



SUNDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2025

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Thank you for joining us today at Otley Parish Church.

If this is your first visit – *an extra special welcome!*

We're pleased you are here and would love to see you again soon.

OUR SERVICES TODAY

10.30AM

SERVICE OF THE WORD with BAPTISM

Theme

“Christ at the Centre: Altar of the Church”

Bible Reading/s

1 Peter 2:4, 9-10 / Matthew 25:1-13

▶▶ We would love you to stay for refreshments after this service ◀◀

6.00PM

ACTIVATE

Lively / Informal / Reflective

**Theme: “The 10 Commandments in Today’s World:
Honouring your Parents”**

▶▶ We would love you to stay for pizza after this service ◀◀



Otley Parish
CHURCH

WHAT'S ON

2 – 9 February

Sun 2	10.30am	Service of the Word with Baptism of Andre Bearder <i>Service streamed (see below for direct link)</i> Sunday Club (KS1, KS2 and pre-schoolers) OPC Youth (for those in school years 7-13) ACTIVATE – lively / informal / reflective worship (followed by pizza!!)
	6.00pm	
Mon 3	2.00pm	Alpha Course (venue supplied to those who have booked)
	4.30pm	Evening Prayer
Tue 4	11.00am	Service of Holy Communion - followed by light refreshments
	1.30pm	Open House - a Safe Space where anyone can drop in to enjoy refreshments, board games and relaxed company PR
	4.30pm	Evening Prayer
Wed 5	9.30am	Little Rascals PR
	1.00pm	Baby Rascals PR
	4.30pm	Evening Prayer
Thur 6	4.30pm	Evening Prayer
Fri 7	10.00am	Friday Café PR
	1.00pm	Funeral of Maureen Dawson
	7.00pm	OPC Youth (for those in school years 6-11, although those in school years 12 and 13 are welcome to come as young leaders) PR
Sun 9	10.30am	Service of Holy Communion <i>Service streamed (see below for direct link)</i> Sunday Club (KS1, KS2 and pre-schoolers) OPC Youth (for those in school years 7-13)

● Where no location is shown the above events will be held in the main church building. Otherwise, locations are as follows:

PR Parish Room at Otley Parish Church (within the main Church building)

CN The Chestnuts, Burras Lane (adjacent to the Church building)

● **Service streaming:** where service streaming is mentioned above, each service is available to watch at home from this time onwards. Previous services are also available. Use the link below to take you straight to our services on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@otleyparishchurch>

LOOK WHAT'S

HAPPENING

Otley Parish Church

invites you to our

Domino Drive



**Shrove Tuesday 4th March
at 6pm**

**Jacket Potato Supper
with various fillings**

**Family fun in the Parish Room
for young and old**

•£10.00 adults •children go free!

All proceeds to Local to Global:

Kisiizi Hospital, Uganda

Leeds Faith in Schools

LOCAL TO GLOBAL

OPC CHURCH GROUNDS WORK PARTY

Saturday 22nd February, 10.30am - 12.30pm

A range of tasks will need to be carried out including leaf raking, some minor pruning, litter picking and general tidying up in readiness for Spring!

Please come and help us!

When you come please wear stout footwear, waterproofs and gloves if you have them, and bring a rake, loppers or a saw if you have one.

PRAYER CHANGES THINGS

Prayer for Today, Candlemas Sunday

Lord Jesus Christ,
light of the nations and glory of Israel:
make your home among us,
and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father,
your God and our God. Amen.

Please pray for our local community and the world:

Our topic for the week ahead:

- Medical and healthcare workers

Those who live and work in the Otley streets of:

- Westgate ● Weston Crescent

Our Church family who are experiencing health issues:

- Eddie Butlin ● Pauline Coultas ● Kevin Ellis ● Janet & Michael Kelly ● Carol Porter ● Peggy Reeve ● Sheila Simpson

Those in residential care homes:

- Eileen Armstrong ● Nancy Lester ● Noreen McCormack ● Molly Sturt ● Maxine Brown (Wheatfields Hospice)

Those who have recently been bereaved and are facing funerals, especially the family and friends of:

- Maureen Dawson ● Preston Hird

OTLEY PARISH CHURCH CONTACT DETAILS

CONTACTS

General Enquiries: Church Administrator, Sarah McCormack, 'The Chestnuts', Burras Lane, Otley LS21 3HS. Office hours: Tuesday -Thursday 9.30am - 3.00pm (hours may vary occasionally). Tel: 01943 465927 info@otleyparishchurch.org

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Treasurer: Tony Pike 07977 463562

Enquiries for Baptisms/Christenings/Weddings: Church Administrator (see above)

Church Website: <https://otleyparishchurch.org>

NOTICE SHEET INFORMATION

Send details to: stephenhey01@gmail.com by Wednesday 12 noon