# **Carlisle Diocese Prayer Diary**

# October 2018



'Four churches journeying together'

Praying with our fellow Christians in Cumbria, together with our link dioceses of Northern Argentina, Stavanger and Zululand

# This month we focus on the Windermere Deanery

God for All: By 2020 every person in Cumbria of all ages and backgrounds will have had an opportunity to discover more of God and God's purpose for their life <a href="http://www.godforall.org.uk/making-it-happen/prayer-resources/">http://www.godforall.org.uk/making-it-happen/prayer-resources/</a>

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#### Monday 1 October

#### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Ife East, Ibadan in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Oluseyi Oyelade, clergy and people.

Nigeria is the second largest province in the Anglican Communion, as measured by baptized membership, after the Church of England. Since 2002, the Church of Nigeria is organised in 10 ecclesiastical provinces. It has rapidly increased the number of its dioceses and bishops from 91 to 122. The administrative headquarters are in Abuja.

#### Windermere Deanery

Windermere Deanery, Rural Dean: Revd David Wilmot; Lay Chair: Helen Hoyle; Treasurer: John Rickman; Secretary: Sandra Britton. Continued support for our Network Youth Minister: Chris Mason. Pray for Shaping Mission Communities which will be effective in growing disciples. For the other organisations in the Deanery including, the South Lakes Methodist Circuit, and part of the URC's South Lakes Group of Churches as well as other ecumenical partners.

#### Our Bishops

Bishop James, Rural Deans & Lay Chairs Meeting at Bishops House.

### **Tuesday 2 October**

#### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Ifo, Lagos in the Province of Nigeria The Revd Nathaniel Oladejo Ogundipe, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

### Windermere Deanery

The Deanery Network Youth Church, Pray for Soul Survivor which took place between August 4th - 8th 2018 and the young people from the Deanery impacted. For the planned Mission trip to Bosnia with YWAM in Easter 2019. And for the development of groups in Ambleside and Staveley.

#### Wednesday 3 October

#### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Igbomina, Kwara in the Province of Nigeria, The Ven Emmanuel Adekola, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

#### Windermere Deanery

The Cartmel Peninsula Team Ministry: Thanks for the service of licensing and installation for the new Team Rector, Revd Dr James Bruce, with the combined choirs of St Paul's Grange, Cartmel Priory, and Allithwaite Worship Band and people of all Peninsula Churches and beyond. For Team Curate Andrew Norman. For Wisdom and discernment as Jim gets to know the people of the ten churches; investigates impartially the current unhappy situation; seeks The Lord's diagnosis, and solutions for a better future. Pray for the Prayer walk around benefice, 'Peninsula Pentecos't.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, Retreat.

### Thursday 4 October St Francis of Assisi (Friar, Deacon 1181-26)

The son of a prosperous merchant who dramatically renounced his heritage in order to follow a simple life of poverty outside the framework of the monastic system. He founded the Friars Minor now the Society of St Francis (SSF), who took literally Christ's injunction to travel and preach the Gospel without money or baggage. Francis always worked within the framework of the Church and his respect for the priesthood led him to refuse ordination as a priest and he remained a deacon and left the management of his Order to others. He encouraged Clare of Assisi to found a parallel Order for women and started a Third Order for lay people committed to a Rule of Life.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Igbomina West, Kwara in the Province of Nigeria,

The Rt Revd James Akinola, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Cartmel Peninsula Team Ministry. For Cartmel Priory CE Secondary School, Headteacher Dr Paul Williams all staff & Governors. For Libby (Youth worker for the Churches Together in Grange & District Youth Trust) and the new Intern Tonje in their work in the schools and beyond. For the retired clergy on the Peninsula: Penny Driver, Amiel Osmaston, Bryan Williams, Derek & Joan Jackson, Celia & +Nigel McCulloch, Terry

Wilcock, George Wilson and Sue Wilson.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, Retreat followed by Trinity School 50th

Anniversary Service, Carlisle Cathedral.

