

## Notices

For further details on any of these events or activities,  
please contact the Parish Office on 810616.  
[www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk](http://www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk)

### Services this Sunday

10.30am Holy Communion  
6.30pm Evening Worship

### Preacher

Wendy Downey  
Rod Allon-Smith

### Cummersdale

10.30am Morning Worship

Joan Yarker

### Services Next Sunday

10.30am Holy Communion  
6.30pm Evening Worship

### Preacher

Peter Bye  
Nick Warner

### Cummersdale

10.30am Morning Worship

Wendy Downey

**Mon 17** 10.00am Parent & Toddler Bible Study  
2.45pm Women's Fellowship  
**Tues 18** 6.30pm Ladies Guild  
**Wed 19** 10.00 am and 1.30pm Toddlers  
7.30pm Cornerstone Prayer Meeting  
**Thur 20** 10.30am Sticky Fingers  
7.00pm Bereavement Support Group  
7.30pm PCC

### WAGS Craft and Cake evening

**Saturday 22nd October**

7.00pm in the Parish Centre.

**Last chance for Tickets**

(£7.50) available from the Parish  
Office or the WAGS team.



## Notices

**Annual Memorial Service 30th October:** If you would like someone's name to be included then please contact the Parish Office.

The Finance Committee and PCC will shortly be setting our budget for 2012. Due to the large outlay associated with Cornerstone it would be extremely helpful to know if anyone wishes to make an adjustment to their existing committed giving or would be interested in joining our freewill offering scheme (FWO). Please contact Alan Johnston, FWO Secretary, Tel 534725

### WANTED: Champion for Renewable Energy

If you have a heart for sourcing energy efficiency measures that could assist our church then we would love to hear from you. Please speak to either the Vicar or the Administrator.

### 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.

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

## CUMMERSDALE

### Morning Worship

10.30am, Sunday 16th October, 2011



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

### Welcome and Notices

#### 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*

### Hymn

**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.

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.

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*Walter Chalmers Smith*

We have come together in the name of Christ to offer our praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive God's holy word, to pray for the needs of the world, and to seek the forgiveness of our sins, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may give ourselves to the service of God.

### **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.**

### **The Apostles' Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Collect for the Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity**

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in  
you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to  
yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city  
where we shall see you face to face;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **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  
now and for ever. Amen.

Followed by:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with us all evermore. Amen.

### Song

**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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### Reading:

1 Corinthians Chapter 2 verses 1-16

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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?

*Continued....*

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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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### **Talk**

The foundation of spiritual wisdom

### **Hymn**

(During the singing of this song there will be a collection to support Christian mission and ministry through St. James. If you are a guest or visitor please feel free to pass the plate along)

#### **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)*

#### **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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