - Helping people in need in Meltham for further information please ring the Crossroads Centre: 01484 854400 / 07958 217215, or the Welcome Centre: 01484 340034.

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GROWING YOUR Church

God of Mission

Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen