

Notices

For further details on any of these events or activities,
please contact the Parish Office on 810616.
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Services this Sunday

10.30am Family Worship
6.30pm Evening Worship

Preacher

Joan Yarker
John Libby

Cummersdale

10.30am Holy Communion

Peter Bye

Services Next Sunday

10.30am Holy Communion
6.30pm Evening Worship

Preacher

Wendy Downey
Rod Allon-Smith

Cummersdale

10.30am Morning Worship

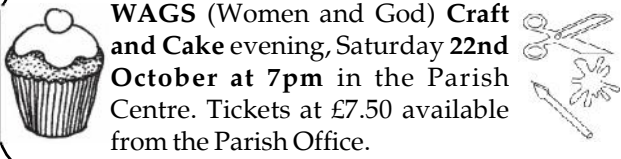
Joan Yarker

Mon 10 10.00am Parent & Toddler Bible Study
2.45pm Women's Fellowship
11/12/13 Homegroups as arranged
Wed 12 10.00 am and 1.30pm Toddlers
Thur 13 10.30am Sticky Fingers

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The all age 'Stand' worship evening is on **tonight** at Carlisle Christian Fellowship, Charlottle Street, 8.30pm onwards.

Please **pray** for the 'Gap' group (18s- 30s) as they enjoy some time away this weekend together at Kepplewray.



WAGS (Women and God) **Craft and Cake** evening, Saturday **22nd October at 7pm** in the Parish Centre. Tickets at £7.50 available from the Parish Office.

Please Pray For:

Those who are ill or in hospital at this time, especially Fiona Hurley, Peggy Fluck, Glenda Davidson, Ann Bailey, Joyce Mason, Rita Norman, Sam Harris and Joan White.

Flowers in Welcome area: J Carruthers

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S A I N T J A M E S C H U R C H C A R L I S L E

Family Worship
10.30am, Sunday, 9th October 2011



Welcome to our service of morning worship. This morning we continue looking at 1 Corinthians and the foundation of spiritual wisdom....

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. Thank you.

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

Welcome

Opening Sentence:

"For who has known the mind of the Lord that he may instruct him?" But we have the mind of Christ.

1 Corinthians Chapter 2 verse 16

Song

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessèd, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.
Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all life Thou givest, to both great and small;
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish; but naught changeth Thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;
All laud we would render: O help us to see
'Tis only the splendour of light hideth Thee.

Continued....

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.
Walter Chalmers Smith

We say sorry to God:

Lord Jesus, we are sorry for giving in to our own desires
instead of obeying your will.

In your love and mercy,

Please forgive us and help us to obey you better.

We are sorry for listening to the world around instead of
responding to your voice.

In your love and mercy,

Please forgive us and help us to listen better.

We are sorry for running after material things instead of
worshipping you.

In your love and mercy,

Please forgive us and help us to worship you better.

We are sorry for putting ourselves on the throne instead
of bowing before you, the King of kings.

In your love and mercy,

**Please forgive us and help us to serve you better. For
your own name's sake. Amen**

Assurance of forgiveness

Almighty God, who in Jesus Christ has given us a
kingdom that cannot be destroyed, forgive us our sins,
open our eyes to God's truth, strengthen us to do God's
will and give us the joy of his kingdom, through Jesus
Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Song

The spirit lives to set us free,

Walk, walk in the light;

He binds us all in unity,

Walk, walk in the light.

Walk in the light,

Walk in the light,

Walk in the light,

Walk in the light of the Lord

He died in pain on Calvary,

Walk, walk in the light;

To save the lost like you and me,

Walk, walk in the light.

By Jesus' love our wounds are healed,

Walk, walk in the light;

The Father's kindness is revealed,

Walk, walk in the light.

The Spirit lives in you and me,

Walk, walk in the light;

His light will shine for all to see,

Walk, walk in the light.

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Songs before the Service

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want.

He makes me lie in pastures green.
He leads me by the still, still waters,
His goodness restores my soul.

And I will trust in You alone.

And I will trust in You alone,

For Your endless mercy follows me,

Your goodness will lead me home.

(Descant)

I will trust, I will trust in You.

I will trust, I will trust in You.

Endless mercy follows me,

Goodness will lead me home.

He guides my ways in righteousness,
And He anoints my head with oil,
And my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on His pure delights.

And though I walk the darkest path,

I will not fear the evil one,

For You are with me, and Your rod and staff

Are the comfort I need to know.

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Lord, I come to You,

Let my heart be changed, renewed,

Flowing from the grace

That I found in You.

And Lord, I've come to know

The weaknesses I see in me

Will be stripped away

By the power of Your love.

Hold me close,

Let Your love surround me.

Bring me near, draw me to Your side.

And as I wait

I'll rise up like the eagle,

And I will soar with You,

Your Spirit leads me on

In the power of Your love.

Lord, unveil my eyes,

Let me see You face to face,

The knowledge of Your love

As You live in me.

Lord, renew my mind

As Your will unfolds in my life,

In living every day

By the power of Your love.

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Action Creed

Let us affirm, together our common faith in Jesus Christ:
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.
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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
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Talk

Who is really clever?

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)

May the mind of Christ my Saviour

Live in me from day to day,
By His love and power controlling
All I do and say.

May the word of God dwell richly
In my heart from hour to hour,
So that all may see I triumph
Only through His power.

May the peace of God my Father
Rule my life in everything,
That I may be calm to comfort
Sick and sorrowing.

May the love of Jesus fill me,
As the waters fill the sea;
Him exalting, self abasing,
This is victory.

May I run the race before me,
Strong and brave to face the foe,
Looking only unto Jesus,
As I onward go.

Kate B. Wilkinson (1859-1928)

Notices

Intercessions

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
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after the reading:

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Song

Who can know the mind of our Creator?

Who can speak of wonders yet unseen?
Who can reach the height of understanding,
To play the notes of wisdom's melody?

Who has weighed the dust of every mountain?
Who has walked the mysteries of the deep?
Who has laid the earth on its foundation
And who conducts the waves upon the sea?

*I stand in awe of You,
I stand in awe of You,
So glorious and true:
I stand in awe,
I stand in awe.*

You have seen the end from the beginning.
You have been before the world began.
You have reached to me within my darkness,
And in the light of mercy now I see.

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Sermon

The foundation of spiritual wisdom

Song

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

King of Kings, majesty,

God of heaven living in me.
Gentle Saviour, closest Friend,
Strong Deliverer, Beginning and End:
All within me falls at Your throne.

*Your majesty, I can but bow;
I lay my all before You now.
In royal robes I don't deserve,
I live to serve Your majesty.*

Earth and heaven worship You,
Love eternal, faithful and true,
Who bought the nations, ransomed souls,
Brought this sinner near to Your throne:
All within me cries out in praise.

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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

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