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ALL SAINTS' PARISH CHURCH, BAKEWELL

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We are a Fairtrade Church

Welcome to our service this morning, we hope that you will join us for coffee in the Newark afterwards

Please take this sheet home with you for reference

25th February – 2nd Sunday of Lent

Collect of the Day

Almighty God,
you show to those who are in error the light of
your truth,
that they may return to the way of righteousness:
grant to all those who are admitted
into the fellowship of Christ's religion,
that they may reject those things
that are contrary to their profession,
and follow all such things as are agreeable to the
same;
through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Reading: Romans 4. 13-25

¹³The promise that Abraham would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

¹⁶For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, ¹⁷as it is written, 'I have made you the father of many nations'). Abraham believed in the presence of the God who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. ¹⁸Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become 'the father of many nations,' according to what was said, 'So numerous shall your descendants be.' ¹⁹He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah's womb. ²⁰No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, ²¹being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. ²²Therefore his faith 'was

reckoned to him as righteousness.' ²³Now the words, 'it was reckoned to him,' were written not for his sake alone, ²⁴but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in God who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, ²⁵who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification.

Gospel: Mark 8. 31-38

³¹Jesus began to teach his disciples that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. ³²He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. ³³But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, 'Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

³⁴He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ³⁵For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. ³⁶For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? ³⁷Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? ³⁸Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.'

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty God,
you see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves:
keep us both outwardly in our bodies,
and inwardly in our souls;
that we may be defended from all adversities
which may happen to the body,
and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Visioning Day!

Bakewell Churches Together - where next? - Challenges and opportunities
at **Cliff College** on **Saturday, March 10th, 10.00 - 3.00 including coffee and lunch**
[No charge but a donation towards expenses appreciated]

Do you want to have a say in what the churches offer to Bakewell in the foreseeable future?

Do you want your concerns to be part of that agenda?

Do you want to share your opinion as to whether the churches should work separately or together in putting that agenda into practice?

Don't miss this opportunity to shape the life and work of the Bakewell churches for some years to come.

If you can attend this day, please sign the sheet at the back of church by 3rd March.

For access to the **Emergency Prayer Chain** or to activate the **Pastoral Care Team**,
please contact Judith or John Hargreaves (01629) 312165, or 07922-004-930

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Today	5.00pm	The Gathering – Cafe church in the Newark. Jill Hamilton tell us about the time she met with God
	6.00pm	Evensong
Monday 26 th		
Tuesday 27 th	6.30pm	<i>George Herbert, Priest, Poet, 1633</i> Stations of the Cross
Wednesday 28 th	10.15am	Wednesday Home Group meets at Gritstone Cottage, North Church Street
	12 noon	Lent reflection & lunch in the Newark
	7.00pm	LMS Pupils Concert at Ashford Church (<i>please see below</i>)
Thursday 1 st		<i>David, Bishop of Menevia, Patron of Wales, c.601</i>
	9.30am	Eucharist
	7.30pm	Choir Practice
	7.30pm	Bell Practice
Friday 2 nd		<i>Chad, Bishop of Lichfield, Missionary, 672</i>
	11.00am	Funeral of Cherie Burlamacchi
Saturday 3 rd		

Services in this benefice next Sunday 4th March – 3rd Sunday of Lent

8.00am	Holy Communion at All Saints, Bakewell
9.15am	Messy Church starting in the Newark followed by breakfast
9.45am	All-age service at Holy Trinity, Ashford in the Water
10.00am	Eucharist at St Anne's, Over Haddon
11.00am	Family service at St Katherine's Rowsley
11.00am	Parish Sung Eucharist at All Saints, Bakewell
6.00pm	Evensong at All Saints, Bakewell

We support **The High Peak food bank**

Concert at which the Senior Students from Lady Manners School will be performing their A Level pieces. Entry is free, there will be an interval with refreshments available, and a Retiring Collection for the School Music Department and for the Church Funds. (This is an opportunity for them to perform in public, which is part of their exam requirement)

Stations of the Cross, 6.30pm - Tuesdays 27th February & 6th March, Mondays 12th, 19th & 26th March.

Cancer Research cheese, wine and quiz evening. Saturday, 10th March, 6.30-9.30pm. S. Anselm's school. £12. Teams of 6 persons. Tickets from Dot.

"Any Questions?" BBC Radio 4 will be broadcast from All Saints Church Bakewell on Friday 6th April. For your FREE ticket sign up on list at back of Church. Tickets are limited - so early signing-up is advised

Please remember in your prayers:

The Community:	For all who live or work locally and this week for those who live in Bakewell on The Yeld, Yeld Road, Carlton View & Burton Edge
The Sick:	Philip Brown, Bill Bryant, Jacqui Gray, Jean Hardisty, David Reeves, Eleanor Reeves, John Stamp, Cynthia Walker & David Warrington.
The Departed:	Cherie Burlamacchi & Brian Oldfield