

The Parish Church of St Martin Bowness-on-Windermere



ST MARTIN'S
You're always welcome

Palm Sunday
14th April 2019

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's groups will not be meeting today. 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 Palm Sunday.

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
who in your tender love towards the human race
sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
to take upon him our flesh
and to suffer death upon the cross:
grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility,
and also be made partakers of his resurrection;
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

Lord Jesus Christ,
you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:
give us the mind to follow you
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,
to the glory of God the Father.

10.00 a.m.

Holy Communion and Passion Gospel

President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

At the beginning of the service the children and young people gather at the back of church and are joined by the Ministers and Choir.

Palm Gospel

Luke 19.28-40

Procession of palms during which we sing

Hymn 14

All glory, laud and honour

Second reading

Philippians 2.5-11 (p.176 NT) read by Carla Pickering

Hymn

Speak, O Lord, as we come to you
To receive the food of your holy word.
Take your truth, plant it deep in us;
Shape and fashion us in your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak, O Lord, and fulfil in us
All your purposes, for your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience,
Holy reverence, true humility.
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
In the radiance of your purity.
Cause our faith to rise
Cause our eyes to see,
Your majestic love and authority.
Words of power that can never fail;
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;
Help us grasp the heights of your plans for us.
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time,
That will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on your promises;
And by faith we'll walk as you walk with us.
Speak, O Lord, 'til your church is built
And the earth is filled with your glory.

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Gospel

Passion Gospel reading (Luke 22.14 to 23.56, p.73 NT)

Intercessions

Christine Parker

Offertory hymn 463

My song is love unknown

Communion hymn 109

Come and see, come and see

Final hymn 572

Praise to the holiest in the height



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

This week

Whether alone or in company, at home, in church or elsewhere, take time this week to follow Jesus in the week leading to his passion, death and resurrection. This year our focus is on Luke's Gospel which covers that week in Luke 19.28-23.56 - it's a little over 5,000 words in total. As St. Paul says "I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead." (Philippians 3.10, 11)

As the immediate Brexit pressure is relieved we pray for wisdom in diligence in Government, in the political parties and among our MPs, that the time may be used wisely and an outcome sought which is good for the well-being of all.

We pray for the family and friends of Ken Scowcroft who died a year ago and continue to pray for Steve and Maria Masters, Linden Davies and Norman McVeigh.

Morning Prayer will be at 9.00am at church on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week.



7.30 p.m.

Cumbria schools begin Summer Term
Church office closed until Tuesday 23rd April
Holy Week Reflection and Night Prayer



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Holy Communion (Ord 1)
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7.30 p.m.



1.00 p.m.

Funeral of Gwynneth 'Gwen' Mansfield
7.30 p.m. Holy Communion for Maundy Thursday, Stripping of the Altars and Night Prayer

7.30 p.m.



12 noon

All Age Worship for Good Friday

1.00 p.m.

Reflection and Worship for Good Friday

Next Sunday: Easter Sunday

8.00 a.m.

Holy Communion (Ord 1)
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10.00 a.m.

All Age Easter Communion
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

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

NOTICE BOARD

Welcoming Volunteers are currently needed for Sundays (12.30-2.00pm & 2.00-3.30pm) & Thursdays (12.30-2.00pm). Reserves are also needed. If you would like to volunteer for welcoming, please speak to Ann Wanska.

Parish News, Diocesan Prayer Diary, & Churches Together in Cumbria newsletter - for April, available at the back of the church.

An upcoming vacancy for an Academic Administrator is on the Diocesan website. If you or anyone you know might be interested further information is available on the Diocesan website at www.carlisediocese.org.uk/our-diocese/jobs and click 'Current vacancies on the left hand side.

Windermere Food Bank Thank you to everyone who supports the Food Bank regularly. The following are now in short supply: milk (UHT), rice, tins of fish, tomatoes, meat, corned beef, Fray Bentos meals, small packets of sugar, 'kettle food' (any item which can be prepared by adding hot water only, as many people do not have any other form of heating). Also needed: tinned fruit & veg, porridge oats, tea, coffee, jam, bars of soap, washing up liquid, & toilet rolls. A full list can be collected from next to the Food Bank donations basket. Please put items in the basket at the back of church, or if you are in Windermere you can leave your contributions at the Cumberland Building Society, or the Food Bank between 12 noon & 3.00pm any Wednesday or Friday. Thank you. Chris Johnson

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.

Church Log Book - please use the folder, located in the St John's Room, on the Rector's bookshelf, to note down any faults, repairs, or jobs requiring attention (i.e. light bulbs needing to be replaced; leaking pipes etc).

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