

The Parish Magazine

What's On Guide

to Community Events, Church Services and Activities in YOUR village and the Solway area!



October and November 2025

Delivered free to homes within the Benefice of the Barony of Burgh, The Parishes of Kirkandrews On Eden with Beaumont and Grinsdale, Great Orton, Aikton, Burgh by Sands and Kirkbampton

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NOT LATER THAN 10th November 2025

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*Helping everyone enjoy life in all its fullness
through being disciples of Jesus*

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Mrs Elizabeth McCall (01228 576042)

Great Orton:

Mrs Elizabeth Reed (01228 642906)



Burgh by Sands:

Mrs Carolyne Baines (01228 576301)

Email - info@eastsolwaychurches.org.uk or minister@eastsolwaychurches.org

Carlisle Food Bank

Foodbank

Please note that in order to continue your support of the local Foodbank, the easiest way to make donations is, when you are supermarket shopping, to buy some extras and place in the bins provided past the tills.

Collection points locally are at St Michael's Burgh, St Mary's Beaumont, and Monkhill Chapel.

Donations are needed now, more than ever.

A list of suitable items can be found on www.carlislefoodbank.org.uk



How to support your local Anglican churches

St Giles Church, Great Orton

One off giving link; <https://bit.ly/GreatOrtonStGiles>

Regular giving link; <https://bit.ly/GreatOrtonStGiles2>

St Peter's Kirkbampton

Please scan the QR code on the right with your smart phone and it will take you to our Give a Little online page - thank you

St Mary's Church, Beaumont

One off giving link; <https://bit.ly/BeaumontStMary>

Regular giving link; <https://bit.ly/BeaumontStMary2>

St Andrew's Aikton

One off giving link;

<https://bit.ly/AiktonStAndrew>

Regular giving link; ;

<https://bit.ly/AiktonStAndrew2>

This is another way you can contribute to the work at St Andrews, Aikton. If you have a smart phone, scan the QR code and it will take you to a link to do it. Thank you



St Michaels Burgh by Sands

Please scan the QR code on the right with your smart phone and it will take you to our Give a Little online page - thank you



AROUND THE REGION



**Solway Gardening Society invites you to
our next meetings...**

‘for Peats Sake’

Thursday 16th October

Newton Arlosh Parish Hall, 7.30pm

Everything you need to now about using peat free compost but were afraid to ask. Richard Cave will explain how to get the best results from the compost now available to us. There’s more to it than you think. A chance to get your hands dirty tonight. Samples available.

‘Planting for Christmas and beyond’

Thursday 20th November

Kirkbampton Village Hall, 7.30pm

Louise Stoddart will demonstrate how to get colour, form and scent into our winter containers

Admission £5, Solway Gardening Members are FREE, membership only £10 for a full year.

Raffle £1, tea/coffee and home made cakes £2. Cash only please

More information from our Secretary Fiona Watson

solwaygardeningssociety@gmail.com

fiona-19@hotmail.co.uk

07896018568

SOLWAY FLOWER CLUB

Christmas Outing to Skitby House

Wednesday 3rd December



The menu will be available from Margaret McKenna (01228 529538) or Margaret Hodgson (01228 576218)

Please contact the above to confirm if you want to come by
22nd November

Art-Art-Art

Painting and Drawing tuition
Classes

Wednesdays 2pm - 4pm Burgh by Sands Village Hall

Beginners and all abilities welcome

Can anyone who is interested please contact me.

01228 576472 mare.art@hotmail.co.uk



Burgh Benefice Mother's Union

Tuesday 7th October

2pm Burgh Village Hall

Margaret Hughes with the Mother's Union cards and gifts

Tues 4th November

2pm Burgh Village Hall

Talk from Captain Mel from the Salvation Army and toy collection

Need to know more? Contact our secretary Sue Day

Email : chaddman@btinternet.com or 01228 576169



Port Carlisle Bowling Club

Port Carlisle Bowling Club Winter Season



Indoor short mat bowls is opening again in September and will be running until April

Every Saturday afternoon starting at 1.30pm in the Bower at Port Carlisle and every Tuesday

Please come along and enjoy the friendly games

If you have played before or have never played at all, we will show you what to do and have spare bowls to have a go with

For further enquiries see Facebook, call in, or contact Sandra on 07498921746 or Sheila on 07821574583.



Wigton Choral Society

Musical Director Ian Wright

Invites you to

Come and Sing

A Season to Sing – A Choral Re-imagining of Vivaldi's Four Seasons

by Joanne Forbes L'Estrange

Where: Wigton Methodist Church, High Street, Wigton CA7 9PG

When: Saturday 11th October 2025 1pm – 6pm

Cost: £10 per singer to include music and refreshments

Book in Advance: admin@wigtonchoral.org.uk / Message Gillian 07983 785732

Everyone Welcome – no experience necessary!

