

## **Wednesday Holy Communion Service**

Service time - 10.00am

4th March - Brampton

11th March - Lanercost

## **Charity Concert & interview with Pastor Clive McMinn**

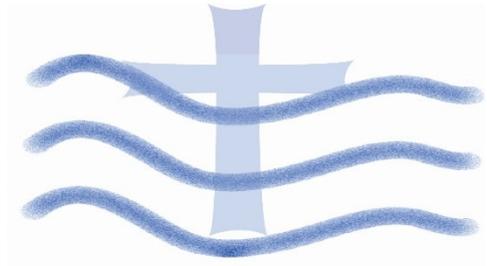
Lanercost Priory

Friday 20th March at 7.30pm

Refreshments available

Admission Free

Retiring Collection in aid of  
Bettaway Community Church, Township of  
Delft, Cape Town



**Three Rivers Benefice**

**Sunday 1st March**

**The Second Sunday of Lent**

## **Service in our churches on**

### **Sunday 8th March**

9.15am Talkin - HC

9.30am Castle Carrock - HC

9.30am St Martin's, Brampton - HC

9.30am Gilsland - MW

10.30am Brampton Methodist

11.00am Hayton - MP

11.00am Irthington - HC

11.00am Scaleby - MP

11.00am Lanercost - HC

## **Readings and Liturgical Colour**

### **Sunday 8th March**

### **The Third Sunday of Lent**

Exodus 17. 1 - 7

Psalm 95

Romans 5. 1 - 11

John 4. 5 - 42

Liturgical Colour - Purple

**Do you have some church news or an event  
to share?**

Please email any items to  
[support@gemmabrownva.com](mailto:support@gemmabrownva.com)

## **Readings**

Genesis 12. 1 - 4a

Psalm 121

Romans 4. 1 - 5, 13 - 17

John 3. 1 - 17

## **Collect**

Almighty God,  
you show to those who are in error the light of  
your truth,  
that they may return to the way of  
righteousness:  
grant to all those who are admitted  
into the fellowship of Christ's religion,  
that they may reject those things  
that are contrary to their profession,  
and follow all such things as are agreeable to  
the same;  
through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

# **NEWS & EVENTS**

Crosby on Eden PCC are delighted to welcome back

**Jason Arnup**

**Country and Rock n Roll singer**

Crosby on Eden Parish Hall, CA6 4QN

Friday 27th March at 7.30pm

Tickets: £12.50 from Lesley Natrass (07919554806)  
Bar and raffle, plus Kirkups Fish & Chip van will be in the  
Hall car park from 6.15pm. Fish, chips,  
battered sausage and burgers will be available to buy.

**Lent Lunches**

**Churches Together in Brampton and local area  
Who is my neighbour?**

Wednesday 25th February, 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th March  
Brampton Methodist Church Hall. 12noon - 1.00pm

Soup / roll and a cuppa followed by a short talk  
An opportunity to invite your neighbour  
No charge, donations for Christian Aid.

**Coffee Morning**

St Mary's Church, Cumwhitton, 10.30am - noon

On the last Thursday of each month we hold a Coffee  
Morning in the village hall in Cumwhitton.  
All are welcome.

**Eden Breakfast Meeting**

Saturday 7th March

Carlisle Golf Club, meeting for an 8.30am start

We will be joined by our guest speaker, Rev Ben Phillips  
Ben is the leader of The Three Rivers  
Mission Community. Following ordination and a  
curacy, in Cockermouth Ben, has served in Stanwix,  
Carlisle followed by a Chaplaincy in Rio de Janeiro, time  
as a Pastor at Trinity Church, Streetsville,  
Canada and, until late summer 2025 as Vicar of Dalston  
with Cumdivock, Ivegill, Raughton Head and Wreay. He  
will tell us some of this story.

The cost of 'a full cooked breakfast, toast and  
coffee' is £13 per person (special dietary needs can be  
accommodated subject to prior arrangement)  
Booking is essential with David Johnson, by the Tuesday  
before the breakfast, 07779738711 or  
d.e.johnson@btinternet.com.

**Good Friday Walk of Witness, April 3rd**

Starts 11am outside the Methodist Church, via the Green  
Door, old Bethesda, St Martins and ends up at the Moot  
Hall for refreshments.

**Save the Date**

Sunday 22nd March at 2pm  
Irish Afternoon with Denis Westmorland at St  
Kentigern's Church, Irthington.

**The Rt Rev Rob Saner-Haigh will be coming to  
Deanery Synod**

St Martin's Church, Brampton

18th March at 7pm

There is an open invitation for everyone in the  
Deanery to attend.

**Lent Soup Lunch**

Saturday 7th March, 12 noon to 2pm

Cumwhitton Village Hall

**Dads, bring your little ones and join in the fun!**

**Play, Coffee & Chat**

Saturday 7th March

10.00am to 11.30am

Brampton Methodist Church Hall

£2 per family, 0-4 year olds

All Dads, Grandads and Carers welcome.

**Coffee Morning**

The Reading Room, Hayton

Thursday 5th March, 10.00am to 12noon

In support of the Hayton Church restoration project.  
All welcome.

**World Day of Prayer is celebrated on March 06, 2026**

This international ecumenical Christian lay led  
initiative is celebrated annually in over 170  
countries on the first Friday in March. This year it is writ-  
ten by Nigeria bringing an invitation to rest drawn from  
Matthew 11:28-30.

There are 2 services in the deanery:

Brampton – held at the Methodist Church at 2pm.

The Talkin to Scotby area – held at Talkin Church at  
7:30pm.

**Walk the Wall**

Good Friday walk of witness from Gilsland to  
Lanercost beside Hadrian's Wall.

Leaving Gilsland School car park at 10.30 and  
arriving in time for the Deanery service at  
Lanercost.

Everyone is welcome. Bring a packed lunch.  
Further information - Alison.marymag@gmail.com

**Good Friday Breakfast**

To set everyone up for the walk, a breakfast of eggs and  
hot cross buns will be served in Gilsland Village Hall from  
9am -10am.

Donations to the Gaza Appeal. Walkers and non walkers  
welcome.

Please contact Alison.marymag@gmail.com to book a  
place or for more information.

**Brampton Community Orchestra Concert**

Tuesday 3rd March at 7.30pm in the Community Centre

Free with donations to a charity to be announced.