

CTIK Lent Groups - A Passion for Christ Ecumenical Lent groups are Together in Kendal a wonderful way of meeting people from other churches and a bistrict denominations, and discussing things at a deeper level than every day

chitchat. The Lent study guide if wanted can be obtained from Market Books but no book is necessary to come along to the Lent group.

VENUE	St. George's Church		Salvation Army		Stricklandgate	
TIME	7.00pm		2.00pm		11.00am	
	Monday	2nd March	Wednesday	4th March	Thursday	5th March
	Monday	9th March	Wednesday	11th March	Thursday	12th March
	Monday	16th March	Wednesday	18th March	Thursday	19th March
	Monday	23rd March	Wednesday	25th March	Thursday	26th March
	Monday	30th March	Wednesday	1st April	Thursday	2nd April
	Monday	6th April	Wednesday	8th April	Thursday	9th April
LENT						



Sandylands does Alpha!

Please continue to pray for the Alpha course which is running. Pray for the leaders and those attending.



Karen Bell will be printing the notices for week 8th - 15th March Email Karen at skbell@sky.com or phone K720977.

NOTICES: - Email Elizabeth on liz stanbridge@hotmail.co.uk or phone 725156 Notices by Thursday evening please. Notices sent after Thursday evening will NOT be included in the notice sheet.





SANDYLANDS METHODIST CHURCH

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NOTICE SHEET FOR WEEK 23rd FEBRUARY - 1st MARCH

We extend a warm welcome to all, especially visitors.

We invite you to stay **for coffee** after the morning service.

There is a **crèche** for under 3's where your baby or toddler can be looked after while you enjoy worship.

If you would like prayer after the service please talk to someone wearing a Green Lanyard

THIS WEEKS ACTIVITIES					
TODAY	10.30am	Mrs C Wightman - Steward Beth: Welcomers Jeanette & Paul:			
		Coffee Karen & Louise: Counters Elizabeth & Paul: PA Lance:			
	6.30pm	Sunday Bath			
MONDAY	9.30am	Totters			
	1.30pm	CBBs			
	6.15pm	Girls Brigade			
WEDNESDAY	10.00am	Drop In in the Lounge			
	6.00pm	Activ8 7.30pm XLR8			
THURSDAY	10.00am	Over 60's			
	2.00pm	Friendship Group - Tom & Barbara Fryers: 'Working in India'			
FRIDAY	2.00pm	Cornerstone Crafts			
SUNDAY	10.30am	Rev Tricia Rogers - Holy Communion Steward Wendy:			
		Welcomers ?? Coffee Lance & Jenny: Counters ??: PA Ed:			
	3.30pm	Causeway			

Todays Readings: 2 Peter 1:3-11 & 12-21





<u>WORLD DAY OF PRAYER</u> Praying with Zimbabwe **Friday 6th March at 2.00pm** in St Thomas' Church Everyone is Welcome.

Fellowship after the Service with Tea and Biscuits
A service for everyone - "Rise! Take Your Mat and Walk"

Please can people remember to turn the outside lights off after they leave (I have found the light on outside twice - the one nearest the Spar)

Please remember that all recycling needs to be put directly in the bins outside and not left in the blue box in the kitchen at the end of your session for others to deal with.. Thanks Jane



There will be a meeting on **3rd March at 7.30pm** at church to plan events at Sandylands for Christian Aid Week. Please come along if you would like to help in

any way or with any ideas you have, If you cannot attend the meeting but would like to help please let Barbara know.

PASTORAL TRAINING There's been a bit of a gap since session 2 of the Pastoral Training, but the 3rd session is to be on Monday 2nd March, 7 - 8.30pm.

PLEASE NOTE that, because Sandylands Road is currently closed from 6.30pm due to road works, this session will be held at Stricklandgate Methodist Church* (NOT Sandylands). Our minister, Rev.Tricia Rogers, will be leading the training, which is open to Sandylands and Stricklandgate Pastoral Visitors and those who have a pastoral interest in members of our church fellowships and would like to know what the role entails. This final session is due to include - Visiting in a variety of situations - Praying with people - Offering practical help - Your part in the team.

