

Notices for the Solway Plain Churches

28th April 2024 - Easter 5

Jesus, the true vine, invites us not just to set our hope upon him, but to make our home in him. So in our worship we celebrate and deepen our connection with the One who has made us, redeemed us and lives in us

Sunday Worship

Welcome to our Services today

We welcome Sophia Margot Richardson & Ivy Isobel Richardson being baptised in Bromfield at 1pm today

We welcome Christians of all traditions to receive the bread and wine at our services of Holy Communion. If you are not a communicant member of a church, we would invite you to come forward to receive a blessing.

It is our practice that those who don't wish to drink the wine from the common cup, receive the bread only, intincted by the priest before the distribution. Please respect others by not intincting the bread yourself.

Collect for today

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us
the gate of everlasting life:
grant that, as by your grace going before us
you put into our minds good desires,
so by your continual help
we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Soulway The Gathering

Today at 4pm in Aspatia Rugby Club. Contemporary worship and fellowship organised by Solway Mission Community. All welcome, newcomers will be made most welcome

This Week

Today 4.0pm - **Soulway - The Gathering** - Aspatia Rugby Club
Mon 7.00pm - **Bible Crack** - Midtown, Westnewton
Tues 6.00pm - **Abbeytown Community Choir** - Abbey
Wed 10.00am - **Coffee & Chit Chat** - Holme Cultram
Thurs 10.00am - **Holy Communion** - Christ Church, Sillioth
Thurs 12 noon - **Monthly Munch** - Abbey
Fri 10.30am - **Coffee Morning** - Kirkbride Institute
Sat 9.00am - **Men's Breakfast** - Christ Church

Next Sunday's Readings

Acts 10:44-48 John 15:9-17

Next Sunday

8.00am - Christ Church, Sillioth - Holy Communion (BR)
9.00am - Westnewton - Family Service (CY)
9.30am - Holme St Cuthbert - Holy Communion (CN)
9.30am - St Mungo's, Bromfield - Family Service (TB)
9.30am - St Bride's, Kirkbride - Holy Communion (GR)
10.30am - Holme Cultram - Family Service (TB)
10.45am - Newton Arlosh - Holy Communion (GR)
11.00am - Christ Church, Sillioth - Family Service (CN)
5.00pm - Christ Church, Sillioth - Evensong (TB)

Bible Readings for today

Acts 8:26-40

Philip's willingness to proclaim the Gospel wherever he is sent leads to an opportune encounter and the conversion of a traveller along a wilderness road

John 15:1-8

Using the image of the vine, Jesus teaches that fruitful discipleship is only possible through staying closely connected with Christ

Monthly Munch

Thursday 2nd May in Holme Cultram Abbey 12noon - 1pm
Eat in £8 includes tea/coffee (plus raffle)
Takeaway £7 (collection from 11.30am - delivery available)
To order/book contact Anita 61113 or Brenda 61224

Men's Breakfast

Saturday 4th May
in Christ Church, 9.00am
to book please contact
Or Frances McIntyre frannymac55@gmail.com



Annual Meeting

The Solway Plain Parish Annual Meetings will be held on Sunday 19th May in Holme St Cuthbert Church at 11am following a United Service at 10am
The Electoral Roll will be updated in preparation for the Annual Meeting. Forms are available in the churches and from electoral roll officers. The updated roll will be published by 4th May, so please ensure any new forms are returned as soon as possible, by 1st May at the latest.

St Matthew's Westnewton * St Mungo's Bromfield * St Bride's, Kirkbride * St Mary Holme Cultram * Christ Church, Sillioth
Holme St Cuthbert * St John the Evangelist, Newton Arlosh

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