**Carlisle Diocese Prayer Diary**

**October 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 the Derwent Deanery**

 **and One World Week**

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| **Tuesday 1 October** |  |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Pennsylvania, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Daniel Gutierrez.Diocese of Chester, England, *Vacancy* The Rt Rev’d Jiff Duff and, The Rt Revd Keith Sinclair. 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. In 1784, the Scottish Episcopal Church consecrated the first American Bishop. The Church has 9 Provinces with 20 overseas jurisdictions.**The Diocese of Chester is in the Province of York in the Church of England. It was Founded in 1541 and covers an area, of the old Victorian County of Chester, including parts which subsequently became absorbed into Merseyside and Greater Manchester.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for our Rural Dean, Rev Charles Hope and Lay Chair, Bob Baird and Deanery Network Youth Church Minister, that a speedy appointment can be made. Pray also for our organists and others who provide music for our worship. Pray for everyone who is drawn into our churches that they may experience the presence of the Holy Spirit. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Rose Castle Foundation Trustees, Cumbria. Bishop Emma, Meeting Diocesan Board of Education, Penrith.  |

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| **Wednesday 2 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Perth, Province of Australia, The Most Revd Kay Goldsworthy. The Rt Revd Jeremy James and The Rt Revd Kate Wilmot. Diocese of Chhattisgarh, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Robert Ali. Diocese of Chicago, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Jeffrey Lee. The clergy and people. |
|  | *The Church arrived in 1788 with the First Fleet and free settlers. A General Synod held in 1872 and formed the Australian Board of Missions. The Anglican Church of Australia is part of the Christian Conference of Asia and of the Council of the Church of East Asia. It has links with Churches of New Guinea, Melanesia and Polynesia.* *For notes on the Episcopal Church see 1 October.**The Province of North India was inaugurated in 1970 and includes the Anglican Church, the United Church of Northern India, the Methodist Church, the Council of Baptist Churches in Northern India, the Church of the Brethren in India, and the Disciples of Christ. Along with the Church of South India, the Church of Pakistan, and the Church of Bangladesh, it is one of the four United Churches.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for Binsey Team Ministry and Mission Community. Team Rector: Revd Stephen Banks, Team Vicar: Revd Peter Gilroy, Assistant Clergy: Revd Clare Spedding, Lay Ministers: Hilary Chaddock, Graham Cox & Patricia Hirst, Emeritus Lay Minister: John Spedding. Pray for the Team as they continue their work as a Mission Community, giving thanks for the new ministry of Stephen & Peter as they join the team. Pray everyone who is drawn into our churches that they may experience the presence of the Holy Spirit. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, Visit to Solway Deanery.   |

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| **Thursday 3 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Peru, Province of South America, The Rt Revd Jorge Luis Aguilar. Diocese of Chichester, Province of England, The Rt Revd Martin Warner. The Revd Richard Charles Jackson and The Rt Revd Mark Sowerby. The clergy and people. *British immigrants brought Anglicanism to South America during the nineteenth century. In 1974, the Archbishop of Canterbury gave over his metropolitical authority for the dioceses of the Southern Cone and, in 1981, the new Province was formed. It includes Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Paraguay, Peru, and Uruguay.* *For notes on the Anglican Church in England see 1 October.**Founded 1070, formerly called Selsey was founded in 681 by St Wilfrid who converted the Kingdom of the South Saxons and established the first cathedral at Selsey. In 1075, a new cathedral was built at Chichester and the Diocese of Chichester now covers the counties of East and West Sussex.* |
| *Derwent* *Deanery* | All Saints, Allhallows: Churchwardens: Doreen Hetherington & Leonard Raven. Give thanks for and pray for the links between the Church and the Community Centre at Fletchertown and for the on-going work of ‘Two by Two’, the mums and babies group.  |

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| **Friday 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.*