If you have any
questions -
please contact
Felicity (Burgh
by Sands) on
0791 328 7416

St Mary's Beaumont, Monkhill Methodist Chapel and St Michael's Burgh by Sands

invite you to a

Pie and Peas Harvest Supper

To be held at Burgh Village Hall

on Saturday 11th October 2025 at 7pm.

Tickets £12, Under 11 £6 BYOB

Entry by ticket only

Tickets available from 01228 576301, 576518, 576585

Proceeds to Bishop's Harvest Appeal and Local Churches

Burgh-By-Sands Parish Hall is proud to present our next

FILM NIGHT



**Thursday
23rd October**

Doors open @ 7.00 pm
Screening @ 7.30 pm
Adults £5 <16s £2.50
Family Ticket (2+2) £13

Pay @ door. Bar & snacks available. Cash, card & contactless payments accepted.
e-mail burghbysands.filmnights@gmail.com for more info & to join the group.

Burgh-By-Sands Parish Hall is proud to present our next

FILM NIGHT



**Thursday
27th November**

Doors open @ 7.00 pm
Screening @ 7.30 pm
Adults £5 <16s £2.50
Family Ticket (2+2) £13

Pay @ door. Bar & snacks available. Cash, card & contactless payments accepted.
e-mail burghbysands.filmnights@gmail.com for more info & to join the group.

BURGH-by-SANDS NEWS

BURGH BY SANDS TODDLER GROUP

Thursdays 9.30am to 11.30 am
Burgh Village Hall

Children's snacks
Coffee and Cake for Adults

Open to parents and carers,

£3 for children 2 and over

£2 for children under 2



The Nue Tuesday Club (formally Burgh WI)

We will be meeting on the second
Tuesday of the month at 2pm in Burgh
Village Hall

Our first meeting will be Tuesday 14th
October for our first birthday party -
please bring food as usual.

On Tuesday 14th November we will be
entertained by the Burgh Ukelele
Group

All welcome

Get Together Club

Thursday 9th Oct (tbc)

Thursday 13th Nov (tbc)

**1.30pm at Romanway, Burgh
by Sands** for our usual game of
cards or dominos, nice cup of
tea and a chat

If lifts required, please contact
Margaret on 576218

Crafty Ladies

If you enjoy doing any type of
handicraft, why not come along to
one of our twice monthly meetings
held in Burgh Village
Hall.



We meet on the second
Wednesday and fourth
Thursday of each month,
1.30pm - 3.30pm

Just bring along your current project
and enjoy an afternoon of craft and
chat

Meetings in October - Wednesday
8th Oct (refreshments Isobel and
Eileen), Thursday 23rd October
(refreshments Pauline and Marjorie)
Meetings in November - Wednesday
12th Nov (refreshments Jennifer
and Kay), Thursday 27th Nov
(refreshments Margaret H and Rob-
in)

For further details,
contact Margaret on 01228 575348
or 07775692547

CRAIG GOULD
& THE NOBLE THIEVES
present
THE CAMPFIRE SESSION

An intimate performance of stories & song, written & performed
by one of the UK's rising folk/americana stars



TRIPLE TOP 20
ALBUM

"EXCELLENT
DEBUT ALBUM"
Maverick Magazine

"INTIMATE &
MELLIFLOUS"
RnR Magazine

"BEAUTIFUL MUSIC &
MASTERFUL MUSICIANSHIP"
Americana UK

"A WORK OF
GREAT BEAUTY"
AtTheBarrier

PLUS SUPPORT FROM FAIRWEATHER SON

BURGH BY SANDS PARISH HALL
SATURDAY 18TH OCTOBER, 7.30PM

TICKETS & INFO: EMAIL: NICKWATERFIELD@BURGHBY SANDS PARISH HALL.CO.UK

Tickets for the show can
be purchased on the
door.

