

Parish Office
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Opening Times

Wednesday 9.30 am to 4.00 pm
Thursday 9.30 am to 4.00 pm
Friday 9.30 am to 12.00 noon

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An Answering Machine will take messages at other times.

If you require any photocopying this can be done by either leaving the details of how many and what size, stating which church it is for or if it is personal, in the letter box of Christ Church Rooms or by calling in during office hours. Any work left will be done on Friday morning ready for collection.

**Please send items for future notice sheets to the:
Parish Administrator (Sue Lake) to be received by
Wednesday noon.**

Parish Web site:

www.cockermouthareachurches.org.uk

Is the place to visit for details about the 4 churches in the team and to check the rotas and Parish Diary. Please don't forget to check the rotas each week for any amendments. If you can't do your duty please telephone the office BEFORE THURSDAY to let us know.

Members website www.cateam.org.uk contact Gareth via webmaster@cateam.org.uk with any problems

Services for 20th January

All Saints

9.30 pm Morning Prayer
4.00 pm Community Hospital Service

Christ Church, Cockermouth

8.30 am Holy Communion
9.30 am for 10.00 am Holy Communion

Christ Church Great Broughton

10.45 am Morning Prayer

St Bridget's

11.00 am Holy Communion

Parish Clergy

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If you can, please stay for coffee after the service which will be served in all the churches in the Cockermouth Area Team, it's a good opportunity to meet and chat together.

Cockermouth Area Team



**Praying and Working together to share
the Light of Christ**

Welcome

Services for 13th January 2019

Readings: Isaiah 43:1-7, Acts 8:14-17

Gospel: Luke 3:15-17, 21:22

Prayer for Today - Second Sunday of Epiphany

**Eternal Lord, our beginning and our end:
bring us with the whole creation to your glory,
hidden through past ages and made known
in Jesus Christ our Lord.**

All Saints

9.30 pm Holy Communion
6.00 pm Oasis - "The Gate of the Year" an Iona Style Service with Travelling Light

Christ Church, Cockermouth

8.30 am Holy Communion
9.30 am for 10.00 am Morning Prayer
4.00 pm Messy Church

Christ Church Great Broughton

10.45 am All Age Service

St Bridget's

11.00 am Holy Communion

Our Brexit Prayer

Father in heaven, you sent your Son Jesus Christ to establish on earth an unshakeable kingdom. Be with us in these times of turbulence and uncertainty. Guide with your wisdom all Members of Parliament, especially the Prime Minister and our own MP, Sue Hayman. May there be a desire for the common good, and a willingness to set aside personal ambition and party differences. Keep us all from anger, cynicism and despair, and help us seek that peace, unity and blessing which flow from your throne, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Services for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be held on **Tuesday 22nd - Friday 25th January** in the Foyer at the Methodist Church, Lorton Street, starting at 12 noon. Do join us to pray for greater understanding between our denominations.

FOODBANK We are still short of the following items:-

Tinned Fruit, Tinned Custard, Tinned Tomatoes,
1ltr UHT Fruit Juice & Coffee

DIARY for week beginning 14th January 2019

Monday 14th

- 9.30 am Women's Prayer Meeting (4B Rubby Banks Road)
10.00 am Prayers at Ten (All Saints)
12.00 noon Bridekirk Friendship Group (St Bridget's)

Tuesday 15th

- 3.15 pm After School Singing Group (Christ Church, Cmth)
7.30 pm Christ Church Cmth, DCC Meeting (Rectory)

Wednesday 16th

- 1.00 pm Bridekirk Baby Club (St Bridget's)
4.30 pm Prayer Group (St Bridget's)
6.30 pm Bell Ringers Practice (Beginners) (All Saints)
7.00 pm Prayer Meeting (Christ Church, GB)
7.30 pm Films for Life (Christ Church, Cmth)
7.30 pm Kirkgate Home Group (45 Kirkgate)
7.30 pm Town Home Group (Contact Alan 07759 701422 for Location)
7.30 pm Bell Ringers Practice (All Saints)

Thursday 17th

- 10.00 am Holy Communion (Christ Church, GB)
10.45 am Fiction Library open until 4.00 pm (Christ Church, GB)
10.45 am Drop in Centre with free refreshments open until 12.00 noon (Christ Church, GB)
7.00 pm Mother's Union (Christ Church, GB)

Friday 18th

- 9.00 am Prayer Meeting (Christ Church, Cmth)
9.30 am Friday Morning Home Group (Contact Kris 07583737636)

Saturday 19th

- 9.00 am Growing Leaders Course (St Bridget's Church Room)

ALL SAINTS

Volunteer cleaners required for All Saints on a one week in eight rota.

We still need more people to come forward please. Just one Friday or Saturday once every eight weeks, for a couple of hours to clean the floors, so that the church is suitable for Sunday's Services. Please see Joan after the service to put your name down. Thank you.

NOTICES FOR CHRIST CHURCH GREAT BROUGHTON

Christ Church Great Broughton Mothers Union 17th January at 7.00pm in Church

"Well meaning woolly headed do-gooders"
Peta Leigh

New members & visitors are always welcome. Men are allowed to be MU members as well.

As all the speakers this year are from our team churches it would be good if they could be supported by others from the group.

PARISH NOTICES AND EVENTS

Films for Life

Come and join us for an evening of bite-sized films, discussion, popcorn and refreshments

Wednesday 16th January at Christ Church, Cmth
7.30 pm to 9.00 pm

C2 SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

Monday, 28th January, 7-9pm at Bridekirk

Kaley Vaughton, the county Safeguarding Training Officer, will be running at C2 Safeguarding training event on the above date. This is principally for those in 'supervisory' positions in our churches: Safeguarding officers, children's ministry team leaders, churchwardens etc.

'THE GATHERING' GOES ECUMENICAL!

Wednesday, 30th January

You may have noticed there hasn't been a Gathering recently. One reason is that we are going ecumenical: we will be having 'Churches Together' Gatherings two or three times a year. With a new vision for 'Churches Together in Cocker-mouth Area' (CTiCA) – working together for a greater impact for good and for God in our town and villages – it's important that we meet from time to time to pray, share and celebrate together. The first of these will be on **Wednesday, 30th January, 7pm** at Lorton St Methodist Church. Our speaker will be Bishop Paul Swarbrick, Roman Catholic Bishop of Lancaster, who recently moved from Workington where he was parish priest. Worship will be led by members of Cocker-mouth Christian Centre. Please take one of the invitation cards available today, and bring others! Watch out too for details of Christian Aid Lent lunches (re-styled) and the Good Friday Walk of Witness.

'CARING FOR OUR COMMON HOME'

Saturday 2nd February, 9.00 am to 4.30 pm
at Keswick School, Vicarage Hill

Cost £15.00 please book by Friday 25th January
(Tel: 01228 526162) Revd Nick Mark

Bishop of Penrith

If anyone from the parish wishes to attend the Consecration of the Revd Dr Emma Ineson as Bishop of Penrith at York Minster on **Wednesday, 27th February 2019 at 11.00 am**. Tickets are not required for the congregation, but we have to submit numbers to York Minster. Could you please let Sue (in the office) know by **Wednesday, 6th February**.

ELECTORAL ROLL

This year, all church Electoral Rolls have to be renewed. This means that **EVERYONE** in each church must register or re-register, even if you are already on the Roll. Deadlines vary according to the date of your church's Annual Meeting. Please ask for a form!