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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Peshawar, Province of Pakistan, The Most Revd Humphrey Peters, Primate. Diocese of Chotanagpur, Province of North India, The Rt Revd B. B. Baskey.Diocese of Koforidua, Province of West Africa, The Rt Revd Felix Odei Annancy. The clergy and people.*There are nine Dioceses in the Church in Pakistan: Arabian Gulf, Faisalabad, Hyderabad, Karachi, Lahore, Multan, Peshawar, Raiwind and Sialkot.**For notes on the Anglican Church in North India, see 2 October.**The Church of the Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia.* |
| *Derwent* *Deanery* | St John Bassenthwaite: Churchwarden, Alan Bowe. Pray for the members of the Methodist Chapel after their major works on their buildings. Pray for Mrs Sara Royle Head Teacher, staff and pupils of the Community School.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Wreay School Celebration Event, Wreay Church. |

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| **Saturday 5 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Peterborough, Province of England, The Rt Revd Donald Allister and The Rt Revd John Holbrook. Diocese of Christ the King, Southern Africa, The Rt Revd William Mostert. The clergy and people.*Founded 1541, the Diocese of Peterborough includes the northern part of Peterborough, the whole of Northamptonshire and Rutland.* *For further notes on the Anglican Church in England, see 1 October.**Southern Africa: The Province is the oldest in Africa. British Anglicans met for worship in Cape Town after 1806, with the first Bishop appointed in 1847. The Province extends beyond the Republic of South Africa and include the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (St Helena and Tristan da Cunha), Mozambique (Lebombo and Niassa), the Republic of Namibia, the Kingdom of Lesotho, the Kingdom of Swaziland and Angola.* |
| *Derwent* *Deanery* | Pray for St Bega, Bassenthwaite churchwardens and parish and congregation. Pray for all the couples who get married in the ‘Church by the Lake’ and the stream of visitors that they may experience the love and joy of Jesus. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Annual Reader Service, Kendal. Bishop Emma, Keynote Speaker at the Clergy Conference, St Thomas, Philadelphia Centre, Sheffield.   |

**SUNDAY 6 October TRINITY 16**

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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Pray for the Church in Wales, The Most Revd John Davies, Archbishop of Wales & Bishop of Swansea & Brecon. The clergy and people. |
|  | *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 divided into six dioceses.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | All Saints, Bolton: Churchwardens: Eleanor Foster & Betty Grainger Give thanks for all that the small congregation have achieved over the past year in improving their listed church building and reaching out to people around it. Pray for the governors, Mrs Amanda Pitcher – the Head Teacher, staff and pupils of Boltons C of E School. Pray for the members of the Bassenthwaite Mothers’ Unio.  |
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***God for All****:* Give thanks for the New Northern Pioneer Mission Centre. Pray for the co-ordinator of the Vocation Advisors in the West Archdeaconry and all Vocation Advisors.

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| **Monday 7 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Phulbani, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Bijay Nayak. Diocese of Christchurch, Province of Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, Peter Carrell Diocese of Kolhapur, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Sandeep Suresh Vibhute. The clergy and people.  *For notes on the Province of North India, see 4 October.* *The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. Formerly known as the Church of the Province of New Zealand, the Church includes the countries of New Zealand, Fiji, Tonga, Samoa and the Cook Islands.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Cuthbert’s, Embleton: Wardens: Ken Evans, Linda Grieveson. Give thanks for the local worship leaders and all that they do for their Church family. Pray for them as they prepare to reach out to others in the Binsey Community. Pray for the crafts and art groups which provide opportunities for companionship. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, ''Homelessness' Event, Tebay. Bishop’s Leadership Team, Lay Chairs and Rural Deans Supper, Keswick.  |

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| **Tuesday 8 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Pittsburgh, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Dorsey W M McConnell. Diocese of Chubu, Province of Japan, The Rt Revd Peter Ichiro Shibusawa. The clergy and people. *For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 1 October.**The Province of Japan; 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 and the first Japanese Bishops were consecrated in 1923.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | St James, Ireby: Churchwardens: Barbara Boyes & Barbara Johnson Give thanks for the small but dedicated congregation’s outreach into the community through ‘Coffee and Chat’ and visiting. Pray for the governors as they continue to work for the future of the staff and pupils of Ireby C of E School. Pray for the Committees who look after the Globe Hall and WI Hall facilities for the community at large.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, Diocesan Renewal Network. |

