

Welcome to the Parishes of St Peter and St Thomas

Services for today, Sunday 23rd February 2025

St Peter's Heversham

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP).

9.30 am Morning Praise.

PCC person on duty: Tony Hesmondhalgh.

Join us for coffee afterwards.

St Thomas' Milnthorpe

11.15 am Parish Communion with quiet activities for children.

Join us for coffee afterwards.

Services for Sunday 2nd March

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Thomas'.

9.30 am Parish Communion at St Peter's.

PCC person on duty: TBA.

Join us for coffee afterwards.

11.15 am Morning Praise with Sunday School at St Thomas'.

Join us for coffee afterwards.

This week in our parishes

Mon 24th 12.00 noon Prayer for appointment of new Bishop of Carlisle, on Zoom. Link from Ellie or Bryan (see notice).

Tue 25th 10.30 am KEMC Partnership meeting at St Thomas'. Open meeting; Jonny Glos on Social Action Audit.

Wed 26th 10.00 am Bible study at St Thomas' ~ Isaiah. All welcome. Also on Zoom. Link: from Ellie or Bryan.

Fri 28th 10–11.30 am Coffee @ St T's.

Sat 1st 7.00 pm Quiz Night at St Thomas'. Teams of up to four people, £10 per team for St Thomas' building fund. Prizes to be won! Bring your own snacks.

Notices

St Peter's Church Works

Work continues on the new entrance and disabled toilets. On Sundays, access is by the side door, which is not suitable for anyone who uses a wheelchair. The church will be closed during the week.

Jane Fell, Churchwarden.

Milnthorpe Area Food Bank

Donations of any non-perishable food and/or basic cleaning goods are very welcome. Thank you for your continuing support. Please note that donations made at Spar go to our local area. <http://milnthorpefoodbank.org/>

St Peter's electoral roll 2025

All electoral rolls have to be fully renewed this year. Names will not be carried over from last year's roll; if you want to be included, you need to fill in Form 1 and return it by Friday 18th April. Forms will be sent out by email and printed copies are available in church. Your title, name, address and email address (if provided) will form the electoral roll. A shortened version, listing only names and no other personal information, will be pinned on the church notice board from Sunday 20th April until the APCM (this is mandatory). The APCM will be held on Sunday 11th May, following the 9.30 am Service. *Ellie Judson, Electoral Roll Officer.*

Call to collective prayer ~ appointment of new Bishop of Carlisle

The Crown Nominations Commission, which includes six Diocesan reps, will be conducting interviews as part of the appointment process for the new Bishop on **Thursday 13th** and **Friday 14th March**. Churches are asked to come together locally in prayer for the discernment process.

- Bishop Rob has asked churches in the diocese to pray about this every Monday at noon. In KEMC we have set up Zoom meetings for people to join on
 - **Mondays 24th February, 3rd and 10th March at 12.00 noon**
The zoom link is available from Ellie or Bryan.
- Three prayer hubs have been set up, which people are encouraged to visit. Our local one is at Kendal Parish Church.
 - **Thursday 13 March, 7.00–7.30 pm**
 - **Friday 14 March, 2.00–2.30 pm.**

Everyone is welcome to come to any or all of these prayer sessions.

Notices for next Sunday to Ellie.

Deadline Tuesday, 6.00 pm.

Dates for your Diary

*St Thomas' Church
Milnthorpe*

PANCAKE CAFÉ

**Tuesday 4th March
3.15 - 4.45pm**

Delicious pancakes served with
all your favourite fillings
Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Juice

Pancake Races
for all ages, including adults
(if you are up to the challenge!)

Bring your own RACING PAN!

Start practising your flipping!
PRIZES for the WINNERS

See you there ...



St Thomas' Church

Lent Soup Lunch

Served on
Fridays
during Lent
12.30-1.30 pm

Fridays, 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th March
Fridays 4th and 11th April

Soup and a roll
Cake or cheese and biscuits
Tea and coffee
£6.00

All proceeds to local Charity



Kende - Bingham - Haverwood - Eversley - Malpas - Stone



KEMC Gathering

**Sunday 9th March 2025
10.30am**

at St Peter's Heversham

*We come together as churches
across the Kent Estuary to unite
in worship, prayer and fellowship.*

Car parking available in the Dallam School car park
(opposite the Boarding House)

St Peter's Church

Lent Lunches



All are welcome

12.30-2.00pm

Wednesday 12th March, Eversley Coach House,
by kind invitation of Jane and Peter Clarke.

Wednesday 26th March, Deepthwaite Farm,
by kind invitation of Jean and John Sowerby.

Wednesday 9th April, 9 Haverwood,
by kind invitation of David and Jane Fell



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