#### Friday 5 October

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ijebu North, Lagos in the Province of Nigeria, The

Rt Revd Ezekiel Awosoga, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Allithwaite, St Mary. Team Vicar: Revd Rachel Stavert currently on extended leave. Allithwaite CofE Primary Head Teacher Gill Elliott all staff & Governors. Churchwarden Ian (and Deputy Alan); readers Elizabeth Arthurs, Keith Buckler Steve Bell; for Heather Smith as she completes her reader training. Stability in Rachel's absence. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith. Growth in reach to village people.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, Lunch Meeting at Bishops House.

Saturday 6 October William Tynedale Translator, Martyr, 1494-536

A biblical scholar, determined to make a new translation of the Bible into English working

directly from the Greek. After being rebuffed by the Bishop of London, he went to Germany to work with Lutheran scholars. His translation of the NT was smuggled into England but publicly burned in 1526. He continued to work on the OT but had, frequently, to evade arrest. In 1535 he was arrested in Antwerp and imprisoned. The following year he was executed. His last words were said to have been: 'Lord, open the King of England's eyes'. The beauty of Tyndale's language later became recognised and much of Cranmer's Great Bible of 1539 consists of Tyndale's translations as does much of the Authorised Version of the Bible.

Anglican Communion Diocese of, Ijebu North, Lagos in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Solomon Kuponu, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Cartmel Priory Church of St Mary & St Michael. Team Vicar Nick Devenish; Wardens Judy, Roger & John; Director of Music Adrian Self. Cartmel CE (C) Primary School Head Teacher Rachel Battersby, all staff & Governors. For growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith. And, for a return to collaborative mission on the Peninsula.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, Annual Reader Service.

#### SUNDAY 7 October TRINITY 19

#### Anglican Communion

Pray for The Episcopal Church, The Rt Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop of The Episcopal Church.

Anglicanism was brought to the New World by explorers and colonists with the first celebration of the Holy Eucharist in Jamestown, Virginia, in 1607. There was no resident Bishop for nearly two hundred years. In 1784, the Scottish Episcopal Church consecrated the first American Bishop. The Church has 9 Provinces, 98 Dioceses, with 20 overseas jurisdictions.

Windermere Deanery Field Broughton, St Peter. Team Vicar Nick Devenish; Wardens John & Ben; Pastoral LLM's. Growth in confidence in prayer

and sharing faith. For a return to collaborative mission on the Peninsula. Pray for the Launch of the Central Lakes Mission Community in the Ambleside area.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Central Lakes Mission Community Launch.

**God for All:** For the Messy Church at St Mary's Walney with Vickerstown Methodist. For the Network Youth Church, as two leaders move on that the right appointments might be made to carry the work forward.

**Vocations**: We pray for all who exercise ministry in our churches and encourage others to consider their calling.

We pray for Vocation Advisers in the Windermere Deanery.

We pray for the Co-ordinator for the Vocations Advisers in the Archdeaconry of Westmorland and Furness, Maureen Stevens.

#### Monday 8 October

Anglican	Diocese of Ijesa North East, Ibadan in the Province of Nigeria.
Communion	The Rt Revd Joseph Olusola, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

#### Windermere Deanery

Finsthwaite, St Peter. Team Vicar James Bruce. Wardens Sue & Mark. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith. The community & people who live & work there, & the ministry to

visitors. And, success for the Ice Cream sales point.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Acorn Christian Healing, Hampshire

# **Tuesday 9 October**

Anglican Diocese of Ijesha North, Ibadan, in the Province of Nigeria, Communion The Rt Revd Isaac Oluyamo, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Flookburgh, St John the Baptist. Team Vicar Rachel Stavert. Wardens Pat & Val. Sunday Club to grow. Flookburgh CE Foundation Primary School Head Teacher, Gill Pett all staff & Governors New Outreach opportunities. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, meetings London.