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| **Wednesday 9 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Polynesia, Province of Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, The Most Revd Fereimi Cama. Polynesia, Province of Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, The Rt Revd Henry Bull. Polynesia Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, The Rt Revd Gabriel Sharma. Polynesia Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, The Rt Revd Afa Vaka Clogher (Ireland) The Rt Revd John McDowell. Diocese of Cochin, Province of South India, The Rt Revd Baker Ninan Fenn. The clergy and people.*For notes on the Polynesia Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia, see 7 October.**Province of South India was inaugurated in 1947 by the union of the South India United Church, 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 and has 22 Dioceses.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Michael & All Angels, Isel: Churchwarden: Margaret Mossop. Pray for the small congregation as they reach out to those around them and the future of ‘Messy Church’ for the parish. Pray for the work of the Blindcrake Hall Committee.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, Diocesan Meeting, Penrith.   |

***God for All****: For the Church House Team Day, for strengthening relationships and purpose around the God for All vision.*

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| **Thursday 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 and 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 Popondota, Province of Papua New Guinea, The Rt Revd Lindsley Ihove. Diocese of Coimbatore, Province of South India, The Rt Revd Timothy Ravinder.*The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea was founded in 1977 and has five Dioceses.**For notes on the Anglican Church in South India, see 9 October.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | For St Cuthbert, Plumbland: Churchwardens: Graham Cox & Alex Watson. Give thanks for all that the tiny congregation does in and around the parish. Pray for the governors, Mrs Claire McKie – the Head Teacher, staff and pupils of Plumbland C of E School and the work done there by our ministers.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James and Bishop Emma, Ecumenical Ministerial Development Day, Lillyhall, Workington.  |

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| **Friday 11 October**  | ***St Ethelburga,******Abbess, 675***  |
| *Ethelburga of Barking was the sister of a Bishop of London. Two monasteries were built 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 Port Moresby, Province of Papua New Guinea, The Rt Revd Denny Bray Guka Diocese of Colombia, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Francisco Duque KollamDiocese of Kottarakkara, Province of South India, The Rt Revd Dr Oommen George . The clergy and people. *For notes on the Province of Papua New Guinea, see 1 October.**For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 1 October.**For notes on the Province of South India, see 9 October.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | For St Barnabas, Setmurthy: Churchwardens: Elizabeth Marrs & Nicola Laws. Give thanks for all that the tiny congregation achieves as the members reach out into the scattered community and involve them in everything they do as the Church family. Give thanks also for the Setmurthy Parish Hall Committee and all they do. |
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| **Friday 12 October**  | ***St Wilfrid*** |
| *Wilfrid was an English* [*bishop*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bishop) *and* [*saint*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saint)*. Born a* [*Northumbrian*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Northumbria) *noble, he entered religious life and studied at* [*Lindisfarne*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lindisfarne)*,* [*Canterbury*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canterbury)*,* [*Gaul*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gaul)*, and Rome. He returned to Northumbria around 660, and became the abbot of a newly founded monastery at* [*Ripon*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ripon)*. He became Bishop of York covering the whole of Northumbria and 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. Although a confidant of kings and queens he made many powerful enemies and was twice banished from Northumbria. His life was threatened many times and he was imprisoned in Northumbria by the king. Following his death in 709, he was venerated as a saint.* |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Port Sudan, Province of Sudan, The Rt Revd Abdu Elnur Kodi. Diocese of Colombo, Province of Ceylon, The Rt Revd Dhiloraj Ranjit Canagasabey. Diocese of Kondoa, Province of Tanzania, The Rt Revd Given Gaula.  *The Episcopal Church of Sudan renamed itself as Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan in November 2013 and divided into eight internal provinces.**Until 1970, the Church in Columbo was part of the Church of India, Pakistan, Burma, and Ceylon. The first Anglican services were held in 1796, and missionaries began their work in 1818. The Church of Ceylon has two Dioceses and continues as extra provincial under the Archbishop of Canterbury.* *The Province of Tanzania: The Universities Mission to Central Africa and the Church Missionary Society began work in 1864. 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.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Michael & All Angels, Torpenhow: Churchwardens: Eileen Bell, Richard Cox & Don Lomax. Pray for the governors, Andy May – Head Teacher, staff and pupils of Bothel C of E School and also for the governors; Mrs Jillian Harrison-Longworth – Head Teacher, staff and pupils of Blennerhasset Community School. Pray too for the Brownies who meet in Torpenhow Village Hall and for the managing committees which look after the halls in Blennerhasset, Bothel and Torpenhow.   |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Diocesan Synod, Newton Rigg.Bishop Emma, Diocesan Synod, Newton Rigg and Diocese of Durham Clergy Conference.  |