Cost - £12 for adults

£6 - for U18 / Students

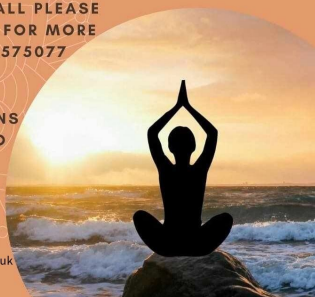
£25 - Family of Four

Tickets and more infor-
mation from
**nickwater-
field@yahoo.co.uk**

KEEP CALM AND DO YOGA

EVERY WEDNESDAY 6-7 AT
BURGH VILLAGE HALL PLEASE
CONTACT SAMMY FOR MORE
DETAILS ON 07854575077

£35 FOR 5 SESSIONS
£8 PAY AS YOU GO



www.burghbysandsparishhall.co.uk

[f @burghbysandsvillagehall](https://www.facebook.com/burghbysandsvillagehall)

**Burgh-by-Sands
Parish Hall**

**Village Cafe every Saturday
from 10.30 am to 12.30 pm**



**Cyclists, walkers and dogs
all very welcome**

Donations accepted to
help support the Hall

www.burghbysandsparishhall.co.uk

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BURGH ^{BY} SANDS

PARISH HALL

Autumn Craft and Gift Fair

Saturday October 4th

10am to 4pm

Entrance 50p

Stalls to include: Jill's Jams, personalised items,
knitted goods, greetings cards, Tropics, original
paintings, jewellery, polymer clay items

There will also be books/jigsaws/toys etc for sale
to raise money for Action Duchenne



Also featuring
'Dumfries Lego
Fair'



Refreshments
and bacon
butties available



Check our Facebook page for updates - Burgh by Sands Village Hall

Ukulele Group

We meet every other Thursday
in Burgh-by-Sands Parish Hall
from 7.00 pm to 8.30 pm.

Please see the Hall Diary on our
website for meeting dates.
All abilities are welcome.
Just £3.00 per session.

Snacks and drinks available.
We accept cash, card and
contactless payments.

www.burghbysandsparishhall.co.uk
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Christmas Card Sale

In aid of
Hospice at Home
Carlisle and North Lakeland
Local Care for Local People

Burgh by Sands Village Hall
Christmas Card Sale and Crafts
Saturday 25th October 2025

10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Refreshments available and raffle

Purchase our 2025 Christmas card range and
support your local Hospice at Home charity



Hospice at Home
Carlisle and North Lakeland
Local Care for Local People

Valley Court, Barras Lane, Dalston, Cumbria, CA5 7NY
Tel. 01228 475025
Website: www.hospiceathome.co.uk
Email: admin@hospiceathome.co.uk
Registered as a charity in England and Wales (1095708)



Burgh by Sands Village Parish AGM

Thursday 20th November

7pm

Burgh by Sands Village Hall



Burgh By Sands School
Burgh By Sands
Carlisle
CA5 6AP

Burgh-by-Sands School is seeking passionate, committed individuals to join our dedicated Governing Board as **co-opted governors**.

This voluntary role is both rewarding and impactful: governors provide strategic oversight, support school leadership, and help ensure the best outcomes for pupils, staff, and the wider community. Governors serve a four-year term and play a vital role in key decision-making.

Who We're Looking For

We welcome applicants from all backgrounds, especially those with experience in **Human Resources** or **Strategic Leadership**.

We would love to hear from people who:

- Care deeply about education and improving student outcomes.
- Want to support and represent their community.
- Enjoy working as part of a team.
- Are confident to ask questions, challenge constructively, and think strategically.
- Can contribute to discussions on performance, finance, and school strategy.

Please note: as the Board already has a majority of parent governors, we are currently seeking applicants from outside the parent/grandparent community to bring fresh perspectives.

What the Role Involves

Attending **3 Full Governing Board meetings** and **3 Committee meetings** each academic year.

Helping to set and review the school's strategic direction.

Holding leadership to account for educational performance.

Overseeing financial decisions to ensure effective use of public funds.

What You'll Gain

Valuable leadership and governance experience.

Free, high-quality training and ongoing development.

The satisfaction of making a genuine difference in children's lives.

Training & Support

No prior governance experience is required—full induction and ongoing training are provided.

How to Apply

If you'd like to apply, please send a short letter explaining what you could bring to the Governing Board and why you'd like to join by **Friday 7th November**.

For more details about governor roles and expectations, please see:

[School governors | Northumberland County Council](#)

Please note our governance support is through Northumberland County Council.

To apply or make an enquiry, please contact:

Vicki Evans (Clerk to Governors)

Vicki.Evans@northumberland.gov.uk

We look forward to hearing from you.

CHRISTMAS FAIR



**Saturday 15th November
2025**

2pm onwards.....

Christmas Story telling at 3pm



Free Admission

Burgh by Sands Parish Hall

**FUN THINGS FOR FAMILIES –
INCLUDING FACE PAINTING**

CRAFTS

STALLS

TEAS

AND MUCH MORE!

