

## News from our Churches

### St John's Settle

#### Sunday worship

6 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Wendy Holt
	6:30pm	Revd T Broughton
		Quiet Holy Communion
13 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Mavis Speight
20 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Jane Proctor & Wendy Holt
27 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Jane Mansergh
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	10:30am	Margery Dowling

#### Strawberry Tea

Everyone is invited to our Strawberry Tea on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July from 3.00 pm – 4.30 pm. This will be held in the Church Garden, weather permitting (indoors if wet). Admission is free; donations to cover costs.

#### Coffee Pot

Every Wednesday 10:30am – 12:00 noon. Tea, coffee, cakes etc.

The first Coffee Pot of each month is always in aid of a charity. On 4<sup>th</sup> June this raised over £140 for Water Aid.

On 2<sup>nd</sup> July our Charity Coffee Pot will be in aid of Railway Children – a charity which works to keep vulnerable children safe from exploitation and abuse on the railway network and beyond, in UK, India and Tanzania.

**Bible book club** will resume in September.

#### Time Together Tuesday

These weekly sessions are led by a Dementia Forward Adviser supported by church and community volunteers.

A gentle café where information, advice and friendship are offered in big dollops for both persons living with Dementia and carers. The weekly sessions are held between 1.30 and 3.30 pm. We charge £3. All are very welcome.

### Can you knit or crochet for Dementia Forward?

We are seeking people who love knitting or crocheting. Two years ago, a knitted Christmas Tree was created out of wool squares which were then lovingly put together to create the Dementia Forward Knitted Christmas Tree. The tree was admired, so in 2025 we are aiming to create a similar tree which will be on display at St John's, Settle, the most westerly church in Dementia Forward's area. Another tree will be placed in the east, at Scarborough.

Each square should preferably be 6/8 inches. We are also looking out for some clever knitters to make a star to gild our tree or to create baubles. If you are able to create any of these items, please get in touch.

We welcome all patterns, whether knitted or crocheted. Please contact Jill Tiernan for more information or offers of help.

#### Bible study group

Our next meeting will be held in the lounge at Limestone View at 2.30 pm on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July, when we will be looking at Matthew Chapter 23.

#### Prayer in the Garden

You are invited to come and pray in the church garden at 2pm on the 15th of each month, for a maximum of 30 minutes. Please come dressed for whatever weather God shares with us!



#### Walk and Prayer for the Environment

This takes place on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month. Details available from Judith Allinson

#### Prayer Meeting

Members of all churches in Settle meet for prayer at Holy Ascension Church at 1pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month.