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| **SUNDAY 13 October**  | **TRINITY 17*****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* | Pray for the Church of 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. The clergy and people.*The Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | St James, Uldale: Churchwardens: Andrew Coxon & Hilary Chaddock. Pray for the very small congregation and its ministry of welcome and the Stepping Stones Café Church. Give thanks for the generosity of people who give resources and time to achieve great thing.   |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Harvest Service St Marks, Cautley.Bishop Emma, Diocese of Durham Clergy Conference.  |

***God for All****: For the curate's residential weekend, pray for them in their vocation and call to serve. For the first session of the Authorised Lay Training Programme, for people to catch the vision and for those delivering the training.*

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| **Monday 14 October**  |   |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Pray for Diocese of Portsmouth, England, The Rt Revd Christopher Foster. Dioceses of Colorado, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Kym Lucas. Diocese of Kongor, Province of the South Sudan, The Rt Revd Gabriel Thuch Agot.  |
|  | For notes on the Episcopal Church see 1 October. For The Church in the South Sudan, see 12 October.  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Margaret’s, Wythop: Wardens: Andrea Cameron & Kate Brandwood. Pray for the small group of regular worshippers who continue their witness to others over a large scattered area and to visitors to the fells.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, Retired Clergy Association Eucharist and Talk, St Paul’s Church, Grange over Sands.  |

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| **Tuesday 15 October**  | ***St Teresa of Avilia*** |
| *St Teresa of Avilia, 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, she deals with her personal experiences and 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* | Diocese of Pretoria, Province of Southern Africa, The Rt Revd Allan John Kannemeyer. Diocese of Concepcion, Chile, The Rt Revd Enrique Lago Zugadi.  |
|  | *For notes on Southern Africa, see 5 October.**For notes on Chile and the Province of South America, see 3 October.*  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Brigham Clifton, Dean and Mosser: Priest-in-Charge: ‘vacant’, Readers: Mrs Sue Shaw, Ms Alison Armstrong-Squires, Mr Joseph Agnew; Local Lay Ministers: Mr Stan Baker, and Mr Michael Bonner. For wisdom as the parishes, mission community and deanery seek discernment for future ministry in the area.For Noah's Circle Lunch club on Wednesday and Thursdays at Brigham Primary School. For Noah's Ark After School Club at Brigham Chapel on Tuesdays.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James and Bishop Emma, BLT, Rydal Hall.  |

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| **Wednesday 16 October**  | ***Nicolas Ridley and Hugh Latimer***  |
| *Nicholas Ridley had been a chaplain to King Henry VIII and was Bishop of London. 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. However, both Ridley and Latimer were burned at the stake in Oxford on October 16, 1555.* |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Puerto Rico in The Episcopal Church, The Revd Rafael Morales Maldonado. The Rt Revd Wilfrido Ramos Orench Connecticut, The Rt Revd Ian Douglas. Connecticut in the Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Laura Ahrens Connor (Ireland) and The Rt Revd Alan Francis Abernethy. The clergy and people.*For notes on the Episcopal Church, see 1 October.*  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Luke Clifton: Warden Mr Brian Shaw. Derwent Vale Primary School and their Headteacher Mrs Fran Edmondson . |
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| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James and Bishop Emma, BLT, Rydal Hall.  |

