

Carlisle Diocese Prayer Diary

September 2019



'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 Solway Deanery
&
conclude the 100 Days of Prayer
begin the 100 Days of Listening**



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
<http://www.godforall.org.uk/making-it-happen/prayer-resources/>

God for All Vision Refresh 'Hundred Days' Prayer

Creator God,

*We give you thanks for all your blessings,
that you are truly for all,
and that all is for you.*

Lord Jesus,

*We give you thanks that you call us
to be your disciples
and to live as witnesses of your good news.*

Holy Spirit,

*We pray that you will be with us
in these days of prayer,
to guide and lead us in all your ways.*

Amen

***Editorial Policy on Saints Days:** not all the saints are remembered in the prayer diary from the Lectionary. A selection is chosen each month some of whom have a relevance to Cumbria.*

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SUNDAY 1 September**TRINITY 11**

Anglican Communion Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan. Pray for The Most Revd Justin Badi Arama. Bishop of Juba and Archbishop of the Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan. The clergy and people.

In the Episcopal Church of The Sudan, there are around 5 million Anglicans. The Anglican Church increased considerably and in November 2013, The Episcopal Church of Sudan decided to rename itself as 'Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan' and to divide the Episcopal Church of South Sudan in eight internal provinces.

Solway Deanery Tim Herbert (rural dean); Susan McKendry (Chapter Clerk); Peter Wardle (Lay Chair); Valarie Hallard (Secretary for Deanery Synod); Willie Smith (Deanery Treasurer). For the ongoing work of both the Chapter and the Synod across the deanery to encourage and strengthen the mission and ministry of local churches.

Our Bishops Bishop Emma; Western Dales Mission Community, Sedbergh.

Vision Refresh: For the gift of grace to find God in new things.

God for All: For Chris Harwood this coming week and the visits to the Allotment Project, that organisations might be receptive to this Fresh Expression. For the Vocation Advisers in the Solway Deanery and for all exploring any call to ministry lay or ordained.

Monday 2 September***Martyrs of Papua New Guinea***

The New Guinea Martyrs were eight Anglican clergy, teachers, and medical missionaries killed by the Japanese in 1942 (a total of 333 church workers of all denominations) killed during the invasion of Papua New Guinea. The Martyrs of New Guinea are honored with memorial and feast days on church calendars of the Anglican Communion.

Anglican
Communion

Diocese of Ondo, Province of Nigeria, The Very Revd Stephen Oni.

Diocese of Calabar, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Tunde Adeleye.

Diocese of Kinshasa, Province of The Congo, The Rt Revd Achille Mutshindu. The clergy and people.

Prior to 1990, the northern two thirds of Nigeria was largely blocked, eight new bishops were then consecrated and it is now the second largest province in the Anglican Communion. The administrative headquarters are in Abuja.

Following Uganda becoming an independent province and the countries of the former united province independence gaining their own individual Metropolitan Archbishop, to reflect the change in name of the nation, in 1997, the church became known as the Province of the Anglican Church of the Congo. It has twelve dioceses.

Solway
Deanery

For the mission of all the Churches through social involvement through Foodbanks; addressing Climate Change; challenging injustice and social exclusion. For the involvement of Christians in all levels of education across the whole Deanery.

Vision Refresh: For a faithful heart to serve God in others.

Tuesday 3 September

Gregory the Great

The son of a Roman Senator, (inherited great wealth) became prefect of Rome, but later sold all his estates and founded seven monasteries, entering one of them himself. As abbot, he is reputed to have seen some 'fair haired' slaves in the market and hearing that they were Angles, decided on a mission to England. But before he could go, Gregory was elected as Pope (Gregory I) and Augustine was sent to England in his place. Gregory took a group of monks with him to the Vatican and continued to live the monastic life there. He was a prodigious writer and many of his pastoral letters, books and commentaries survive.

*Anglican
Communion*

Diocese Ontario, Province of Canada, The Rt Revd Michael Oulton.

Diocese of Calcutta, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Probal. Kanto Dutta.

The clergy and people.

The Anglican Witness in Canada started in the eighteenth century with the Church Missionary Society and the United Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. The Eucharist was first celebrated in Frobisher Bay in 1578; the first Church building was St. Paul's, Halifax, in 1750.