#### Wednesday 10 October St Paulinus, Bishop, Missionary, 644

Paulinus was sent from Rome by Gregory the Great to support Augustine of Canterbury on his English mission. Edwin of Northumbria wanted to marry a Kentish princess Ethelburga, a Christian. Edwin was a pagan. Edwin agreed to give Ethelburga and her household freedom to practise their faith and to consider becoming a Christian himself. Paulinus accompanied the princess north, Edwin was converted and, with his household was baptised. Large scale conversions followed and a cathedral was started but Edwin was killed in battle in 633. Paulinus escorted the princess back to Kent and later became Bishop of Rochester.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ijumu, Lokoja, The Ven Paul Olarewaju Ojo and, Diocese of Ikara, Kaduna, , The Rt Revd Yusuf Janfalan clergy and people. Both in the Province of Nigeria.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October).

Windermere Deanery Grange-over-Sands, St Paul. Readers: Julia Gilchrist, Joyce Leach, Keith Waller. Grange CE (C) Primary School Head Teacher, Phillipa Summers all staff & Governors. Continued development of the church's after school club & 'Cake' services. For the work of our pastoral visiting team. For our programme of outreach into the community & reordering of St Paul's Church. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing

faith.

**Our Bishops** 

Bishop James, Speaking on Health Issues.

#### Wednesday 11 October St Ethelburga, Abbess, 675

Ethelburga of Barking was the sister of a Bishop of London. Earconwald built two monasteries for Ethelburga, an abbess who imposed the Benedictine tradition on both the men's and women's communities. Ethelburga returned to southern England after the death of King Edwin of Northumbria in 633 and was escorted back to Kent by Paulinus.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ikara, Kaduna in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt

Revd Yuuf Janfalan, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Haverthwaite, St Anne. Vicar James Bruce. Leven Valley CE (A) Primary School; Headteacher Ian Nicol all staff & Governors. Mission, outreach & ministry to older & younger people & the

Hollow Oak Care Home. Growth in confidence in prayer and

sharing faith.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, Bishop's Advisers on Chaplaincy / Healthcare

Meetings.

#### Friday 12 October St Wilfrid

Wilfrid was an English bishop and saint. Born a Northumbrian noble, he entered religious life as a teenager and studied at Lindisfarne, Canterbury, Gaul, and at Rome. He returned to Northumbria around 660, and became the abbot of a newly founded monastery at Ripon. He became Bishop of York covering the whole of Northumbria, built magnificent stone churches at Ripon and Hexham. He acquired vast landholdings and established several monasteries and converted Sussex, the last vestige of

paganism, to Christianity. He was the confidant of kings and queens but made many powerful enemies and was twice banished from Northumbria. He was not afraid to seek papal jurisdiction over both crown and church where he felt badly treated. His life was threatened many times and he was imprisoned in Northumbria by the king. Wilfrid died round 709 and after his death, he was venerated as a saint.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ikdeuru, Owerri, The Rt Revd Emmanuel Maduwike, clergy and people. And, The Rt Revd Peter Onekpe, clergy and people, both in the Province of Nigeria.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Lindale, St. Paul. Assistant Priest: Revd George Wilson; Reader: Jenny Leahy. No Wardens. Lindale CE (C) Primary School; Headteacher: Sarah Coleman all staff & Governors. Church Commissioners have accepted PCC request to close the building. For the future of Christian Mission in the village. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, meetings Bishop House.

# Saturday 13 October Edward the Confessor, King, 1004-1066

Edward, son of Ethelread the Unready, was taken to Normandy when his father died in 1016 and remained there for 25 years before he was called back to England as King. A man of great piety who endowed a number of monasteries. Strongly pro-Norman, he brought in many Norman knights and clerics and strengthened links with the Pope. He died on 5 January 1066, his successor Harold was on the throne for less than a year before being defeated by the Normans. Edward was buried in Westminster Abbey.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ikwerre, Niger Delta, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Blessings Enyindah, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Staveley-in-Cartmel, St Mary. Team Vicar James Bruce. Wardens Eddie & Richard. Thanks for the appointment of a Parish Clerk. For faithfulness & witness in a small community. Growth in confidence in prayer and sharing faith.

**Our Bishops** 

Bishop James, Diocesan Synod, Windermere.

#### SUNDAY 14 October Trinity 20

#### Anglican Communion

Pray for The Church in Wales, The Most Revd John Davies, Archbishop of Wales & Bishop of Swansea & Brecon.

