THE PARISH CHURCH OF SAINT PAUL GRANGE-OVER-SANDS



July 2022



Normal services at The Parish Church of Saint Paul



Sundays - 11.00 am - Parish Service Wednesdays - 10.00 am - Holy Communion

and at The Fell Church, Grange-over-Sands

9.30 am Second Sunday - Matins (BCP) 9.30 am - Fourth Sunday - Holy Communion (BCP)

CARLISLE DIOCESE

Fifth Sunday of the Month United Service within the Benefice

ST PAUL'S MISSION STATEMENT Our mission is to build confidence in Jesus Christ in the heart of the community through prayer, worship and learning, in joy and practical service to the wider world.

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FROM THE VICARAGE

Following the Jubilee celebrations we are now entering a series of summer events including music festivals like Glastonbury, Glyndebourne and the Proms and great sporting events like Wimbledon, the Commonwealth Games and even our own Cartmel Races! When living in London I attended the Notting Hill Carnival witnessing the brightly coloured floats, the faces and costumes of those taking part, the exhilaration of the watching crowds, and I began to grasp what is meant by the expression 'carnival joy'.

Joy is vital to our well-being and usually comes from outside ourselves. Music and Art are one way of expressing it but it is generally not under our own power to create or induce. I was reminded of this the other day whilst walking my dog on Gummer's How when all of a sudden I turned a corner and noticed Lake Windermere shimmering silently in the morning light. I was taken aback by what I can only describe as pure joy. Joy has to do with understanding the world as a gift, as good, as abounding and overflowing, as a place of connection with the source of goodness.

Trying hard to be joyful never seems to work with me. I usually experience joy when I least expect it, when I'm not trying to think about it. C.S. Lewis, in his book Surprised by Joy, speaks of joy as something to be found in the depths of our being. Joy is a transformation involving the opening of the heart, he says, a reconnection with a power greater than ourselves.

Perhaps the most vital difference between joy and happiness is that joy can, counterintuitively, be linked to pain and suffering. Joy does not deny the reality or depth of suffering but a joyous person understands that joy is often born out of deep suffering. Beethoven's pain gave us 'Ode to Joy'. Joy in the midst of life's challenges can help us to be courageous and see beyond our momentary troubles.

Soon the holiday season will be upon us. We all need holidays. Holidays are about more than simply recreation. They serve an important role in our re-creation. This role was at the heart of the foundation of the first National Parks; the realisation that people need spaces which allow them to be re-created, remade. These spaces help repair the 'wear and tear' of daily living, recognising that just as our bodies are continually replacing worn and damaged cells, so we need to repair our tired minds, emotions and souls. Christians see this in a God who was not only at the heart of creation as a one-off event, but who goes on creating and re-creating; 'Behold, I make all things new' as the Bible reminds us.

Joy may be hard to define, and it's not something simply to write about, it's something to experience. Whether watching a sporting event or music festival, witnessing the dawn or the sunset, or spending relaxed time with friends, I hope this summer will bring many opportunities for re-creation and many moments of joy.

Jonathan

INTRODUCING OUR NEW CHURCHWARDEN



This month we welcome **Brian McCann** as our new Churchwarden.

Brian's parents came from Grange, his grandparents from Flookburgh, so he spent much of his childhood in this area. He worked for 30 years with Scottish and Newcastle Breweries, and returned to Grange with his wife, Christine, in 2006. Since then he worked for Age Uk for 7 years, and still co-ordinates the Flookburgh



monthly Lunch Club at the Pheasant in Allithwaite*. He is treasurer for the Cancer 'Drop In', and secretary for Men's Sheds. He retires this month after 3 years as Chair of Governors at Grange Primary School,

Brian will be admitted to his new role by Archdeacon Vernon Ross at a special service in Cartmel Priory on Thursday, 28th July at 7 pm. We hope that there will be a good contingent from our Parish to support him.

Mike Hill will then step down from his church duties for a very well-earned rest

*Unfortunately the Grange Age UK lunch club folded, but anyone is very welcome to join the Flookburgh group - just contact Brian (34902)..

