

It was a memorable *All Day Breakfast* on February 15th, with snow covering the car park as events began. Attenders were not deterred and £1200 was raised by the event, to be shared by Selside Church and the Memorial Hall. Thanks to all who worked hard to make it a success, and for all who came.

In our prayers we remember

Ruth Radley, in her job as Spiritual Care Lead at Mary Stevens Hospice.
The peace process in Israel & Gaza.
The ongoing conflict in the Ukraine.



The sick: Revd. Jean Radley

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

St. Oswald's: Georgina Walker, Haris Jama, Jean Reddrop, Cathy Wood, John O'Brien.

St. John's Grayrigg: Jo Murphy

From Books of Remembrance giving thanks for the lives of :

St George's: Margaret Creyke Adlen, Mary Hoyle.

St Oswald's: Claude Goodwin, Wilfred Hustwaite, Elma Hoole, Martin Sorrenson, Neil Watson, Alice Murray, John Abbott, Edith Park, Peggy Wilson, Mary Dixon, Doris Willan, David Jarvis

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Easter cards, books and gifts are now available from Lynne in the Beacon office. Also Easter eggs from the Meaningful Chocolate Company.

Morning Prayer

at St John the Baptist Church, Skelsmergh

9am every Tuesday & Thursday.

Join Revd. Michelle for morning prayer at 9 am for around 15-20 minutes. If she is not there due to other commitments, the church will still be open for quiet contemplation.

WEEKDAY WORSHIP

at St Oswald's Church, Burneside

BCP Holy Communion - Wednesday 9.30am

Evening Prayers - Tuesday 5.30pm-6pm

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.



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

8th March 2026

Third Sunday of Lent

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

1 Corinthians 1:18

This Week's Readings

Exodus 17:1-7

Psalm 95

Romans 5:1-11

John 4:5-42

Psalm 95

R: O that today you would hearken to his voice! Harden not your hearts.

Come, let us sing to the Lord;
let us shout for joy to the rock of our salvation.
Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving

and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God,

and a great king above all gods. **R**

In his hand are the depths of the earth,
and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it,

and his hands have moulded the dry land. **R**

Come, let us bow down and bend the knee,
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God, and we are the people of his
pasture and the sheep of his hand.

O that today you would hearken to his voice! **R**

'Harden not your hearts,

as your forebears did in the wilderness,

at Meribah, and on that day at Massah,
 when they tempted me.
 They put me to the test,
 though they had seen my works. **R**
 Forty years long I detested that generation and
 said,
 "This people are wayward in their hearts;
 they do not know my ways."
 So I swore in my wrath,
 "They shall not enter into my rest." **R**

Collect

Almighty God,
 whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first
 he suffered pain, and entered not into glory
 before he was crucified:
 mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of
 the cross,
 may find it none other than the way of life and
 peace;
 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.

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 The Archbishops' Council 2002 published by Church House Publishing.*

Christian Aid Changemakers Conference:
Saturday 14 March: 10.30am till 1pm

The annual Christian Aid *Changemakers'* Confer-
 ence will take place in London and will be live-
 streamed to various venues around the country.
Sandylands Methodist church will be hosting a
 Conference Watch Party for our region.
 The purpose is to enable supporters to get
 together to hear the results from Christian Aid
 Week 2025, find out about the stories behind this
 year's appeal and meet up with other supporters
 and Christian Aid staff and partners to share ideas
 for fundraising.
 Everyone is welcome. If possible. please register
 via - [Changemakers Conference: Regional | Chris-
 tian Aid.](#)

**The conference will run from 10.30 -1 but
 refreshments will be available from 10am and
 during the mid-morning break.**

Skelsmergh Church Coffee Morning

Saturday 14th
 March. 10am -
 12noon

Venue. Skelsmergh
 Community Hall



SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES

For Sunday March 15th

St. Oswald's, Burneside:

Mothering Sunday Service 11am

STJE, Grayrigg:

Mothering Sunday Service 9.30am

St George's, Kendal

Mothering Sunday Service 11am

St Thomas, Selside

no Sunday service

STJB Skelsmergh:

Mothering Sunday Service 11am

Friday 13th March 9:30am

Mothers' Day joint Selside School and
 congregation service in St Thomas' Church.

Beacon Team Lent Course

"Meeting God in John's Gospel"

Thursdays @ 10.30am

The Lent course continues this Thursday at St
 George's Church Kendal, starting at 10.30am
 through to 12.30pm and will include a simple
 soup lunch.

There is tarmac being laid in Castle Street next
 Thursday or Friday which may affect entry to
 the church car park.

**Dipping Your Toe in the Old Testament -
 Sat 28th March in Kendal Parish Church.**

The Old Testament provides many challenges
 and because of this we can sometimes dodge it
 and stick to the New Testament. But it can also
 greatly enrich our understanding and faith. This
 time we shall take a bird's eye view to gain an
 overview of the Old Testament as a whole.
 How are we to understand it? How did it devel-
 op? What kinds of material does it contain?
 What about the difficulties it raises? How do
 different voices relate to each other? Meeting
 in KPC vestry at 9.30am - 12pm with refresh-
 ments. Don't forget to bring a Bible!

Beacon Team Mission Community Office

Tel: 01539 720018 This week Lynne is in the
 office 9am -1pm on Monday & Thursday, 8.45am-
 11.30am on Friday.