The Church in Wales has been an independent province since its disestablishment and separation from the Church of England in 1920. It is practically coterminous with Wales and is the largest denomination in the country. The Province of the Church in Wales is divided into six dioceses.

#### Windermere Deanery

Benefice of Grasmere, St Oswald. Priest in charge: The Revd Gill Henwood. Churchwardens: Sonia Rickman and Helen Bunfield. For the Methodist Service at Grasmere (quarterly) with Deacon Maggie Patchett, also Methodist Chaplain to the Tourism Industry in the area (first year of a new project). For Grasmere (VA) CE Primary School; Headteacher Johanna Goode.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, attending a Confirmation Service at St James' Barrow. And, Installation Service, Carlisle Cathedral.

**God for All:** We pray for Messy Church at Sandylands Methodist Church in Kendal. For the Kentigern School of Contemplative Prayer to be launched in November.

#### Monday 15 October St Teresa of Avila

St Teresa of Avila, was born in 1558 and was educated by the Augustinian nuns at Avila. Teresa is one of the foremost writers on prayer, and her position among writers on mystical theology is unique. In all her writings on this subject, she deals with her personal experiences. Her deep insight and analytical gifts helped her to explain them clearly. Despite frail health and great difficulties, Teresa spent much of her life establishing and nurturing 16 or more convents throughout Spain. She died in 1582, just as Catholic nations were making the change from the Julian to the Gregorian calendar which required the removal of 5–14 October from the calendar. She died either before midnight of 4 October or early in the morning of 15 October 1582 which is celebrated as her feast day.

Anglican
Communion

Kenneth Ifemene.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October.)

Windermere
Deanery

The Benefice of Hawkshead, Sawrey, Rusland & Satterthwaite.
Incumbent: John Dixon. Assistant Priest: Nick Hallam. Reader
Frances Stride. Local Lay Minister Andrew Duncan Those who
lead worship in our churches. Visitors to our churches. School:

Diocese of Ikwo, Enugu in Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd

Esthwaite Primary School, headteacher Carol Sharp. For the

emerging Mission Community launched this month.

Our Bishops Bishop James, meetings at Rydal Hall.

# Tuesday 16 October Nicolas Ridley and Hugh Latimer

Nicholas Ridley had been a chaplain to King Henry VIII and was Bishop of London under his son Edward. He was a preacher beloved of his congregation whose very life portrayed the truths of the Christian doctrines he taught. In his own household he had daily Bible readings and encouraged Scripture memory among his people. Hugh Latimer was also an influential preacher under King Edward's reign. He was an earnest student of the Bible, and as Bishop of Worcester encouraged the Scriptures be known in English by the people. He was renowned for his works, especially his visitations to

the prisons. Both Ridley and Latimer were burned at the stake in Oxford on this day, October 16, 1555.

Anglican Communion	Diocese of Ikwuano, Aba in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Chigozirim Onyegbule, clergy and people.
	(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)
Windermere Deanery	St Michael & All Angels, Hawkshead. Vicar: John Dixon; Assistant Priest: Revd Dr Nick Hallam; Reader: Frances Stride.
Our Bishops	Bishop James, meetings at Rydal Hall.

### Wednesday 17 October St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr, 37-107

Ignatius was perhaps a disciple of John the Evangelist. Nothing is known of his life and work until the time of his arrest but he wrote seven letters to other churches while he was being taken to Rome under guard. They are important, giving insight into the theology of the early church. In 107, he was thrown to the lions in the Colosseum.

Anglican Communion	Diocese of Ilaje, Ondo in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Fredrick Olugbemi, clergy and people.
	(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)
Windermere Deanery	Pray for Rusland, St Paul. Vicar: Revd John Dixon; Assistant Priest: Revd Dr Nick Hallam. Reader: Frances Stride.
Our Bishops	Bishop James, meetings Rydal Hall.