Parish of Saint Paul, Grange-over-Sands

JULY 2022 Services at St Paul's & Fell Church

SUNDAY 3rd JULY - THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 11.00 am - St Paul's Church - Holy Communion - Rev'd John Dixon

> WEDNESDAY, 6TH JULY 10.00 am - Holy Communion - Rev'd Nick Hallam

SUNDAY 10th JULY- FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
9.30 am - The Fell Church - BCP Matins
11.00 am - St Paul's Church - Holy Communion - The Venerable Penny Driver
1 pm - Solo Diners at Uplands Hotel

WEDNESDAY 13th JULY 10.00 am - Holy Communion - St Paul's Church Rev'd Canon Jonathan Brewster

SUNDAY 17th July - FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 11.00 am - St Paul's Church - Morning Worship - Lay-led, with Tim Farron

> WEDNESDAY 20th JULY 10.00 am Joint Holy Communion with Methodists at St Paul's The Venerable Penny Driver

SUNDAY 24th JULY - SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
9.30 am - The Fell Church - Holy Communion—Rev'd Canon Jonathan Brewster
11.00 am - St Paul's Church - Holy Communion - Rev'd Canon Jonathan Brewster
1-3 pm FOODBANK COLLECTION, St Charles Church

WEDNESDAY 27th JULY 10.00 am - Morning Prayer, St Paul's Church Lay-led

SUNDAY31st JULY - SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 11.00 am - United Benefice Service - Holy Communion, S Anne's Haverthwaite Rev'd Canon Jonathan Brewster



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY IN JULY 2022

Every Sunday July & August 4.30 pm - 5.30 pm - Praise on the Prom—(see page 8)

Friday, 1st July 1.30 pm Grange Primary School Year 2 visit to St Paul's

Saturday, 2nd July -Manna House Garden Party 1 pm - 4 pm, Queen Katherine School field Kendal

Wednesday, 6th July 2.30 pm - Cuppa & Cake afternoon in St Paul's Church, all welcome (see p7 for details)

> **Saturday, 9th July** Sponsored Walk across the Sands - (*see p7 for details*)

> > Sunday, 10th July 1 pm - Solo Diners at Uplands Hotel

Monday, 11th July 10.30 am - Communications meeting in St Paul's Church

> Wednesday, 13th July 7 pm - PCC Meeting in St Paul's Church

Friday, 15th July 9 am - Service at St Paul's Church for Grange Primary School leavers

Monday-Friday, 18th-22nd July 10 am - 4 pm - Jigsaw Festival in St Paul's (see p7 for details)

Monday, 18th July 5 pm - Mother Teresa Co-workers in St Charles Church

Thursday, 21st July 10 am - 12 noon - Holiday Club in St Paul's Church for Primary School children

> Sunday, 24th July 1-3 pm - Foodbank Collection, St Charles Church, Grange

Thursday, 28th July 11 am - Concert by Charles Edmondson in St Paul's Church 7 pm—Installation and licensing of Churchwardens, Cartmel Priory

Friday, 29th July Wedding in St Paul's Church of Anna Shorrock & Ryan Cochran

Who says nothing goes on in Grange !

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INVITATIONS

MEN'S WALKING GROUP

The St. Mary's (Allithwaite) Men's Walking Group is in its ninth year now and have recently fixed a programme for the next six months. The group walks fortnightly on Thursdays, sometimes locally, sometimes further afield in the Lakes or Dales. Walks are sometimes easy, sometimes more testing and usually 5 -10 miles. We would like to extend an invitation to men in all our peninsula churches to join us. If interested please contact Charles Rowsell (015395 38871) priorsyeat@hotmail.com) or Mervyn Hull (07967975232) mervynhull@hotmail.com)

CUPPA AND CAKE

Following the success of the Jubilee tea party, the Pastoral Team invite you to join them for a 'cuppa and cake' on the first Wednesday of the summer months at 2.30 pm, - 6th July, 3rd August, 7th September. These will be informal gatherings to spend time together while enjoying some light refreshments. Transport will be available, and we very much hope that some of our home communicants will be able to join us. There will be no need to 'book', just turn up and enjoy some fellowship. Next date Wednesday, 3rd August - same time, same place.