*If the front door of the Stricklandgate church is locked, please use the side entrance. Thank you.



If you have an **ACTION FOR CHILDREN BOX** please bring it to Joan Stewart for emptying and counting. Thank you.

Cumbria District MWiB Spring Meeting Tuesday 24th March - "The World is my Parish"

Our first meeting of the year is to be held at **M.Hub in Milnthorpe**, so not far to travel. Starting at 10.15am with coffee, the meeting will be led by Joan Wager & Rev Jackie Betts, with guest speakers, including Rev Jo Rand from Grange, who will share with us her experience of XR in London.

Lunch is BYO & we conclude at 3pm with refreshments (for lifts/more information, please see Delphine.)



Sandylands Road; Road Closure Monday 17th February for approx 3weeks.

6.30pm—01.00am Full details on this is on the Notice Board. The work will be carried out in 2 stages and the barriers on Sandgate will be temporarily removed to assist with access.



<u>Central Heating Thermostats</u> - these are all now set to come in line with our regular group bookings. Please **DO NOT** open the flaps and press any buttons on any of the thermostats as this can mess with the programming. If you want to turn the heating up in a room then please just use the

up/down arrow. This change will then be cancelled out as the program moves on. Thank you the property committee

"Ooh, La La!" Are you interested in France? Perhaps you have enjoyed holidays there. If you would like information to help you pray for French Christians and Churches, please look for a blue, white and red (!) leaflet on the notice board. This is supplied by France Mission and will tell you how to get those details. Or speak to Jenny Goodman. Merci!



Do you, or anyone you know, have a SEWING MACHINE, hand or electric, they no longer want? TWAM - Tools with a Mission- is a charity which collects and refurbishes tools

for distribution to disadvantaged people throughout the world. We have a contact in Kirkby Lonsdale who will collect from us. See www.twam.uk for more about their work. Wendy

Volunteers desperately needed for Tuesday Lunch club at Stricklandgate

The lunch club provides a hot 3 course meal for people who want to come together for company and a hot meal. Most of the folk live alone and live all across Kendal, so this time together is very important in alleviating loneliness.

The meal is cooked by different teams each week with about 6 people on each team. So you would be asked to volunteer once a month. Please contact Tricia or Jeff for more details

Events at St Georges Church

Community Hub every Tuesday From 11.30am to 1.30pm they have soup, sandwiches and cake, and drinks and biscuits

Sacred Space first Thursday of every month at 7.45pm. (for 45 mins) It's an opportunity to grow closer to God. It includes silence and quiet music

First Saturday Breakfast (on the first Saturday of the month!!) is from 8.30am to 9.30am – continental style - with a Thought for the Day.

Pilgrim Poets: Why not try something new for 2020? A new group is which has started in the M:HUB in Milnthorpe on the second Tuesday of each month.

This will suit all you poetry lovers. Come along and explore the ways in which contemporary poets have written about God and drink coffee at the same time! No experience or expertise necessary. Everyone very welcome. £2.00 donation towards cost of coffee and room hire.

AWAY DAY FOR WOMEN: Thurs 23 April & Sat 25 April 2020 10.30am – 3.00pm

Hawkshead Hill Chapel (LA22 OPW) - BRAVE NEW WORLD

Looking at resurrection in everyday life. Led by Rev Pauline West & Rev Kath Dodd This is a day for input, reflection, prayer, personal space and mutual support.

The day is repeated so you can choose which day is best for you.

Please bring a packed lunch. Soup and drinks provide

There is no fixed charge, but a donation is invited on the day.

Parking available on the cottage drive, and nearby side road.

For more information and to book a place please contact Kath Dodd on 015394 36451 or e-mail kath.dodd@btinternet.com

PARKING - Another reminder for us to be considerate of the residents on Sandgate when we park for church or church activities. For those who are able please use Sandgate School car park on Sunday mornings to leave space for those who need to park nearer the church. When parking through the week please make sure you, or anyone in your group are not obstructing driveways (dropped kerbs).

This sounds like common sense to us but we have had a few complaints recently so we're asking for everyone to help with this issue.