COME AND JOIN US

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

BEAUMONT, KIRKANDREWS & GRINSDALE NEWS

Beaumont Parish Hall Refurbishment

The Hall Trustees plan to go ahead with the refurbishment of the Parish Hall. The hall will be closed from the 1st October until the Spring of 2026. Events will continue to be held at Monkhill Chapel or Burgh Village Hall. Due to the building works there will be no bonfire night celebrations this year. Please check Beaumont PC website (www.beaumont-pc.org.uk) for details. The trustees are still looking for additional volunteers to come forward to help with events. If you are interested, please contact Bryony on 01228 576403

Beaumont Parish Hall Committee invite you to
Family Bingo Night

at Burgh Village Hall



**Eyes down at 6.30pm on
Saturday 25th October and Saturday 15th November**

A game that the whole family can enjoy.
Beginners welcome! Come along for some fun.

Free admission

£1 per bingo book
Bar and Bar snacks



Refreshments available Raffle

We look forward to seeing you all for a fun family evening.

All proceeds go towards the Parish Hall rebuilding fund.

Beaumont Parish Hall CIO

Charity number 1171188



Kirkandrews on Eden WI

For further details contact Glynis Milburn
(01228 522696)



Friday 17th October
Monkhill Chapel 2pm
AGM with lunch and a demonstration
of Lace Making by Sue Day

Competition - Motto for 2026
Drawing - Carol Singleton
Hostesses - The Committee

Friday 14th Nov
Monkhill Chapel, 2pm
Making Resolutions
Competition - Christmas Tree Decora-
tions
Drawing - Margaret McKenna
Hostess - Linda Beattie
Refreshments A Team

Beaumont Parish Hall Committee invite you to

Monthly Friday Coffee Mornings with
Eden Valley Hospice and Jigsaw
who will be selling Christmas Cards and Gifts

Both on Friday 3rd October

and Friday 7th November

10am—12pm

In the Schoolroom, Monkhill Chapel
Come along to the monthly coffee
morning, make some new friends and en-
joy coffee, teas and a variety of scones
Everyone is very welcome



Beaumont Parish Hall CIO Charity Number 1171188

BEAUMONT PARISH PLAN

Beaumont Parish Action Plan for the Communities of Beaumont, Grinsdale, Hosket Hill, Kirkandrews-on-Eden and Monkhill can be viewed on the Parish Website (beaumont-pc.org.uk). A printed copy will also be in the Drovers Rest, St Marys Church, Monkhill Chapel and the Parish Hall, once the building work has finished. This is to reduce the paper usage.

BEAUMONT PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Due to the refurbishment of Beaumont Parish Hall, the Parish Council will be holding their meetings in Monkhill Chapel. The next meetings will be held on Wednesdays at 7pm on the following dates:

Wednesday 22nd October 2025, 10th December 2025, 28th January 2026 and 18th March 2026.

The Coffee Evening at Beaumont held on September 4th, raised £215 for Church funds

Many thanks to our helpers and supporters.

Margaret McKenna

St Mary's Beaumont 100 Club Draw August Winners

1st - No 90 - Noreen Betts (£50)

2nd - No 43 - David Hitchon (£30)

3rd - No 95 - Pam and Matty (£20)

Thank you to all who support the St Mary's 100 Club which has funded the re-stoning and edging of the church path.

A really big thank you to Tom, Wendy and all the volunteers who helped in any way .

The result is so good and will be much appreciated by those who visit the church

Thank you.



Beaumont Parish Hall



Children's Hallowe'en Party
Suitable for 11 years old and younger
On Sunday 26th October from 4 pm until 6 pm

At Burgh Village Hall

Come in your Hallowe'en costume



Disco and party games
Refreshments

£5 entry per child, refreshments included.
Book early for your child's place.
In advance only. Limited places.

Contact Mari on 07939 635791 to book your child's place and to discuss any dietary requirements

BACS payment to Beaumont Parish Hall
Sort Code: 82 12 08 A/C: 00055516

Beaumont Parish Children's Christmas Party 2025



Saturday 13th December from 2pm-4pm

at Burgh Village Hall

for children of Beaumont Parish.

If your child is 11 or under and would like to come to the party,

please contact Bryony on 01228 576403

by Wednesday 3rd December,
who will pass on their details to Santa.