SPONSORED WALK ACROSS THE SANDS FROM SANDGATE TO CHAPEL ISLAND

On Saturday 9th July, Grange Methodist Church is organising a Sponsored Walk across the sands of Morecambe Bay from Sandgate to Chapel Island and back. The walk will be led by one of the Queen's Guides from the Guide over Sands Trust. This is an opportunity for a different walk out onto the sands from the more well-known cross-bay walk, and is also shorter (5 miles in total,) making it suitable for less experienced walkers and children. There are 75 places available on the walk, with a minimum contribution of \pounds 15 per adult and \pounds 5 per child. Proceeds are all in aid of Grange Methodist church building redevelopment scheme. *To book your place, email grangemethodists@gmail.com*

SOLO DINERS

Our next date will be on July 10th at Uplands Hotel after the morning service. We will need to pre-book so the list and menu will be at the back of Church from 26th June. For those with smaller appetites there is a small plate option of roast dinner for $\pounds 9.95$. I hope you are able to join us.

JIGSAW FESTIVAL

Monday 18th to Friday 22nd July, 10 am - 4 pm (See next page for more details)

HOLIDAY CLUB AT ST PAUL'S

Thursday 21st July - (See page 22 for more details)

FOODBANK

Sunday 24th July 1-3 pm - (See page 23 for what is needed)

JIGSAW FESTIVAL

There will be a Jigsaw Festival in church during the week July 18th to 22nd. The idea is that there will be a variety of puzzles on tables in the Social Area for people to come into church for a long as they wish, fitting a few pieces in and enjoying a drink and a biscuit at the same time.

On Thursday July 21st there will also be a **Holiday Club** from 10 am till noon, run by Helen Hoyle, aimed at children of Primary School age. All helpers are CRB checked so there will be no need for parents to stay. They can join the Jigsaw area and enjoy refreshments.

Anyone wanting more information can ask Judith Mitchell or Margaret Ratcliffe.



PRAISE ON THE PROM

Mick and Jean Malkin will be meeting with a group on the Promenade near Clare House railway bridge on:

Sundays at 4.30 pm - 5.30 pm in July and August

(except Prom Art Sundays)

Books will be provided for you to choose your favourite hymn. Bring your chair if you wish (bring your own instrument too!)

Come and make a joyful noise to our Lord

All Welcome

FROM THE REGISTERS JULY 2022

BAPTISM

Olivia May Webster

12th June 2022

FUNERAL SERVICE

Margaret Graveston

YEAR'S MIND

Margaret Cook Colin Bentley

16th June 2022



6th July 2018 23rd July 2020 "In sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life through our Lord Jesus Christ"

Only the deaths for the previous five years are included in the magazine, but each name in our remembrance book is read out during the intercessions at St Paul's during the Sunday service.

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION IN BOTH KINDS

The Diocese of Carlisle has issued new guidance about the reception of Holy Communion suggesting that 'Holy Communion should be administered in both kinds unless there is a clear and objective reason why there would be a significant risk in doing so'. Following a recent discussion at our PCC and Worship Committee we agreed that we would re-introduce Holy Communion in both kinds from the first Sunday in July. In practice, this will mean coming to stand at the chancel steps (as is our current practice) to receive bread from the priest and then move to the right to receive wine from the cup offered by the chalice assistant—if you so wish. This is a personal choice. If you would prefer to continue receiving in one kind only, then just return to your seat after receiving the bread. Intinction by communicants (ie dipping the wafer into the cup) is not recommended.

On the first Sunday of August we will be reintroducing our healing ministry, with the opportunity to receive the laying-on-of-hands.

