



East Cumbria **Methodist** Circuit



## Weekly Bulletin Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June



Hello. My name is Cassie, and I am a second-year ministerial student at Queens College in Birmingham. I started life as an accountant, moving to area sales, then lay pastor in Wythenshawe Manchester, and now I am training to be a presbyter. I am passionate about working on the margins, seeking the lost and lonely, and spreading God's love and grace to all.

I am here in the East Cumbria Circuit on summer placement for June, and I am eager to learn from you all. But why Cumbria? I asked for a rural placement because that is where I would like to be stationed in 2025. Cumbria is such a beautiful place both visually and with its love for community.

But COVID highlighted my earlier thoughts that people sometimes fail to notice the loneliness, deprivation, and vulnerability that can be found within rural communities. Yet, as we know, these are found in all communities; rural, suburban, and urban and sometimes hidden within the beauty of creation itself. But even though we may not see or hear what goes on around us, God does, and this is what we need to remember and recreate.

So, I want to let you know how I see the unique movement of the Holy Spirit at work. Imagine a giant ball of coloured wool. Pick its colour. Think of your life starting with this giant ball of wool. Everything you do everywhere you go has the wool weaved around and within it.

The wool is the Holy Spirit and is always following you, leaving behind you a coloured trail of woollen string memories. Through every school, every job, every good day and bad, the wool of the Holy Spirit is leaving its mark everywhere you have been. Looking back, you can see where the Holy Spirit has helped you through the good times and the bad, but you can now see where it was when you thought it had abandoned you. Your ball of wool will never run out or dry and will never leave you.

So, I invite you to show everyone your ball of Holy Spirit Wool, share it, spread it around, and show it to the world.

*Ms Cassie Jennings*



**Penrith**

**10.30am** ~ Morning Service – Mr Morgan Tebb-Roger

**Patterdale**

**10:30am** ~ Morning Service – Rev Tim Cooke and Ms Cassie Jennings

**Skelton**

**10.30am** ~ Members Service

**Stainton**

**10.30am** ~ Morning Worship ~ Mr Lawrence Tomlinson

**Cottage Wood Centre**

**5pm** ~ Early Evening Worship ~ Ms Cassie Jennings and Mrs Carolyn Dickinson

**Alston Moor**

**11am** ~ Morning Worship ~ Rev David Milner

**Kirkoswald**

**10am** ~ J Barratt

**Gamblesby**

**10am** ~ Little Acorns

**2pm** ~ Afternoon Communion – Rev David Milner

**Renwick**

**5pm** ~ Early Evening Worship – Rev Tim Cooke

***There are alternative Anglican services available.***

***For details, please see the EEMC website: [www.eastofedenmc.org.uk](http://www.eastofedenmc.org.uk)***

**Change to plan**



Please note that the Circuit service on Tuesday 9th July will now be held in the Sandgate room at PMC, and not at Stainton as on the plan.

# Weekly Notices

## **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June**

**9.30am** ~ Monday Walks – Meet outside PMC

**2pm** ~ All Together Fellowship – Church/PMC

**6.30pm** ~ CAP Money Course – Beacon/PMC

## **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

**10am** ~ 'He Brews' Coffee Club – Gamblesby Methodist Chapel

**10am** ~ Midweek Service – Ven Morris Rodham – Church/PMC

**1.30pm** ~ Prayer Meeting – Church/PMC

**7pm** ~ Omega House Group – Sunningdale, Stainton

**7.30pm** ~ Junior Youth Club – Ullswater/PMC

## **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June**

**10am** ~ 3C's – Cottage Wood Centre

**1.30pm** ~ Wednesday Get Together - Skelton Methodist Church

**7pm** ~ Blencow HG – The Hollies, Blencow (*We meet twice monthly at 7pm on a Wednesday. Contact Steve on 07711 088448 for further details.*)

**7.30pm** ~ Living Room HG, contact Morgan or Sarah for details

## **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

**1pm** ~ Thursday Tots – Ullswater/PMC

**1.30pm** ~ Take Tea Out – Cottage Wood Centre (*Contact Sheila Mallinson to book*)

## **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

**12 noon** ~ Lunch Club – Ullswater/PMC

## **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June**

**Penrith: 10.30am**

Morning Communion ~ Rev David Milner

**Skelton: 10.30am**

Morning Communion ~

Rev Tim Cooke & Ms Cassie Jennings

**Stainton: 10.30am**

Morning Communion ~ Rev Mary Elliot

**Cottage Wood: 5pm**

Early Evening Worship ~ Miss Kathleen Williamson

**Alston Moor: 11am**

Morning Worship ~ Mr David Pepin

**Culgaith: 11am**

Morning Worship ~ Mr Bryan Gray

**Langwathby: 11am**

Morning Worship ~ Peter and Hazel Bowes

**Kirkoswald: 6.30pm**

Third Sunday Service



## June - Bible Month

Bible Month this year is in June and explores the book of Genesis. All the churches - both Methodist and Anglican - in the EE Mission Community are committed to this.

