

## Notices

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please contact the Parish Office on 810616.  
[www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk](http://www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk)

### Services on Sunday

10.30am Family Worship  
6.30pm Evening Worship

### Preacher

Kevin Roberts  
John Libby

### Cummersdale

10.30am Harvest Service Eddie Scrase-Field

Mon 11 10.00am Parent & Toddler Bible Study  
2.45pm Women's Fellowship

12/13/14 Homegroups as arranged

Wed 13 10.00 am and 1.30pm Toddlers

Thur 14 10.30am Sticky Fingers  
7.30pm Music Practice

Fri 15 7.00pm Denton St Prayer meeting  
7.45pm Badminton & Table Tennis

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10.30am Holy Communion  
6.30pm Evening Worship

### Preacher

John Libby  
Keith Mallon

### Cummersdale

10.30am Morning Worship Frank Tebbutt

## Information

**Bishop James Teaching Day** - Saturday 16 October,  
9.30am-2.30pm, at St James Parish Centre looking at  
'What is the Kingdom of God'. Please see the leaflet on  
the Notice Board for further details.

**Prayer Meetings for Trinity School:** Would you like to  
join a group who meet to pray regularly for the staff and  
pupils of Trinity school? 8.30-9.30am 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>  
Thursday of every month (except during school holidays)  
at Ruth Westfall's house, 20 Melbourne Road, Carlisle,  
CA1 2DW. Tel: 533420. For more details contact Ruth or  
Dawn Mallon on 592930, [dawn.mallon@ict.om.org](mailto:dawn.mallon@ict.om.org)

Could you spare one morning a week to help out in the  
Parish Office? Mary is looking for a volunteer for the  
Reception on Wednesdays from 9.00-12.00am.

## JUST LOOKING!

Just Looking is just what it says: it's an  
opportunity to take a closer look at the  
Christian faith, but with no pressure to  
do anything more than just look. Please join us for  
a meal, a talk, a time for discussion, and a chance  
to make new friends. **Next course starts,  
Tuesday 12 October 7:30pm in the Parish Centre.**



### Please Pray For:

Those who are ill or in hospital at this time, especially  
Fiona Hurley, Peggy Fluck, Glenda Davidson, Maureen  
Richardson, Joyce Mason, Doreen Marrs and Peggy Yarker.

Family and friends of Mabel Marshall in their bereavement.  
Mabel's funeral will take place in church on Friday 15th at  
12.00 noon.

**Flowers on the Font:** In loving memory of Violet Bailey  
from John, Jean and the family

Please feel free to take this service sheet away with you

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# SAINT JAMES CHURCH CARLISLE

**Family Worship and Baptism  
10.30am, Sunday, 10th October, 2010**



Welcome to our service this morning and a special  
welcome to Daniel and his family as he comes to join our  
Christian family through baptism. We also welcome  
Kevin Roberts as our guest speaker this morning as we  
continue our series looking at both the blessings and  
costs of being a Christian

*There is a programme in the Parish Centre for children up to  
the age of 12, and any children visiting us today are asked to  
join in those activities. The children will go over to the Parish  
Centre after the first part of this service. There is also a Creche  
available for parents and babies.*

*If you have a mobile telephone, please ensure that it is  
turned off during the service. Thank you.*

*If you are new to St. James  
please fill in one of the welcome cards on the pews.*

## Welcome

Opening Sentence:

"...any of you who does not give up everything he has  
cannot be my disciple." Luke 14:33

## Songs

**Light of the world,**  
You stepped down into darkness,  
Opened my eyes, let me see  
Beauty that made this heart adore You,  
Hope of a life spent with You.

*So here I am to worship,  
Here I am to bow down,  
Here I am to say that You're my God;  
And You're altogether lovely,  
Altogether worthy,  
Altogether wonderful to me.*

King of all days,  
Oh so highly exalted,  
Glorious in heaven above;  
Humbly You came  
To the earth You created,  
All for love's sake became poor.

And I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross.  
(Repeat)

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**Open the eyes of my heart, Lord,**  
Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You,  
I want to see You.

