

Ben Rhydding

Lent Oasis at Ben Rhydding

You are invited to step out of the busyness of everyday life.

Each Friday morning during Lent, from 11.30am till 12. Rev Vicky Atkins will lead us in a short time of guided prayer and reflection.

As always on a Friday, a soup Lunch will be served from 12:00 till 1:00pm.

Unbeatable value at £2 for soup, a roll! Also, why not enjoy home made cake and a drink.



Bell at Cathedral

Rev John Bell is coming to Bradford Cathedral on Saturday 11th March 1pm - 5pm to lead a Singing Workshop with his inspirational music from the Iona Community (Wild Goose).

It will be a great experience for all.

Participant cost £6 (include refreshments.

All are welcome to come and take part.



Viewpoint is your monthly look ahead to see what is happening across the circuit.

If you have special services, fundraising events, social gatherings coming up, or perhaps you have news that you'd like to share, please let us know!

March 2017

Safeguarding Training Calendar

If you work with children, young people, or adults who may be vulnerable, are a Pastoral Visitor or have a role in church designated to require Safeguarding training, then one of these sessions is for you. For people new in role, or those who have not previously done the Creating Safer Space Foundation Module, either the March or the July session is for you.

For those who have previously done the Foundation Module, we intend to roll out opportunities for refresher training over the next couple of years. The calendar below provides many choices of date for this year. Much has happened nationally since the training framework first began to be implemented, and it is important to ensure that our awareness and practice are kept up to date in line with recent recommendations. Book your place with our administrator Mike Fawcett for whichever session is appropriate for you.

Calendar of training dates:

Saturday 18th March: Foundation Module Christchurch Ilkley. Come for breakfast at 8:30am for 9:00am start, finishes at 11:30am Leaders Revd Rob Hilton and Viv Pitts

Saturday April 8th 9:30am-11:30am Burley in Wharfedale — Refresher training

Saturday May 13th 9:30am-11:30am Yeadon — Refresher training

Saturday June 24th 9:30am-11:30am Christchurch Ilkley — Refresher training

Saturday July 15th 9:30am-11:30am Otley — Foundation Module

Menston

Saturday 25 March on the Big Screen at Menston Methodist Church

The 2016 adventures of Mowgli the Man-cub (PG)

4pm (doors open 3.40pm) Entry free — donations in aid of Comic Relief

Refreshments on sale



Women's World Day of Prayer The Women's World Day of Prayer is celebrated on the 1st Friday of March, all around the world within 24 hours The Women's World Day of Prayer service this year has been prepared by women from The Philippines.



This is a joint service with St Giles' Church on Friday 3 March at Bramhope Methodist Church from 1.45pm. You are very welcome to join us at Bramhope Methodist Church as we celebrate this service

Table Top Sale of Goods

at Otley Methodist Church on Saturday 4th March - 10.00-12.00

Simeon Wood in Concert

on Saturday 25th March at 7.30pm. Tickets from Jack Foster 0113 2672906

Early notice of:

Coffee Morning in aid of the Yorkshire Air Ambulance on Friday 7th April - 10.00-12.00noon.

YORKSHIRE AIR AMBUL

Organ Lollipops Recital on Saturday 15th April at 7.00pm. Toby Ward, currently Musician in Residence at Uppingham School, plays a selection of old and new favourites.



...for Preachers (and any other interested people!)

Power and the Story - Part 3 - Kings and Prophets (Kings 1 and 2 to Zechariah)

When: Saturday March 11th, Where: Christchurch, The Grove, Ilkley

Want to know more about the Old Testament? Our final session promises to be another fascinating and enlightening session! Our leader will be Revd Dr Richard Briggs, Lecturer in Old Testament and Director of Biblical Studies at Cranmer Hall, St John's College, Durham.

All sessions are 10.00 for 10.30 to 4.00pm. Please bring a packed lunch. Tea and coffee will be supplied.

Course fee £5 per session, payable on the day.

The Power & the Story Lectionary for February

Date	Subject	ОТ	Gospel
5 th March 2017	The Ten Commandments	Exodus 19 & 20	Matt 19: 16-26
12 th March 2017	The Golden Calf	Exodus 32	Matt 4: 8-11
19 th March 2017	The Lord Is One	Deuteronomy 6	John 17: 20-26
26 th March 2017	The Year of Jubilee	Leviticus 25	Luke 2: 33-35





To publicise your forthcoming events within the next issue of Viewpoint, email details to Mike Fawcett at:

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