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| **Thursday 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. He wrote seven letters to other churches while he was being taken to Rome under guard giving insight into the theology of the early church. In 107, he was thrown to the lions in the Colosseum.*  |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Pune, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Sharad Yuvraj Gaikwad. Diocese of Cork, Cloyne & Ross, Province of Ireland, The Rt Revd William Paul Colton. The clergy and people.*The Irish Church Act of 1869 provided that the statutory union between the Churches of England and Ireland be dissolved. A General Synod of the Church, established in 1890 and consisting of Archbishops, Bishops, and representatives of the clergy and laity, has legislative and administrative power. The Church of Ireland covers the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland.*  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | St Oswald, Dean: Wardens –Mrs Claire Chittenden & Mr Michael Bonner. Dean Church of England School and their headteacher Mr David Fasham. Clifton Messy Crew-Messy Church. Thursday Morning Drop in at Kirkstile Room in Dean.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Meeting with Diocesan Advisory Committee, Penrith. |

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| **Friday 18 October**  | ***St Luke the Evangelist***  |
| *Luke the Evangelist is one of the* [*Four Evangelists*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Four_Evangelists)*; the four traditionally ascribed authors of* [*canonical*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Biblical_canon)[*Gospels*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gospels)*. The early* [*church fathers*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Church_fathers) *ascribed to his authorship of both the Gospel according to Luke the book of* [*Acts of the Apostles*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Acts_of_the_Apostles)*.* |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Qu'Appelle in the Province of Canada, The Rt Revd Robert Hardwick. Diocese of Costa Rica, Province Central America, The Revd Orlando Gomez. Diocese of Kontagora, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Jonah Ibrahim. 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. There are now in 34 Dioceses.* *The Province of Central America 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. The Province has 15 Dioceses.* *Prior to 1990, the northern two thirds of Nigeria was largely blocked, however eight new bishops were consecrated. It is the second largest province in the Anglican Communion and since 2002, the Church of Nigeria is organised in 10 ecclesiastical provinces. The administrative headquarters are in Abuja.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for St Philip Moser: Warden Mr Don Smith.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Mental Health Conference, Lambeth.  |

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| **Saturday 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* *Communion* | Diocese of Quebec, Province of Canada, The Rt Revd Bruce Myers.Diocese of Coventry, Province of England, The Rt Revd Christopher Cocksworth.Diocese of Coventry, province of England, The Rt Revd John Stroyan. Diocese of Krishna-Godavari, Province of South India, The Rt Revd George Cornelious Tantepudi. The clergy and people.*For notes on the church in Canada, see 18 October.**For notes on the Church in England, see 1 October.**For notes on the Province of South India, see 9 October.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for St Bridget’s, Brigham: Wardens; Mr Brian Furness, Mr Paul Lishman, Mrs Brenda Sykes. St. Bridget’s C of E Primary School Headteacher Mrs Lisa Hemmingway.  |
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| **SUNDAY 20 October**  | **TRINITY 18** |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies, currently Vacant. The clergy and people. *The Province of The West Indies became a self-governing Province of the worldwide Anglican Communion in 1883. 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. The island locations and scattered settlements make pastoral care difficult.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery* | Pray for the Cockermouth Area Team: Team Rector: Revd Godfrey Butland, Team Vicar: Revd Dr. Adrian Thompson. Lay Ministers: Chris Albon, Ann Peate, Lucy Thompson, Andy Walsh. Commissioned Pastoral Counsellor: Elizabeth Brough. Pastoral Coordinator: Terry Peate. Pray for Cockermouth Area Team: Churchwardens, parish and community. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Confirmation Service, Keswick. |

***God for All****: For the work of NYC and all those giving time to support young people, for those who have committed themselves to Christ over the summer*. For Woodbank Community Messy Church.***One Wold Week:*** *For One World Week, for our stewardship of God's planet.*