The Province of North India was inaugurated in 1970 after many years of preparation. It includes the Anglican Church, the United Church of Northern India (Congregationalist and Presbyterian). The Methodist Church (British and Australian Conferences), the Council of Baptist Churches in Northern India, the Church of the Brethren in India, and the Disciples of Christ. It is one of the four United Churches.

*Solway
Deanery*

For the emerging Workington Mission Community: for the desire to work ecumenically to promote and oversee effective and coherent patterns of mission across the whole town.

Vision Refresh: For a faithful soul to discern God's truth.

Wednesday 4 September

St Birinus

The St Birinus, was the first Bishop of Dorchester and was known as the "Apostle to the West Saxons" for his conversion of the Kingdom of Wessex to Christianity. He is venerated as a saint by the Roman Catholic Church, the Eastern Orthodox Church, and Anglican churches.

*Anglican
Communion*

Diocese of Ogbomoso, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Titus Babtunde Olayinka.

Diocese of Caledonia, Province of Canada, The Revd David TJ Lehmann.

Diocese of Calgary, Province of Canada, The Most Revd Gregory Kerr-Wilson.

Diocese of Calgary, Province of Canada, The Rt Revd Sidney Glenn Black.

The clergy and people.

For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

For notes on the Province of Canada, see 3 September.

*Solway
Deanery*

For the parishes of Harrington and Distington. For Julia Powley and all her fellow workers as they seek to reach out and to serve the community in order to build up the presence of God's Kingdom. For Harrington that more leaders may be raised up, and the development of a pastoral team. For Distington to give thanks for the toddler group and all the family links made there. We pray for the next steps with children and young people in the three villages.

Our Bishops

Bishop James; Diocesan Meeting, Church House, Penrith.

Vision Refresh:

For a curious mind to engage in God's mission.

Thursday 5 September

*Anglican
Communion*

Diocese of Oregon, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Michael Hanley.

Diocese of California, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Marc Andrus. The clergy and people.

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, causing problems when many of the clergy sided with the Crown during the American

Revolution. In 1784, the Scottish Episcopal Church consecrated the first American Bishop.

Solway Deanery For the Parish of Westfield: for Steve Axtell and his return to full health; for Gareth Douglas-Brown (Reader) and Billy Tite (Churchwarden) at this time. For the growing outreach into the community through carer and toddler group; over-55s' lunch club, especially the volunteers; the local primary school.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Supporting the Diocesan Cricket Team in Church Times Cup Final.

Vision Refresh: For the ability to hear all that God is doing in the church.

Friday 6 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Orlu, Province of Nigeria, The Most Revd Bennett Okoro.
Diocese of Cameroon, Province of West Africa, The Rt Revd Dibo Thomas-Babyngton.
Elango Kirinyaga, Province of Kenya, The Rt Revd Joseph Kibichwa. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

Church of the Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia.

The first Kenyan Bishops were consecrated in 1955 and the Church became part of the Province of East Africa established in 1960. In 1970, Kenya became a separate Province.

Solway Deanery For schools and businesses in Workington, Harrington and Seaton Mission Community the wider community that the churches are seeking to reach in God's name.

Vision Refresh: For an 'open soul' which welcomes others.

Saturday 7 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Our, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Geoffrey Chukwunenye.
Canberra & Goulburn, Province of Australia, The Rt Revd Mark Short. Canberra & Goulburn, Province of Australia, The Rt Revd Trevor Edwards. Canberra & Goulburn, Province of Australia, The Rt Revd Stephen Pickard.
The clergy and people.

For notes on the province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

The Province of the Anglican Church of Australia; the Church came to Australia in 1788 with the First Fleet and free settlers soon followed. The Anglican Church of Australia is part of the Christian Conference of Asia and of the Council of the Church of East Asia.

Solway Deanery For the Silloth Community BBQ today and the emerging Solway Plain Mission Community. For the resolution of its future shape, including the oversight of Newton Arlosh and Kirkbride, for developing partnerships across boundaries and a growing urgency for mission. In particular working with young people at the Fairydust drop-in sessions monthly, and the Aspatria Youth Cell.

