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Groups

Stay & Play (Babies, Toddlers, Mums, Dads etc)

Tuesdays 10:30 -12:00 *David 01254 703858*

Craft Group Tuesdays 2:00 - 4:00

Carol 07434 312 271

Rainbows Tuesdays 5:45 - 6:45

Eileen 07718 319 364

Brownies Wednesday 6-7:30

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Guides Wednesdays 6:45 -8:00

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Train Time Thursday monthly 11:00 - 12:00

www.traintimeuk.co.uk

Bible Study Thursdays 6:30-8:30

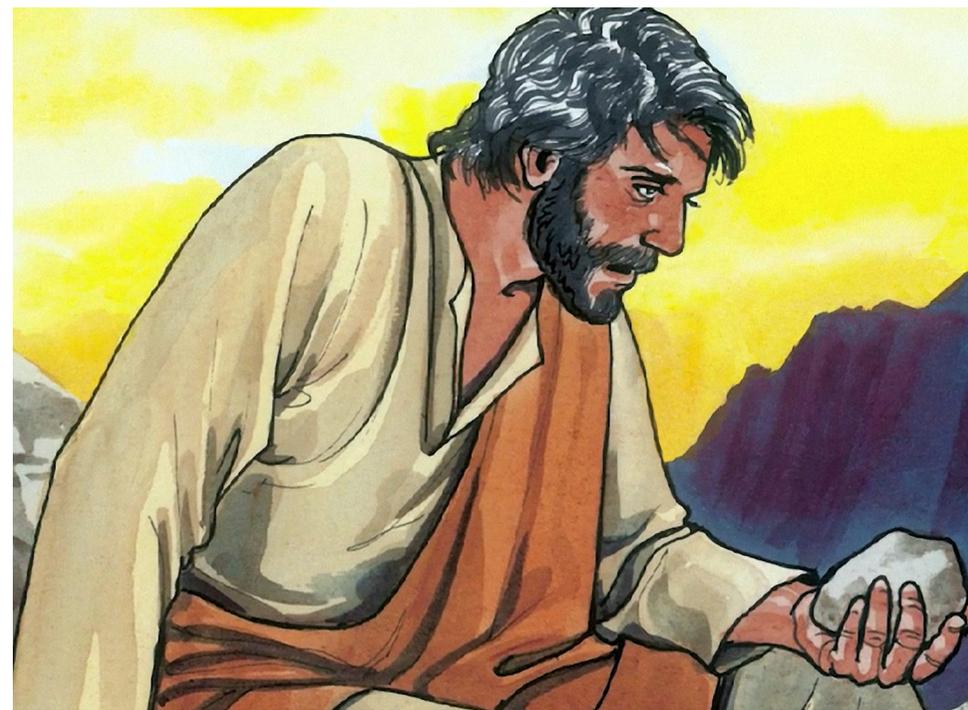
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Karate (Fridays)

Spring Vale News

News for the week 22 - 28 February 2026

Welcome to our communion service will be led by Rev Joseph Suray. Next week (1 March) we have All Age Worship led by David Foster.



Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. After fasting forty days and forty nights, He was hungry. The tempter came to Him and said, "If You are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread." But Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"

Family Film Night

This is our first Film Night and is on Saturday 28 February at 6:00pm. This one is designed for all the family and is an animation of Charles Dickens telling Jesus' story.

Come along with the family it is free but donations welcomed and if it's a success we may make it a regular event.

Coming next month - Beetle Drive - Saturday 21 March

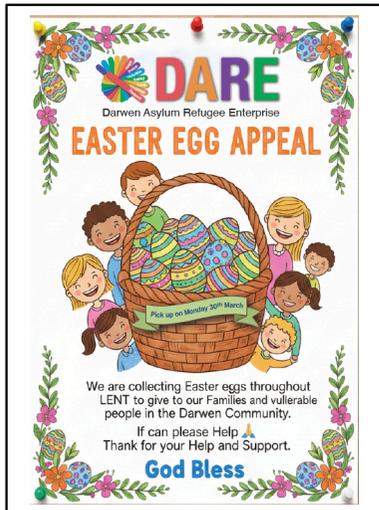
Coming in April - Quiz Night - Saturday 18 April

Bible Group

We have started on our Lent Course and this Thursday we are looking at John 3:1-17 and the theme is "Let go of form, embrace the spirit". We meet at 6:30 for a meal, watch a video on the theme and then have a discussion. All welcome.

Circuit Operations Manager

We are seeking to recruit a full time Circuit Operation Manager for the West Pennine Moors Methodist Circuit. 30 hours per week @ £15.73 per hour (£24,540 per year). If you are interested rev Joseph Suray on revdjsuray@gmail.com for more details and an application pack.



Easter Egg Appeal

DARE are having their annual Easter Egg appeal. They are collecting Easter Eggs for the vulnerable members of our community.

If you can help please bring them along on a Sunday morning and we will pass them onto DARE

Rotas

	This week	Next week
Flowers	Margaret Huggill	Shelagh Corran
Bible Reading	Nike Adebenro Jane Hollows	Donna Boothman Sunday School
Technology	Donna Boothman	Philemon

Church Council

Our next Church Council is on Sunday 8 March at Bright St after our services. If you would like to attend and need a lift ask one of the stewards. Here is the Agenda

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| 1 | Opening devotions | 2 | Apologies |
| 3 | Minutes of the last meeting | 4 | Matters arising |
| 5 | Stewards reports | 6 | Junior Church report |
| 7 | Property reports | a) Spring Vale | b) Bright Street |
| 8 | Finance report | 9 | Future plans |
| 10 | Circuit/District/Connexional update | 11 | Safeguarding/GDPR |
| 12 | Any other business | 13 | Date of Next Meeting |

What's on this week

Monday 7:15pm

Tuesday 10:30am

Tuesday 2:00 pm

Thursday 9:30 am

Thursday 6:30pm

Friday pm

Saturday 6:00 pm

Fellowship Group @ Bright St

Stay & Play @ Spring Vale

Craft Group @ Spring Vale

Stay & Play @ Bright St

Bible Group @ Spring Vale - Lent 2

Time Group @ Bright St

Family Film Night