### Thursday 18 October St Luke the Evangelist

Luke the Evangelist is one of the Four Evangelists—the four traditionally ascribed authors of canonical Gospels. The early church fathers ascribed to him authorship of both the Gospel according to Luke and the book of Acts of the Apostles. The

authorship of The Gospel according to Luke and The Acts of the Apostles place Luke as having written a plurality of the New Testament, more even than Paul the Apostle.

Anglican
Diocese of Ile-Oluji, Ondo in the Province of Nigeria The Rt
Revd Samson Adekunle, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere
Pray for Satterthwaite, All Saints. Vicar: The Revd John Dixon;
Assistant Priest: The Revd Dr Nick Hallam. Reader: Frances

Stride.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Visit to NHS Trust, Carlisle.

#### Friday 19 October Henry Martyn

Henry Martyn was born in 1781 and was an Anglican Priest and missionary to the peoples of India and Persia. He was ordained a Priest in the Church of England and became a Chaplain for the British East India Company He translated the whole of the New Testament, Psalms and the Book of Common Prayer into Indian and Urdu. He is well known for both his literary publications and religious devotions. There are a number of education institutions and missionary libraries established in his name, one of which is the Henry Martyn Centre now housed at Westminster College. In part of the Anglican Communion he is celebrated with a 'Lesser Festival' on 19 October.

Anglican
Diocese of Ilesa, Ibadan in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt
Revd Olubayu Sowale, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria see 1 October)

Windermere
Pray for Sawrey, St Peter. Vicar: Revd John Dixon; Assistant
Priest: Revd Dr Nick Hallam. Reader: Frances Stride.

Our Bishops
Bishop James, Attending Consecration, York.

#### Saturday 20 October

#### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Ilesa South West, Ilbadan in the Province of Nigeria, the Rt Revd Samuel Egbedunmi, clergy and people. Diocese of Irele – Eseodo, Onodo in the Province of Nigeria, the Rt Revd Felix Akinbuluma, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Province of Nigeria see 1 October.)

### Windermere Deanery

Pray for Benefice of Loughrigg Team Ministry. Team Rector: Revd Beverley Lock. Team Vicar: Revd George Wrigley. Assistant Priest: Revd Nick Hallam. Reader: Mr Brian Lock. Ambleside CE Primary School; Headteacher: Mrs Sarah Carrick. Langdale CE Primary School; Headteacher: Mrs Rachel Underwood. For the weekly 'Crumpet Service' in Ambleside aimed at children, parents & carers after school. Also, for the monthly Cafe Church at Little Langdale aimed at whole families. For good relations between the existing Churches Together group & the Mission Community to be launched on 7th October.

Our Bishops

Bishop James, meetings Church House, Penrith.

#### SUNDAY 21 October Trinity 21

#### Anglican Communion

Pray for The Church in the Province of West Africa The Most Revd Dr Daniel Sarfo Primate & Metropolitan, CPWA, Archbishop of the Internal Province of Ghana and Bishop of Kumasi, clergy and people.

Church of the Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia. There is a population of around 10 million Christians, including the 1 million Anglicans spread across the 600 or so parishes.

Windermere

Pray for Ambleside, St Mary. For the emerging 'Leadership

Deanery Team' at St. Mary's. For work of the Ambleside Parish Centre.

For Fair Shares lunches. For chaplaincy among tourists &

farming businesses & with students.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Ulverston Parish Church.

**God for All:** We pray for Messy Marys at Harrington . For the preparations for the Christmas Big Reach campaign, that churches may engage with Christmas church goers and that we might reach a new generation.

#### **Monday 22 October**

Anglican Communion Diocese of Iowa, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Alan

Scarfe, clergy and people.

Diocese of Kansas, The Episcopal Church, currently in vacancy

and for its clergy and people.

(For notes on the Episcopal Church, please see 7 October)

Windermere Deanery Pray for Brathay, Holy Trinity. For the Thursday morning

gathering & distinctive 1662 worship.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Centenary Remembrance Service for Rev

Theodore Bailey Hardy, Hutton Roof.

#### **Tuesday 23 October**

Anglican Communion Diocese of Iran, Province of Jerusalem & Middle East, currently vacant and for its clergy and people.