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| **Monday 21 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Pray for Diocese of Raiwind, Province of Pakistan, The Rt Revd Azad Marshall. Diocese of Cuba, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Griselda Delgado Del Carpio. Diocese of Kubwa, Province of Nigeria, The Rt Revd Duke Akamisoko. The clergy and people.*The Province of Pakistan has 9 Dioceses; Arabian Gulf, Faisalabad, Hyderabad, Karachi, Lahore, Multan, Peshawar, Raiwind and Sialkot.* *For notes on the Province of Nigeria, see 18 October*.  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for All Saints, Cockermouth: Wardens: Gill Davidson, Barry Evans, Joan Ingrams, Mary Todd. All Saints School. (C) Headteacher: Nicola Smallwood. |

***One Wold Week:***  *For those promoting awareness of climate change, that their voice may be heard.*

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| **Tuesday 22 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Rajasthan, Province of North India, The Rt Revd Darbara Singh.Diocese of Cueibet, Province of South Sudan, The Rt Revd Elijah Muteny Awet. The clergy and people.*For notes on the Province of North India, see 2 October.**For notes on the Province of South Sudan, see 14 October.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery* | Pray for Christ Church, Cockermouth: Wardens: Richard Cooke, Ashley Moffat. St Bridget’s Bridekirk: Wardens: David Johnson, Anne Wallace. Bridekirk Dovenby School, Headteacher: Julia Fish. |

***One Wold Week:***  *For the leaders of the world that they may lead their nations in protecting the planet.*

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| **Wednesday 23 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Rayalaseema, Province of South India, The Rt Revd B D Prasada Rao. Diocese of Cuernavaca, Province of Mexico, The Rt Revd Enrique Treviño Cruz. Diocese of Curitiba, Province of Brazil, The Most Revd Naudal Alves Gomes, Primate. The clergy and people.*The Mexican Episcopal Church symbolically began with Mexico’s war for independence in 1810, In 1958, the fourth missionary Bishop of Mexico was the first of the Church’s Bishops to be consecrated on Mexican soil. The Church became an autonomous Province of the Anglican Communion in 1995.* *The Province of Brazil 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. In 1990, Brazil's economic and social problems prompted the Partners in Mission Consultation to focus on three priorities: education, service, and expansion. There are 7 Dioceses.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery* | For Christ Church, Great Broughton: Wardens: Norman Marshall, Peta Leigh.  |
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***One Wold Week:***  *For green energy and for those who are pioneering clean energy.*

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| **Thursday 24 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Recife, Province of Brazil, The Rt Revd João Cancio Peixoto. Diocese of Cuttack, province of North India, The Rt Revd Surendra Kumar Nanda. The clergy and people. |
|  | *For notes on North India, see 2 October.*  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for Bishop’s Office Staff, Ali Tozer, Felicity Wiseman, Jacqueline Brown and Mel Jolly. Keswick Community Hospital. Pray for Chaplains: Rev Rosemary Elliott and Pat Lilington. |
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***One Wold Week:***  *For local sustainability and communities that care for their environment.*

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| **Friday 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 Rejaf, Province of South Sudan, The Rt Revd Edward Oliver Mathew Tombe.Diocese of Cyangugu, Province of Rwanda, The Rt Revd Nathan Amooti Rusengo.Diocese of Kuching, Province of South East Asia, The Rt Revd Danald Jute. Diocese of Kuching, Province of South East Asia, The Rt Revd Solomon Cheong Sung Voon. Diocese of Kuching, Province of South East Asia, The Rt Revd Nelson Ugas Bulang.The clergy and people.*For notes on the Anglican Church in South Sudan, see 14 October.**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 and now has 9 dioceses.* *The Church of South East Asia has four Dioceses in the countries of Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | For Lorton & Loweswater with Buttermere; St. Cuthbert, Lorton; St. Bartholomew, Loweswater with St. James Buttermere: House for Duty Priest in Charge: Rev Sandra Ward. Pray for the development of ministry in the parishes and across the whole of the Grasmoor Mission Community.Churchwardens: Keith McNeil & Roger Peck. Churchwardens: Jan Collins Webb, Barbara Robinson, Gwyn and Jan Evans. Youth Cafe at Lorton, Spirituality Club in Loweswater and our tourist ministry in Buttermere.  |
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***One Wold Week:***  *For children and the next generation, for their leadership in promoting our care for creation.*