Beaumont Parish Hall CIO Charity number 1171188

GREAT ORTON NEWS

Great Orton Village Hall 50/50 2025draw

Winners August 2025

1st - No 18 - Andrew Notman
2nd - No 100 - Michael Martin
3rd - No 102 - Michael Lightfoot
4th - No 88 - Martin Dixon
5th - No 23 - Mrs P MacDonald

Winners September 2025

1st - No 43 - Mary Cook
2nd - No 9 - Gayle Norman
3rd - No 145 Byron Johnston
4th - No 107 - Hazel Watson
5th - No 90 - Ryan Park

Thank you very much for participation in the 2025 50/50 Village Hall Draw.
Many thanks for your support
Village Hall Committee



The poster is framed by autumn-themed illustrations of pumpkins and leaves. The central text reads: **Autumn** FLOWERWORKSHOP, CALL KIM TO BOOK, 07468 584148. Below the text are two images: a bouquet of autumn flowers in an orange pot and the Great Orton Social Club logo, which features a green coffee cup with steam inside a circular frame with the text 'GREAT ORTON SOCIAL CLUB'. At the bottom, the event details are listed: Sunday 19th October, 11-12.30, Great Orton Village Hall, £18pp (social club members), Non-members £20pp.

Autumn
FLOWERWORKSHOP

CALL KIM TO BOOK
07468 584148



Sunday 19th October
11-12.30
Great Orton Village Hall
£18pp (social club members)
Non-members £20pp

2025/26 Social Club Bingo

All events to be held in

Great Orton Village Hall



Friday 12th September 2025

Friday 3rd October 2025

Friday 7th November 2025

Friday 5th December 2025

Friday 23rd January 2026

Friday 6th February 2026

Friday 6th March 2026

Hall opens 6.30pm

First game of 6 starts 7pm

Adult £4, U16 £2, U5 Free

U16 must be accompanied by an adult

Fee includes tea/coffee/juice

Cakes 50p each

Fun prizes for all the family - everyone welcome to join in.

St Giles' Church, Great Orton

Please join us for the
HARVEST FESTIVAL
on Sunday 28th September
at 10.30a.m.

To be led by

Mr Robert Pattinson

Refreshments will be served following the service.

We will decorate the church on Saturday 27th Sept. at 1.30p.m. when Harvest gifts will be gratefully received, or may be left in the porch if you are unable to help

ALL WELCOME

St. Giles' Church, Great Orton

Please join us
on Sunday 9th November at 11a.m.
for an

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE
at
THE WAR MEMORIAL

This will follow the service of
HOLY COMMUNION
at 10.a.m.
(Please note later than usual time)

ALL WELCOME
at one or both of these.

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at one or both of these.

METHODIST SERVICES

Thurstonfield Methodist Chapel
Chapelfield Lane, CA5 6HJ

We have an Evening Service of hymns, prayers and a variety of speakers each Sunday at 6.30

5th October – Harvest service
with Rev Colin Harbach followed by a buffet Supper

12th October – Rev Tokunbo Asogbon

19th October – Rev Nigel Rodgers

26th October – Rev Paul Beard

2nd November- Rev Nigel Rodgers

9th November – ourselves

16th November – Salvation Army

23rd November – Rev Nigel Rodgers

30th November – Rev Philip Jackson

All are welcome.

Harvest Tea Monday 6th Oct at 2.1

Oasis Monday 3rd November at 2.15 pm

All welcome. Come & enjoy.

Parent & Toddler Group

Every Tuesday at 10 -11.30am.

All free of charge.

Come & meet other young families.

**Any queries Ring Mary. Tel 012208 576027
or email thurstonfieldchapel@gmail.com**

Church matters

October and
November 2025

Update on the appointing of our next Priest-in-Charge

There has been a significant development regarding our vacancy since the update in the last Parish Magazine. You will already know from previous updates that our six parish Benefice (along with those of Caldbeck and Westward and Rosley groups) will be moving from the Carlisle Archdeaconry to the West Cumberland Archdeaconry and from the Carlisle Deanery to the Solway Deanery. We have now heard that Bishop Rob has signed the Pastoral Order and the move took effect from 1st September.

This is very good news and we can work again now towards making real progress in re-advertising our vacancy. You will be kept updated in the Parish Magazine as this goes forward.

Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals while we have no Priest-in-Charge of our Parishes

Anyone wishing to arrange a Baptism, Marriage or Funeral while we have no Priest-in-Charge is warmly encouraged to contact their local Churchwarden (please see list below).

We have a friendly retired Vicar with whom we can put you in touch and he will be very happy to be of assistance.

Churchwardens:

Aikton – Mrs. Eleanor Graham 016973 42581 or Mrs Gillian Housby
016973 45487

Bowness-on-Solway – Mrs Pauline Hinks 01228 576157 or Mr James
Graham

Burgh-by-Sands – Mrs. Carolynne Baines 01228 576301

Great Orton – Mrs. Elizabeth Reed 01228 642906

Kirkandrews-on-Eden with Beaumont & Grinsdale – Mrs. Linda
Beattie 01228 576518

Kirkbampton – Mrs. Elizabeth McCall 01228 576042E

Email - info@eastsolwaychurches.org.uk or

minister@eastsolwaychurches.org.uk

For the parishes within the Benefice of the Barony of Burgh:
Aikton, Burgh-by-Sands, Great Orton, Kirkandrews on Eden
with Beaumont & Grinsdale, and Kirkbampton.

