

Welcome to the Parishes of St Peter and St Thomas

Services for today, Sunday 13th September 2026

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Peter's.

10.30 am KEMC Gathering at St James', Arnside.

Stay for refreshments afterwards (see notice).

Services for next Sunday, 20th September 2026

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

9.30 am Parish Communion at St Peter's.

Person on duty: John Chew.

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

6.00 pm Singing Praise and Prayer at the Old School, Heversham
Everyone welcome.

This week in our parishes

Tue 15th 10–11.30 am Village Coffee Time at the Old School, Heversham,
along the path at the side of St Peter's.
Everyone welcome. No charge, just a donation.

3.15–4.15 pm Story Time with Bryan at St Thomas'.

Wed 16th 5.00 pm St Peter's PCC meeting at Celia's home.

Thu 17th 10.00 am Bible Study at St Thomas'.
Also on Zoom; link [from](#) Ellie or Bryan.

1.00–3.00 pm Bereavement Journey at St Thomas'.
Session 4 of 7.

2.00 pm Holy Communion (BCP) at St Thomas', followed by...

2.30 pm Tea, cake and chat. Come to one or come to both.

Fri 18th 10–11.30 am Coffee @ St T's.

10.30 am–12.30 pm
Apple pressing at St Thomas' (see notice).

5.30–7.00 pm Apple pressing at Christ the King (see notice).

12.00 noon Come and Pray at St Thomas'.

Sat 19th 10–11.30 am Apple pressing at St Peter's (see notice).

2.00–4.00 pm Apple pressing at St John's, Levens (see notice).

Notices

KEMC Gathering

Today, Sunday 13th September, 10.30 am at St James, Arnside

A service for all KEMC church members. There aren't any other services in KEMC churches at this time.

Refreshments will be served afterwards. **Parking is available on Arnside School playground** (just beyond the school). Please arrange to car-share as parking is very limited close to the church.

Good news about Revd Hannah's ministry

After discussions over recent weeks, the Bishop of Carlisle has licensed The Reverend Hannah Wallace as Associate Priest to the Benefices of Arnside (with Storth) and Beetham in the Kent Estuary Mission Community to the end of September 2027. During the months ahead, part of Hannah's focus will be to assist and support the ongoing conversations taking place in the Mission Community regarding the endorsed 'direction of travel' as we journey onwards, together, at this time of anticipated transition. Please continue to hold Hannah, alongside Greg, Sam and Bethan, in your prayers as they look to the time ahead.

Apple Pressing ~ outdoor events (dress appropriately!)

- **Friday 18th September, 10.30 am–12.30 pm at St Thomas'**
- **Friday 18th September, 5.30–7.00 pm at Christ the King**
- **Saturday 19th September, 10.00–11.30 am at St Peter's**
- **Saturday 19th September, 2.00–4.00 pm at St John's**

Everyone is welcome at all events ~ with or without fruit. If bringing fruit to press, please also bring plenty of clean bottles. Cordial bottles are excellent ~ save them over the summer. About six buckets of fruit will press about one bucket of juice. Or bring apples/ pears to add to other bags to for a community press. Drink juice within a few days, or keep bottles in the freezer. (We've no pasteurising facilities to enable storing juice in cupboards.) Local pigs in Hincaster and Silverdale enjoy the waste apple mush. Let us know if you know a pig who would enjoy some mush; email parishnews@heversham.org.



Harvest-supper booking

Saturday 3rd October, 6.30 for 7.00 pm at St Thomas'

Pie-and-peas supper, with vegetarian option, and pudding, £15.00 per person. Please book in advance. There's a sheet at the back of St Thomas'; please enter your name and number of places required (St Thomas' is open most days from 10.00 am–3.00 pm). Everyone is welcome from our three churches, and any friends.

Food Bank ~ Harvest collection

The Food Bank Trolley is in St Thomas', and a box in St Peter's, for collection of harvest gifts. We welcome tinned meats, cereal, tinned fruit, pasta and rice, pasta sauces, coffee, washing powder, toilet rolls and toiletries. Thank you for your support.

For more info, visit the Milnthorpe and Area Food Bank website at <http://www.milnthorpefoodbank.org/>.

Dates for your Diary

Harvest Thanksgiving

Saturday 3rd October, 6.30 for 7.00 pm at St Thomas'

Harvest Supper. See notice opposite for booking details.

Sunday 4th October 11.15 am at St Thomas'

Harvest Thanksgiving Service

Saturday 10th October, afternoon at St Peter's

Help decorate the church for Harvest. An event for all the family. More details a bit nearer the time

Sunday 11th October 9.30 am at St Peter's, Heversham.

Harvest Thanksgiving Service.

Notices for next Sunday to Ellie, email amethyst.fizz@icloud.com
Deadline Tuesday, 6.00 pm