

NCK with Alvanley and Manley - Prayer Meeting.
 The prayer meeting takes place on Mondays from 9.00 - 9.30am
 in the Church Room, Kingsley. All are welcome.

Bible Study Group

The group meet on Tuesdays from **7.00pm to 8.30pm**
 in the Church Room, Kingsley
 We are currently following a series on 'Hebrews'
 Further information from John Dawson 01928 789937.

Iona 2027 Friday 7th – Saturday 15th May 2027

Plans are now well in hand for our Retreat/holiday to Iona next year
 and we will be inviting people to make a reservation very soon.
 On Sunday 7th June, following the 10am service at Norley, Bryony
 and Gail will be sharing plans, talking about how we might get there
 and what we might do whilst on Iona.

Bryony will be showing slides of previous visits to Iona to give a
 taste of life on the island and we hope to be able to answer any
 questions that you may have.

Dates for your Diary

June

- 10th Deanery Synod - open to everyone 7.30 at St Andrew's Runcorn
- 14th Baptism of William Blythe at Alvanley
- 15th Tree felling at Kingsley of large Oak at front of church
- 24th Crowton Church Raffle, 3pm at Crowton School after the Sports Day
- 28th Baptism of George Benjamin Scott at Kingsley

Prayer Diary:

Please pray for: Lucie Storer, Francis Weighill, Joshua Wareham, Wal Fennerl, Pam & Andy Jobson,
 Grace Rowlinson, Derek Lawrenson, Geoff Noden, Ruth Broome, Sandra Christie, Ruth Smith.
Prayer requests and cancellations to Graham Merrington please.

**Churches
 Website
www.nck.org.uk**

Pew Sheet Notices by 12noon **Friday** please.
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 Alvanley and Manley
 Norley, Crowton and Kingsley
 "Followers of Jesus
 Sharing His love with Others"*

7th June 2026

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Services this Week

7th June 2026 Trinity 1	10:00am	Norley	Holy Communion
	6:30pm	Crowton	Sacred Space
11h June 2026	10:00am	Crowton	Midweek Communion

Services Next Week

14th June 2026 Trinity 2	10:00am	Crowton	Holy Communion
	6:00pm	NCK Centre	2nd Sunday @ 6
18th June 2026	10:00am	Kingsley	Midweek Communion

1st Reading - Genesis 12:1-9

Now the LORD said to Abram, 'Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.'

So Abram went, as the LORD had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. Abram took his wife Sarai and his brother's son Lot, and all the possessions that they had gathered, and the persons whom they had acquired in Haran; and they set forth to go to the land of Canaan.

When they had come to the land of Canaan, Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land.

Then the LORD appeared to Abram, and said, 'To your offspring I will give this land.' So he built there an altar to the LORD, who had appeared to him.

From there he moved on to the hill country on the east of Bethel, and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east; and there he built an altar to the LORD and invoked the name of the LORD. And Abram journeyed on by stages towards the Negeb.me!

Kingsley Church is open for prayer
Every Tuesday Morning 9.30am - 12.00noon

Gospel Reading - Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

'As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, 'Follow me.' And he got up and followed him.

And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax-collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. ¹¹ When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, 'Why does your teacher eat with tax-collectors and sinners?' But when he heard this, he said, 'Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. ¹ Go and learn what this means, "I desire mercy, not sacrifice." For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners.'

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, 'My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live.' And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples.

Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she said to herself, 'If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well.'

Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, 'Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well.' And instantly the woman was made well. When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute-players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, 'Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping.

And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. ²⁶ And the report of this spread throughout that district.