Church of England Services – October 2025

October 5th

Proper 23

Readings

AIKTON 9.30am Harvest Holy Communion
BOWNESS 11am Harvest Sunday Worship
BURGH 11am 'Follow' - Informal Worship

2 Timothy 1:
1—14
and
Luke 17: 5—10

October 12th

Proper 24

KIRKBAMPTON 9.30am Sunday Worship
GREAT ORTON 9.30am Holy Communion
BURGH 11 am 'Follow' - Informal Worship

2 Timothy 2:
8—15
and
Luke 17: 11—
19

October 19th

Proper 25

KIRKBAMPTON 9.30am Holy Communion
BOWNESS 11am Holy Communion
BURGH 11am 'Follow' - Informal Worship

2 Timothy 3:
14—4: 5
and
Luke 18: 1—8

October 26th

Proper 26

BEAUMONT 9.30am Holy Communion
GREAT ORTON 10.30am Ecumenical Worship
BURGH 11am Holy Communion
BURGH 3pm Memorial Service

2 Timothy 4:
6—8, 16—18
and
Luke 18: 9—14

*There will also be a Traditional (Book of Common Prayer)
Said Communion Service at St Michael's Church, Burgh at 10am
each Wednesday in October*

Church of England Services – November 2025

Readings

November 2nd

All Saints

AIKTON	9.30 am - Holy Communion
BOWNESS	11am - Sunday Worship
BURGH	11am - 'Follow' - informal worship

Ephesians 1: 11 -
23
and
Luke 6: 20 - 31

November 9th

Remembrance Sunday

BEAUMONT	9.30 am - Sunday Worship
KIRKBAMPTON	9.30 am - Sunday Worship
GREAT ORTON	10 am - Holy Communion
AIKTON	10.45 am - Sunday Worship
BOWNESS	10.50 am - Sunday Worship
BURGH	10.55 am - Holy Communion

2 Thessalonians
2: 1 - 5, 13 - 17
and
Luke 20: 27 - 38

November 16th

KIRKBAMPTON	9.30am - Holy Communion
BOWNESS	11am - Holy Communion
BURGH	11am - 'Follow' - informal worship

2 Thessalonians
3: 6 - 13
and
Luke 21: 5 - 19

November 23rd

Next before Advent Christ the King

BEAUMONT	9.30am - Holy Communion
GREAT ORTON	10.30am - Ecumenical Worship
BURGH	11am - Holy Communion

Colossians 1: 11 -
20
and
Luke 23: 33 - 43

November 30th

Advent Sunday

AIKTON	10.30 am United Benefice Service
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Isaiah 2: 1 - 5
and
Matthew 24: 36 -
44

*There will also be a Traditional (Book of Common Prayer)
Said Communion Service at St Michael's Church, Burgh at 10am
each Wednesday in November*



Sunday 9th November

Remembrance Services in our Barony

St Mary's Beaumont 9.30am - Sunday Worship

Kirkbampton - Sunday Worship 9.30am

St Giles Great Orton - service of
Holy Communion at 10am, followed by an Act
of Remembrance at the War Memorial at
11am

St Peter's Aikton - Sunday Worship 10.45am

St Michael's Bowness Sunday Worship 10.50am

St Michael's Burgh - War Memorial at 10.55, followed by Holy
Communion in Church - all welcome.

Tea and coffee served in Church from 10.30am

All with Acts of Remembrance



ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, BURGH-BY-SANDS

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE
SUNDAY 26th October 3 p.m.

Everyone is very welcome to come and remember
loved ones lost recently or in time past.

Benefice Church Rotas - October and November 2025

St Michaels Burgh

	Flowers	Cleaning	Coffee
Sunday 6th October	Harvest Flowers	Pauline Cooke	Emma Barrie and Sheena Douglas
Sunday 12th October	Anne Pattinson	Cheryl Orme	Michele Evans and Cat Servante
Sunday 19th October	Anne Pattinson	Pauline Cooke	Cheryl Orme and Sandra Wilson
Sunday 26th October	Flower Fund	Cheryl Orme	Emily Roelich and Sylvia Edgar
Monthly Cleaning		Liz Parkinson and Robin Pearson	
Sunday 2nd November	Flower Fund	Cheryl Orme	Emma Barrie and Sheena Douglas
Sunday 9th November	Poppies for Remembrance	Pauline Cooke	Michele Evans and Cat Servante
Sunday 16th November	Poppies for Remembrance	Cheryl Orme	Cheryl Orme and Sandra Wilson
Sunday 23rd November	Val Wind	Pauline Cooke	Emily Roelich and Sylvia Edgar
Sunday 30th November	Val Wind	Cheryl Orme	United Benefice Service at Aikton
Monthly Cleaning		Carolynne Baines	