The themes for the four Sundays are as follows:

**June 2:** In the Beginning

**June 9:** The Great Family (Abraham and Sarah)

**June 16:** Jacob wrestling for a blessing.

**June 23:** Joseph the unhappy dreamer.



## Bible Month Open House

There will be a Bible Month Open House at:

Robin Hood View Cottage  
Winskill  
Penrith  
Cumbria  
CA10 1PD

Home of Peter and Hazel Bowes (who'll put the kettle on!)

**Wednesday 5th June**  
**Thursday 13th June**  
**Wednesday 19th June**  
**Thursday 26th June**

All are welcome come to open up conversations about Genesis and its impact.

Thanks and blessings,  
Hazel



### Operation Christmas Child

Thank you to everyone who has left WOOL, hats, empty shoeboxes and other fillers for our packing morning on Saturday 12th October. Please continue to knit (there is wool in the woolbox under the counter in reception) and collect suitable items to pack.

Thank you,  
Judith Joyce



## JBMS

John Bradburne Memorial Society

# JOHN BRADBURNE PILGRIMAGE WALK 2024

Saturday 8th June 2024

This year JBMS will be climbing Cross Fell. This is the highest mountain in England outside the Lake District. John Bradburne climbed and wrote about it many times in his poetry. The summit is just 5 miles from Skirwith where John was born and spent his early years.

We start at Kirkland church, walk to Wythwaite then up Grumply Hill to Wildboar Scar and on to the summit where we stop for lunch and prayers.

11 miles and 2400 feet of ascent which will take approximately 6 hours. You will need to be fairly fit and dressed for a boggy walk with possibly a cold wind, even in June.

Before the walk, there will be a Mass held at St John the Evangelist Church, Skirwith, CA10 1RQ at 10am. All welcome to join the Mass.

There will be refreshments, talks and an exhibition on John Bradburne and the Mutemwa Leprosy Care Centre in the Skirwith Village Hall after the walk.

**To book your place and make your donation please visit:**  
[www.johnbradburne.com](http://www.johnbradburne.com) or call Kate on 07979187498.

# “ Endings and Beginnings: What was, and is, and is to come ”

An online 2 hour session to;  
Equip ourselves to understand endings & beginnings  
Enable others to navigate through endings & beginnings  
Hosted by the Learning Network

Weds 5th June 1.30-3.30pm  
OR Tues 18th June 7-9 pm

Book here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/endings-and-beginnings-3193429>

The **Methodist** Church 



The next meeting of our “ All Together Fellowship ” is on

**MONDAY, JUNE 10<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm in the Church.**

Following a short act of worship, we can sit back, relax, and listen to the Choral Group singing a selection of hymns and other pieces of music. There will be opportunities for all of us to have a good sing as well.

Please note that on **MONDAY, JULY 15<sup>TH</sup>**, our get-together will

Include some humorous entertainment.

This will be followed by a FULL afternoon tea.

John and Margaret

**4FRONT THEATRE PRESENTS**



**The  
Parable KEEPER**

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

**3 p.m.**

**St Michael's Church,**

**Stanwix CA3 9DJ**



Reserve your FREE ticket at [eventbrite.co.uk](https://eventbrite.co.uk) or just come along.

This 1 hour musical extravaganza explores many of the parables of Jesus, bringing them to life like never before through energetic songs, interactive storytelling and lots of laughs.  
Suitable for all ages

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SAVE THE DATE

# **CTIC ANNUAL GATHERING & AGM**



**15th June 2024**  
10:00am - 3:30pm  
Newbiggin Village Hall  
CA11 0HT



Join Churches Together in Cumbria for the 2024 Annual Gathering and AGM on 15th June 2024 at Newbiggin Village Hall from 10am – 3:30pm

The theme of this year's gathering is 'Prayer - Coming Home'



# 'Born in Song'

Come and relive our Methodist inheritance with an afternoon of Musical Nostalgia in the hymns of yesteryear, and a 'good old sing' – with tea and cake to follow!

Date: June 18th

Place: Sands Methodist Church Appleby

Time: 2pm

Contact: Linda Taylor, ([ljtaylor900@gmail.com](mailto:ljtaylor900@gmail.com) or Mob. 07969 555773) if you need more info or have an 'old favourite' you would like included.

*If you lead, or know of, a music group or choir, that might be interested, please invite them to come along.*



Donations for church renovation fund

# CAP Money Coaching Course

Alan Sibley is planning to run another CAP Money coaching course at some stage this year depending on demand.

The CAP Money Coaching Course is a money management course that teaches budgeting skills that can help you to make the most of your money, and to worry less about money. The course has a proven track record; it has been running for over 25 years though the material has recently been updated.

The content is relevant to most people who want to be more in control of their finances. The material is very accessible and easy to follow. The course can either be run over 4 sessions of about 2 hours or a shortened course can be run in a day.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in attending a course, or finding out more about it, then please contact Alan at the following email address –

[capmoney@penrithmethodist.co.uk](mailto:capmoney@penrithmethodist.co.uk)

## CAP Money Course

A free, short course that makes managing your money simple.



budget. save. spend

**HARRY BAKER**  
**WONDERFUL**

**Penrith Playhouse**  
Wednesday 19th June 7:30pm  
[www.penrithplayers.org.uk](http://www.penrithplayers.org.uk)

The poster features a man in a striped shirt holding a red flag that is attached to the word 'WONDERFUL'. The background is a solid blue color.

