

## PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS PRAYER

**GROUP:** Wednesdays- 2.30pm Nigeria: Open Doors has been supporting 15,000 Christian families in Maiduguri displaced by the Boko Haram insurgency. As the humanitarian crisis continues to escalate. Pray that Open Doors partners will be able to reach more desperate families with life-saving relief aid.

**REFRESH:** Praying & Learning Together- Wednesday at 7.00pm. In the coming weeks we shall be looking at the Book of Acts.

All Welcome.

**ART/DRAWING DROP-IN:** Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2-4.30pm with Pam Grant, local artist in the Upper Room. For further information contact Pam 0798 1999 845

### JONATHAN'S ORDINATION

Jonathan is to be Ordained Priest at Carlisle Cathedral on Saturday July 1st at 2.30pm. If you are planning / would like to go along to support him please see Carol in the Church Office so that we can arrange tickets and confer about sharing lifts. Please hold Jonathan in your Prayers.

### DEPUTY WARDENS/SIDEMEN MEETING:

There will be a short meeting after church on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June for Deputy Wardens and Sidesmen. For further details please see Brian Lewis or Margaret Douglas.

## This Week:

**Enquiries: (Tel: 44596)** The Parish Office is open Monday to Wednesday 9.00am-3.30pm  
E-Mail: office@stmaryswindermere.co.uk

**MORNING PRAYER:** This week will be at 8.00am Monday–Thursday.

A quiet & helpful way to begin the day

### Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June

1.30pm MU Choir Rehearsal – Addison Room.

### Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

5.45pm Quiet Space  
7.00pm Safeguarding Meeting – Upper Room

### Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June

10.00am Holy Communion followed by Coffee  
12.30pm Clergy Lunch  
2.30pm Persecuted Christians Prayer Time  
7.00pm REFRESH: Praying & Learning Together- Upper Room

### From our Book of Remembrance:

This week we remember: Janet Elers, Irene Platts, John Moffat, Harry Bramham, Jack Connell and George Hersey.

# The Word... ...This Week

4<sup>th</sup>  
June  
2017



## Day of Pentecost

8.00am Holy Communion (CW)  
9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)  
at Jesus Church Troutbeck  
11.00am Sunday Celebration  
6.00pm Holy Communion with Prayers  
for Wholeness and Healing

## Today's Music:

Introit	163	Father, Lord of all creation
Gradual	114	Come down, O love divine
Offertory	37	Angel voices ever singing
Communion	84	Breathe on me, breath of God
Recessional	352	Jesus is Lord
Organist:		Denis Aldersea

**If you are a visitor to Windermere or this is the first time you have worshipped with us, do make yourself known to one of the Sidesmen. We hope you will find this worship helpful and enjoyable and that you will join us again. You are warmly invited to join us for Coffee etc. after the 11.00am Service.**

Gluten Free Wafers are available – please see Wardens & Sidesmen if this would be helpful.

### ***Our Purpose:***

We are here to help everyone to know and grow in the love of God through prayer, worship, teaching and service.

### ***Our Vision:***

A thriving, growing Christian community.

## Next Sunday: 11<sup>th</sup> June

### Trinity Sunday

8.00am NO SERVICE  
9.30am Matins (BCP)  
at Jesus Church. Troutbeck  
11.00am Sunday Celebration

## The First Reading

Acts 2:1-21 p249

*A reading from the Acts of the Apostles*

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. <sup>5</sup> Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. <sup>6</sup> And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. <sup>7</sup> Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?' <sup>8</sup> And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, <sup>11</sup> Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' <sup>12</sup> All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' <sup>13</sup> But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.' <sup>14</sup> But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. <sup>15</sup> Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup> "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. <sup>18</sup> Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup> And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. <sup>20</sup> The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. <sup>21</sup> Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

## Psalm 84

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts! My soul has a desire and longing to enter the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God. The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young: at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

Blessed are they who dwell in your house: they will always be praising you.

Blessed are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion,

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

Who going through the barren valley find there a spring, and the early rains will clothe it with blessing. They will go from strength to strength and appear before God in Zion.

O Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer; listen, O God of Jacob.

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

Behold our defender, O God, and look upon the face of your anointed. For one day in your courts is better than a thousand.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of ungodliness.

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

For the Lord God is both sun and shield; he will give grace and glory; no good thing shall the Lord withhold from those who walk with integrity.

O Lord God of hosts, blessed are those who put their trust in you.

**R: Blessed are those whose strength is in you.**

**Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen**

## The Gospel Reading

John 20:19-23 p254

*Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John*

19 When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' 20 After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. 21 Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' 22 When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. 23 If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

### **This week you are invited to pray for:**

- Those who live in Holly Road and Holly Terrace
- The Mothers' Union
- Homeless people who pass through our Parish