

Hymns and Songs during worship

Before Service	P9 (info only, you don't have to sing)
Preparation	P8 – Come and join the celebration
Entrance	P10 – Ding dong merrily on high ☺
Gospel	P25 – Let all mortal flesh keep silence
Offertory	P55 – While shepherds watched
Communion	P53 – What a gift
	P12a – Emmanuel
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Final	P14 – Good Christian men rejoice

Please Note!



Birthdays:

The Ministry of prayer for healing and wholeness is available in this church. If you are in need of Christ's peace in any way then please ask the minister and a member of our ministry team will pray with you.

House Groups available hopefully in the new year (Spring)

Coming Soon

The return of our annual quiz! – 7pm Friday 28th January – entry free, pie and peas available

Go in peace – pray for peace – wage a little peace and, above all, love one another



**Welcome to
Holy Cross**

**Newsletter for
Week beginning**

Sunday 2nd January 2022

2nd Sunday of Christmas

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.

8.30am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Parish Communion
6.00pm	Private Prayer

Ministries at our worship this morning

Celebrant and preacher – Revd Tracy Ibbotson

Deacon –

Readers – Moyra Swales – Ecclesiasticus 24:1-12
- Ephesians 1:3-14

Intercessions – Tim Johnson

Sidespeople –

Offertory –

Chalice –

Children's Ministry –

Loop System



Parish diary & Bible readings

Monday	1 John 2:29-3:6, John 1:29-34
Tuesday	1 John 3:7-10, John 1:35-42
Wednesday	9.30am – Holy Communion 1 John 3:11-21, John 1:43-end
Epiphany	Isaiah 60:1-6, Matthew 2:1-12
Friday	1 John 3:22-4:6, Matthew 4:12-17, 23-end
Saturday	1 John 4:7-10, Mark 6:34-44
Sunday	8.30am – Holy Communion 10.00am – Holy Communion Isaiah 43:1-7, Acts 8:14-17 Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

- ✚ Advent savings now need to come in – thank you.
- ✚ We need new readers. Training will be given but a degree of reading skill is necessary. Please speak to either Angela or me.
- ✚ Next event will be our annual quiz! Mark it in your diaries – 7pm Friday 28th January

Prayer and care through the week

For those who have requested prayer
Robert; Gracie; Angela; Kevin; Marjorie; Lisa; Bianca and Douglas Wilde

For the recently departed and their families and friends
Anne Rollinson; Michelle Teale; Mabel Cogan; Joyce Wassell and Paula Rhodes
And for those whose anniversary occurs this week:
Phyllis Calvert, Amy Bray and Maurice Bird

<i>Sunday</i>	<u>Lord God; through Your Word you entered that which you created and lived as one of us; you know our joys and sorrows, our triumphs and our many flaws and knowing us you love us and loving us you have saved us. For the residents of: Coniston Gardens, Kendal Garth, Meadow Court and Thirlmere Drive.</u>
<i>Monday</i>	<u>For those living in darkness; literal, spiritual & political</u>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<u>For your Church within this community; that it may be bold in its witness and loving in its actions.</u>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<u>For those with long term illnesses including:</u> Derek Dunning, Lez, John & Glennis Calvert; Kath Jarvis; Margaret Brammer; Doreen & Allan Reece; Margaret Perry, Molly Head; Mary Hill, Margaret Duce, Muriel Wiltshire; Gail; Eileen; Doreen & Tony Bell; Keith Dibble; Ian Holding, Anne Kasday, Julie & Neil West, & Leslie Micklethwaite
<i>Thursday</i>	<u>For our link parish of Kwangwa in Mara</u>
<i>Friday</i>	<u>For children caught in webs of crime and exploitation</u>
<i>Saturday</i>	<u>That Holy Cross has a clear vision of God's will in the parish and the confidence to build for the future.</u>