LOOSE PAGES - The cream hymn books have weak binding especially nearer the front. If you find a copy with pages missing, please hand to the sidespersons or warden. We have accumulated several loose sheets which can be inserted in place of those missing. Some of our green Service Sheets are also looking the worse for wear. Please hand in any copy in bad shape. We are progressively replacing them with newly printed versions.

A MEMORABLE JOURNEY

The adventure began with a flight to Calgary, Alberta, in Canada and, after an overnight stay, I set off with no accommodation booked, just hire car - will travel!

First a drive through the Canadian Rockies, including a stroll on the Athabaskan Glacier, with time spent in some of the Canadian National Parks - Yoho, Kooteney, Glacier, Banff and Jasper. I won't dwell on the Rockies as they may be well known to many. Perhaps not so familiar is The Yukon.

So, next destination was The Gateway to The Yukon, Watson Lake, a town with the Sign Post Forest, an unbelievable collection of signs pointing worldwide. It was started in 1942 by a homesick US soldier during the construction of the Alaskan Highway, and now has over 77,000 signs hammered on to row upon row of posts.

The town Dawson Creek is officially mile 0 of The Alaskan Highway, built in WW2 to connect the contiguous United States to Alaska across Canada, passing through Whitehorse which is the meeting point for the Alaska and Klondike Highways. Apart from main centres and the Trans Canada routes, the roads were beautifully quiet with sightings of brown/black bears eating the dandelions, plus the occasional wolf.

The Yukon drive was stunning, particularly Lake Kluane which was still partially frozen in May.

Our farthest point on the Alaskan Highway was Beaver Creek, a hamlet some 22 km from the US border.

After returning to Whitehorse we travelled up The Klondike Highway which stretches from there to Dawson City and passes through several tiny settlements bearing the names of the river crossings, eg Pelly/Stewart. For me it was particularly exciting to walk on the Dempster Highway as I had watched Ice Road Truckers on TV. There was a tiny isolated tourist information hut manned by a First Nation lady who had met my favourite trucker, so I enjoyed chatting to her!

The mighty Yukon River runs along parts of the highway which ends in Dawson City, the Gold Rush town which is wonderful - no tarmac just dusty streets and boardwalks and premises with great names such as Klondike Kate's, Diamond-tooth Gertie's, and a shop entitled The Dancing Moose.

Travelling south again we briefly visited Prince Rupert on the west coast of British Columbia, and eventually arrived back in Calgary having stayed in many hotels and motels along the way.

There was much more to the trip but The Yukon was the definite highlight. 6,000 miles covered and I wondered afterwards if unlimited mileage on hire cars is still offered!!!

Eileen

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

Bunting, Jubilee Emblem, Union flags and beautiful red white & blue flowers in church - we were all set to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee!

A Jubilee tea & cake was held on Thursday June 2nd and 30 parishioners enjoyed a delicious tea of scones, cakes, florentines, tiffinplus, of course, uplifting music from Charles.

Thank you to everyone for all the cakes , it was a great way to set off our Platinum Jubilee celebrations of 70 years - a truly historic occasion.

Judith Mitchell

Dear All



Many and heartfelt thanks to all who contributed to this afternoon's Garden Party in any way. It was wonderful to be able to work together as Christians in the area and offer an event like this to the local community. Several people said to me how good it was to be able to do this, particularly after not being able to gather for the last couple of years. So thank you to each of you who played your part in any way, or even simply came along and joined in. Thank you to Fr Philip and the congregation at St Charles' for the use of their field and facilities, and for all the time put in to the preparation as well as during the afternoon. And, of course, we thank God for the glorious weather – we couldn't have asked for better!

Shall we make a date for next year?!

Rev'd Jo Rand







DIOCESAN NEWS Platinum celebrations around the Diocese

Churches and congregations across the Diocese embraced the Platinum Jubilee celebrations over the Bank Holiday weekend.

