

The Parish Church of St Martin Bowness-on-Windermere



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You're always welcome

Remembrance Sunday
(Third Sunday before Advent)
9th November 2025

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

*Living Lord, as we offer to you our common life,
refresh our vision that we may know your will
and seek to follow in all your ways.*

*May we follow daily as your disciples,
care deeply for one another in community,
speak boldly your gospel word of love,
and tread gently as faithful stewards of your goodness.*

*We ask this in the power of your holy name,
Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer of our lives, today and for ever. Amen*

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

Collect and Post Communion for the Third Sunday before Advent.

Collect

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in
authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
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 peace,
whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed
the kingdom
and restored the broken to
wholeness of life:
look with compassion on the
anguish of the world,
and by your healing power
make whole both people and
nations;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ.

10.00 a.m.

Morning Praise

Leader: Tony Farren

Greeting

Hymn 19

All my hope on God is founded

Prayers of Penitence

Praise 17

All heaven declares (x2)

First reading

2 Thessalonians 2.1-5 & 13-17 (p.184 NT) read by Rosemary
Rooke

Reflection

Hymn 470

Now is eternal life

Second reading

Luke 20.27-38 (p.71 NT) read by Diana Dodd

Reflection

Affirmation of Faith

Hymn 69

Be thou my guardian and my guide

Intercessions, Lord's

Prayer & Collect

Diana Dodd

Hymn

In Christ alone

1. In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
here in the love of Christ I stand.

2. In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones he came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
God's arms of love were open wide
For every sin on him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

3. There in the ground his body lay,
 Light of the world by darkness slain:
 Then bursting forth in glorious Day
 Up from the grave he rose again!
 And as he stands in victory
 Death's curse has lost its grip on me,
 For I am his and he is mine -
 Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death,
 This is the power of Christ in me;
 From life's first cry to final breath,
 Jesus commands my destiny.
 No power of hell, no human plan,
 Can ever pluck me from his hand;
 Till he returns or calls me home,
 Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

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

Today **2.15 p.m. Act of Remembrance at Windermere War Memorial**

This week

We remember with sorrow and thanksgiving those who served in the armed forces and lost their lives or physical and mental health. We pray for those who still today are the victims of warfare. We pray that we may care for all who suffer from the consequences of war, and continue to seek peace individually and as a nation.

We pray for the family and friends of Stuart Tweedale whose funeral will be on 18th November, and we continue to pray for Sue Kershaw and Caleb and Amber and their families following the death of Peter Kershaw. The funeral will be at Beetham Crematorium on Wednesday at 12.30 p.m.



- 10.30 a.m. James at Remembrance assembly at St Martin & St Mary CE Primary School
- 1.30 p.m. James attending Governors' Pay Committee meeting at St Martin & St Mary CE Primary School



- 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)
 President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards
- 12.30 p.m. Peter Kershaw's funeral at Beetham Hall



- 10.00 a.m. James leading Collective Worship at St Martin & St Mary CE Primary School

Next Sunday: Second Sunday before Advent

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion
 President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

NOTICE BOARD

A card has been sent to St Martin's from the folk at Manna House, thanking us for our Harvest donation. For those who would like to see it, the card is on the coffee bar.

Royal National Lifeboat Institution Coffee Morning Saturday 15th November, 10am-12 noon, at The Marchesi Centre. Tickets £2 (refreshments included). Various stalls and raffle.

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).

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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