

Your **SHAPE** for God's Service is a 6 session course which aims to enable you to understand the unique SHAPE God has made you, the gifts he has given you and how he might want to use you. We are all given gifts by God so that God's Kingdom may be built up as each person finds the ministry to which God is calling them in the Church and on our 'frontlines' in the world.

Once again Rev Beverley Locke will be running this course at St. Thomas' Church, Kendal, LA9 4QG. Mondays 7-9pm, 6 weeks from **4th Sept to 9th Oct**. For more details please contact: Rev. Beverley Lock: beverley.lock@carlisle-diocese.org.

In our prayers we remember

Ruth Radley, in her job as Spiritual Care Lead at Mary Stevens Hospice. The conflicts in Ukraine and the Middle East



The sick:

St. George's: Geoffrey Vines, Ken Tulley, Esther Dudek, Peter Dudek, Gaynor Gledhill, Roha Rose-line Samuel, Simon Jackson, Maureen Stevens.

St. Oswald's: Georgina Walker, Haris Jama, Jean Reddrop, Peter Kershaw, Cathy Wood, Iris Diggle.

From Books of Remembrance giving thanks for the lives of :

St Oswald's: Lily Dobson, Barbara Miles, Renne Dobson, Joan Sorrenson, Wayne McKnight

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Beacon Team Mission Community Office

Tel: 01539 720018 This week Lynne is in the office on Monday and Thursday 8.45am to 12.45pm.

Morning Prayer

at St John the Baptist Church, Skelsmergh
9am every Tuesday & Thursday.

There will be a break over the summer. Morning Prayer will start again on **Tuesday 2nd September**

WEEKDAY WORSHIP

at St Oswald's Church, Burneside

BCP Holy Communion - Wednesdays 9.30am
Evening Prayers Tuesdays -cancelled until September

ONLINE WORSHIP TOGETHER

Do join us on Monday for Compline at 8.30pm and Friday at 8.30pm for a short service of Celtic Evening Worship.

Please email me on jean.radley@outlook.com for access details.



The
Beacon
Team

Mission Community
'Together with God - Together for God'



St. Oswald Burneside with St. Mary, Longsleddale,
St. George, Kendal, St. John the Evangelist, Grayrigg,
St. Thomas, Selside, St. John the Baptist, Skelsmergh



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Team Notice Sheet

10th August 2025

Eighth Sunday after Trinity

All who take refuge in you will be glad; they will sing out their joy for ever; you will shelter them, so that those who love your name may exult in you.

Psalm 5:11

This Week's Readings

Genesis 15:1-6

Psalm 33:12-22

Hebrews 11:1-3,8-16

Luke 12:32-40

Psalm 33:12-22

R Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own!

Happy is the nation whose God is the Lord!
happy the people he has chosen to be his own!
The Lord looks down from heaven,
and beholds all the people in the world.
From where he sits enthroned he turns his gaze
on all who dwell on the earth. **R**
He fashions all the hearts of them
and understands all their works.
There is no king that can be saved by a mighty
army;
the strong are not delivered by great strength.
The horse is a vain hope for deliverance;
for all its strength it cannot save. **R**
Behold, the eye of the Lord
is upon those who fear him,
on those who wait upon his love,
To pluck their lives from death,

and to feed them in time of famine. **R**
Our soul waits for the Lord;
he is our help and our shield.
Indeed, our heart rejoices in him,
for in his holy name we put our trust.
Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us,
as we have put our trust in you. **R**

Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern
both our hearts and bodies
in the ways of your laws
and the works of your commandments;
that through your most mighty protection, both
here and ever,
we may be preserved in body and soul;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

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Please send submissions for the *September* Grayrigg/
Kendal magazine to the team office by
20th August.

Two new Network Youth Church leaders – with
strong connections to Cumbria – have been
appointed to support ministry to hundreds of
young people. Catriona Kinghan, who lives in
Cockermouth, will start in Derwent Deanery. **Lily-
Beth Smith**, who was born and raised in west
Cumbria and who has discerned her call through
the Future Youth Ministry Experience Scheme in
Whitehaven, will move to **Kendal Deanery** as a
first ever Trainee NYC worker.

There's no need to cook on Sunday 24th August.

1pm Field & Plot to Plate Sunday Lunch (all local pro-
duce) at Grayrigg Coronation Hall. £15 ticket Please
contact Kath to book ASAP on 07736 125236 or
kath.dickinson@btinternet.com

2-4pm The final Summer Tea at St Thomas' Selside.
£5 entry - drop in for a drink & a cake, with more local
goodies to buy.

2-5pm raising money for Breast Cancer, £5 afternoon
tea box, at St Oswald's, Burneside, with games & raffle

Save the Date - Friday 5th September 7.30pm
at Grayrigg Coronation Hall

The Houghton Weavers Tickets £15 from Kath on
07736 125236 or kath.dickinson@btinternet.com

SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES

For Sunday August 17th

St. Oswald's, Burneside:

Morning Worship 11.00am

STJE, Grayrigg:

Holy Communion 9.30am

St George's, Kendal:

Morning Worship 11.00am

St Thomas, Selside:

Evening Worship 6pm

STJB Skelsmergh:

Holy Communion 11.00am

The Church of England have launched their
summer social media campaign, **#GreatAndSmall**
- celebrating animals at church. This year, they'd
love to see your pictures of animals in churches, or
within your church grounds. Whether it's a snap-
shot of some local wildlife, pets who have paid
your church a visit, or depictions of animals in
stained glass windows, paintings and carvings,
they want to hear from you. Please email your
photos to Lynne in the office so that she can
upload them to the Team Facebook page.

ST GEORGE'S COMMUNITY HUB

Please note that the Thursday Hub will be
closed for the Summer. It will re-open on
Thursday 4th September 11.45am

The cost of living is pinching hard at Manna House
right now. Donations from the incredibly generous
public are way down, as is our success rate with
grant makers. There is stiff competition for less
available funds and Manna House is not alone in
feeling the pain.

Could you help? Could you spread the word
farther with friends and family or any groups you
belong to? Maybe you could take part in a fund-
raising event for us, or even set up one of your
own? If you are in any position to increase your
giving, now would be the time to act in favour of
Manna House. Here's how:

For a one off donation or to set up a standing
order, our bank details for BACS are

Sort code: 16 52 21 Account number 53190423

You can also donate by clicking on the link
www.justgiving.com/mannahouse

If you prefer to send a cheque, our address is The
Stephenson Centre, Ann Street, Kendal, LA9 6AA,
and the cheque is made payable to Manna House
(Cumbria).