St Peter's Kirkbampton

Flower Rota

Sun 5th October	Mrs Bradley
Sun 12th October	Mrs Senior and Mrs E McCall
Sun 19th October	Mrs Senior and Mrs E McCall
Sun 26th October	Flower Fund
Sun 2nd November	Flower Fund
Sun 9th November	Flower Fund
Sun 16th November	Flower Fund
Sun 23rd November	Flower Fund
Sun 30th November	United Benefice Service at Aikton

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weds 16th July
 weds 22nd October

Services at Monkhill Chapel

Oct	5	10.30am	Morning Service	Mrs Pat Staley
	12	10.30am	United Harvest Brunch with Us	
				Revd Nigel Rodgers
	19	10.30am	Morning Service	Mr Ian Beattie
	26	10.30am	Morning Service	Revd Paul Beard
Nov	2	10.30am	Morning Service	Mrs Wendy Beard
	12	9.30am	United Remembrance Service	
			St Mary's Beaumont	
	Then	10.30am	Brunch with Us & 2-minute silence	
			Schoolroom, Monkhill	
	16	10.30am	Own Arrangement	
	23	10.30am	Morning Worship	Revd Nigel Rodgers
	30	2.30pm	5th Sunday Service	
			Port Carlisle Community Chapel	

Forthcoming events

Lunch with Us – monthly Community Lunch open to all – **Thursday 30 October & Thursday 27 November** - opens 12 noon for 12.30pm start (see separate advert for full details)

Joint Harvest Supper (St Mary's Beaumont & St Michael's Burgh with Monkhill Methodists) at Beaumont Parish Hall on **Saturday 11th October at 7pm.**

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Packing Sessions in the Schoolroom at Monkhill on **Wednesday 5 November & Thursday 6 November, both days from 2-4pm.** Refreshments provided.

United Service of Remembrance – Sunday 9 November St Mary's Church, Beaumont followed by Brunch with Us at Monkhill Chapel at 10.30am.
Christmas Lunch with Us – Thursday 4 December (please note date)

Chapel Open

Remember that the Chapel is open daily with an automatic door lock in operation on the front porch door, unlocking at 8am and locking at 7pm. We have a Visitors Book in the porch, a Prayer Box in the Chapel and a Food Bank box in the schoolroom for donations to the Carlisle Food Bank Scheme. You are very welcome to use the Chapel for private prayer and quiet contemplation. We should be grateful if you would use the hand sanitiser provided. For security reasons please make sure that the porch door is closed properly behind you on leaving – thank-you.

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AIKTON NEWS

Aikton 300 Club Results for September 2025

September 2025	TICKET NUMBER	NAME
1 st (£50)	233	Lauren Bowe
2 nd (£20)	153	D Bales
3 rd (£10)	193	Margaret Irvine

St. Andrew's PCC wish to thank everyone for their support over the year in our 300 Club draw.

New 300 Club Tickets will be on sale from the end of October and we do hope that you will continue with your support. The first draw of the new tickets takes place at the end of November 2025 and the last draw will take place in September 2026.

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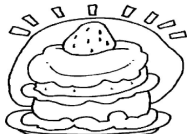


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KIRKBAMPTON AND THURSTONFIELD NEWS

Kirkbampton Village Hall 100 Club

	September 2025	October 2025
1	Olivia Head	P&D Maxwell
2	Maizie Bulman	Lucy Stevenson
3	Mrs Laval	Grace Heaney

Fees for the next financial year will be due September/October. If you wish to continue to participate in the Kirkbampton Village Hall 100 Club could you please ensure your fees (£12 per number) are paid by mid October 2025.

I would like to thank everyone for their support over the past three years. I am stepping down from the role in October and the committee will be appointing a new 100 Club Organiser. If you would like to join the 100 club please contact me for details in the interim .