Vision Refresh: For the coming days of listening that we might hear 'God's Word'.

SUNDAY 8 September TRINITY 12

Anglican Communion Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan, The Most Revd Ezekiel Kumir Kondo, Archbishop of the Province of Sudan & Bishop of Khartoum. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Episcopal Church of the Sudan, see 1 September.

Solway Deanery For Church musicians and the enhancement of worship as a means of mission and helping churches to grow and develop.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Mission Community Launch and Licensing Service, Houghton, St John. Licensing Service, Grasmere. Bishop Emma; Service of Confirmation, Scotby and Methodist Team Commissioning Service, Kendal.

Vision Refresh: For good communication within the diocese & ecumenical county.

God for All: Pray For the 'Authorised Local Training Pathway', for those in leadership and those considering undertaking some form of training. For Bampton Methodist Messy Church.

Monday 9 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Osaka, Province of Japan, The Rt Revd Andrew Haruhisa.
The Province of Canterbury, England. The Most Revd and Rt Hon Justin Welby, Primate.
Diocese of Canterbury Province of England, The Rt Revd Norman Banks.
Diocese of Canterbury, Province of England, The Rt Revd Jonathan Goodall. The clergy and people.

In 1859, the American Episcopal Church sent two missionaries to Japan, followed some years later by representatives of the Church of England and the Church of Canada. The first Anglican Synod occurred in 1887, with the first Japanese Bishops consecrated in 1923.

The Diocese of Canterbury is part of the Province of Canterbury, one of two in England, covering the southern half of England.

*Solway
Deanery*

For St Michael's Church. For Peter Powell; for the emerging relationship with St John's Church and the putative Workington Mission Community. For the development of initiatives to involve more young people in Church activities, and for more volunteers to help grow our Youth Club, Sunday School, Tot's group and the Uniformed Organisations.

Our Bishops

Bishops James and Emma; Bishop's Leadership Team Meeting, Bishops House Keswick.

Vision Refresh:

For local engagement to find out about 'God for All'.

Tuesday 10 September

*Anglican
Communion*

Diocese of Osun, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd James Afolabi Popoola.
Diocese of Cape Coast, Province of West Africa, The Rt Revd Victor Atta-Baffoe. The clergy and people.

For notes on Nigeria, see 1 September.

The Church of the Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia.

Solway Deanery For St John's Workington. For Richard Pratt (Priest-in-Charge) and the Church during vacancy, for its emerging partnership with St Michael's and the appointment of a priest to lead it forward into the future, including the work on the Building. For the Churchwardens and PCC at this time.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Visit to Solway Deanery.

Vision Refresh: For the gift of information to find out more about God's purpose.

Wednesday 11 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Osun, North Nigeria, The Rt Revd Abiodun T. Olaoye.
Diocese of Cape Town, Province of Southern Africa, The Most Revd Thabo Makgoba, Primate.
And, The Rt Revd Garth Counsell.
Diocese of Carlisle, Province of York, The Rt Revd James Scobie Newcome.
Diocese of Carlisle, Province of York, The Rt Revd Dr Emma Ineson. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Church in Nigeria, see 1 September.

The Province of Southern Africa is the oldest in Africa with the first Bishop appointed in 1847. The dioceses extend beyond the Republic of South Africa.

The Diocese of Carlisle is part of the Province of York and was founded around 1130. The Diocese was created by Henry I out of part of the Diocese of Durham and the first bishop was Æthelwold. It is mainly co-terminus with the County of Cumbria except for small areas to the east which extend into the counties of Northumbria and Lancashire.

Solway Deanery For Seaton: For Ian Grainger and Irene Fearon (Associate Priest). For thinks with Seaton St Paul's C of E Junior School and Head Amanda Dickinson. For the new pre-school Fresh Expression 'Praise and Play with Paul Bear' and the families that we hope will come along.

Vision Refresh: For local groups who seek to know more of God.

Thursday 12 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Diocese of Osun, North East Nigeria, currently Vacant.
Diocese of Cashel & Ossory, Province of Ireland, The Rt Revd Michael Andrew James Burrows. The clergy and people.

For notes on Nigeria, please see 1 September.

