

Pray for Peace Sunday 17th May 4-4.30pm

All those living in and around Kendal are invited to come together this evening at Kendal Parish Church to pray for peace in our troubled world.

Thursday 21st May 2026 7pm for 7:30pm - 9pm at Staveley Village Hall LA8 9LY

The Filling Station South Lakes invite you to join them for an evening dedicated to worship and teaching, prayer, fellowship & great hospitality! The speaker will be Forest Paget from Capernwray. Hall.

In our prayers we remember

The troubles in the Middle East.
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, Steve Wenman, Jack Irvine.

St. Oswald's: Haris Jama, Jean Reddrop, Cathy Wood, John O'Brien, Carole Reid, Nadine Scott.

St. John's Grayrigg: Jo Murphy

From Books of Remembrance giving thanks for the lives of :

St George's: Denis Wightman, Patricia Allen, Betty Ross, Eleanor Kelly, Mary Lees, Marjorie Crossland.

St Oswald's: Violet Palmer, Olive Dobson, Annie Wearing, Phylis Varty, Peter Bowe, Norman Baines.

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

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.



The
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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

17th May 2026

Seventh Sunday of Easter

I will not leave you orphaned, says the Lord,
alleluia! I am coming to you, alleluia, alleluia!

John 14:18

This Week's Readings

Acts 1:6-14 or Ezekiel 36:24-28

Psalm 68:1-10,32-end

1 Peter 4:12-14. 5:6-11 or Acts 1:6-14

John 17:1-11

Psalm 68

**R Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth;
[sing praises to the Lord]**

Let God arise and let his enemies be scattered;
let those who hate him flee before him.

Let them vanish like smoke

when the wind drives it away;

as the wax melts at the fire, so let the wicked
perish at the presence of God. **R**

But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before
God; let them also be merry and joyful.

Sing to God, sing praises to his name;

exalt him who rides upon the heavens;

Yahweh is his name, rejoice before him! **R**

Father of orphans, defender of widows,
God in his holy habitation!

God gives the solitary a home

and brings forth prisoners into freedom;

but the rebels shall live in dry places. **R**

O God, when you went forth before your people,

when you marched through the wilderness,

The earth shook and the skies poured down rain,

at the presence of God, the God of Sinai,
 at the presence of God, the God of Israel. **R**
 You sent a gracious rain, O God, upon your
 inheritance;
 you refreshed the land when it was weary.
 Your people found their home in it;
 in your goodness, O God,
 you have made provision for the poor. **R**
 Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth;
 sing praises to the Lord.
 He rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens;
 he sends forth his voice, his mighty voice. **R**
 Ascribe power to God; his majesty is over Israel;
 his strength is in the skies.
 How wonderful is God in his holy places! the God
 of Israel giving strength and power to his people!
 Blessèd be God! **R**

Collect

O God the King of glory,
 you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
 with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
 we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
 but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
 and exalt us to the place where our Saviour
 Christ is gone before,
 who is alive and reigns with you,
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever.

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Kendal Choral Society presents
The Armed Man
 A Mass for Peace by Karl Jenkins
Saturday 23rd May 7.30pm
 St George's Church, Kendal
 Admission £15 (pay on the door or ring 07783
 944643)

Entertainment by Last of the Red Hot
 Strummers Ukelele Band
Sunday 24th May 2.30pm
 Skelsmergh Community Hall
 Admission £10 (to include refreshments) Please
 buy tickets Helen Atkinson 07710 796678 as
 soon as possible.
 Proceeds towards St John the Baptist Church.

SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES
For Sunday May 24th

St. Oswald's, Burneside:
 Holy Communion 11am

STJE, Grayrigg:
 APCM 5pm + Evensong 6.30pm

St George's, Kendal
 Holy Communion 9.30am

St Thomas, Selside
 Morning Worship 11am

STJB Skelsmergh:
feel free to join worship at another church

PLANT SALE
Saturday 30th May 10am—1pm
 Grayrigg Coronation Hall

Pre-ordered planted Hanging Baskets, Tubs &
 Troughs, Bedding & Vegetable Plants, Perennials

Coffee & cakes will be on sale. Proceeds for St.
 John's Church, Grayrigg

If you have any news to share or articles for
 the magazines, please email it to
admin@beaconteam.org.uk.

Submissions for the June Grayrigg/Kendal
 magazine should be sent to the team office by
Tuesday 19th May 2026.

For those who enjoy organ music,
 A Recital by Graham Toft with music from
 Bach, Mendelssohn and Brahms:
Christ Church Lancaster 19th May 12 noon

Beacon Team Mission Community Office
Tel: 01539 720018 This week Lynne is in the
 office Mon & Thurs 9am-1pm,


 10am-2pm

Saturday June 6th
St George's Summer Fair

Come along - watch a display from Dance Attik,
 listen to the Youth Brass Band, buy gifts from
 the craft stalls and enjoy scones & cream!