

Deanery of Almondbury

Parish/Benefice	Other Churches in parish	LEP Detail	Covenant Detail	Churches Together	Fraternal Detail	Story	Year
Newsome St John*	Newsome South Methodist*	Ang/Meth*	Yes*			*Long established LEP. Strong links with other churches in group not in LEP. Regular united services and Lent groups. Self-supporting charity shop, staffed by church members and others, feeds income to all in LEP and enables employment of part time Community Worker, community grants, pastoral scheme and subsidised gardening scheme for elderly/disabled.	2009
Armitage Bridge St Paul*	N/A	Ang/Meth*	Yes*				
Rashcliffe and Lockwood St Stephen	Lockwood Baptist	N/A	N/A				
South Crosland Holy Trinity	Netherton Methodist	N/A	N/A				
Moldgreen Christ Church	Moldgreen Meth	N/A	N/A			There is a good history of churches supporting and working together. However due to interregnums or pending interregnum the links are not strong at present.	2009
Rawthorpe St James	Moldgreen URC						
	St. Josephs RC						
	Dalton Baptist						

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Almondbury All Hallows Farnley Tyas St Lucius Almondbury St Michael and St Helen	Baptist Methodist Roman Catholic	N/A	N/A			<p>Together we run our local Community cafe; have united services and share Lent and Advent courses along with the leaders of the different churches, meeting for a working lunch approximately every two months. We also invite each other to social events and try to avoid putting on events at the same time.</p> <p>We and the Methodists also share Remembrance, Good Friday, Palm Sunday and Ash Wednesday services. Recently we have also started preaching in each others church on Sundays.</p> <p>We are now at the point of seeing how we can further our work together.</p>	2009

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Kirkheaton St John Grange Moor St Bartholomew	Kirkheaton United Church St Joseph's RC	N/A	N/A	No	No	We have been building links with the United church since 2005. We regularly run joint discussion events with food; have done two joint 'Posadas' with figures and a third 'live Posada'; joint summer Brass Band concerts and picnic for several years – and are looking to do more. No current work with St Josephs	2009
Honley St Mary Brockholes St George	Honley Methodist Elim Pentecostal Brockholes Meth	N/A	N/A	Yes, meet regularly	No	Long established Churches Together in Honley and Brockholes. Joint services organised throughout the year.	2009

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Meltham St Bartholomew Meltham Mills St James Helme Christ Church Wilshaw St Mary the Virgin	Baptist Methodist RC	N/A	N/A	C/T in Meltham	Not at present	<p>Meltham Churches Together meets regularly and works to promote our Christian faith amongst the community of Meltham. Activities include joint services, Lent/Advent groups, weekly house bible study groups, "Messy" church, Crossroads Charity Shop and Crossroads Centre.</p> <p>Through the work of the Crossroads Shop and Centre, Meltham C/T supports local talent and activities through offering grants to a wide variety of local organisations, hosts Advice Centre (including CAB).</p> <p>C/T also supports Uganda Mustard Seed project (£500K in last 12 years) and operation Christmas Child.</p>	2009