



## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

**Disciples: Doing what Jesus did- Acts 3:1-10**

**10.00am St Luke's Altogether Holy Communion**

**10.30am St James' Altogether & Baptism**

**Welcome to St James' & St Luke's and to our services today**

If this is your first time, 'welcome!' We would love to meet you and give you one of our visitor packs, which are available at the back of church. If you wish to find out more about us, please fill in one of the WELCOME CARDS (also available at the back of church) and hand it to the person who led the service.

### WHAT'S Happening - News in and around Whitfield Parish

#### Safeguarding

Here are the venues for Safeguarding training for anyone who needs C2 and missed the last training that was held in the Parish. If you would like to book on any of these please see Jan or Sue

- Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 6.30-9.30pm  
Chesterfield
- Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May 6.30-9.30pm  
Manchester
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May 1.30-4.30pm  
Eyam

#### Who are YOU inviting to Alpha?

This is a free 10 week course starting on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May in St Luke's back room. Please let Dan know names [dan@whitfieldparish](mailto:dan@whitfieldparish).

#### Whitfield Walking Group

The next Whitfield Walking Group outing will be on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May, meet in Ashford in the Water village near the church at 1.45pm.  
Pilgrimage Extra: Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April Eyam to Grindleford. Meet at the main carpark in Eyam at 10.30 am. Fellow pilgrims and new walkers welcome! Please let us know if you are coming on either of these walks.  
For further details ask David or Judith Woodward email [davidw@glossop.org](mailto:davidw@glossop.org).

#### Praise & Worship Evening

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April  
7.30pm  
St James' Church

For ALL women in the Parish an evening of fellowship and faith. Come along and be led in Worship Music from The Hillsong Colour Conference. Everyone welcome don't worry if you have not been to anything before. Please note change of venue.

#### Film Mary Magdalene (12A)

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May 7pm at Central Methodist Church. Tickets £5 (children £3). Tickets can be purchased from Bay Tree Books

#### REMEMBER - APCM - TONIGHT

The APCM is TONIGHT at 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 7pm St Luke's Church. Please do come along for worship and vote for the Wardens, PCC and Deanery Synod members of the parish.

#### Sunday Rotas

If you serve at all on Sundays and haven't already done so, please tell Hilary if you are going to be on holiday in June, July or August so as to avoid being nominated for duty and then having to organise swaps. Thank you.

#### Thank-You from Betty

A huge thank you from Betty Brocklehurst for all of the food, cards and prayers she has had as she recovered from her trip in hospital.

## Life Group Notes

*We meet to Learn Intercede have Fellowship and be fuelled for Evangelism*

### **Disciples: doing what Jesus did Acts 3:1-10**

*What goes through your mind as you approach beggars on our streets? Do you give money, food, chat and pray with them or walk past? Talk honestly as a group about the difficulties we all face in such situations. No-one gets it right all the time!*

#### **READ ACTS 3 vv 1-10**

1. Put yourself in Peter and John's shoes. After the events of the last few days/weeks how might they be feeling? How has Pentecost changed them? *As founder members of this new Christian church why do you think they're still going to the temple for afternoon prayer?*

2. Giving alms was part of Jewish tradition, especially on the way to the Temple, hence this paralysed man being in place.

*In view of Acts 2 v 45 why didn't the disciples answer his need for money? Does their response change your view of the homeless, jobless people on our streets?*

3. In v4 we read, "...look at us...so the man gave them his attention".

*When do you think Peter decided that physical healing rather than money was the order of the day? Where has his confidence come from?*

Read Acts 2 v 22 and John 14 vv 12-14. *Do you share Peter's confidence in the promises found here? If not, why not?*

4. The result of Peter's prayer is total healing and a man full of praise.

*Does the beggar have faith for healing in Peter and John or in Christ?*

*What do you think the disciples do next as this man accompanies them to the Temple? Would they give him money now?*

5. Read Isaiah 35 as a stimulus for your prayer time, being aware of how v6 has been fulfilled in Acts 2, as well as the ultimate promise of eternity with our God through Jesus in vv 9b-10. *Ask for grace and boldness to help bring about the Kingdom of God through Jesus in the power of His Spirit in Glossop today.*

## Key Parish Contacts

**Parish Office tel: 01457 853330**

### **Office Hours**

Tues 11.30am -5:00pm (Staff meeting Tues 9-11.30am)

Weds 8.30am-4.30pm

Fri 9:00am-3:00pm

**PLEASE NOTE - We are now relocated at The Vicarage, 16 Scottybrook Crescent SK13 8UG**

### **Dan Leathers Curate**

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### **Julia Wilkins Schools & Young Families Outreach Pastor**

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## Next Week's Services

**Sunday 29th April**

**St Luke's 10.15am**

(refreshments from 10am)

**Morning Praise**

**St James' 10.30am**

**Morning Praise**

**Disciples: Standing up for Jesus**

*Daniel 3:12-18, Acts 4:1-21*

### **Articles for the Grapevine**

email [jane@whitfieldparish.org](mailto:jane@whitfieldparish.org)

Any requests for an entry for the Grapevine need to be with Jane by Wednesday lunchtime. Please email a word copy of around 100 words, wherever possible, of your article.

## What's on Next Week

### **Monday**

Parish Prayer 9.15am St Luke's Church

School Prayer 8.45am St Luke's School

### **Tuesday**

Bible Journaling 2pm Gamesley Café

Men of Whitfield Cricket 6.30pm Hadfield

### **Wednesday**

School Prayer 9.00am St James' School

Karibuni 10-12pm St Luke's Church

Holy Communion 10.30am St James' Church

Seated Exercise 2pm Gamesley Café

### **Thursday**

Coffee Pot 10-11.30am St Luke's Church

Whitfield Café 1.30-3.30pm St James' Church

Chat & Craft 2pm Gamesley Café

### **Saturday**

Rooted Youth Day 10am-4pm – Pure Vibes

*Please see the Website for details of all that is happening*

[www.whitfieldparish.org/living-life/events-calendar](http://www.whitfieldparish.org/living-life/events-calendar) and the What's On page