

'Seeking to be the People of Christ at the Heart of the Community'.



The Herald

St. Mark's Parish Centre
53 Thornhill Road
Longwood HD3 4UL

JUNE 2019

Methodists are on the move!
Conference this year is taking place in Birmingham where our Deputy Chair of the District will be made president for the coming year. Each year they are asked to set a theme - this year the theme is called 'So what's the story...' Barbara, along with anyone who wants to join her for part or all of the journey are going to walk to conference, following canal towpaths southwards to arrive at the NEC for the 25th June. Along the way they will be stopping at set places which are conveniently near train stations so you can join them if you would like a trip out for a day or to join them for different stages of the walk. A good place to start - is the start of the walk which will be setting off from Marsden on the 14th June. Barbara is inviting people to share their stories as they travel. If you would like to join Barbara on the walk contact Claire Corp clairecorp@hotmail.com or 07923153012

If you are not able to join the walk but would like to support it there is a just giving funding page. All donations are going to All We Can: Methodist relief and development. This money will be used to support their work tackling poverty and supporting some of those affected by climate change in countries like Ethiopia.

If you would like to donate as individuals or as a church, the funding page can be found at -

www.justgiving/fundraising/walkingthistory

This is a way of connecting not just with the wider world by supporting All

We Can, but connecting and being a part of the journey with Barbara and Connexion as they gather together at the end of June.

Blessings, Jo

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

5th Adrian Crossley
12th Jane Flaherty
20th Elaine Oldham
25th Renee Wyatt

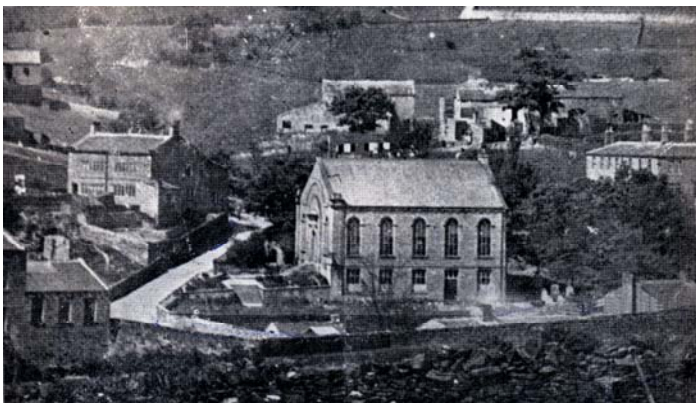
The Hymn Books donated by all have now been officially handed over for church use. They were handed over to Rev Jo at the Communion Service on the 19th May.

Attended by the congregation and Freda's ex-work colleagues



Joint service with the Parish Churches. Sunday 9th June. Whit Walk from St. John's Golcar to St. Mark's Longwood. Meet @ Golcar for service at 10.00am then procession to Longwood. See a steward to arrange a lift if you are unable to walk and still want to take part.

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A brief photographic journey in the
life of Parkwood Church**



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SATURDAY 1st JUNE at The Drop By Centre It's on its way! Coming soon to the Drop By Centre A Scintillating Italian Coffee Morning With the Tastiest of Butties **BE THERE!**

All Welcome

WAKE UP AND SMELL THE COFFEE!

**COFFEE
&
BUTTIES**

**THE DROP BY CENTRE
SYCAMORE AVENUE**

SATURDAY 1ST JUNE

9.30 AM - 11.45 AM

**LATTE * CAPPUCCINO
ESPRESSO * AMERICANO**
QUALITY ITALIAN COFFEES &
BACON, SAUSAGE OR EGG BUTTIES
DONATIONS WELCOME
FIRST SATURDAY EVERY MONTH

**PARKWOOD METHODIST CHURCH
AT THE DROP BY CENTRE**



Drama Group 1950



Children's Party 1968

I just hope I don't turn into a Pillar of Salt with this issue!

Diary for June 2019 All Parkwood Services and functions are now at St. Marks Parish Centre

Saturday 1st Parkwood Breakfast at the DROP BY Centre, Sycamore Avenue. All Welcome
Saturday 1st L V G Coffee Morning @ Longwood Mechanics 10.00 am to Noon
Sunday 2nd 10.45 am All Age Service with Messy Church
Sunday 9th Whit Walk: 10.00^{am} at St. John's Church Golcar to St. Mark's Church Longwood
Sunday 16th 10.45 am Communion Service led by Rev Jo Brown
Sunday 23rd 10.45 am Service led by Mr Philip McSweeney
Sunday 30th 10.45 am Service led by Rev Jo Brown followed by Faith Lunch

JULY

Saturday 6th Parkwood Breakfast at the DROP BY Centre, Sycamore Avenue. All Welcome
Saturday 6th L V G Coffee Morning @ Longwood Mechanics 10.00 am to Noon
Sunday 7th 10.45 am All Age Service with Messy Church
Sunday 14th 10.45 am Service led by TBA
Sunday 21st 10.45 am Service led by TBA
Sunday 28th 10.45 am Service led by TBA followed by Faith Lunch