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| **Saturday 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* | Diocese of Remo, Province of Nigeria, The Most Revd Michael Fape. Cyprus and the Gulf in the Province of Jerusalem & Middle East, The Rt Revd Michael Augustine Owen Lewis. Diocese of Kumasi, province of West Africa, The Most Revd Dr Daniel Sarfo, Primate. The clergy and people. *For notes on the Anglican Church in Nigeria see 21 October.**The Province of Jerusalem: 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. It was reorganization in January 1976 ending 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 Province of West Africa Church of the Province of West Africa includes Cameroon, Ghana, Guinea, Liberia, Sierra Leone and The Gambia.*  |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for Methodist Circuit, Western Fells: Superintendent Minister: Rev Paul Saunders; Deacon: Rev Kina Saunders. Families Workers: Fiona Crouch & Katrina MacEwan. Circuit Stewards: Sharon Woollard, Brian Moffat, Richard North. For Church Stewards: Tori Jones, Richard North, Philip Adamson, Jackie Davies, Sharon Woollard. Please pray also the new circuit as the churches get used to new ways of working.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, Thanksgiving Service, St Michael's Kirkby Thore. |

***One Wold Week:***  *For the unity of humanity and mutual respect of one another.*

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| **SUNDAY 27 October** | **LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY** |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Pray for the Church of Ceylon, Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury, The Rt Revd Dhiloraj Ranjit Canagasabey, Bishop of Colombo, The Rt Revd Keerthisiri Fernando, Bishop of Kurunegala. The clergy and people.*Until 1970, the Church was part of the Church of India, Pakistan, Burma, and Ceylon. The first Anglican services were held in 1796, and missionaries began their work in 1818. The Church of Ceylon has two dioceses, Colombo is the older diocese having been founded in 1845 and Kurunagala in 1950. The Church continues as extra provincial under the Archbishop of Canterbury.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery* | Pray for Crosthwaite, Keswick; St Kentigern’s Church and Under Skiddaw Church Room: Priest in Charge: Rev Andy Murphie; Church Wardens: Linda Duncan-Tee, Harriet Spence; Reader: Keith Rigg, Lay Minister: Barry Cox. Pray for Mary Hewitson Hospital, Chaplain Rev Rosemary Elliott. Pray for the ‘Raising the Roof’ Appeal.   |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop Emma, St Michael’s Kirkby Thore Thanksgiving Service.  |

***God for All****: For the Moving Forwards Workshops planned for this autumn, for Mission Communities to catch the vision*. *For Seascale Messy Church.****One Wold Week:***  *For international peace, the end of divisions and for a willingness to listen to one another.*