Tracing its origins to St. Patrick in the fifth century and in 1537, the English king was declared head of the Church, but most Irish Christians maintained loyalty to Rome. The Church of Ireland covers the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland.

Solway Deanery For Yvette Ladds and for the Network Youth Church. For Matt Jackson as youth worker to the Deanery focusing on Maryport and Workington and especially Signpost the joint project in Maryport run by the Methodist Church. And For more volunteers to be able to continue to grow the work across the Deanery.

Our Bishops Bishop James and Bishop Emma attending the 'Bishops in Mission' in Southwell and Nottingham Diocese.

Vision Refresh: For all leaders that they may listen and speak 'God's word'.

Friday 13 September *St John Chrysostom, Bishop, Teacher*

John studied at Antioch and became a monk, then was called to be patriarch of Constantinople. An austere man, who lived simply, he incurred the opposition of the imperial court for his attacks on their morals and extravagance. He attracted the enmity of Theophilus, patriarch of Alexandria, whom he denounced as corrupt. Theophilus summoned a council who condemned John and then exiled him. Seventeen letters from John to Olympias (also persecuted) survive. Frail and exhausted, John died in exile.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Ottawa, Province of Canada, The Rt Revd John Holland Chapman and The Rt Revd Nigel Shaw.
Diocese of Central Buganda, Province of Uganda, The Rt Revd Michael Lubowa. The clergy and people.

For notes on the church in Canada see 3 September.

The Anglican Province of Uganda has tripled in size during the last 10 years. Following Uganda becoming an independent province, there are 29 Dioceses.

Solway Deanery For the Criffell View Mission Community as it continues to grow and work together, supporting and encouraging one another as they reach out into the communities of Flimby, Maryport, Netherton, Dearham, Crosscanonby and Allonby.

Our Bishops Bishop James and Bishop Emma attending the 'Bishops in Mission' in Southwell and Nottingham Diocese.

Vision Refresh: For all magazine and newsletters editors in our churches.

Saturday 14 September *Holy Cross Day*

Anglican Communion Diocese of Diocese of Otukpo, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd David Bello.
Diocese of Central Busoga, Province of Uganda, The Rt Revd Patrick Wakula.

Diocese of Kisangani, Province of Congo, The Rt Revd Lambert Funga Botolome. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

For notes on the Congo, see 1 September.

For notes on the Province of Uganda see 13 September.

*Solway
Deanery*

For Flimby, Netherton and Maryport: For Susan McKendry; Julia Batsford, Lynda Radcliffe and Wendy Houghton and for the emergence of the Criffell View Mission Community as it grows together and seeks to reach out to the wider community. For the opening of the new Church of England Primary School in Maryport for the head teacher Mrs Ormond and all of the staff and governors and for the St Marys reflections craft and drop in café for those living with dementia and their carers.

Our Bishops

Bishop James and Bishop Emma attending the 'Bishops in Mission' in Southwell and Nottingham Diocese.

*Vision Refresh:
Officer.*

For Dave Roberts in his role as Diocesan Communication,

SUNDAY 15 September TRINITY 13

*Anglican
Communion*

Pray for the Anglican Church of Tanzania, The Most Revd Dr Maimbo Mndolwa, Archbishop of Tanzania & Bishop of Tanga. The clergy and people.

The Province was inaugurated in 1970 following the division of the Province of East Africa into the Province of Kenya and the Province of Tanzania. The 19 dioceses represent both evangelical and Anglo-Catholic Churches.

*Solway
Deanery*

For shops and town centres. For the building up of communities, for economic confidence and the

development of towns and villages as positive places to live and work.

Our Bishops Bishop James and Bishop Emma attending the Bishops in Mission in Southwell and Nottingham Diocese.

Vision Refresh: For the forthcoming 'Hundred Days of Listening'.

God for All: Pray for the Vision Refresh listening process, that we might listen to God and each other as we look at the vision refresh. For Hartington Street Methodist Messy Church.