In his role as Clerk of the Closet to the Royal Household, Bishop James attended the Thanksgiving Service at St Paul's Cathedral on Friday. He said: "It was a huge honour to be present at the service and to pay my respects to Her Majesty The Queen for her 70 years of wonderful and dedicated service, all of which has been rooted in her strong Christian faith. Whilst it was a shame that she could not be there in person, I'm sure she will have enjoyed watching the service on the television and will have particularly enjoyed the Archbishop of York's reference in his sermon to her passion for horse racing!"

Back in the Diocese, there was a plethora of Platinum picnics, musical concerts and flower displays as well as a teddy bear zipwire at Kirkby Thore!

And hats off to the Revd Canon Andrew Norman who 'volunteered' to take the plunge as part of a target dunking tank at the Beetham CE Primary School Jubilee celebrations on Saturday morning.



What a sport he is, and how we miss him!

CONSECRATION OF THE NEW BISHOP OF PENRITH, THE REVD CANON ROB SANER-HAIGH



Details have been announced of how to book tickets for the forthcoming consecration of the new Bishop of Penrith in York Minster.

All active clergy and Readers have been emailed directly with invitations to attend the service at York Minster on **Friday 15 July** but the service is also open for general attendance with tickets available via the York Minster website.

Entry will be via York Minster's west doors, opening at 10am. The Consecration will begin promptly at 11am, so the congregation is asked to be seated by 10:45 am.

Tickets are free but must be booked in order to attend and they are available on a first come, first served basis. No parking is available at York Minster. The nearest public parking is at Monk Bar, a ten minute walk away. Various Park and Ride options, as well as the train station, offer convenient access via public transport. https://tickets.yorkminster.org/

THORNLEIGH CHRISTIAN HOTEL IN GRANGE

Do you know a Christian who is looking for a residential job in the hospitality industry? Thornleigh is looking for a full-time, paid, residential Duty Manager, for either a couple or a single person. The accommodation is in a private studio flat located on-site.

The Manager, Jane Walmsley, writes: "Thornleigh Christian Hotel offers the very best in Christian hospitality. The team at the hotel specialises in attention to detail. Guests return year after year to recapture the pleasure of this special place. A warm welcome, memorable meals and fabulous fellowship are guaranteed time after time."

For further information, email jane@thornleigh.org

THE QUEEN'S NEW WALKING STICK

At the start of the four-day Jubilee celebrations, the monarch appeared on the Buckingham Palace balcony during Trooping the Colour with a new walking stick which had been made locally in Ulverston, by Dennis Wall. He and his wife, Linda, have been making traditional walking sticks using local materials for 20 years, following his retirement from South Lakeland District Council.

When the British Army decided to present a stick to the Queen to mark her Platinum Jubilee and as a sign of their respect, they opened a competition for designs. Dennis's stick was one of 10 commissioned by the Army which were presented for the Queen to make her choice. Once selected the design was returned to Dennis for some minor alterations.

Dennis said: 'She wanted it an inch shorter and she wanted the ferule – the bit on the end that makes contact with the ground – to be of the same material as the handle. That was made of Herdwick ram's horn, and the wood shank was a piece of locally grown hazel.'

The collar of the stick, made from silver, was engraved by Sam James Engraving, based in Goldsmiths' Centre in London, with the words 'The Army presents its loyal support to THE SOVEREIGN. 'Platinum Jubilee MCMLII-MMXXII'. The Army crest is also engraved into the collar.

The stick was presented to the Queen at Windsor Castle ahead of the Jubilee celebrations, and the first Dennis knew that she was using it on the balcony was when his phone started ringing! He said: "I was immensely proud, and when the camera panned round and I saw how many tens and tens of thousands of people were around and down The Mall it brought the enormity of it home to me. And then when I saw Charles the next day addressing the nation, he already had one of my sticks, so that's both the Queen and the future king."





Taken from their web page (crooksandsticks.co.uk)

Dennis and Linda Wall, man and wife team from Ulverston, have turned a hobby into a full-time business. They both make bespoke hand-crafted crooks and sticks for the discerning countryman (or woman) or anyone interested in field sports. Our sticks have gone all over the world, and to many celebrities and even royalty.

