

Please send any notices, news or events for the Pew Sheet by noon on Wednesday, thank you.

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You can keep up to date on our FACEBOOK page:

www.facebook.com/stmarysrichmondhudswellparishchurch

The Parish of St Mary, Richmond with St Michael & All Angels, Hudswell

Sunday 30th January 2022, Candlemas



All Are Welcome at St. Mary's Church

You are welcome to attend services in person, online or by dialling in. Please see the website for details of the precautions we are taking to keep St Mary's a Covid-safe environment for all, and of how to access services online.

The church is open daily for private prayer, 9am–dusk.

Sunday 30th January (Candlemas)

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
Readings: Malachi 3: 1-5, Hebrews 2: 14 to end, Luke 2: 2-22
4.00pm Fun-Key Church

Monday 1st February

1.30pm Funeral: Malcolm Needham

Wednesday 2nd February

9.15am Holy Communion

Thursday 3rd February

10.30am Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Chapel

Sunday 6th February (4th Sunday before Lent)

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
Readings: Isaiah 6: 1-8, 1 Corinthians 15: 1-11, Luke 5: 1-11

PRAYER REQUESTS

Within your daily prayers please remember:

those in **special need of prayer**

Cecilia, Debbie

those in need of **ongoing prayer**

Jean Coulthard, Sharon Digan, Margaret Emmerson
Olive Harrison, Don Hornsby, Peter Mayne, Graham Merlane,
Doreen Sayers, Valerie Strawbridge, Katrina Templeton,
Josh Winch, Hilary, Molly,
and the patients and staff at the Friary Hospital

those who mourn as **we give thanks** for the lives of

Ron Cussons, Richard Fox, Frederick Donaldson,
Joyce Bateman, John Snusher, Malcolm Needham

and those whose **anniversary** falls at this time

28th John Kirby
5th Andrea Kitchener

Book of Remembrance If you would like the name of a loved one to be entered in this book, please contact the Parish Administrator, Colin Hicks. There is no fee for this.

February Charity of the month: Mothers' Union

Our support this month is for the Richmond branch of the Mothers' Union. The Mothers' Union is a worldwide Christian organisation with over four million members in 84 countries. Inspired by the Christian faith, its support of all aspects of family life is offered to anyone in need, regardless of faith or background.

Lots of interesting information can be found on the Mothers' Union website, especially the 'Our story' page:

[Our story | Mothers' Union \(mothersunion.org\)](http://mothersunion.org)

The branch account details are:

Account name: Mothers Union Richmond Branch.

Account number: 60090077 Sort Code: 20-25-29

World Day of Prayer Friday 4th March It is hoped that the World Day of Prayer can be held "live" this year. Our service will be held in the church of St Joseph and St Francis Xavier, Newbiggin on Friday March 4th, time to be announced later. This will be an Ecumenical Service.

If you would like to take part please contact Margaret Clayson on 822631 margaret.clayson@gmail.com Please support the service if you can.

Palm Crosses

As we enter the short period between Epiphany and Lent we will have the opportunity if we wish to return our palm crosses from previous years. These will be burnt to create the ash to be used on in our services on Ash Wednesday (2nd March, 9:15am and 7:00pm). Please place them in the basket at the back of the church.

Refreshments after Sunday 10.00am Service

We are looking forward to re-introducing refreshments following the 10 o'clock Sunday service as soon as possible.

Four teams of volunteers have already signed up. This means they will be on duty every month. We would love to have at least four more teams, so that ideally no one would be called upon more than half a dozen times per year. The help that is required is with serving and/or washing up.

If you are happy to volunteer please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church or contact Anne Clarke on 07982 658991