Monday 16 September *St Ninian*

Ninian founded his community at Whithorn early in the fifth century. Whithorn probably was linked to the coast of Cumbria and influenced Patrick and his family. By the time of St Columba's mission in the sixth century, St Ninian was remembered as the 'Apostle of the Picts'.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Owerri, province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Cyril Chukwunonyerem Okorocho.
Diocese of Central Ecuador, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Victor Scantlebury.
Diocese of Kita Kanto, province of Japan, The Rt Revd Zerubbabel Katsuichi Hirota. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 5 September.

In 1859, the American Episcopal Church sent two missionaries to Japan, followed by representatives of the Church of England and the Church of Canada. The first Japanese Bishops were consecrated in 1923.

Solway Deanery For local parish councils, for Allerdale Borough Council and the County Council. For all who work in them, for elected councillors and for their responsibilities for the development

of communities and the provision of services to address local needs.

Our Bishop Bishop James, College of Bishops, Oxford.
Bishop Emma; College of Bishops, Oxford.

Tuesday 17 September ***St Hildegard, Abbess, Visionary, 1098-1179***

Hildegard was Prioress of a Benedictine monastery for women in the Rhine Valley and dictated her visions to a monk named Volmar. She wrote many letters of counsel and advice to people in authority, including four popes. She was also a poet and has been compared to Dante and to Blake. Today, she is probably best known for her church music, much of which has dissonances and passages in a minor key which appeals to modern ears.

Anglican Diocese of Owo, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Stephen
Communion Ayodeji Fagbemi.
Diocese of Central Florida, The Episcopal Church, The Rt
Revd Gregory Brewer. The clergy and people.

For notes on the province of Nigeria, see 1 September.
For notes on The Episcopal Church, see 5 September.

Solway For Dearham, Crosscanonby and Allonby: for Mary Day and
Deanery Wendy Houghton. For ministry to schools and to the
elderly. For smaller churches and their effectiveness as
places of mission to whole communities.

Our Bishops Bishop James, College of Bishops, Oxford.
Bishop Emma; College of Bishops, Oxford.

Wednesday 18 September

Anglican Diocese of Oxford, Province of England, The Rt Revd Steven
Communion Croft.

The Rt Revd Colin William Fletcher.

The Rt Revd Andrew Proud.

The Rt Revd Alan Thomas Lawrence Wilson.

Diocese of Central Gulf Coast, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Russell Kendrick.

Diocese of Central Melanesia, Melanesia, The Most Revd George Takeli (Primate) The clergy and people.

Founded in 1542, the Diocese scopes the three counties of Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire. It is located between the Cotswolds in the west and London to the east and is part of the Province of Canterbury, one of two in England.

For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 5 September.

After 118 years of missionary association with the Church of the Province of New Zealand, the Church of the Province of Melanesia was formed in 1975. The Province encompasses the Republic of Vanuatu, Solomon Islands, and the French Trust Territory of New Caledonia, both sovereign island nations in the South Pacific.

*Solway
Deanery*

For schools and businesses in Criffel View Mission Community and Christian mission and ministry to whole communities.

Our Bishops

Bishop James; College of Bishops, Oxford.
Bishop Emma; College of Bishops, Oxford.

Thursday 19 September

Theodore of Tarsus, Archbishop, 602-690

Theodore went to Italy and became a monk-scholar in Rome. At the age of 66 he was sent to England to create a new diocesan structure. He called two episcopal synods, re-organised the dioceses and appointed new bishops. He was sometimes ruthless but highly efficient. Theodore died at the age of 88 having established the structure of the church in England which forms the basis of the present two Provinces.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Oyo in the province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Williams Oluwarotimi Aladekugbe.
Central New York, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd DeDe Duncan-Probe. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 5 September.

Solway Deanery For the ministry to the Nursing/Residential Homes across the whole Deanery. For, example, today in Silloth where much of this ministry takes place on Thursday mornings.

Our Bishops Bishop James; College of Bishops, Oxford.
Bishop Emma; College of Bishops, Oxford.