The Church covers the four dioceses of Jerusalem, Iran, Egypt, Cyprus and the Gulf. The Jerusalem bishopric was founded in 1841 and became an archbishopric in 1957. Reorganization in January 1976 ended the archbishopric and combined the Diocese of Jordan, Lebanon, and Syria with the Jerusalem bishopric after a nineteen-year separation. Around the same time, the new Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf was formed and the Diocese of Egypt was revived. The Cathedral Church of St George the Martyr in Jerusalem is known for its ministry to pilgrims. St George's College, Jerusalem, is in partnership with the Anglican Communion.

### Windermere Deanery

Pray for Langdale, Holy Trinity. Team Vicar: George Wrigley. For good health, encouragement & an outward-looking vision for all of us in the congregation. That we exploit the opportunities of Remembrance & Christmastide. For good links with community & School. (V.A). Headteacher: Sally Jenkinson. Little Langdale Mission Chapel: for building up attendance at the monthly Café Church.

### Wednesday 24 October

### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Isiala-Ngwa, Aba in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Owen Azubuike, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria see 1 October.)

### Windermere Deanery

Pray for Benefice of Windermere St Martin. Rector: James Richards. Retired priest: Canon Clarence Hendrickse. St Martin & St Mary CE (A) Primary School, Windermere; Headteacher: Judith Gore; Goodly Dale Community Primary School; Headteacher: Cheryl Johnston. Continuing challenge of leaking roof to be replaced, and for the opportunity to use project to engage with community & to develop better facilities for mission.

#### Thursday 25 October St Crispin

Saint Crispin's Day falls on 25 October and is the feast day of the Christian saints surnamed Crispin, twins who were martyred c. 286. The two saints are commemorated on that day in the most recent edition of the Roman Martyrology.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Isial-Ngwa South, Aba in the Province of Nigeria, the Rt Revd Isaac Nwaobia clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see October 1)

Windermere Deanery Pray for Benefice of St Mary's, Rydal. Priest in charge: The Revd Gill Henwood. Churchwardens: Pam Coates & Jane

Robinson. Taize service leaders (monthly).

### Friday 26 October *Alfred the Great* (849 – 899)

Alfred, The Great, King of Wessex, a Saxon kingdom in southwestern England. He prevented England from falling to the Danes and promoted learning and literacy. During his reign, the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle began. He tried to revive monasticism, founding a monastery and a nunnery.

Anglican Communion Isikwuato, Aba in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Manasses Chijiokem Okere, clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria see 1 October.)

Windermere Deanery Pray for Rydal Hall. Weekly Eucharist on Wednesdays in the hall's chapel (9.30am). Chaplains Mark and Joy. All the staff,

the resident community, guests and visitors.

### Saturday 27 October

#### Anglican Communion

Diocese of Jaffna, in the Province of South India, The Rt Revd Daniel Selvaratnam Thiagarajah, clergy and people.

The Church was inaugurated in 1947 by the union of the South India United Church (itself a union of Congregational and Presbyterian/Reformed traditions), the southern Anglican diocese of the Church of India, Burma, Ceylon, and the Methodist Church in South India. It is one of the four United Churches in the Anglican Communion. There are 22 Dioceses.

#### Windermere Deanery

Pray for United Churches Staveley, Ings & Kentmere: Revd. Shanthi Thompson, Reader: John Thompson. Staveley Church of England School - Matt Foxwell (head), pupils, staff & governors. For our PCCs working together to fulfil our MAP to grow & make disciples within a church family.

#### **SUNDAY 28 October**

**Last Sunday after Trinity** 

#### St Simon and St Jude, Apostles

Simon the Apostle (first century) is known as Simon Zealot, to distinguish him from Simon Peter, Simon of Cyrene and other Simons in the Gospels. He may have been a member of the Zealot party but nothing is known about him after Pentecost. He is associated with Jude in commemoration. He is usually shown in art, holding a fish. Jude 'Judas, not Iscariot' (John 14.22). Usually identified with Thaddeus (Matt 10.3 Mark 3.18). Luke 6.16 has "son of James". Author of the Letter of Jude. Simon and Jude are thought to have undertaken a mission in Persia, and to have been martyred there. Jude has become the patron of lost causes.

