

WELCOME TO BRAMHOPE METHODIST CHURCH

Minister Rev Roger Smith / Deacon Jenny Parnell

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Mothing Sunday 11th March 2018 – the Fourth Sunday in Lent

Today our All Age Service will be led by the Stewards. A sale of FairTrade goods will be held after the Service in the Hall downstairs.

The Circuit Evening Service is tonight at 6.00pm at Menston

OUR CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT: "Together as a Church family we are aspiring to love God, the Community and each other through worship, prayer, learning, service and outreach"

The Circuit Lectionary Readings for today are: John 12:1-11, Exodus 6:2-13, Isaiah 43:16-21 and 42:1-9, Psalms 13, 14, 126, 36:5-11, Romans 5:1-11, Philipians, 3:4-14, Hebrews 9:11-15

A Prayer Request Book is available in the Vestibule for your prayers which can be included in the Service, please speak to one of the Welcoming Stewards.

If you want someone to sit and pray with you after the Service, in Church or in the Low Room, a member of the Prayer Ministry Team will be available - please speak to Steve Weatherley, or one of the Stewards.

We extend a warm welcome to all, especially visitors or those worshipping with us for the first time

Bramhope Churches Road Prayers: Manor Close, Moor Road and Moorland Road

Today's flowers have been kindly donated by Shula Lawrence and the Thursday Group

Please stand as the Stewards and Choir enter Church. The welcome will be followed by the singing of the introit Hymn no, 236

**Forty days and forty nights,
You were fasting in the wild.
Forty days and forty nights,
Tempted and yet undefiled.**

This week's Diary:

Monday	2.00pm	Tea Dance
Tuesday	10.00-12.00	Coffee Shop
Wednesday	7.30pm	Bible Study at Otley
Thursday	2.00pm	Meeting Point
Friday	11.00am	Fourth Lent Meeting in the Low Room followed by soup lunch
Saturday	9.30am	Walking Group meets at church

Next Sunday the 18th March – Passion Sunday - our morning service will be led by Deacon Jenny. Our joint evening Holy Communion Service at 6.30pm with St Giles will be led by Rev Roger.

- ❖ **JARS OF CHANGE** - During Lent please fill a jam jar with your small change for the charity Water Aid. Joan Bosomworth has more information or see the notice board.
- ❖ **LENT MEETINGS on Fridays** in the Low Room at 11.00 – **the background reading for this week's meeting is John 15 & 16.** This session will be led by Steve Weatherley. A soup lunch will be shared after the meeting. **You can also join this course at Guiseley on Mondays at 2pm and Yeadon on Thursdays at 7.30pm**
- ❖ **Dorothy Mercer** is now recovering well at home following her operation and wishes to sincerely thank all church friends for the prayers, visits, flowers and offers of help which have been a great help in this very difficult time.

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