*(Repeat)*

*To see You high and lifted up,  
Shining in the light of Your glory.  
Pour out Your power and love,  
As we sing holy, holy, holy.*

*High and lifted up...*

Holy, holy, holy,  
Holy, holy, holy,  
Holy, holy, holy,  
I want to see You.

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### **Time of confession:**

Lord Jesus Christ we confess we have failed you as did  
your first disciples.

We ask for your mercy and your help.

Our selfishness betrays you:

Lord, forgive us.

**Christ have mercy**

We fail to share the pain of your suffering:

Lord, forgive us.

**Christ have mercy**

We run away from those who abuse you:

Lord, forgive us.

**Christ have mercy**

We are afraid of being known to belong to you:

Lord, forgive us.

**Christ have mercy**

### **Assurance of forgiveness**

May God, our heavenly Father, who has promised to  
forgive all those who sincerely turn to him: have mercy  
on us. May he deliver us from all our sins, and strengthen  
us for his service, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Song**

**Your love is amazing,**  
Steady and unchanging;  
Your love is a mountain,  
Firm beneath my feet.  
Your love is a mystery,  
How You gently lift me;  
When I am surrounded,  
Your love carries me.

*Hallelujah, hallelujah,  
Hallelujah, Your love makes me sing.  
Hallelujah, hallelujah,  
Hallelujah, Your love makes me sing.*

Your love is surprising,  
I can feel it rising,  
All the joy that's growing  
Deep inside of me.  
Every time I see You,  
All Your goodness shines through,  
And I can feel this God song  
Rising up in me.

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### **Songs Before the Service**

**Your will, not mine,** that is what I desire to see,  
Walking in righteousness, and holy liberty.  
Your life, not mine, that is what I desire to live,  
Forgiving others, as always You forgive.

*I bow before Your majesty,  
I fall before Your throne;  
I cannot understand Your love,  
But I claim it as my own.  
I rise and stand before You  
As a living sacrifice;  
I seek to do Your will, O God,  
For the rest of my life.*

Your voice, not mine, that is what I desire to hear;  
Speak in the stillness and whisper in my ear.  
Your mind, not mine, that is what I desire to have;  
To prophesy Your word, release the captive heart.

Your race, not mine, that is what I desire to run;  
To finish off the work that others have begun.  
Your work, not mine, that is what I desire to do;  
To serve Your purposes, and worship only You.

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**Jesus, be the centre,**  
Be my source, be my light,  
Jesus.

Jesus, be the Centre,  
Be my hope, be my song,  
Jesus.

*Be the fire in my heart,  
Be the wind in these sails;  
Be the reason that I live,  
Jesus, Jesus.*

Jesus, be my vision,  
Be my path, be my guide,  
Jesus.

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**All that I am**

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**Sermon**  
The cost of discipleship

**Song**

*(During this song the offering will be taken up to the front)*

**O Jesus, I have promised**

To serve Thee to the end;  
Be Thou forever near me,  
My Master and my Friend;  
I shall not fear the battle  
If Thou art by my side,  
Nor wander from the pathway  
If Thou wilt be my Guide.

O let me feel Thee near me;  
The world is ever near;  
I see the sights that dazzle,  
The tempting sounds I hear;  
My foes are ever near me,  
Around me and within;  
But Jesus, draw Thou nearer,  
And shield my soul from sin.

O let me hear Thee speaking  
In accents clear and still,  
Above the storms of passion,  
The murmurs of self-will;  
O speak to reassure me,  
To hasten, or control;  
O speak, and make me listen,  
Thou Guardian of my soul.

O Jesus, Thou hast promised  
To all who follow Thee  
That where Thou art in glory  
There shall Thy servants be;  
And, Jesus, I have promised  
To serve Thee to the end;  
O give me grace to follow  
My Master and my Friend.

O let me see Thy footmarks,  
And in them plant mine own;  
My hope to follow duly  
Is in Thy strength alone.  
O guide me, call me, draw me,  
Uphold me to the end;  
And then in heaven receive me,  
My Saviour and my Friend.

*John Ernest Bode.*

**Offertory Prayer**

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory,  
the splendour, and the majesty;  
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

**All things come from you,  
and of your own do we give you.**

**Closing Prayer and Blessing**

**Please join us for refreshments  
in the Parish Centre**

**Baptism of a Child**  
Daniel Dick

We rejoice today with Daniel's family as they thank God for the gift of life and bring him for baptism.

