Notices:

PRAYER CARDS: Please see the list for July 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.

Church Bookstall: There is a new selection of Christian Books available in the North Aisle- courtesy of Market Place Books in Kendal.

THANK YOU: A very big thank you to Carole and Ian Hewitson who very kindly cleared the paths of moss in readiness for Duckett's who will be resurfacing them during August.

SPONSOR LYNDA: 5k Race for Life down in Portsmouth on Sunday, 19th July, alongside my sister-in-law Debbie Durrell who has been diagnosed with secondary sarcoma cancer in her lungs, and alongside her daughters and extended family. We also have another member of the family (Kristian) struggling with stomach cancer (he is 35!) and I have three other friends struggling with stomach and bowel cancer. We all know friends, family and neighbours and acquaintances who have and are struggling with cancer. If you would like to support me to support raising money for cancer research please complete the sponsor form on the notice board in the North Aisle. Thank you very, very much, Lynda.

FOR YOUR DIARY:

- St. Mary's 'Birthday Party' (our Patronal Festival) with buffet lunch. Sunday 6th September at 11.00am
- Harvest Thanksgiving: Sunday 20th September 11.00am
- Advent Quiet Day: Thursday 26th November in Grange

From our Book of Remembrance: *This week we remember:* Madge Babbington, William Wright. Brian Wilson, Mary Dungworth, Roger Dobson, John Marchant, Peggy Holland and George Mossop.

This week we hold in our prayers:

- Those who live in Limethwaite Road and Oakthwaite Road.
- Members of the Deanery Synod who are meeting this week.
- Our local Mountain Rescue Teams.

Next Sunday: 19th July 2015

Seventh Sunday of Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
11.00am Sunday Celebration

6.00pm Songs of Praise at Jesus Church, Troutbeck

The Word... ...This Week

Welcome:

12th July 2015

Trinity 6

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

11.00am Sunday Celebration & Baptism Oscar William Aitken

6.00pm Evensong

Today's Music:

Introit 631 Tell out, my soul

Gradual 541 O thou who camest from above

Offertory 503 O Jesus I have promised

Communion 649 The King of love my shepherd is

Recessional 756 Ye servants of God 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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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 Ephesians 1:3-14

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A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ* before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

The Gospel Reading Mark 6:14-29 page 625

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, 'John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him.' But others said, 'It is Elijah.' And others said, 'It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old.' But when Herod heard of it, he said, 'John, whom I beheaded, has been raised.'

For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. For John had been telling Herod, 'It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife.' And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him.

When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, 'Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it.' And he solemnly swore to her, 'Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom.' She went out and said to her mother, 'What should I ask for?' She replied, 'The head of John the baptizer.' Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, 'I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.'

The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

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 13 th	4.30pm	Rainbows/Brownies/Guides –Harrison Rm
Tuesday 14th	12.30pm	Clergy Chapter Meeting- Troutbeck
	5.30pm	Quiet Space – North Aisle
	7.30pm	Deanery Synod Meeting – Harrison Room
Wednesday 15 th	10.00am	Holy Communion followed by
	10.45am	Connect Coffee Morning
	2.30pm	Persecuted Christians Prayer Time
	7.00pm	Refresh – Upper Room
Saturday 18 th	1.00pm	Strawberry Tea at St. Mary's
•	-	All Welcome.