WELCOME TO ST PAUL'S CHURCH, SEATON

SUNDAY 26th February 2023

First Sunday of Lent



A warm welcome to our Parish Communion on this the First Sunday of Lent.

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BRONZE AWARD WINNER

Please join us for refreshments in the church hall after our worship this morning.

Our hymns this morning are from "Hymns Old and New"

Processional: 145 Forty days and forty nights
Gradual: 401 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry
Offertory: 293 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
Communion: 298 Let there be love shared among us
154 Give thanks with a grateful heart

Recessional: 553 When we walk with the Lord

DIARY

This Week

Sunday 26th February

9.30 a.m. Parish Communion

Monday 27th February

1.30 p.m. Indoor Bowls **6.30 p.m.** Choir Practice **Thursday 2nd March**

9.30 a.m. Holy Communion **10.15 a.m.** Warm Space

Friday 3rd March

10.30 a.m. World Day of Prayer Service at

Gt Clifton Methodist Church

Next Week

<u>Sunday 5th March</u> **9.30 a.m.** Family Service

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11.00 a.m. Holy Communion @ St Peter's

Monday 6th March
1.30 p.m. Indoor Bowls

6.30 p.m. Choir Practice Tuesday 7th March **1.30 p.m.** Tuesday Club

Wednesday 8th March

6.30 p.m. Annual Parochial Meeting

Thursday 9th March 9.30 a.m. Holy Communion 10.15 a.m. Warm Space

Please continue to remember in your prayers Alan Fisher, Evelyn Vaughan, Agnes Brodie, Grace Blackwell, Ken Blackwell, Jennifer Harkness, John Harkness, Marion Metcalf and David Bell. May God give them courage and hope in their troubles.

Remember also the departed, especially Joyce Mustow. From our book of remembrance this week we remember Alan Armstrong, Margaret Kendal, Garry Messenger, Mary Ingamells, Josephine Haggis, Sophie Armstrong (infant), Marie Parker and Harold Lawson

<u>Shrove Tuesday, 21st February:</u> Thank you to those who prepared the lunch and all who supported it, a total of £203 was raised.

The Villager: The March edition is now available at the back of church.

<u>Advanced Notice: Annual Parochial Meeting.</u> Our Annual Parochial Meeting will be held on **Wednesday 8th March** at 6.30 p.m. in the Church Hall. Group Reports to Rev Ian no later than <u>5th March</u> please. Churchwarden nomination forms are now available at the back of church

<u>Turkey Earthquake Appeal</u>: Thank you to all who gave donations. We have now closed this appeal having passed £597 to the local appeal running from Aspava restaurant in Cockermouth.

Easter Fund Raising: In the hall is Di's '100 (180 really) Square. Fantastic prizes, £1 a square.

<u>Social and Fundraising:</u> We are hoping to get our social and fundraising calendar up and running again soon, if you would like to be part of the group responsible for this please speak to Rev Ian.

Thought for the Week

Jesus knows all about temptation; and he can deal with our sin

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