

## **Notices:**

**SEWING/KNITTING GROUP:** The Sewing Group meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month in the North Aisle – more information from Patricia.

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

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

**REFRESH: Praying & Learning Together:** We resume our exploration of the Ten Commandments this Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm

**PAINTING ON SILK WORKSHOP** Saturday 23rd January 10.00am 4.00pm. £40 incl all materials. Drinks provided-bring a packed lunch. Please book with Margaret Wilmot.  
Tel: 43032. hueanddye@hotmail.co.uk

**From our Book of Remembrance:** *This week we remember:*

Joan Fraser, Albert Thompson, Lilian Foster, Brian Jones, Dorothy Willison, Eric Laidler, Edward Toolan, Ethel Mossop, Claire Gledhill, Mary Laidler, Edward Miller and Caroline Dunn.

**This week we hold in our prayers:**

- Those who live in Patterdale Road and Rayrigg Road.
- Local Hotel staff.
- Local post office staff and those who deliver the post.

## **Next Sunday:** 17<sup>th</sup> January 2016

### **Second Sunday of Epiphany**

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
11.00am Sunday Celebration  
6.00pm Evensong

## ***The Word... ...This Week***

### **Welcome:**

10<sup>th</sup> January 2016

### **First Sunday of Epiphany**

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
11.00am Sunday Celebration



### **Today's Music:**

Introit	552	O Worship the Lord
Gradual	684	Thou whose almighty word
Offertory	609	Songs of thankfulness
Communion	84	Breathe on me breath of God
Recessional	137	Crown him with many crowns
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.

**[www.stmaryswindermere.co.uk](http://www.stmaryswindermere.co.uk)**

[www.christianity.org.uk](http://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 43:1-7 p773

*A reading from the book of Isaiah*

But now thus says the LORD,  
he who created you, O Jacob,  
he who formed you, O Israel:  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name, you are mine.  
When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;  
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,  
and the flame shall not consume you.  
For I am the LORD your God,  
the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour.  
I give Egypt as your ransom,  
Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.  
Because you are precious in my sight,  
and honoured, and I love you,  
I give people in return for you,  
nations in exchange for your life.  
Do not fear, for I am with you;  
I will bring your offspring from the east,  
and from the west I will gather you;  
I will say to the north, 'Give them up',  
and to the south, 'Do not withhold';  
bring my sons from far away  
and my daughters from the end of the earth—  
everyone who is called by my name,  
whom I created for my glory,  
whom I formed and made.'

## The Gospel Reading

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 p775

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

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.

His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

## **This Week: Enquiries: (Tel: 44596)**

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

E-Mail: [office@stmaryswindermere.co.uk](mailto:office@stmaryswindermere.co.uk)

**MORNING PRAYER:** This week will be at 8.00am

Monday–Thursday. A quiet and helpful way to begin the day.

**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/](http://davidmwilmot.wordpress.com/)

<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	A.E. Continuation Italian- Upper Rm
	4.30pm	Rainbows/Brownies/Guides- H`son Rm
<b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	9.30am	Finance Management Team Meeting
	9.30am	Clergy Chapter Mtg. at St. Martins
	1.00pm	Watercolour Art – Upper Room
	1.00pm	Textile Art – Harrison Room
	3.30pm	Funeral: Ann Dukes RIP
<b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	5.30pm	Quiet Space
	10.00am	Holy Communion followed by Coffee
	2.30pm	Persecuted Christians Prayer Group
	7.00pm	REFRESH – Upper Room
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup></b>	9.00am	Vicar at School Assembly
	10.00am	Vicar at School Assembly
	1.30pm	Mothers' Union Choir – Addison Rm