Faith is the gift of God to His people. In baptism the Lord is adding to our number those whom He is calling. People of God, will you welcome Daniel and uphold him in his new life in Christ?

**All: With the help of God, we will.**

Parents and godparents, the Church receives Daniel with joy. Today we are trusting God for his growth in faith. Will you pray for him, draw him by your example into the community of faith, and walk with him in the way of Christ?

**Parents and godparents: With the help of God, we will.**

In baptism, God calls us out of darkness into his marvellous light. To follow Christ means dying to sin and rising to new life with him. Therefore I ask:

Do you reject the devil and all rebellion against God?

**Answer: I reject them**

Do you renounce the deceit and corruption of evil?

**Answer: I renounce them**

Do you repent of the sins that separate us from God and neighbour?

**Answer: I repent of them**

Do you turn to Christ as Saviour?

**Answer: I turn to Christ**

Do you submit to Christ as Lord?

**Answer: I submit to Christ**

Do you come to Christ, the way, the truth and the life?

**Answer: I come to Christ**

**Action Creed**

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!**

**We believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist.**

**We declare**

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!**

**We believe and trust in Jesus, God's only Son, who took our human nature, died for us and rose again.**

**We declare**

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!**

**We believe and trust in the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God and makes Jesus known in the world.**

**We declare**

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!**

Praise God who made heaven and earth.

**All: Who keeps his promise for ever.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Almighty God, whose son Jesus Christ was baptised in the River Jordan: we thank you for the gift of water to cleanse us and revive us.

Bless your servant who is washed in this water, that he may be cleansed and delivered from all sin.

In your time Lord, send your Holy Spirit upon him, bring him to new birth in the household of faith, and raise him with Christ to full and eternal life; for all might, majesty, authority and power are yours, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*The party moves to the font*

Daniel Stuart Dick

I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Christ claims you for His own. Receive the sign of His cross. Do not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified.

**All: Fight valiantly as a disciple of Christ  
against sin, the world and the devil,  
and remain faithful to Christ  
to the end of your life.**

May almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness, restore in you the image of His glory, and lead you in the light and obedience of Christ. **Amen.**

As Daniel grows up he will need the help and encouragement of the Christian community. As part of the Church of Christ, we all have a duty to support him by prayer, example and teaching. As parents and godparents, you have the prime responsibility for guiding and helping him in his early years. This is a demanding task for which you will need the help and grace of God. Therefore let us now pray for grace in guiding Daniel in the way of faith.

**Faithful and loving God, bless those who care for Daniel and grant them your gifts of love, wisdom and faith. Pour upon them your healing and reconciling love, and protect their home from all evil. Fill them with the light of your presence and establish them in the joy of your kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:  
Daniel by one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

**All: We welcome you into the fellowship of faith.  
We are children of the same heavenly Father;  
We welcome you.**

### Talk

### Song

(During the singing of this song young people up to the age of 12 are invited to leave for their own activities in the Parish Centre)

**All that I am I lay before You;  
All I possess, Lord, I confess  
Is nothing without You.  
Saviour and King, I now enthrone You;  
Take my life, my living sacrifice to You.**

*Continued...*

Lord, be the strength within my weakness;  
Be the supply in every need,  
That I may prove Your promises to me,  
Faithful and true in word and deed.

Into Your hands I place the future;  
The past is nailed to Calvary,  
That I may live in resurrection power,  
No longer I but Christ in me.

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### Notices

### Intercessions

**To:** Lord in your mercy  
**Please Respond:** Hear our Prayer

### The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen**

### Reading:

Luke Chapter 14 verses 25-33

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after the reading:

**Reader:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**All:** Thanks be to God.

### Song

**Breathe on me, breath of God,  
Fill me with life anew;  
That I may love what Thou dost love  
And do what Thou wouldst do.**

Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
Until my heart is pure;  
Until my will is one with Thine  
To do and to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
Till I am wholly Thine;  
Until this earthly part of me  
Glows with Thy fire divine.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
So shall I never die,  
But live with Thee the perfect life  
Of Thine eternity.

*Edwin Hatch*