Friday 20 September

John Coleridge Patteson

John was curate of Ottery St Mary in Devon and went out to Melanesia to join the young bishop George Selwyn. In 1861 he became Bishop of Melanesia and in 1871, Bishop Patteson landed with a few companions on the island of Natapu unaware that planters had recently been there and that five islanders had been killed. A small canoe, containing the Bishop's body and a palm frond bearing five knots, one for each murdered islander, was pushed out towards the waiting ship. Three of the Bishop's companions died from poisoned arrow wounds.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Diocese of Pacong, Province of South Sudan, The Rt Revd Joseph Maker Atot.
Central Newfoundland, province of Canada, The Rt Revd John Watton.
Diocese of Kitale Province of Kenya, The Rt Revd Stephen Kewasis.
Diocese of Kitale Province of Kenya, The Rt Revd Samson Tuliapus. The clergy and people.

In the Episcopal Church of The Sudan, the Anglican Church has increased considerably and The Episcopal Church of

Sudan decided to rename itself as Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan in November 2013.

For notes on the province of Canada, see 3 September.

The first Kenyan Bishops were consecrated in 1955. The Church became part of the Province of East Africa established in 1960, but by 1970 Kenya was formed into a separate Province.

*Solway
Deanery*

For the Solway Plain Mission Community: for the opportunity to go forward after a time of uncertainty and a lack of clarity about the shape and form of the mission community, with the inclusion of Wigton, Thursby, Newton Arlosh, Kirkbride within the Mission Community. To work together to develop a strategic and focused approach to mission in diverse communities.

Our Bishops

Bishop James; Ecumenical Lead Bishops, London.

Saturday 21 September *St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist*

According to Matthew 9:9 he was the tax gatherer, called by Christ, whom Mark 5:27 calls Levi, he probably had both names. Matthew was a Jew and, according to Papias, made a collection of Christ's sayings in Hebrew. He is traditionally the author of the Gospel and in iconography depicted as a man, often with a money-bag or at a table.

*Anglican
Communion*

Diocese of Diocese of Kiteto, province of Tanzania, The Rt Revd Isaiah Chambala.
Diocese of Kitgum, province of Uganda, The Rt Revd Wilson Kitara.
Diocese of Kitui, province of Kenya, The Rt Revd Josephat Mule.
The clergy and people.

The Universities Mission to Central Africa and the Church Missionary Society began work in 1864 and 1878 at

Mpwapwa. The Province was inaugurated in 1970 following the division of the Province of East Africa into the Province of Kenya and the Province of Tanzania. The 19 dioceses represent both evangelical and Anglo-Catholic Churches.

For notes on the Anglican Church in Uganda, see 5 September.

For notes on the province of Kenya, see 20 September.

Solway Deanery For the local MP: Sue Hayman in the midst of difficult and stressful times, not least the question of Brexit and the implications for the local economy. For the ability to serve the needs of a socially varied constituency.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Conference, Ambleside.
Bishop Emma; North West Province Conference.

God for All: For the Rheged 'Lifestyle Fair' and for Kerry Roughton and Allison Fenton presenting the 'God for All' work, that people will be receptive to exploring faith and God.

SUNDAY 22 September

TRINITY 14

Anglican Communion Pray for the Church of the Province of Uganda, The Most Revd Stanley Ntagali, Archbishop of Uganda & and Bishop of Kampala. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Anglican Church in Uganda, see 14 September.

Solway Deanery The public role of faith and for Churches to speak truth to power in the world.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Service of Confirmation, Binsey. Installation of Lay Member of Chapter, Carlisle Cathedral.
Bishop Emma; Installation, Carlisle Cathedral.

God for All: Pray for regional Messy Church co-ordinators to volunteer to cover a support role in each archdeaconry. For St Paul's Seaton Workington Messy Church.

Monday 23 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Panama, Province of Central America, The Rt Revd Julio Murray Thompson, Primate. Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Audrey Scanlan.

Diocese of Kivu, province of Rwanda, The Rt Revd Augustin Ahimana. The clergy and people

For notes on the Episcopal Church see 5 September.

The Province of the Episcopal Church of Rwanda came into being in 1992. It had previously been a part of the enormous Province of Zaire, Rwanda and Burundi. It has 9 dioceses.

Solway Deanery For the Solway Plain Parish: for Bryan Rothwell, Peter Hayward, Malcolm Stilwell, Tim Barker, Cherry Asbury, Christine Young and all involved in the ministry to the whole parish. For transition to a single parish with a single PCC. For ongoing building developments as work continues on Holme Cultram Abbey to sort out lighting and electrical installation; plans for re-ordering of Christ Church, Silloth, and a new heating system at Westnewton.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Visit to Primary Schools, Maryport. Women's Clergy Lunch, Bishop's House. Licensing Service, Harraby Carlisle.

