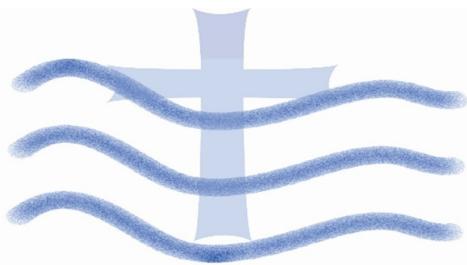


Wednesday Holy Communion Service

Service time - 10.00am

7th January - St Martin's Church, Brampton

14th January - Lanercost



Services in our churches on Sunday 11th January

9.15am Talkin - HC

9.30am Castle Carrock - HC

St Martin's, Brampton - HC

Gilsland - MW

10.30am Brampton Methodist

11.00am Hayton - MP

Irthington - HC

Scaleby - MP

Lanercost - MW

Encompassing all the Churches
in the area of the rivers Gelt,
Irthing and Eden.

Sunday 4th January

The Epiphany

Readings

Isaiah 60. 1 - 6

Psalm 72 or 72. 10 - 15

Ephesians 3. 1 - 12

Matthew 2. 1 - 12

Readings and Liturgical Colour

Sunday 11th January

The Baptism of Christ

The First Sunday of Epiphany

Isaiah 42. 1 - 9

Psalm 29

Acts of the Apostles 10. 34 - 43

Matthew 3. 13 - end

Liturgical Colour - Gold or White

Collect

Creator of the heavens,
who led the Magi by a star
to worship the Christ-child:
guide and sustain us,
that we may find our journey's end
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

NEWS & EVENTS

THANK YOU

A huge thank you for the gifts I was given at my last service with you on the 28th.

The holly trees are currently standing outside the vicarage, and the garden tokens and money were a lovely surprise and will be well used.

It was lovely to see so many of you and also folk from previous parishes.

I will no doubt see you around before I eventually move

May God bless you in all you do.

Tricia

St Martin's Church, Brampton

Quiz Night

Saturday 7th February 2026

7pm Newtown Village Hall

Teams of up to 6

or come alone and we will sort teams out.

£5 / person to include nibbles.

Please bring your own drinks and glasses and anything else you want to eat.

Please let Sally Jones know if you are coming, either as a team or alone

sally@sallad.co.uk or 01697 543054

This Coming Week at St Martin's Brampton

Tuesday

7 pm-8.30 pm – Connect Group meets in the Cottage – an informal weekly meeting where we support one another to grow in faith through worship, Bible study and prayer.

Wednesday

10.00am - A half-hour service of Holy Communion followed by Coffee & Chat and Prayer Group.

Saturday Coffee

10 am-12 noon in St Martin's Cottage

All are welcome to these events

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.

Brampton Methodist Church

This week's events

Monday 9.30 - 11.00am

Toddlers (term time)

Wednesday 10.30 - 11.00am

Prayer Service

Friday 9.30 - 11.30am

Food Larder & Coffee Morning

Mission Community Website

<https://www.borderchurches.org.uk>

Facebook Page & Thought for the Week

[@Three Rivers Mission Community](#)

Instagram Page

[@threeriversmission](#)

Network Youth Church Groups

(Term Time)

Tuesdays - 3.20 - 5.00pm After School Drop-in

Wednesdays - 6.30 - 8.00pm Youth Drop-in

Fridays - 7.30 - 9.00pm Night Light

All at the Green Door Centre, Brampton. For young people of secondary school age.

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

Please email any items to support@gemmabrownva.com by 10am on Tuesdays.