It all started 20 years ago when Dennis had to take early retirement from SLDC. His father came round with three ram horns and a book he had picked up for 50p at a car boot sale. He asked Dennis if he could make him a crook; the first attempt was a simple basic crook, but it worked. Wanting more

knowledge on the subject he joined the British Stick Makers' Guild, and started to attend country shows to talk to other stick makers, and to see the very high standard of sticks in the competitions. After a couple of years gaining more experience Dennis offered to train his wife in carving the sticks because she had a keen interest when attending the shows. She now specialises in carving people's dogs and other animals from photographs, and makes sticks in wood, buffalo and antler horn, while

Dennis works with the more traditional rams' horns, which need some formers and presses, and heat to change them from a by-product to not only a thing of beauty, but a very useful accessory when out in the countryside.

They both appeared on BBC's Countryfile program a few years back when some of Dennis's sticks were chosen for the Countryfile Calendar. They are often called upon to judge at many prestigious shows throughout the country, and run a two-day stick show at Lowther on behalf of the British Stick Makers' Guild."





PARISH WALKS WITH SARAH

On a surprisingly hot day, June 23rd, parishioners from 4 churches gathered with Sarah and Harvey the terrier, near Grange Fell Golf Club to walk to Boarbank and Allithwaite. We had a lovely walk over Wartbarrow then on to Allithwaite. A slight diversion to The Lantern for coffee & cake was very welcome and Michael Fieldhouse was an excellent host - the cakes are to be recommended!

We then walked over to Boarbank and down to The Old Watermill, then up Jack Hill (rather steep) and finally on to Allithwaite Road before walking back to Grange Fell Golf Club. Our walk took us a little longer than we had imagined but we were able to show another part of our lovely Cartmel Peninsula to Sarah.

More walks will start again in September - details via pewsheets - do join us!

Judith - Events Committee

The photograph shows Sarah and Harvey, with Kath, Linda & Judith

Sunday Ser	vices aroun	Sunday Services around the Benefice	fice					
July 2022	ALLITHWAITE	FLOOKBURGH	GRANGE	GRANGE FELL	FINSTHWAITE	HAVERTHWAITE	STAVELEY IN CARTMEL	FIELD BROUGHTON & LINDALE
Sunday 3 rd July 3 rd after Trinity	9.3 0 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jane Maycock	10.00 Morning Worship Lay-led	11.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd John Dixon		9.30 am Lay-led	11.00 am Lay-led	11.00 am Communion by extension Richard Rhodes	9.30 am Lay-led
Sunday 10 th July 4 th after Trinity	4.00 pm Service of the Word Sue Wymer	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jane Maycock	11.00 am Holy Communion The Venerable Penny Driver	9.30 am Lay-led	9.30 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster	11.00 am Lay-led	11.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster	9.30 am Lay-led
Sunday 17ª July 5ª after Trinity	9.30 am Service of the Word Janice & John Tindale	4.00 pm Evening Worship Rev'd Jane Maycock	11.00 am Lay-led		9.30 am Holy Communion The Archdeacon Vernon Ross	11.00 am Holy Communion Rev ³ d Jonathan Brewster	11.00 am Holy Communion The Archdeacon Vernon Ross	9.30 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster
Sunday 24 th July 6 th after Trinity	Joint Communion @ St John's Flookburgh	10.00 am Joint Communion Rev'd Jane Maycock	11.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster	9.30 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster	6.00 pm Evensong	11.00 am Lay-led	11.00 am Lay-led	9.30 am Lay-led
Sunday 31st July 7th after Trinity	9.30 am Service of the Word Jenny Leahy	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jane Maycock	11.00 am United Service @ Haverthwaite		11.00 am United Service @ Haverthwaite	11.00 am United Service Holy Communion Rev'd Jonathan Brewster	11.00 am United Service (a) Haverthwaite	11.00 am United Service @ Haverthwaite

Wednesdays Clergy F	Nednesdays Clergy Rota - July 2022 - 10 am - Holy Communion
6th July	Rev'd Nick Hallam
13th July	Rev'd Jonathan Brewster
20th July	Joint with Methodists at St Paul's Church , Grange
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This is the BBC Home Service; John Snagg speaking. We now present "Marching and Waltzing".....

