

## Notices:

**SEWING/KNITTING GROUP:** Meet in the North Aisle the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month at 2pm. For further information contact Patricia Platt

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

**MYANMAR, BURMA –** Pray for the political situation in Myanmar where nationalists are seeking to overthrow the new Christian Vice President. Buddhist Leader V. Agga Dhamma has said he will lobby for the constitution to be amended so only Buddhists can be appointed to political positions.

**CURATE:** Our new Curate Jonathan Gillespie will be ordained at Carlisle Cathedral at 10.30am on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June. If you would like to attend please speak to the Vicar. We will be holding a special service at 6pm that evening to welcome Jonathan, followed by refreshments (Jacob's Join - see sign-up sheet in the North Aisle.)

**CHURCH BOOKSTALL:** a NEW Selection of Books on Christian themes is available on the Bookstall in the North Aisle. Courtesy of Market Place Books in Kendal.

**REFRESH- Praying and Learning together:** Wednesday at 7pm.

**STRAWBERRY TEA: Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1-4pm**

If anyone would like to donate Raffle Prizes, bake cakes or donate items for a Nearly New Stall, please see Patricia – Verger or Carol in the office.

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

Denys Hudson, George Gibbons, Daphne Eyre, John Simeon, Jane Brockbank, Vera George, Dorothy Yates, Dorothea Vine, Katherine Smith, Edith Fountain and Catherine Bridge.

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

- Those who live in Park Road and Oakthwaite Road
- Local post office staff and those who deliver the post.
- The staff at the Tourist Information Centre.

## Next Sunday: 19<sup>th</sup> June 2016

### **Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

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

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you require the assistance of the Loop System please set your hearing Aid to the `T` setting (The loop system was serviced on 21<sup>st</sup> March. If you are experiencing problems please ask your hearing aid dispenser. Not all modern hearing aids have a `T` setting.)

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

### Welcome:

12<sup>th</sup> June 2016

### **Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
11.00am Sunday Celebration

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

Introit	379	Lead us heavenly Father
Gradual	281	He who would valiant be
Offertory	67	Be still for the presence
Communion	649	The King of love my shepherd is The National Anthem
Recessional	756	Ye servants of God

Before going tea/coffee you are welcome to gather outside at the West End of Church as we inter the Ashes of our good friend Rev. Reg Harper

**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)

***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**      **Galatians 2:15-21**    page 913

*A reading from the letter of Paul to the Galatians*

We ourselves are Jews by birth and not Gentile sinners; yet we know that a person is justified not by the works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ. And we have come to believe in Christ Jesus, so that we might be justified by faith in Christ, and not by doing the works of the law, because no one will be justified by the works of the law. But if, in our effort to be justified in Christ, we ourselves have been found to be sinners, is Christ then a servant of sin? Certainly not! But if I build up again the very things that I once tore down, then I demonstrate that I am a transgressor. For through the law I died to the law, so that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. I do not nullify the grace of God; for if justification comes through the law, then Christ died for nothing.

## **The Gospel Reading**      **Luke 7:36-8:3**    page 914

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

One of the Pharisees asked Jesus to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee's house and took his place at the table. And a woman in the city, who was a sinner, having learned that he was eating in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster jar of ointment. She stood behind him at his feet, weeping, and began to bathe his feet with her tears and to dry them with her hair. Then she continued kissing his feet and anointing them with the ointment. Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself, 'If this man were a prophet, he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him—that she is a sinner.' Jesus spoke up and said to him, 'Simon, I have something to say to you.' 'Teacher,' he replied, 'speak.' 'A certain creditor had two debtors; one owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. When they could not pay he cancelled the debts for both of them. Now which of them will love him more?' Simon answered, 'I suppose the one for whom he cancelled the greater debt.' And Jesus said to him, 'You have judged rightly.' Then turning towards the woman, he said to Simon, 'Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave me no water for my feet, but she has bathed my feet with her tears and dried them with her hair.

You gave me no kiss, but from the time I came in she has not stopped kissing my feet. You did not anoint my head with oil, but she has anointed my feet with ointment. Therefore, I tell you, her sins, which were many, have been forgiven; hence she has shown great love. But the one to whom little is forgiven, loves little.' Then he said to her, 'Your sins are forgiven.' But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves, 'Who is this who even forgives sins?' And he said to the woman, 'Your faith has saved you; go in peace.'

## **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.

<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	9.30am	Finance Team Meeting – Addison Rm.
	4.00pm	Rainbows/Brownies/Guides – Harrison Rm.
<b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup></b>	9.30am	Clergy Chapter – Church/Upper Rm.
	10.00am	Little Pips in Church
	5.30pm	Quiet Space
<b>Wednesday 15<sup>h</sup></b>	10.00am	Holy Communion & Coffee Time
	2.30pm	Persecuted Christians Prayer Time
	7.00pm	REFRESH- Upper Room
<b>Thursday 16<sup>h</sup></b>	10.00am	Birthwaite Flats Coffee Morning
	11.30am	Funeral Joan Kenny RIP

God save our gracious Queen!

Long live our noble Queen!

God save the Queen!

Send her victorious,

Happy and glorious,

Long to reign over us,

God save the Queen.

Thy choicest gifts in store

On her be pleased to pour,

Long may she reign.

May she defend our laws,

And ever give us cause,

To sing with heart and voice,

God save the Queen.