

The Parish Church of St Martin Bowness-on-Windermere



ST MARTIN'S

You're always welcome

Sixth Sunday after Trinity

8th July 2018

Keep in Touch!

A loop system is in operation for hearing aid users with a 'T' switch.

Large print copies of this sheet and the hymn book are available. Please ask if you would like one.

The children will join their group after the first hymn. The Tower Room at the back of the church is carpeted and available for parents with small children who wish to use it. A loudspeaker relay enables you to still be part of the service.

God for all, you reached out to the world in your Son Jesus Christ.

Help us to reach out in faith and love and witness to all.

God for all, you send your Holy Spirit to empower and gift your Church.

By your Spirit help us

grow in unity,

grow as followers of Jesus Christ,

and grow your Kingdom in Cumbria and in this world. Amen.

A warm welcome to you all, especially to anyone visiting this morning.

Collect and Post Communion Prayer for the Sixth Sunday after Trinity.

Collect

Merciful God,
you have prepared for those who love you
such good things as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love toward you
that we, loving you in all things and above all things,
may obtain your promises,
which exceed all that we can desire;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion Prayer

God of our pilgrimage,
you have led us to the living water:
refresh and sustain us
as we go forward on our journey,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

8.00 a.m.

Holy Communion (Ord 1)
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

First reading

2 Corinthians 12.2-10 (p.164 NT)

Gospel

Mark 6.1-13 (p.34 NT)

10.00 a.m.

Holy Communion
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

Hymn 382

Let all the world in every corner sing

Gloria (966)

Peruvian Gloria

First reading

Ezekiel 2.1-5 (p.691 OT)

Second reading

2 Corinthians 12.2-10 (p.164 NT) read by Hilary Stephenson

Hymn

Please see separate sheet

Gospel

Mark 6.1-13 (p.34 NT) read by Vivien Stephenson

Sermon

The Revd James Richards

Intercessions

The Revd James Richards

Offertory hymn

Please see separate sheet

Communion hymn 202

Give thanks with a grateful heart

Final hymn 716

We have a gospel to proclaim



Coffee & refreshments will be served, after the 10.00 a.m. service, at the back of church.

This week

In this special anniversary week we give thanks for those who had a vision for a national health service, and for all who over the past decades have worked to make it a reality, and to care for those in medical need. We pray for nurses, doctors, and the many auxiliary staff who support the day to day running of the NHS, and for managers and boards who are responsible for managing budgets and meeting demands, as well as those in government who have a strategic responsibility for the NHS across the nation.

We pray for those fighting wildfires in different places across the country that they will be safe, and that they will be able to bring the fires under control, and we pray that all will be conscious of and careful about the risk of fire in this dry season.

We pray too for those working to rescue the boys and their coach trapped in the cave in Thailand, that they will be kept from harm themselves, and that they will succeed in their rescue.

We pray for Colin and Lorraine Lavery who were married here a year ago, and for Luke and Sarah married here yesterday. We continue to pray for Ruth, daughter of Tony and Sheila Hughes, and all who mourn their passing. We pray for the family and friends of Diana Grant, whose funeral was on Thursday, and of Denise Elleray whose funeral is next Wednesday.

We continue to pray for Linden Davies and Norman McVeigh.

Morning Prayer at church this week will be at 9.00 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.



7.00 p.m. Windermere Deanery Synod at St Mary's, Windermere



9.30 a.m. Windermere Deanery Chapter meeting 'Taking Funerals Seriously' in Penrith
10.00 a.m. Lunch Bunch prayer meeting at the home of Christine Hodgson
2.00 p.m. *There will be no choir practice today*



10.30 a.m. Holy Communion (Ord 1) with prayer for healing
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards
2.00 p.m. Funeral of Denise Elleray

Next Sunday: Seventh Sunday after Trinity
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards
10.00 a.m. Holy Communion
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards
11.40 a.m. Prayer meeting at the church
12 noon Wedding rehearsal

Dates for the month can be found in Parish News or on the website on the 'What's on' page.

NOTICE BOARD

Christian Aid Week Update: Following a few late Christian Aid envelopes returned, we are very pleased to tell you that we need to add £65 plus £60 Gift Aid to our total. This means that our total is now £1,548.38 & £65, plus £708.32 & £60 Gift Aided. This total comes to £1,805.46, so well up on last year. We are amazed & grateful to you & to our God. Thank you! *Clarence & Susan*
Manna House Garden Party Saturday 14th July at Gooseholme Park, Kendal. Please see poster for further details.

A Thanksgiving Service for the life of Tony and Sheila Hughes is planned for 12 noon on Thursday 9th August.

Rydal Hall event Lakeland Writing Retreat, July 20th-22nd. For more information, or to book a place, please call 015394 32050.

New issues of The Way, Parish News, the Diocesan Prayer Diary, & the Churches Together in Cumbria newsletter - all available at the back of the church.

You are invited to NISCU South Lakes Celebration Evening/AGM, Tuesday 17th July, 7 - 9pm at St Thomas' Church, Kendal. Refreshments available. Please join us to celebrate & give thanks for God's blessings on the schools work this year. For more information contact Katy Hall 07910 329473 katy.hall@niscu.org.uk.

Fairtrade Stall Sunday 24th June. Sales: £37.35; donations: £10.10.

Choir There will be no practice in July. The next practice will be at Vivienne's house, on 14th August at 2pm.

Church Gift Stall Ann Wanska & Christine Johnson would like to say a big thank you to everyone who supports the Gift Stall. All of our gifts are supplied by Christian companies, mainly from The Leprosy Mission. 'Leprosy defeated. Lives transformed'.

Church flowers Please speak to Margaret Tyson if you would like to help with arranging the church flowers, or if you would like an arrangement made to mark a significant anniversary or occasion.

Win a limited edition print, donated by local artist John Driskel. Raffle to be drawn Sunday 29th July. Tickets £1 each or six for £5, from Sue Kershaw. Proceeds to the church.

St Martin's has been presented with a copy of Village By The Water: A History of Bowness-on-Windermere by John L Campbell. Now available to borrow. You might like to order your own copy. It is published by Star Hill Publishing at £39.50, & is available from the author - please email ajlcampbell@yahoo.com or speak to Sarah in the office.

Garden Party, Saturday 28th July Donations of scarves, handbags, costume jewellery, soft toys & bric-a-brac (but no clothes or shoes) are requested, to be sold at the Garden Party. Please leave items in the St John's Room.

Windermere Food Bank Since the Food Bank started in 2010, St Martin's has given over a tonne of food donations. Many thanks to all who have contributed. Currently, milk & fruit juice are urgently needed - both must be UHT/LONG LIFE, not fresh.

John Warwick Smith's original 1790 watercolour, from a collection of 100 originals, 'St Martin's Church & the Village of Bowness from the Great Island (Belle Isle)' - prints available from the church bookstall, £10 each. Postage arranged, on request.

Recycle your used stamps Please leave envelopes with stamps attached, or stamps with a half-inch border of envelope around them, on Sarah's desk in the St John's Room. These will be passed on to St Mary's Hospice in Ulverston. Thank you.

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