## Bentham Methodist Church

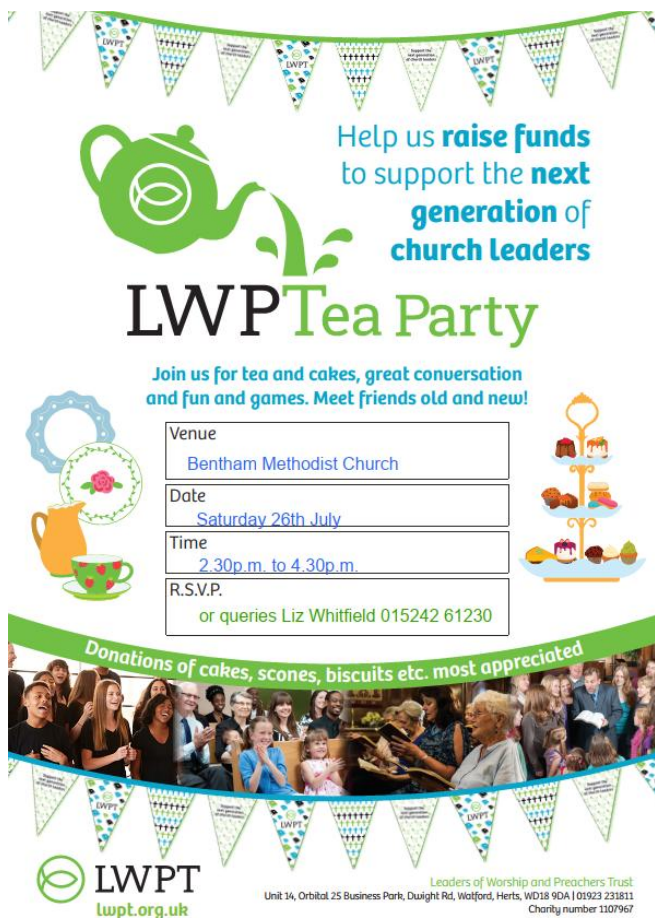
### Sunday worship

6 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Own arrangements with Open the Book
13 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	John Fox
20 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Michael Ellershaw
27 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Revd T Broughton Holy Communion
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	10:30am	Revd David Philo

### General Church Meeting

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 10am, everyone is welcome.

### LWPTea Party



Help us raise funds  
to support the next  
generation of  
church leaders

## LWPTea Party

Join us for tea and cakes, great conversation  
and fun and games. Meet friends old and new!

Venue	Bentham Methodist Church
Date	Saturday 26th July
Time	2.30p.m. to 4.30p.m.
R.S.V.P.	or queries Liz Whitfield 015242 61230

Donations of cakes, scones, biscuits etc. most appreciated

**LWPT**  
lwpt.org.uk

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Unit 14, Orbitol 25 Business Park, Doughty Rd, Watford, Herts, WD18 9DA | 01923 231811  
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### Toddle In

Toddler group meet every Monday in term time  
10am to 11:30am, new volunteers welcome –  
contact Sue Broadbent

### Bentham Praise

Practice in church on Monday at 2pm

### Men's Breakfast

Meet fortnightly at Bowland View, at 8:30am on  
1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> July, contact David Bayes for details.

### Afternoon Praise at Bowland View

Churches Together in Bentham are holding  
regular services at Bowland View: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup>  
July to be led by Bentham Methodist Church.

### Farming Community Network Shed

Wednesday morning at Bentham Auction Mart,  
supported by Churches Together in Bentham.

### Bentham Pantry Club

Open 11am-12:30pm and 3:30pm-4:30pm every  
Wednesday run by Churches Together in  
Bentham. There is a collection box for donations  
in the porch.

### Bible Study & Prayer Meeting

Thursdays 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> 10am to 12noon. Please  
contact Averil or Mavis for details.

## Hellifield Chapel

### Sunday worship

6 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm	Wendy Holt
13 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Pauline Wright (Lego)
	2pm	Revd T Broughton Holy Communion
20 <sup>th</sup> July	6pm	Gospel Praise
27 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm	Pauline Wright (Café)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	2pm	Revd David Philp

### Well-being Café

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, from 10.30 – 12  
noon. Refreshments will be served and there will  
be friendship, music and activities in a dementia  
inclusive environment. Dementia Forward are  
supporting and advising us.

### Hellitots

Tuesday 9:30 - 11:00 (term time only). Free play,  
songs and snacks for young kids aged 0-5 and  
their carers.

### Other events

Welcome Mat meetings and Strong and Steady  
sessions are held on alternate  
Mondays. More details are given on  
<https://hellifieldherald.org.uk/>

## Newby Chapel

### Sunday worship

6 <sup>th</sup> July	6:30pm	Easy Church
13 <sup>th</sup> July	11am	Margery Dowling
27 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm	Revd T Broughton Holy Communion
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	6:30pm	Easy Church

## Burton In Lonsdale

### Sunday worship at All Saints Parish Church

6 <sup>th</sup> July	11am	Revd T Broughton
13 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	Jane Mansergh
20 <sup>th</sup> July	11am	United
27 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	Liz Whitfield
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	11am	Mavis Speight

### Coffee Morning

All age coffee morning Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 10:30 to 12:00 noon in All Saints Church.

