

Church events next week

Monday 2nd September

- 9.30am No Baby & Toddler Group - Summer Break
11.00am Funeral (Richard Hall)

Tuesday 3rd September

- 12.30pm Connect Café, Salvation Army
7.00pm Men's Fellowship, Vestry

Wednesday 4th September

- 9.15am Morning Prayer (ID:844 6126 6908/Passcode: 294664)
10.00am Coffee and Cake, Kitchenette area
2.30pm Care Home Service at Stonecross
7.30pm Bellringing Practice

Thursday 5th September

- 10.30am Holy Communion (BCP), Parr Chapel

Friday 6th September

- 9.00am Building Group Meeting, Vestry
12.30pm Organ Concert (Bas Westerhof)
3.45pm Kendal Choristers
7.00pm Choir Practice

Sunday 8th September

- 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am Parish Communion (CW)
11.15am The Gathering, with Communion

Contacting Shanthi - if you wish to email Shanthi privately, please use revshanthi@kendalparishchurch.co.uk. If you wish to speak to her/text her privately, please use 07494704288. Shanthi's usual rest day is a Saturday.

Please send any notices to 'office@kendalparishchurch.co.uk' by Wednesday pm

Prayer Ministry is available in the Parr Chapel (front right corner) on the 2nd Sunday of the month after the 9.30am service and in the Bellingham Chapel (front left corner) on the 4th Sunday of the month after the 11.15am. Prayer ministry is confidential (unless there is a safeguarding concern) so please wait outside the chapel if someone is already being prayed for. The prayer ministry team will respect your privacy and won't engage you in conversation about your prayer requests after the session. If you require prayer at any time please contact a member of the clergy.

A welcoming Christian community serving the people of Kendal

Sunday 1st September 2024



HOLY TRINITY
KENDAL PARISH CHURCH

Welcome to our Services today

If you are new to the church, please make yourself known to us.
A Loop System is in operation for hearing aid users with a 'T' switch.
Gluten Free wafers are available at all Communion services.
If you need any information or assistance, please ask the Duty Warden.

This week we pray for:

The sick - John Reynolds, Laura Earl, Angela Wilson & Michael Bainbridge.

The departed & their families - Richard Hall, Margaret Gott & Sandra Bainbridge.

TODAY'S SERVICES

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

9.30am Parish Communion (CW)

Festive Eucharist Rawsthorne

368 All my hope on God is founded

Psalm 150 *Stanford*

383 Be still, for the presence of the Lord

453 Great is thy faithfulness

During Communion

Lead me, Lord Wesley

Lead me, Lord,

lead me in thy righteousness:

make thy way plain before my face.

For it is thou, Lord, only,

that makest me dwell in safety.

Final Voluntary

11.15am The Gathering (a more informal service with worship songs), with Thanksgiving ceremony

Helping elsewhere - Revd. Clive Duxbury is taking the service at St George's, Barrow this morning.

Parish Life and Prayer Calendar - the September editions of both of these are available in print from the back of church and also on the website. Items to be included in the October edition of Parish Life should be sent to the editors by **Sunday 15th September**: magazine@kendalparishchurch.co.uk

Encouraging our school staff - At the beginning of the school year in 2023 we gave a 'little bag of encouragement' to all the staff at Vicarage Park School, along with a prayer. The contents were simple (tea bags, coffee, bags, hot chocolate sachets and biscuits) but were much appreciated. The cost of each bag this year is £1.30 and there are 21 members of staff. If you would like to sponsor a bag to let our school staff that we are thinking about and praying for them, please pass your donation to Janet Henderson in the office in a labelled envelope. Any monies over the amount we need will be put into the fund that buys bibles for our baptisms and weddings. Thanks

Date for your diary - on **Tuesday 3rd September at 7.00pm**, the Ven Stewart Fyfe, Archdeacon of West Cumberland, will be talking about his sabbatical to the Holy Land, which was cut short by the current troubles there. This is a Men's Group evening, but it was felt that his talk would attract a wider audience so it is open to anyone interested, with Men's Fellowship organising refreshments for the evening.

Friday Organ Concerts - the Autumn series starts on **Friday 6th September**, at 12.30pm with a recital by Bas Westerhof from Amsterdam. Full details of all concerts in the series are available from the back of church.

Heritage week is fast approaching (**6th - 15th September**) and we are hoping to have a craft sales table to raise funds for our church. If you are at all crafty please can you put your skills to good use and produce some items for sale. At this stage we are not looking for Christmas items, they will have to wait for the Christmas Tree Festival. Please speak to either Ian or Marilyn Fishwick for more information.

Afternoon Tea & Singer - September marks 10 years of Anna Chaplaincy and Debbie Ducille, Anna Chaplaincy Church Lead for the Bible Reading Fellowship, will be walking 60 miles over 3 days from the birthplace of Anna Chaplaincy (Alton in Hampshire) to the home of Bible Reading Fellowship Ministries in Abington, Oxfordshire. This is to raise funds for the national team to help with costs of training courses and support & literature for all the Anna Chaplaincy Teams. Each team has also been asked to fund raise for the National Team in their own places. we are holding another and will again have a lovely local singer to sing for us. Jude Gardner-Jones has kindly offered her time for free. This will take place on **Saturday 21st September** between 2.30-4.30pm. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church and a try booking link: <https://www.trybooking.com/uk/DUHT> Do spread the word and come and join the team for food and fellowship.

Sundays at 4.00 at KPC - these special evensongs start again on **Sunday 29th September** - full details are available from the back of the church and on the

website.

Coffee Rota - we are looking for someone to take over organising the Sunday coffee rota from October. Please see Lynne Magee if you want to know more or are interested in taking this on. Thank you.

Network Youth Church has just advertised 3 new roles in the Derwent, Kendal & Furness Deaneries. There is a video on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dC_fqi6vYmw and the roles will be advertised on the diocese website: <https://www.carlisle-diocese.org.uk/vacancies/youth-leader-roles/> Please share the video and information with anyone you think might be interested.

Kendal Food Bank - would be very grateful for meat in sauce, small tins of meat, small tins of carrots, small tins of sweetcorn, fruit squash, flavoured microwave rice, instant noodles These can be left in the box at the back of church - thank you. The Kings Food Bank latest newsletter is also available by the food collection box at the back of church.

Alive in Christ - this course is running for five Tuesday evenings from **17th September to 15th October** in the Church vestry, from 7.15pm - 9.00pm. It will help you to understand more deeply the nature of God as a loving Father; know more deeply your identity rooted in Christ; learn more about handling temptation and forgiveness; identify any areas which need letting go of and turn to Christ; and understand more fully your place in the body of Christ, ready to serve. The course is free to attend, but places are limited. Please see the flyer at the back of church and book your place at: <https://www.trybooking.com/uk/events/landing/56892?>

Parking Permit - if you regularly come to Sunday services you can collect a car park pass from the welcomers.

Prayer Chain

Would you like us to pray for you or for someone you are concerned about? We believe God knows and cares about all our needs so we don't require any details of the situation. Please text or leave a message on 07942617718 or if you'd prefer to speak to someone, call Margaret on 01539 720243. A group of people spread across our church will be glad to pray for them.

Interfaith Silent Climate Vigils - the next one is on **Monday 2nd September** at 10.30am at the Birdcage, Finkle Street, Kendal. The vigil will last 45 minutes, and it is important to wear thermal clothing to keep warm. Some people bring fold up chairs and a blanket. A flask containing a hot drink is advisable. Vigils are held on the first Monday of each month & are organised by Kendal and Sedbergh Friends Sustainability Group.