

## "WE WILL REMEMBER THEM"

St James, Church Lane, Mytholm, Hebden Bridge HX7 6DS is organising the following free events:

6<sup>th</sup> November to 21<sup>st</sup> November - A Local History Exhibition commemorating the centenary of the Royal British Legion and the WW1 memorials of the parish church of Hebden Bridge.

The church will be open daily during those two weeks for people to view the exhibition (and, if wished, to have a drink and chat) whilst listening to appropriate music including organ playing on St. James' wonderful organ built by Wood Wordsworth and installed in 1966, www.stienesbabdeabridge.com and on feesbad

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7<sup>th</sup> November 9.15 - 10:15 am – Parish Communion followed by refreshments.

8<sup>th</sup> November 9 - 9:30 am – Morning Prayer

9<sup>th</sup> November 1- 2 pm **Young at Heart singers** – see the exhibition whilst listening to their rehearsal.

11<sup>th</sup> November 9 - 9:30 am – Morning Prayer

10 - 10:35 am - Book of Common Prayer with communion followed by refreshments

11 am – 2 minutes' silence at the memorial cross outside St James to remember the fallen, preceded by The Last Post and followed by Reveille.

2 - 3 pm – **The Sacred Song Group** sing for an hour every Thursday as a meditation and prayer. Songs include Taize and others such as Indigenous spiritual songs. During the Remembrance Sunday commemorations, they invite the public to come along and quietly listen. Donations to the church welcome.

2 - 4 pm – Knit and Natter – discover how to knit or crochet a poppy. Needles and wool available.

7-8.30 pm – A reflective service of WW1 poetry, also remembering the people from the church who lost their lives.

13<sup>th</sup> November 11 am onwards – Call in to see the exhibition during our monthly coffee morning where you will also be able to have some food in WW1 style, such as Trench Stew. Cakes and Vegetarian/Vegan food also available. The Town Mayor of Hebden Royd, Cllr Rob Freeth, will be attending.

3 - 5 pm – Browse the exhibition whilst **The Lost Chord Ensemble and choir from The Little Theatre** play light music from the early 20<sup>th</sup> century.

14<sup>th</sup> November 10.30 - 11:45 am – Remembrance Sunday - Parish Communion

2 pm - 4 pm **Saxocalypse Quartet** playing an eclectic mix of music including classical, jazz and Latin arrangements for soprano, alto, tenor and baritone saxophones.

The instrumentalists are all local residents in the Upper Calder Valley, Peadar Long on soprano, Helen Lacey on alto, Richard Prince on tenor and John Trewartha on Baritone.

15<sup>th</sup> November 9.00 - 9:30 am – Morning Prayer

16<sup>th</sup> November 1 - 2 pm (to be confirmed) Young at Heart singers – see the exhibition while listening to their rehearsal.

2 - 3 pm (to be confirmed) **"What in God's name is the British Legion"** – a film about the work of the Royal British Legion. A film about Sand in Your Eye's sand sculpture called **Loss is Eternal** which was created in 2014. The sculpture depicts the moment when a wife of a soldier opens a letter common during WW1 with the words. WE REGRET TO INFORM YOU YOUR HUSBAND HAS BEEN KILLED IN ACTION

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2 - 3:30 pm (*to be confirmed*) – **Sermons in Wood and Stone** – an hour's talk by Mike Edwards in two halves with a refreshment break.

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm Listen to music from the early 20<sup>th</sup> century+ with **Daniel Bath on the organ and piano and Peadar Long playing a variety of wind instruments** including whistle, saxophone and bagpipes.