Bishop Emma; Women's Clergy Lunch, Bishop's House.

Tuesday 24 September

Anglican Communion Diocese of Pankshin, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Olumuyiwa Ajayi.
Central Philippines, Province of Philippines, The Rt Revd Dixie Copanut Taclobao.
The clergy and people.

For notes on the province of Nigeria, see 1 September.

With its history as a Spanish colony, the Philippines were predominantly Roman Catholic. The Church consecrated its first Bishop in 1963 and became an autonomous Province in 1990 and Inaugurated on 1 May 1990. There are 6 dioceses.

Solway Deanery For Aspatria, Hayton and Gilcruix. For Tim Herbert for the churchwardens in the three parishes. For the mission of St Kentigern's to the community and for its stewardship campaign this Autumn. For St James and its building project to repair and redevelop the building as a centre for mission in the community. For St Mary's as it seeks to reach out into the community and as it faces significant issues about the future of the building.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Bishop's Council Meeting, Rydal Hall.
Bishop Emma: Diocesan Meeting, Rydal Hall.

Wednesday 25 September

Bishop Lancelot Andrewes

Lancelot Andrewes was an English bishop and scholar, who held high positions in the Church of England during the reigns of Elizabeth 1 and James 1. During the latter's reign, Andrewes served successively as Bishop of Chichester of Ely and of Winchester. He also oversaw the translation of the King James Version of the Bible. He is commemorated on 25 September with a Lesser Festival.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Panyana Area, province of South Sudan, The Rt Revd Seme Nigo.
Abinda Central Solomons, Province of Melanesia, The Rt Revd Ben Seka.
Diocese of Central Tanganyika, Province of Tanzania, The Rt Revd Dickson Chilongani.
The clergy and people.

For notes on the Anglican Church in the South Sudan, see September.

Solway Deanery For the Wigton Methodist Circuit: For Phil Jackson (minister) and for local preachers, stewards. For the development of the single Cornerstone Church and its local expressions in Aspatria, Wigton, Silloth, Abbeytown and Caldbeck.

Our Bishops Bishop James, Ethics Group, London.
Bishop Emma; Diocese of Liverpool, Liverpool.

Thursday 26 September *Wilson Carlile*

Carlile was an English evangelist who founded the Church Army and was Prebendary of St Paul's Cathedral. Known as "The Chief," Wilson Carlile inspired generations of evangelists. Carlile persisted in trying to acquaint clerics and public officials in major cities with Church Army's aims, ideas and methods. With increasing support from a few bishops, the Army gradually gained the respect of the Church. By 1925, the Church Army grew to become the largest home mission society in the Church of England.

Anglican Communion Papua New Guinea, The Most Revd Allan Migi, Primate.
Central Zambia, Central Africa, The Rt Revd Derek Gary Kamukwamba. The clergy and people.

The Anglican Church in Papua New Guinea resulted in the founding of the province in 1977 with five Dioceses.

The Province includes Botswana, Malawi, Zambia, and Zimbabwe. The first Anglican missionary to Malawi was

Bishop Charles Mackenzie, who arrived with David Livingstone in 1861. The Province was inaugurated in 1955 and has a movable bishopric.

Solway Deanery For the URC partners in the Mission Communities: especially for Dave Harkison and Alistair Smeaton (ministers) who work across all the mission communities.

Our Bishops Bishop James, National Deacons Meeting, London. Durham University.
Bishop Emma; Meeting, Church House, Westminster.

God for All: For the 'Introducing the Ecumenical Day', for those who have newly arrived in posts over the last year.

Friday 27 September

***St Vincent de Paul, Founder of the Lazarists,
1580-1660***

Born in a peasant family in Gascony, France. He was educated by Franciscans, and became a Chaplain at the French court and a spiritual director to wealthy and noble families, though never losing his devotion to the poor. In 1625 he founded a Brotherhood of priests to work with the poor and depressed and in 1633 founded the Sisters of Charity to work in the villages. The Brotherhood was abolished at the time of the French Revolution but was re-founded in 1833 by Antoine Frederick Ozanam as the Society of St Vincent de Paul.

