

# ST MARY'S WIGTON

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2025

## THE HOLY INNOCENTS

### Services today

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)  
(collect and readings p 60)

9.30am MATTINS

Jeremiah 31: 15 - 17 (p 792)  
Psalm 124 (p 515)  
Matthew 2: 13 - 18 (p 966)

Hymns: 36; Venite; Te Deum; Benedictus; 29; 39; 25

6.30pm EVENING PRAYER (SAID SERVICE)

Isaiah 49: vv 14 - 25 (p 736)  
Psalm 128 (p 517)  
Mark 10: vv 13 - 16 (p 1014)

### Services this Week

Tuesday 9.45 am Holy Communion (BCP)  
(collect and readings p 60)

Wednesday 12.45 pm Holy Communion

### Services next Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> January

#### THE EPIPHANY

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)  
9.30 am Parish Eucharist  
6.30 pm Evening Prayer

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### FROM REVEREND RICHARD....

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Christmas celebrations so special — through worship, music, hospitality, giving, and quiet acts of service.

Your faithfulness, generosity, and welcome have been a real blessing to our church and community. Here's to an exciting 2026!

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### INFLUENZA OUTBREAK

For the time being you are requested to use hand sanitizer to help prevent the spread of influenza.

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### FREE MONEY FOR ST MARY'S!!

If you shop online, please could you do it through 'Easyfundraising.' All you have to do is download their app or go through their website, sign up and choose St Mary's Wigton as your cause. Then every time you shop with a registered retailer the church will get a donation! It costs you nothing at all but will really help St Mary's. Please tell your friends and family too!

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### MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union will be meeting for Christmas Lunch on 13<sup>th</sup> January 2026 at the Greenhill Hotel.

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### CHURCH LIBRARY

The library stock has been refreshed with some new titles for the darker evenings and the Christmas season!

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## PRINCIPAL CONTACTS

Priest in Charge - The Rev Richard Corrie  
Address: - 31 Lowmoor Road, Wigton CA7 9QS  
tel: 016973 25140

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**PLEASE NOTE: - THURSDAY IS USUALLY  
REVEREND RICHARD'S DAY OFF**

Churchwarden David Lomas  
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### WINDOWS APPEAL

Sponsorships of window panes are invited at a cost of £5 per pane, contact the Treasurer for details.

Limited-Edition Windows Appeal mugs with a picture of St Mary's are still available at a cost of £5.

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| <p><b>WINDOWS APPEAL TARGET £500,000</b><br/><b>TOTAL TO DATE – £188,345</b></p> |
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### 150 CLUB

Membership of the 150 Club which helps with the fundraising for our Windows project is due for renewal for 2026. Numbers are £10 each per year and there will be four draws a year (subject to the number sold) with prizes for each draw of £60, £40, £20 and £10. If you would like to keep your same numbers for 2026, or purchase a number for the draw, please contact Rev Richard or the Treasurer and make payment.

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### TOTS CHURCH

There will be no Tots Church in January.

The next Tots Church will be at 10.0am on 6<sup>th</sup> February for Mums, Dads, Carers and little ones. Please come along for a fun time of worship and play followed by coffee and cakes. This is for everyone whether a churchgoer or not.

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### CHURCH GIVING

Thank you to everyone who is in our giving scheme, your participation is very much appreciated.

If you would like a set of envelopes for 2026, please speak to the Treasurer or any church officer.

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### POSTAGE STAMPS

Used postage stamps, especially Christmas ones, can be placed in the box provided at the back of church.

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Items for the weekly sheet and monthly bulletin should be sent to David Lomas (see above for contact details).