



**Welcome to
Holy Cross**

**Newsletter for
Week beginning
Sunday 19th October 2025**

Eigheenth Sunday after Trinity

'We must stand up for justice and act against injustice.'

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

Ministries at our worship this morning

Celebrant & Preacher – Revd Rob Harper
Readers – Jean – Deuteronomy 26: 1 - 11
Luke – Philippians 4: 4 - 9

Intercessions – Jean

Loop System

Sidespeople – Val & Sue

Chalice – Jean and Moyra



Parish diary & Bible readings

Monday	Romans 4: 20 – end, Luke 12: 13 - 21 6pm Evening Prayer 7pm Worship group
Tuesday	Romans 5: 12, 15, 17 – end, Luke 12: 35 - 38 1-3 pm Companionship Club
Wednesday	9.45am - Holy Communion Romans 6: 12 – 18, Luke 12: 39 - 48
Thursday	Romans 6: 19 – end, Luke 12: 49 - 53 PCC meeting 7pm in church
Friday	Romans 7: 18 - end, Luke 12: 54 - end
Saturday	Romans 8: 1 – 11, Luke 13: 1 - 9 Big Think Day 10am to 3pm Please bring own lunch
Sunday	8.30am – Holy Communion 10.00am – Holy Communion 6.00pm – Memorial Service Jeremiah 14: 7 – 10, 2Timothy 4: 6 – 8, 16–18, Luke 18: 9-14

Notices



31 October 5pm Pumpkins on Parade

Prayer and care through the week

For those who have requested prayer

Christine, Robert; Reg, Irene, David, Joanne, Gary, Gail, Jill,
Lyndsay, Cyril, Jacqueline, Susie, Carole, Lisa, Alex,
Dave, Janice and Wayne.

For the recently departed and their families and friends

Richard Jex, Doreen Loveday, Joan Edwards and Gillian Smith

And for those whose anniversary occurs this week:

Ken Ibbotson, Marjorie Hardwick, Jim Waddington and Alan Stewart

Sunday Heavenly Father, we thank you for your love for us, in response may be ready to fully live our lives for you.
For the residents of Carlyle Road, Carlyle Crescent,
Ruskin Close and Swale Drive

Monday For those involved in seeking peace where there is none.

Tuesday For all who are in desperate need of food, water shelter and medical aid.

Wednesday For those with long term illnesses including:
Margaret Perry, Molly Head; Norma, Mary Hill, Doreen,
Eileen; Keith Dibble; Glenis; Alan, Ian Holding, Bianca;
Marjorie; Joyce, Michael; Janet; Julie; Gabbi, Anne and
Edward Kasday, Robert, Julie & Neil West, Sue, Bob & Leslie
Micklethwaite.

Thursday For our link parish of Kwangwa in Mara.

Friday For children caught in webs of crime and exploitation.

Saturday **That Holy Cross has a clear vision of God's will in the parish and the confidence to build for the future.**

Hymns and Songs during worship

Before Service	Screen -975– info only, you don't have to sing)
Preparation	591 – Seek ye the Lord, all ye people
Entrance	746 – What a friend we have in Jesus
Gospel	617 – Stand up, stand up for Jesus
Offertory	806 – Beauty for brokenness
Communion	414 – Let us break bread together on our knees
	908 – O Lord hear my prayer
	590 – Seek ye first the Kingdom of God
Final	651 – The Kingdom of God

Please Note!



Birthdays: None this week.

House Groups: If you have further questions or a desire to look more deeply into our faith, ask Rob or Angela for details of our house group and prayer ministries.

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.

**Coming very Soon
Our Big Think Day**

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