Anglican Communion Diocese of Paraguay, Province of South America, The Rt Revd Peter John Henry Bartlett.
Diocese of Central Zimbabwe, Province of Central Africa, The Revd Ignatius Makumbe.
Diocese of Kobe, Province of Japan, The Rt Revd Augustine Naoaki Kobayashi. The clergy and people.

The Anglican Church in South America British immigrants brought Anglicanism to South America during the nineteenth century with The South American Missionary Society continuing to work among indigenous peoples.

For notes on the Anglican Church in Central Africa, see 26 September.

For notes on the Anglican Church in Japan, see 9 September.

Solway Deanery For the generous supporting ministry of all Readers, all retired clergy and self-supporting ministers, especially: Bryan Rowe, Neil Perkinson; Peter Hayward; David King; Robert Hannaford; Peter Hayward.

Thursday 28 September

Ember Day

Anglican Communion Diocese of Patna, Province of North India, The Most Revd Dr Philip Marandih.
Diocese of Chandigarh, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Younas Massey. The clergy and people.

The Province of North India was inaugurated in 1970 after many years of preparation. It includes the Anglican Church, the United Church of Northern India (Congregationalist and Presbyterian), The Methodist Church (British and Australian Conferences), the Council of Baptist Churches in Northern India, the Church of the Brethren in India, and the Disciples of Christ. It is one of the four United Churches.

Solway Deanery For the work of the foodbanks and all who support this work through their generosity.

Our Bishops Bishop Emma; Teaching Event, Kendal.

God for All: For those attending the national Playtime toddler conference in Wigan today, that leaders would be inspired.

Sunday 29 September

Michaelmas

Anglican Communion Pray for the Episcopal Church, The Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop of The Episcopal Church. The clergy and people.

For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 5 September.

Solway Deanery For mission and outreach through Baptisms, weddings and funerals through the development of effective ministry and the building of connections to speak of God for all and all for God into the wider community who are on the fringes of the churches.

Our Bishops Bishop James; Service, Workington St Michael. Launch of Penrith Mission Community.
Bishop Emma; Mission Community Commissioning Service, Irton.

God for All: Pray for the OpShops, reaching out to those who don't easily connect with church, that they would build communities which are attractive and engaging. For the Two Valleys Messy Church.

Monday 30 September

St Jerome

Jerome was born in Dalmatia, studied in Rome and travelled widely and was ordained in Antioch and studied under Gregory of Nazianzus. His ambition was to complete a new translation of the entire Bible in Latin from the Hebrew and Greek texts. He travelled to Bethlehem and settled in a cave where he worked on his translations and commentaries with the help of scribes and copyists. When a wealthy Roman endowed a monastery in Bethlehem, Jerome became its Abbot.

Anglican Communion The Diocese of Pelotas, Province of Brazil, The Rt Revd Renato Da Cruz Raatz.
Diocese of Chelmsford, province of England, The Rt Revd Stephen Geoffrey Cottrell.

Diocese of Chelmsford, province of England, The Rt Revd Peter Hill.

Diocese of Chelmsford, province of England, The Rt Revd Roger Anthony Brett Morris.

Diocese of Chelmsford, province of England, The Ven John Perumbalath. The clergy and people.

Expatriate Anglican chaplaincies were established in Brazil in 1810, with missionary work beginning in 1889, after the separation of Church and State. The Province, which is one of the few Portuguese speaking churches in the Communion, became autonomous in 1965. There are 7 Dioceses.

The Diocese of Chelmsford was founded in 1914 with most of its parishes located in Essex. It is part of the Province of Canterbury, one of two in England.

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For Yvette Ladds and all work with youngsters through the Network Youth Church; for Boys Brigade; Scouts; cubs; Beavers; Guides; brownies; Rainbows; working with young people at the Fairy dust drop-in sessions and the different youth cells. To give thanks and to pray for all who lead and volunteer.

Our Bishop

James; Diocesan Meeting.
Bishop Emma; Meeting, Keswick & Licensing Service, Dalston.

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



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