

# Notices for the Solway Plain Churches

## 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024 – Bible Sunday

We give thanks for the Bible, and for those, who over centuries, have translated and interpreted it. The Holy Spirit speaks through the text enabling us to find new life and fresh inspiration from the living God every time we engage with it

### Sunday Worship

Welcome to our Services today

We welcome Raya being baptised in Silloth 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

Blessed Lord,  
who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning:  
help us so to hear them,  
to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them  
that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word,  
we may embrace and for ever hold fast  
the hope of everlasting life,  
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### Bible Crack

Informal Bible Study with Revd Malcolm Stilwell at Midtown, Westnewton on Monday evening at 7.30pm  
Please come and join us as we study the scriptures together

### This Week

Today 4.00pm - **Soulway** - Aspatria Rugby Club  
Mon 7.30pm - **Bible Crack** - Midtown, Westnewton  
Tue 10.00am - **Abbey Totts** - Abbey  
Tue 6.00pm - **Abbeytown Community Choir** - Abbey  
Wed 10.00am - **Coffee & Chit Chat** - Holme Cultram  
Wed 1.30pm - **Kirkbride Craft Club** - Kirkbride Institute  
Wed 7.30pm - **Bromfield Bingo** - Ye Olde Greyhound Inn  
Thurs 10.00am - **Holy Communion** - Christ Church, Silloth  
Fri 10.30am - **Coffee Morning** - Kirkbride Institute  
Sat 9.00am - **Men's Breakfast** - Christ Church, Silloth  
Sun 3.00pm - **Mission Community Prayer** - Westnewton

### Bible Readings for today

#### 2 Timothy 3:14-5

The scriptures are held in high esteem because they point us to Jesus, teach us about salvation and equip us for sharing the good news

#### John 5:36b-47

Jesus points his opponents to the scriptures, which testify to who he truly is.

### Bromfield Bingo

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm in Ye Olde Greyhound Inn with Pie & Pea Supper. £10 per person (includes one bingo book – more available on the evening) Under 11s £5.  
Please contact Shirley 07592 031263 to book.

### Breakfast

Men's Breakfast in Christ Church, Silloth on Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> November  
Contact Frances 07967376356 to let her know you're coming

### Next Sunday

8.00am – Christ Church, Silloth – Holy Communion (BR)  
9.00am – Westnewton – Family Service (BR)  
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 (BR)  
10.45am – Newton Arlosh – Holy Communion (GR)  
11.00am – Christ Church, Silloth – Family Service (CN)  
4.00pm – Christ Church, Silloth – Evensong (TB)

### Next Sunday's Readings

Revelation 21:1-6a      John 11:32-44

### Safeguarding Audit

The INEQE Safeguarding Group, with a team, will be visiting the Diocese from **6 to 10 January 2025**. The aim is to ensure dioceses - which oversee safeguarding in parish churches - and cathedrals are doing all they can to create environments where everyone feels safe, valued and respected.  
INEQE are now looking to engage with as many people as possible who are involved in the life and work of the diocese and the cathedral through a completely confidential and anonymous online survey which is open until Wednesday 6 November. As many as people as possible are encouraged to complete the survey found online at <https://ineqe.com/churchofengland/carlisle/>

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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