## Ingleton Methodist Church

### Sunday worship

6 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Liz Whitfield
13 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Revd T Broughton Holy Communion
20 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	Mark Woolley AAW
27 <sup>th</sup> July	10:30am	John Hampton
3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	10:30am	Rach Wilson AAW

Weekly Sunday prayer meeting 7-8pm

Coffee mornings, Fridays 9:30 – 11:30am

### Ingletots

Thursdays, 9:30 to 11am, all pre school families are welcome. If you can help in any way, please contact Nicola

[ingletonbenthamcme@outlook.com](mailto:ingletonbenthamcme@outlook.com)

## Circuit & District news

### Rev'd David Goodall – Farewell Service

Please join with people from across the District as we express our appreciation and thanks to David for his ministry among us and pray for him and all the family as they move to London.

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 4pm Oakwood Church,  
Springwood Road, Roundhay, Leeds, LS8 2QA

## Threads through the Cross

Ripon Cathedral 3<sup>rd</sup> July to 4<sup>th</sup> August 2025

Please see the attached poster about this exhibition.

Thank you to all who contributed to this issue, please send all future news & events to Lucy on 07518 517 901 or

[settlemethodistcircuit@outlook.com](mailto:settlemethodistcircuit@outlook.com)

Deadline for the next newsletter is: 20<sup>th</sup> July.



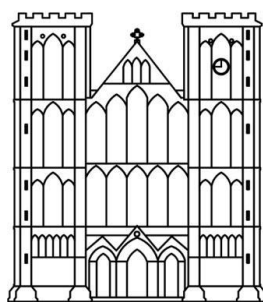
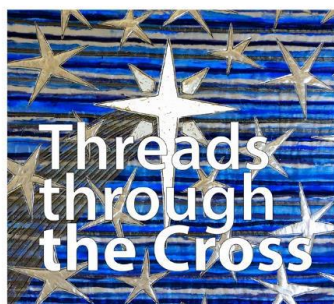
It's a great time to get active in the garden or our churchyards. If you're looking for things to keep our young family members busy this summer, take a look at the RSPB website where you will see all sorts of ideas for caring for the tiniest of God's creatures. Just Google "RSPB What You Can Do/activities".

At St John's we have our bug hotel which we created in partnership with the green team at Settle Primary School. The RSPB have agreed to give us (free of charge) three swift boxes and some house sparrow boxes, all installed at their expense too. So far, we haven't been able to attract a resident to our hedgehog box (built by John Lewis, our former organist, not the other one!) but we live in hope.

Let us know what you are doing, either at your chapel or in your own garden. Photos are always welcome.







# RIPON CATHEDRAL

**3rd July to 4th August**

## **Tragedy and triumph**

Threads through the Cross is a spectacular, dramatic and moving exhibition of eighteen huge textile panels, telling key moments from the life, death and resurrection of Jesus.

The exhibition begins with the birth of Jesus and takes the viewer on a journey through pivotal scenes from his life, the crucifixion, the resurrection, and the powerful events of Pentecost.

## **One of the largest textile art projects ever created**

Renowned textile artist Jacqui Parkinson brings the Gospel stories to life in a vivid blend of silks, paint, leather and real gold leaf – incorporating over five million stitches. With an international reputation for large-scale, vibrant work, Jacqui's panels are nearly 3 metres high and up to 4 metres wide.

The images are dramatic and captivating, and the intricate stitching work is astonishing.

## **Part of a bigger picture**

*Threads through the Cross* is the third part of a major project. Over the past ten years, Jacqui has created three distinct yet connected sequences that form *Threads through the Bible*.

The first two, *Threads through Revelation* and *Threads through Creation*, have already toured the UK – including a previous visit to Ripon. Together they've been seen by over a million people.

Now, for the first time, *Threads through the Cross* is available to view, and Ripon Cathedral is the only venue in North Yorkshire to host it this year.

For more about the touring schedule, visit:

[www.bible-threads.com](http://www.bible-threads.com)

## **Perfect for all ages and interests**

This exhibition appeals to a wide audience. Whether you're religious or simply appreciate visual arts, you'll find the work breathtaking. There's a free children's trail, and visitors often become completely absorbed in the vivid storytelling.

It's especially fascinating for textile lovers and stitchers – Jacqui's techniques are a masterclass in creativity and craft.

Please check the cathedral website for updates and occasional closures.

**ADMISSION FREE**  
**Open daily: 8-6**  
**Sundays: 8-5**

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