

Notices:

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.

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH: Sunday 25th October – See sign-up sheet on the notice board in the North Aisle. Roast Beef Dinner – suggested donations of £6.50 per head.

From our Book of Remembrance: *This week we remember:*
George Rothera, Arthur Heighton, Dorothy Nicholson, John Waring and Joan Jourdain.

This week we hold in our prayers:

- Those who live in New Road
- Volunteers working in our local Charity Shops.
- The staff and patients at our local hospitals.

Next Sunday: 4th October 2015

Eighteenth Sunday of Trinity

8.00am NO SERVICE
11.00am Sunday Celebration

The Word... ...This Week

Welcome:

27th September 2015



Seventeenth Sunday of Trinity

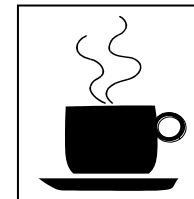
8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
11.00am Sunday Celebration

Today's Music:

Introit	To God be the Glory
Gradual	One more step along the world I go
Offertory	Lord of the Dance
Communion	Be still for the presence of the Lord
Recessional	Walk in the Light
Organist	Philip Burton

(The improvised organ music after the gospel and at the end of the service are to commemorate the 100 year anniversary of the Woman's Institute.)

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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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

James 5.13-20 page 691

A Reading from the Letter of James

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest.

My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

The Gospel Reading

Mark 9.38-50 page 692

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

John said to him, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward.

'If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell., And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the

kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched.

'For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

This Week: Enquiries: (Tel: 44596)

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

E-Mail: office@stmaryswindermere.co.uk

Please note the Vicar is now on holiday until 21st October.

Monday 28th	10.00am	A.E. Continuation Italian – Upper Rm
	4.30pm	Rainbows/Brownies – Harrison Rm.
Tuesday 29th	10.00am	Little Pips
	1.00pm	Watercolour Painting Class – Upper Rm
	1.00pm	Dressmaking/Textile Art – Harrison Rm
Wednesday 30th	5.30pm	Quiet Space – North Aisle
	10.00am	Holy Communion (By Extension) followed by
	10.45am	Connect Coffee Morning
	2.30pm	Persecuted Christians Prayer Group