

Notices:

PRAYER CARDS: Please see the list for September on the notice board in the North Aisle. If you would be able to deliver cards please sign up and collect the cards from the office.

PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS PRAYER GROUP: Wednesdays at 2.30pm in the Addison Room. Please ask Pat for more info. Tel. 07814 316177.

WINSTER HARVEST EVENSONG: 20th September- 4pm. at Winster Parish Church. Please see sign-up sheet on the notice board in the North Aisle **by 9th September** (so that we can give notice regarding catering) If you are able to offer anyone a lift, please state this on the sheet.

PHOTOCOPYING: Is now available from the Parish Office Black/White 5p per copy/Colour 10p per copy. See Carol in the Parish Office.

1945 PARISH MAGAZINE: During a recent look through the archives, we came across a copy of the Christmas Edition of St. Mary's Parish Magazine dated 1945. If anyone would like a copy please let Carol – Parish Administrator know. 50p per copy.

Thankyou: to those who have helped prepare our Celebrations today- especially the catering.

Thankyou: for your generous `birthday gift` to our common fund

From our Book of Remembrance: *This week we remember:*
Winifred Ayres, Colin Robson, Colin Whiteside and Jack Campbell

This week we hold in our prayers:

- Those who live in Heaning, Misset, Borrans and the farms nearby
- Members of our PCC who meet this week.
- The teachers of St. Martin & St. Mary School as they return to work.

Next Sunday: 13th September 2015

Fifteenth Sunday of Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

11.00am Sunday Celebration

Learning Together this Autumn

“Exploring the Ten Commandments

.....Just a list of do`s and don`ts?”

Please see the sign-up sheet in the North Aisle

Wednesday Evenings at St. Mary`s (7pm)

9th 16th 23rd Sep / 21st 28th Oct / 4th 18th 25th Nov / 2nd 9th Dec

All Welcome

The Word... ...This Week

Welcome:

6th September 2015

St. Mary Patronal Festival

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

11.00am Sunday Patronal Celebration

Today's Music:

Introit		Who are we, who stand and sing?
Gradual	631	Tell out, my soul
Offertory	485	O for a thousand tongues to sing
Communion	67	Be still for the presence
Recessional	205	Glorious things of thee
Today's 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.

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www.christianity.org.uk

If you require the assistance of the Loop System please set your hearing Aid to the `T` setting

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.

The First Reading Isaiah 60:1-6

A reading from the Book of the prophet Isaiah

Arise, shine; for your light has come,
and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you.
For darkness shall cover the earth,
and thick darkness the peoples;
but the LORD will arise upon you,
and his glory will appear over you.
Nations shall come to your light,
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

Lift up your eyes and look around;
they all gather together, they come to you;
your sons shall come from far away,
and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms.
Then you shall see and be radiant;
your heart shall thrill and rejoice,
because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you,
the wealth of the nations shall come to you.
A multitude of camels shall cover you,
the young camels of Midian and Ephah;
all those from Sheba shall come.
They shall bring gold and frankincense,
and shall proclaim the praise of the LORD.

The Gospel Reading Luke 1:26-38

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name was Mary. And he came to her and said, 'Greetings, favoured one! The Lord is with you.' But she was much perplexed by his words and pondered what sort of greeting this might be. The angel said to her, 'Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favour with God. And now, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you will name him Jesus. He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give to him the throne of his ancestor David.

He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.'

Mary said to the angel, 'How can this be, since I am a virgin?' The angel said to her, 'The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be holy; he will be called Son of God. And now, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son; and this is the sixth month for her who was said to be barren. For nothing will be impossible with God.' Then Mary said, 'Here am I, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word.' Then the angel departed from her.

This Week: Enquiries: (Tel: 44596)

The Parish Office is open Monday to Thursday 9.00am-3.30pm

E-Mail: office@stmaryswindermere.co.uk

THE VICAR is always happy to Visit- do ask or Tel: 43032.

The Text of Sermons & articles can be found on the **VICAR'S BLOG:**
davidmwilmot.wordpress.com/

MORNING PRAYER: This week will be at 8.00am Monday–Thursday
A quiet and helpful way to begin the day.

Monday 7th	1.30pm	W.I. Craft Group – Harrison Room
	7.00pm	St. Mary's PCC Meeting – Upper Room
Tuesday 8th	9.30am	Deanery Chapter Meeting – Grange
	5.30pm	Quiet Space – North Aisle
	7.00pm	Jesus Church PCC Meeting – Upper Room
Wednesday 9th	10.00am	Holy Communion followed by
	10.45am	Connect Coffee Morning
	1.45pm	Baptism Preparation Meeting
	2.30pm	Persecuted Christians Prayer Time
	7.00pm	REFRESH – Exploring the Ten Commandments (1)
Thursday 10th	11.30am	Wedding Preparation Day Planning Meeting Addison Room
	1.00pm	Windermere Ministers` Lunch- Carver URC
Saturday 12th	10.00am	C-Art Studio Silk Painting Workshop – Harrison Room