Many of you will be aware of Harry Baker - Christian/Poet/Rapper/Comedian/Greenbelt Regular/Falafel Fan. Harry visited Penrith in 2022 and is back this month with a new show celebrating the wonder that is being alive.

Featuring brand new poems about death, postcodes and his favourite German wheat beer Schöfferhofer, the maths-loving, TED-talking, German-speaking, battle-rapping, happy-crying, self-bio-writing unashamed human brings his signature playfulness and poignancy that has made him a fan favourite and reached millions of people all over the world.

Tickets are selling fast but there's still time to get yours at [www.penrithplayers.org.uk](http://www.penrithplayers.org.uk)



WALK THE WALK  
PRESENTS...

# CHRISTIAN ADVENTURE RETREATS AT KEPPLEWRAY

Come away from everyday life to enjoy time with God in the glorious surroundings of the Lake District. Activities provide opportunities to hear God's voice as you reflect on your experiences. Accommodation, food and activities all included for only £175!



## **New Life!**

**21st-23rd  
June 2024**

Meet God through a weekend of low level walks and guided reflections. Suitable for all fitness levels.

John 10:10 - I have come that they may have life and have it to the full!



## **Solid Rock**

**21st-23rd  
June 2024**

Meet God through a weekend of themed on rocks! All equipment for climbing and abseiling will be provided.

Psalms 18:31 - Who is the Rock except our God?



## **Living Waters**

**9th-11th  
August 2024**

Meet God over a weekend spent on, in and around the water! Buoyancy aids, helmets and wet suits provided.

John 3:37 - If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink!



## **Changing Seasons**

**27th-29th  
September 2024**

Meet God through a weekend of mountain walking as summer comes to an end. Mountain fitness required.

2 Cor 5:17 - If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old is gone...

For more information  
or for a booking link,  
contact Walk the Walk

07786 037942

walkthewalk\_christianretreats@mail.com



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What is happening at PMC?  
What is worth celebrating?  
What are the challenges?  
Where is God leading us?  
What does the future look like?

SUNDAY 23 JUNE, 10:30 WILL BE THE  
TIME TO EXPLORE THESE QUESTIONS!

JOIN US FOR A DIFFERENT TIME OF WORSHIP,  
INCORPORATING OUR ACM, WHERE WE REVIEW  
WHERE WE ARE AND WHERE WE ARE GOING.

We will share together around tables, with food and coffee,  
and plenty of discussion.

Please do come if you can – we'd love to have you with us!



**YOU** ARE LOVED  
ARE VALUED  
BELONG



**THURSDAY 8 AUGUST**  
**CHURCHES TOGETHER**  
**WILL ONCE MORE BE HOSTING A**  
**A DAY IN**  
**THE LAKES!**

**For Refugee and asylum-seeker families in  
Glenridding**

**We seek to provide a day of fun, entertainment  
and love!**

**But to do this, we need people to help. So if you  
are interested in helping, please contact Rev  
Tim Cooke on: [tim.cooke@methodist.org.uk](mailto:tim.cooke@methodist.org.uk)**



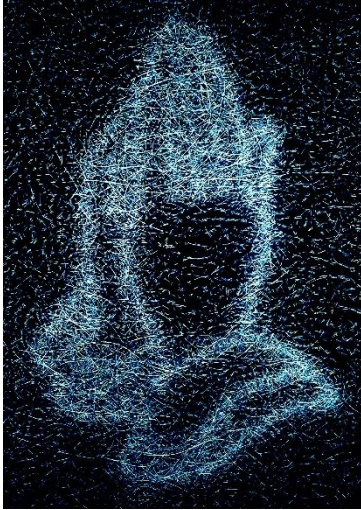
# **Family Open Air Service & BBQ**



**Come and join churches from the Blencathra  
Mission Community for a Family Open Air  
Service, with live music, BBQ, ice cream van  
and fun for the kids.**

**Sunday 11 August 3pm-5pm  
Calthwaite Football Pitch**





## Monday Zoom Prayer

Praying for renewal and revival in our church and town

The Monday Zoom Prayer meetings will resume as normal. All are welcome to join and the details are below.

Meeting ID – 97436321089

### Thought for the week...



## Contact Details:

### Co-Superintendent Ministers

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**Circuit Administrative Assistant: Niamh Ryan**

**Premises Manager: Lindsay Wilson**

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or email: [jendixon@capuk.org](mailto:jendixon@capuk.org)

**Debt Coach:** tbc

**Cottage Wood Centre - Please send a request to join our Facebook group.**

**East of Eden Mission Community Website:** [www.eastofedenmc.org.uk](http://www.eastofedenmc.org.uk)

**PMC Website:** [www.penrithmethodist.co.uk](http://www.penrithmethodist.co.uk)

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