Do you remember hearing these words which used to introduce the weekly programme on the radio running from 1942 to 1984, first on the Home Service, then later on the Light Programme and eventually on Radio 2?

For the next concert in the tenth summer series of mid-week concerts at St Paul's Church, Charles Edmondson has chosen "Marching and Waltzing" as the title of his programme planned for Thursday 28th July.

Although there will be no marching band or light orchestra in the church at his disposal, Charles hopes to create a programme featuring a varied collection of marches and waltzes to be performed on the organ and on the piano, all in the space of under an hour.

High on the list of popular choices will be Strauss's "Blue Danube" waltz, Verdi's Grand March from his opera Aida, and a waltz by Frederic Chopin, to name but a few.

Another quote from Sir Winston Churchill

When, in 1960, a reporter from the London *Evening Standard* asked Churchill what he thought about the recent prediction that by the year 2000 women would be ruling the world, he muttered gloomily in reply, "They still will, will they?"



If you ever need support, Age UK is here for you. Our free Advice Line is open 7 days a week, 8am-7pm on 0800 169 65 65. Or, if you're feeling lonely and want a friendly chat, day or night, you can call The Silver Line on 0800 4 70 80 90.

Age UK provides information and advice on every facet of later life, from helping people find out benefits they are entitled to claim, to discussing options to help make later life at home more manageable. Our aim is to be the first port of call – the first place that people turn to when they have an age-related need. Another number to ring - **HELPLINE 03030030003** Website: www.ageuk.org.uk/campaigns Twitter: @ageukcampaigns

Grange & District Churches Together Youth Trust Prayer Bulletin



Secondly, thank you to all who pray for the work with children and youth in the Peninsula. Please pass this bulletin on to your congregation for information and prayer-ammunition!

Looking back at the last Newsletter (Spring 2022), we can give thanks that Helen now has an open door into Cartmel Priory School. Please continue to pray that this openness will increase, and that staff and students alike will be responsive to the Good News she has to share.

There will be a Prayer Space there, taking place on 27th-29th June, based on the subject: What is Prayer? and looking at various aspects of communication with Jesus. Please pray that the team of volunteers would have confidence to relate naturally to the whole age range, from 11-16's.

Noring On - Noring Up

Pray for the day on the 21st June at St Mary's, Allithwaite, for all the Year 6 children from the six primary schools on the Peninsula, to reflect and prepare for moving up to secondary school. This is a hugely significant time in the lives of these children, and they will probably be more open to supportive input, so let's pray for the Holy Spirit to be present in power on that occasion.

Trustees

We still need another trustee for the Youth Trust, so please pray about this - it may be you!

School Holidays

School holidays will soon be upon us,



so let's pray for all those who work with children and youth, to have opportunity to be refreshed and have quality time with their families.

Pray also for the many camps that are going ahead this summer, for a harvest among our families. There is to be a Holidav Club at St Marys for school years 3-6, from 23rd-25th August, 9.30am-12.30pm.

The After School Drop-in at the Methodist Church, that was begun at the start of this term, has not had the uptake that was hoped for, so Chris and Helen are thinking of moving location. Please pray for an open door for this valuable work to take place. The detached project (talking to young people on the streets of Grange) is not proving easy either, so we really need to get behind this in prayer, as our youth are so vulnerable and uncertain about the future.

Lamentations 2 v 19 may be speaking of physical hunger, but spiritual hunger is just as real.

PRIORY DAY

There is to be a 'Priory Day' on 27th September, when all years 5 & 6 across the peninsula will attend, for singing, crafting, activities, etc. on the subject of the Scarlet Thread (see Joshua ch.2). Please pray for all the preparation that this will involve, and that the day will have maximum impact on the children and staff.