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Wed 1st Oct - Poetry Group, 11am St Michael's Burgh
Fri 3rd Oct - Monthly Coffee Morning **Monkhill Chapel**, 10am-12 noon
Fri 3rd Oct - Great Orton Social Club Bingo, 6.30pm, Great Orton Village Hall
Fri 3rd Oct - Kirkbampton Village Hall Tea Dance 3pm - 6pm **Cancelled**
Sat 4th Oct - Autumn Craft and Gift Fair, Burgh Village Hall, 10am - 4pm
Sun 5th Oct - Harvest Festival, Aikton Church , 9.30am
Mon 6th Oct - Sale of Produce, Aikton Parish Rooms, 7.30pm
Tues 7th Oct - Barony of Burgh Mothers Union meeting, Burgh Village Hall 2pm
Sat 11th Oct - Joint Harvest Supper (St Mary's, Beaumont, Monkhill Chapel and St Michael's Burgh) 7pm Burgh Village Hall
Tues 14th Oct - The Nue Tuesday Group (formally Burgh WI) first birthday party. Burgh Village Hall 2pm
Thurs 16th Oct - Solway Gardening Club, 7.30pm Newton Arlosh Parish Hall
Fri 17th Oct - Kirkandrews WI AGM with lace making demonstration, Schoolroom, Monkhill Chapel 12pm.
Sat 18th Oct - Craig Gould and the Noble Thieves, Burgh Village Hall, 7.30pm
Sun 19th Oct - Autumn Flower Workshop, Great Orton Village Hall , 11am - 12.30pm
Thurs 23rd Oct - Film Night, Burgh Village Hall, 7pm
Sat 25th Oct - Christmas Card Sale and Crafts, Burgh Village Hall, 10.30am - 12.30pm
Sat 25th Oct - Family Bingo Burgh Village Hall, 6.30pm
Sun 26th Oct - Halloween Party, Burgh Village Hall, 4pm - 6pm
Thurs 30th Oct - Lunch with Us School-room at Monkhill Chapel 12 for 12.30pm
Tues 4th Nov - Barony of Burgh Mother's Union Meeting, 2pm, Burgh Village Hall
Wed 5th Nov - Poetry Group, 11am St Michael's Burgh
Wed 5th Nov - Operation Christmas Child Box Packing, Monkhill Schoolroom 2pm - 4pm
Wed 6th Nov - Operation Christmas Child Box Packing, Monkhill Schoolroom 2pm - 4pm
Fri 7th Nov - Monthly Coffee Morning, **Monkhill Chapel**, 10am-12 noon
Fri 7th Nov - Great Orton Social Club Bingo, 6.30pm, Great Orton Village Hall
Tues 11th Nov - The Nue Tuesday Group, Burgh Village Hall, 2pm
Fri 14th Nov - 'Making Resolutions' Kirkandrews WI, Monkhill Chapel, 2pm
Sat 15th Nov - St Michael's Burgh Christmas Fair , Burgh Village Hall
Sat 15th Nov - Family Bingo, Burgh Village Hall, 6.30pm
Thurs 20th Nov - Solway Gardening Society, Kirkbampton Village Hall, 7.30pm
Thurs 20th Nov - Burgh by Sands Village Hall AGM, 7pm in the hall
Sat 22nd Nov - Autumn Lite Lunch Get Together, Aikton Parish Room, 11.30am to 2.30pm
Thurs 27th Nov - Lunch with Us - Schoolroom at Monkhill Chapel, 12 for 12.30
Thurs 27th Nov - Film Night, Burgh Village Hall, 7pm
Fri 28th Nov - Festive Shopping Night, Kirkbampton Village Hall, 6.30pm - 9pm
Sat 29th Nov - Kirkbampton Festive Fair, Kirkbampton Village Hall, 2p - 4pm
Sat 29h Nov - Ceilidh - Kirkbampton Village Hall, 7.30pm til late
Sun 30th Nov - Friends of Burgh School Christmas Event Burgh Village Hall 12pm

List of Claiming Dates from December 2025 onwards

Wed 3rd Dec - Solway Flower Club Christmas Outing to Skitby House

Thurs 4th Dec - Lunch with Us School-room at Monkhill Chapel 12 for 12.30pm

Fri 5th Dec - Monthly Coffee Morning, Monkhill Chapel, 10am-12 noon

Fri 5th Dec - Great Orton Social Club Bingo, 6.30pm, Great Orton Village Hall

Sun 7th Dec - Festive Wreath Making, Kirkbampton Village Hall, 11am - 1pm

Fri 12th Dec - Kirkandrews WI Christmas Celebration, Venue tbc, 12pm

Sun 13th Dec - Beaumont Children's Party, Burgh Village Hall time 2pm - 4pm

Sun 14th Dec - United Parish Christmas Service, Monkhill Chapel, 10am Mince Pies, 10.30am Service

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Fri 23rd Jan - Great Orton Social Club Bingo, 6.30pm, Great Orton Village Hall

Fri 6th Feb - Great Orton Social Club Bingo, 6.30pm, Great Orton Village Hall

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