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| **Monday 28 October**  | ***St Simon and St Jude, Apostles***  |
| *Simon the Apostle 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 and he is associated with Jude in commemoration. Author of the Letter of Jude, Simon and Jude (author of the Letter of Jude) are thought to have undertaken a mission in Persia, and to have been martyred there. Jude became the patron of lost causes.* |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Pray for Diocese of Renk, Province of South Sudan, The Rt Revd Joseph Garang.Diocese of Atem Daejeon, Province of Korea, The Most Revd Moses Nagjun Yoo, Primate.Diocese of Kumi, Province of Uganda, The Rt Revd Edison Irigei. The clergy and people.  |
|  | *For notes on the Province of South Sudan, see 14 October.**The Province of Korea; The Province of the Anglican Church of Korea was founded in 1992. The Primate is Soloman Jongmo Yoon. There are three dioceses: Pusan, Seoul and Taejon.* *Province of Uganda; Following Uganda becoming an independent Province, and the united Province of Rwanda, Burundi, and Zaire, in 1992 the three countries of the united Province each gained independence under their own individual Metropolitan Archbishop. In 1997, to reflect the change in name of the nation, the church became known as the Province of the Anglican Church of the Congo.*  |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for Keswick St John with Borrowdale: Vicar Revd Charles Hope. Reader: Mrs Susan Leighton. Churchwardens: Ann Clinker & Martin Head.For St Herbert’s infant and Junior School, Head Teacher Shelagh Hughes. Borrowdale School Headteacher: Ralf Smits. The Millfield Residential Home and Nether Place Care Home, chaplain Rev Rosemary Elliott.  |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Church Leaders Residential, Rydal Hall.Bishop Emma, Church Leaders Residential, Rydal Hall.  |

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| **Tuesday 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 and Hannington and his companions were among the first Martyrs of Uganda*.  |
| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Rhode Island, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd Nicholas Knisely. Diocese of Dallas, The Episcopal Church, The Rt Revd George R. Sumner, Jr. The clergy and people.*For notes on the Episcopal Church see 1 October.* |
| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for St Johns in the Vale and Wythburn; St Mary, Threlkeld: Reader in Charge & Chaplain to Diocesan Youth Centre: Dr Susi Wood. Priest in Charge: Revd Charles HopeChurchwardens: Dickon Chaplin-Brice; Elizabeth Berresford and Christine Gott.Pray for Threlkeld School. Headteacher: Nick Turley. Pray for the growing links with the school. Please pray for the plans for new toilets at St Mary’s |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Cockermouth Linking Lives Launch, Cockermouth.Bishop Emma, Church Leaders Residential, Rydal Hall.  |

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|  **Wednesday 30 October**  |  |
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| *Anglican* *Communion* | [The Diocese of](http://www.anglicancommunion.org/structures/member-churches/member-church/diocese/position.aspx?church=new-zealand&dio=polynesia&pos=bishop-of-polynesia-and-primate-and-archbishop-of-the-anglican-church-in-aotearoa,-new-zealand-and-polynesia&posID=6554)  Rift Valley, Province of Tanzania, The Rt Revd John Daudi Lupaa. Diocese of Damaturu, Nigeria, The Rt Revd Yohannah A Audu. Diocese of Dar-es-Salaam, Province of Tanzania, The Rt Revd Jackson Sosthenes. *For notes on the Province of Nigeria see 21 October.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery* | Pray for St Mary’s Thornthwaite, St Herbert, Braithwaite & Newlands: Priest in Charge: Rev Judith Ashurst. Commissioned Lay Ministers who form our Ministry Team: Sue & Colin Grant, Jackie & Peter Williams, Sylvia & Alan Williams.Pray for Judith as she retired at the end of the year and the churches. |
| *Our Bishops* | Bishop James, Action in Communities in Cumbria AGM, Crosby on Eden.Bishop Emma, Visit to Network Youth Church St Mary's Church Maryport.  |

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| **Thursday 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.*

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| *Anglican* *Communion* | Diocese of Rio de Janeiro, Province of Brazil, The Rt Revd Eduardo Coelho GrilloDiocese of Davao, Province of Philippines, The Rt Revd Jonathan Labasan Casimina.*With its history as a Spanish colony, the Philippines were predominantly Roman Catholic. When Americans colonized the country in 1898, Anglican missionary work began. Four dioceses were established by 1971 and the Church consecrated its first Bishop in 1963 and became an autonomous Province in 1990.* |
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| *Derwent Deanery*  | Pray for Please pray for reconciliation and peace in and between all churches and communities.Pray for all people in our Deanery, especially those who are sick, suffering or needy. Pray for all the Head Teachers and Teachers within our Deanery schools as they prepare for the Autumn Term. And, for all those who work in all aspects of our Deanery mission and ministry, especially those who provide lay support. |

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**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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