

# Notices for the Solway Plain Churches

## 5<sup>th</sup> May 2024 - Easter 6

We come together to rejoice in Christ's love and to ask ourselves how we can show his love to others

### Sunday Worship

Welcome to our Services today

We welcome Louie John Gate being baptised in St Mungo's, 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

God our redeemer,  
you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us  
he may raise us to eternal joy;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### Bible Readings for today

**Acts 10:44-48**

The Holy Spirit is given to new Gentile believers, showing that the message of Jesus is for all

**John 15:9-17**

Jesus loves us, as the Father loves him. If we love him we will obey his commandments, the most important of which is that we should love one another

### This Week

Tues 6.00pm - **Abbeytown Community Choir** - Abbey

Wed 10.00am - **Coffee & Chit Chat** - Holme Cultram

Thursday - **Ascension Day**

10.00am - **Holy Communion** - Christ Church, Silloth

Fri 10.30am - **Coffee Morning** - Kirkbride Institute

Sat 10.00am - **Pensioners' Coffee Morning** - Christ Church

### Thy Kingdom Come

*Thy Kingdom Come* is a worldwide prayer movement that happens each year between Ascension Day and Pentecost Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024.

A Prayer Journal will be given out in our churches for you to take home and share in prayer. We pray for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit and cry out to God for more people to come to know the life-transforming love of God

### Next Sunday's Readings

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26      John 17:6-19

### Next Sunday

9.00am – Westnewton – Holy Communion (MS)

9.30am – Holme St Cuthbert – Family Worship (FMCl)

9.30am – St Mungo's, Bromfield – Holy Communion (GR)

9.30am – St Bride's, Kirkbride – Morning Worship (BR)

10.30am – Holme Cultram – Holy Communion (MS)

10.45am – Newton Arlosh – Morning Worship (BR)

11.00am – Christ Church, Silloth – Holy Communion (GR)

### Annual Meeting

The Solway Plain Parish Annual Meetings will be held on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May in Holme St Cuthbert Church at 11am following a United Service at 10am

The Electoral Roll has been updated and a copy of the names on the Roll is available for inspection in the churches. Please let us know if there are any errors or omissions.

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

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