**Holy Week & Easter Services – Additional to Normal Service Times**

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| **Bethesda** |  |  |
| **Blackshaw Head** | 7.00pm 17/04/25  8.00am 4/05/25 | Maundy Thursday Worship  May Morning Service @ The Praying Hole, Colden Clough |
| **Boothtown &**  **Southowram** | 7:00pm 17/04/25  10:30am 18/04/25  6pm - 9pm 19/04/25 | Maundy Thursday service – Morling @ St. Andrew’s  Good Friday Reflections – Morling @ Highgate  Reading Luke’s Gospel |
| **Brighouse Central** | 7:00pm 17/04/25  12.30pm 18/04/25 | Maundy Thursday Communion – G Smith  Good Friday Service – G Smith/M Petch |
| **Christ Church LEP** | 7:30pm 17/04/25  2.30pm 18/04/25 | Maundy Thursday Communion  Good Friday Service |
| **Clifton** |  |  |
| **Cross Hills** |  |  |
| **Hebden Royd** | 3.00pm 13/04/25  6.00am 20/04/25  8.00am 4/05/25 | Raising of Horsehold Cross – Churches Together  Sonrise Service at Horsehold Cross – Churches Together  May Morning Service @ The Praying Hole, Colden Clough |
| **Heptonstall** |  |  |
| **Highgate** | 7:00pm 17/4/25  10:30am 18/4/25 | Maundy Thursday service – Morling @ St. Andrew’s  Good Friday Reflections – Morling JS |
| **Illingworth Moor** | 7:00pm 17/4/25  10:30am 18/4/25 | Maundy Thursday service – Morling @ St. Andrew’s  Good Friday Reflections – Morling @ Highgate |
| **Mount Zion** |  |  |
| **Southgate** | 7:00pm 18/04/25  8:30am 20/4/25 | Good Friday Service - Sherwood  Easter Sunday Morning Communion – Sherwood |
| **St. Andrew’s** | 7:00pm 17/04/25  10:30am 18/04/25 | Maundy Thursday service – Morling JS  Good Friday Reflections – Morling @ Highgate |
| **St. Matthew’s LEP** | 7.00pm 14/04/25  7:00pm 15/04/25  7:00pm 16/04/25  7:00pm 17/04/25  7.00pm 18/04/25  20/04/25 | Evening prayer with Reflection – Petch @ St. John’s  Evening prayer with Reflection – Petch  Evening prayer with Reflection – Petch @ St. John’s  Communion Service with foot washing – Petch  Good Friday Meditation service – Petch @ St. John’s  Sunrise service in the Vicarage Garden - Petch |
| **St. Paul’s** | 6.00pm 17/4/25  10.00am 18/4/25 | Communion with meal - Ecumenical  Walk of Witness - Ecumenical leaving St Patrick's 10 am |
| **Stones** | 2.00pm 18/04/25 | Reflections for Good Friday |
| **Todmorden** | 4.00pm 17/04/25  10.00am 18/04/25 | Maundy Thursday Service – United with Roomfield Baptist  Worship for Good Friday |



**Living and Sharing the Good News Together**

Easter is a season of good news, hope, and the triumph of love over death. The Easter story flourished because it was shared. The early Jesus movement grew as individuals lived, shared, and built communities around Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection.

These first followers spread the good news by building relationships, supporting one another, and working together. Their collaboration revealed God’s inclusive, liberating, and justice-seeking love to the world. Like them, we are called to live and share Jesus’ message in our communities.

The Apostle Paul reminds us of the early churches’ unity in faith. They supported one another, crossing boundaries to share resources, encouragement, and wisdom, recognising they were stronger together. Churches in Corinth, Ephesus, and Philippi were united through shared faith, mutual support, and practical cooperation while maintaining their local distinctiveness.

In this spirit of unity, we can deepen collaboration within our Clusters. By sharing gifts and resources, we create vibrant opportunities for worship, outreach, and discipleship. Supporting one another, we can address challenges and inspire one another in contemporary discipleship.

The early Christians modelled a new way of living together. We, too, are called to build communities that reflect God’s radical love. Together, we are stronger. Together, we are the body of Christ, sharing the good news and embodying God’s love.  
In Faith and Friendship

**Rev Vicky**