#### Anglican Communion

Pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies, clergy and people.

The West Indies became a self-governing Province of the worldwide Anglican Communion in 1883 because of the

Church of England missions in territories that became British colonies. It is made up of two mainland dioceses and six island dioceses, including Barbados, Belize, Guyana, Jamaica, Nassau and the Bahamas, Tobago, Trinidad, and the Windward Islands. Great emphasis is being placed on training personnel for an indigenous ministry. The island locations and scattered settlements make pastoral care difficult and costly.

#### Windermere Deanery

Pray for United Churches Staveley, Ings & Kentmere: Youth & Family activities - Cygnets, Messy Church, XStream & our new youth group staring in the autumn. For house groups and those who pray and study God's word alone.

**God for All:** We pray for the Messy Church at Penrith Salvation Army. Giving thanks for God for All, those who have come to faith and become Christ's disciples over the past year.

# Monday 29 October James Hannington

James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, Martyr in Uganda. He was the first Anglican bishop of East Africa. Having joined the Church Missionary Society around 1882, he first arrived in Zanzibar then following a return to England and ordination as Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, he then departed for Africa. In October 1885, he died following an attack. Hannington and his companions were among the first Martyrs of Uganda.

Anglican	
Communion	

Diocese of Jalingo, Jos in the Province of Nigeria, The Revd Timothy Yahava clergy and people.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria see October 1)

### Windermere Deanery

Pray for United Churches Staveley, Ings & Kentmere: outreach Activities within the community & contacts made through weddings, baptisms & funerals. Courage to make & take opportunities to share our faith story.

#### **Tuesday 30 October**

#### Anglican Communion

The Diocese of Jamaica & The Cayman Islands, The Rt Revd Howard Gregory,

The Diocese of Jamaica-Kingston, The Rt Revd Robert

Thompson,

The Diocese of Jamaica-Mandeville, currently in vacancy, The Diocese of Jamaica-Montego Bay, The Rt Revd Leon Paul

Golding,

The Diocese of North Eastern Caribbean & Aruba The Rt Revd

L. Errol Brooks.

All in the Province of the West Indies.

(For notes on the Province of the West Indies, see 28 October)

### Windermere Deanery

Pray for Benefice of Windermere (Applethwaite) & Troutbeck. Windermere, Vicar: David Wilmot; Curate: Jonathan Gillespie; LLMs: Leonard Lambert, Ian Durrell. Reader: Christopher Bradbury. School: St Martin & St Mary's CE Primary School. Headteacher: Judith Gore. Our future as we move towards a Mission Community, in particular, growing relationships with young families.

#### Our Bishops

Bishop James, Cumbria Church Leaders Meeting, Rydal Hall.

### Wednesday 31 October Martin Luther

Martin was an Augustinian canon, a theologian and official preacher to the parish church at Wittenberg. In protest against the sale of indulgencies by Friar Tetzel in 1517, he

nailed his 95 theses to the door of the church. This started a movement which took him and much of northern Europe outside the jurisdiction of the Catholic Church. He was excommunicated and only escaped imprisonment with the aid of some German princes. The new Protestant theology which developed went far beyond his proposals for reform.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Jebba, Kwara in the Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Timothy Adewole.

(For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria, see 1 October)

Windermere Deanery Pray for Troutbeck, Jesus Church. Vicar: David Wilmot; Curate: Jonathan Gillespie; LLM: Leonard Lambert; Reader: Christopher Bradbury. Our future as we move towards a Mission Community. Development within the village and the need to maintain a lively and indigenous connection with the church



# **God for All Prayer**

God for all,
You reached out to the world
in your Son Jesus Christ.
Help us to reach out in faith and love
and witness to all.
God for all,
you send your Holy Spirit
to empower and gift your Church.
By your Spirit help us
grow in unity,
grow as followers of Jesus Christ,
and grow in your kingdom
in Cumbria and in this world
Amen