God bless you whether you join with others in prayer for these things, or on your own in your armchair. God hears every prayer!

Chríssíe Greaves Trustee

PENINSULA GAMES 6TH JULY 2022 - CARTMEL PRIORY SCHOOL

Excitement is building across the local primary schools for the Peninsula Games on July 6th. A total 600 children from all the schools will join to celebrate the Commonwealth Games and sport.

The special day will begin with the opening ceremony and a parade of countries, followed by a mass dance before the children move to the tented village. Special guests - Craig Heap Commonwealth Gymnast (retired), Bethan Lishman Deaflympics Hammer Thrower and GB Captain, and local girl Kelsey Pearson, England under-19s Footballer and previous football player for Blackburn Rovers - will join the children.

Sports students from Cartmel Priory school will act as Games makers to ensure that the children and staff have a brilliant day of competitive sport and taster sport. Taster sports from local sports clubs will occur throughout the day, and include tennis, volleyball, wheelchair basketball, badminton, softball, judo, hockey, boccia, dance, trampoline, handball, t ball, table tennis, football, polyball, flip it, cycling and cricket .

Families and invited guests/sponsors will join the children throughout the day.

All the schools are very grateful to the sponsors of the event who have donated in total nearly £5000, including the Charles Godwin Trust, Taylor Hibbert Trust, St Paul's Church, Cartmel Priory Church, Eric Marshall, The Lantern Community Hub, Arthur John Brogden Lodge, Cartmel Old Grammar Trust, Different Strokes, BMW Lloyd South Lakes, Grange Lions, Active Cumbria, and Bay Villa Trust.

In-kind support has also been given by Playdale, all local school staff especially the Sports Coordinators, Kym Allan Health and safety consultants, Bike Treks, Open Tracking, sports coaches, CPS music students, and Judith Mitchell for funding and marketing.

After a full day of sport, medals and trophies will be awarded to the children and winners, and the trophies will be presented by Lucy Cavendish of Holker Estates.

We look forward to this brilliant day of sport for our local children and the local community with fingers crossed for the right weather !



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GOD'S GOLDEN ACRE - by Dale le Vack



In KwaZulu-Natal Heather Reynolds and her husband Patrick have established a community care centre for orphaned and abandoned children, where children find sanctuary from abuse, poverty, and starvation. The very sick die with dignity; but for those who survive Heather provides love, security, education, hope and a future. She has set up football leagues and a touring theatre and dance troupe. Braving local indifference and facing down opposition from neighbours and gang leaders, she has attracted dozens of volunteers to assist in her rescue mission. A one-woman force of nature, she has enlisted the support of such celebrities as Oprah Winfrey and Jude Law. Where did such courage and vision come from? This is Heather's own astonishing story.

LOST ICONS - Reflections on Cultural Bereavement by Archbishop Rowan Williams



A major work from the new Archbishop of Canterbury that asks tough questions about our inability to communicate with each other on a meaningful level and how we have lost the "language of the soul", leading to a more impoverished and alienated society. It is ironic that, in a society that has more communications potential that at any time in history, we are finding it harder to talk meaningfully than ever before. This book explores the relationship between self and society in terms of "icons" that have become lost. Dr Williams looks at the many definitions of the word "icon" - from art, the media and religion, but re-defines the word for his purposes - they are "structures for seeing and connecting in the light of something other than our decisions", in other words shared values. The resultant

lack of icons is highlighted by confusion over religion, the family, economics and sexuality, to name but a few. This isn't 'ivory tower' thinking, it cuts to the very roots of our society, beginning with the education of our children and ending with what he calls the "loss of language of the soul". It is, he argues, time to regain that language and communicate with each other.





The Local Group of Co-Workers for Mother Teresa is appealing for goods for the Food Banks at Ulverston,

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sion, new strategies for future ministry, outreach and buildings have been developed.

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September	29	118	177	133	177	66	62	
October	60	31	172	131	160	165	304	
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