

The Parish Church of St Martin Bowness-on-Windermere



ST MARTIN'S
You're always welcome

Third Sunday of Epiphany
26th January 2025

A loop system is in operation for hearing aid users with a 'T' switch.
Large print copies of this sheet and the hymn book are available. Please ask if you would like one.

*Living Lord, as we offer to you our common life,
refresh our vision that we may know your will
and seek to follow in all your ways.*

*May we follow daily as your disciples,
care deeply for one another in community,
speak boldly your gospel word of love,
and tread gently as faithful stewards of your goodness.*

*We ask this in the power of your holy name,
Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer of our lives, today and for ever. Amen*

A warm welcome to you all, especially to anyone visiting this morning.

Collect and Post Communion for the Third Sunday of Epiphany.

Collect

Almighty God,
whose Son revealed in signs and miracles
the wonder of your saving presence:
renew your people with your heavenly
grace,
and in all our weakness
sustain us by your mighty power;
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.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty Father,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is
the light of the world:
may your people,
illuminated by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped,
and obeyed
to the ends of the earth;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for
ever.

10.00 a.m.

Morning Praise

Leader: Rosemary Rooke

Greeting

Hymn 359

Jesus shall reign

Prayers of Penitence

Venite

First reading

1 Corinthians 12.12-31a (p.153 NT) read by
Christine Pickering

Reflection

Second reading

Luke 4.14-21 (p.52 NT) read by Jill Butler

Reflection

Creed

Hymn 609

Songs of thankfulness and praise

Lord's Prayer,
Intercessions, & Collect

Diana Dodd

Hymn 32

And can it be



Coffee & refreshments will be served, after the service, at
the back of church.

Today 12.30 p.m. Lunch Bunch lunch

This week

We pray for couples preparing to marry in our churches in the team in the coming year, and for the 'Space to Think' marriage preparation day taking place on Saturday.

God of all hope and peace, we bring to you the needs of our broken and hurting world. Our hearts are breaking with images of lives lost and torn apart by grief in Israel and Palestine and in Ukraine. We pray for an end to violence and warfare so that the challenging work of rebuilding may begin. Help us, O Lord, to affirm our common humanity so that in our differences we may build together for justice and peace. In Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



10.30 a.m. Holy Communion (Ord 1)
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards



10.00 a.m. James leading collective worship at St Martin & St Mary CE Primary School



9.45 a.m. 'Space to Think' marriage preparation day, held at St Mary's

Next Sunday: Candlemas

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion
President/Preacher: The Revd James Richards

Dates for the month can be found in Parish News or on the website on the 'What's on' page.

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Church Log Book - please use the folder, located in the St John's Room, on the Rector's bookshelf, to note down any faults, repairs, or jobs requiring attention (i.e. light bulbs needing to be replaced; leaking pipes etc).

Recycle your used stamps Please leave envelopes with stamps attached, or stamps with a half-inch border of envelope around them, on Sarah's desk in the St John's Room. These will be passed on to St Mary's Hospice in Ulverston. Thank you.