A caring church where all are welcome to know the Peace and Love of God



The Parish of Bardsey with East Keswick

The Parish Church of All Hallows, Bardsey, and
The Church of Saint Mary Magdalene East Keswick

Order of Service for Remembrance Sunday, Holy Communion,
8th November 2026, 8am All Hallows.

The Greeting *(please remain standing)*

Minister: Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you**

Prayer of Preparation

All: **Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Prayer of Penitence

Minister: God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Let us then show our love for him by confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

All: **Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought and word and**

deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. Amen.

Minister: May almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Prayer for Remembrance Sunday

Minister: God our refuge and strength bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain may end that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Bible Readings for Today

A reading from the book of Micah (4:1-5)

In the last days the mountain of the Lord's temple will be established
as the highest of the mountains; it will be exalted above the hills, and
peoples will stream to it.
2 Many nations will come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of
the Lord, to the temple of the God of Jacob. He will teach us his ways, so
that we may walk in his paths." The law will go out from Zion,
the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.
3 He will judge between many peoples and will settle disputes for strong
nations far and wide. They will beat their swords into ploughshares
and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will not take up sword against
nation, nor will they train for war anymore.
4 Everyone will sit under their own vine and under their own fig tree, and no
one will make them afraid, for the Lord Almighty has spoken.
5 All the nations may walk in the name of their gods, but we will walk in the
name of the Lord our God for ever and ever.

This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

A reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans (8:31-39)

31 What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who
can be against us? 32 He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for
us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all
things? 33 Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It
is God who justifies. 34 Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ
Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand
of God and is also interceding for us. 35 Who shall separate us from the love
of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or
danger or sword? 36 As it is written: "For your sake we face death all day
long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered."
37 No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who
loved us. 38 For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor
demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, 39 neither height
nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from
the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

A reading from Paul's first Letter to the Corinthians (15:50-58)

50 I declare to you, brothers and sisters, that flesh and blood cannot inherit
the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the
imperishable. 51 Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will
all be changed— 52 in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.
For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will
be changed. 53 For the perishable must clothe itself with the
imperishable, and the mortal with immortality. 54 When the perishable has
been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the
saying that is written will come true: "Death has been swallowed up in
victory."
55 "Where, O death, is your victory?
Where, O death, is your sting?"
56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be
to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58 Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labour in the Lord is not in vain.

This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God**

Address *(please be seated)*

The Act of Remembrance *(please stand)*

Minister: Let us remember before God, and commend to his sure keeping,
those who have died for their country in war;
those whom we knew, and whose memory we treasure;
those from this community whose names are recalled here;
and all those who have lived and died in the service of the peoples of the world.

In silence we will remember them.

[Here follows the silence, at the end of which the minister says;]

Minister: Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day;
fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Pledge of Commitment

Minister: Let us pledge ourselves anew to the service of God and our fellow people that we may help, encourage, and comfort others, and support those working for the relief of the needy
and for the peace and welfare of the nations.

All: Lord God our Father, we pledge ourselves to serve you and all mankind, in the cause of peace, for the relief of want and suffering, and for the praise of your name. Guide us by your Spirit; give us wisdom, give us courage, give us hope, and keep us faithful now and always. Amen.

Minister: Let us declare our faith in God

All: **We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and earth is named. We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love. We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high. We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Prayers of Intercession

Minister: In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ, let us sit or kneel to pray to the Father.

After: Lord, in your mercy, p*lease respond:* **Hear our prayer.**

After: Merciful Father, p*lease respond:* **Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

The Peace *(please stand)*

Minister: May the God of peace make you perfect and holy,
that you may be kept safe and blameless in spirit, soul, and body, for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All: **And also with you.**

Minister: Let us offer one another a sign of peace

The Eucharistic Prayer (*please sit or kneel)*

Minister: The Lord be with you
All: **And also with you**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.
All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All: **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Minister: It is indeed right, it is our duty and our joy, at all times and in all places to give you thanks and praise, holy Father, heavenly King, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ your Son

our Lord. For he is your living Word; through him you have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in your own image. Through him you have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving him to be born of a woman and to die upon the cross; you raised him from the dead and exalted him to your right hand on high. Through him you have sent upon us your holy and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for your own possession. Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying:

All: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

Minister: Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me. In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith

All: **Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.**

Minister: And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross, his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world; rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming in glory, we celebrate this memorial of our redemption. As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, we bring before you this bread and this cup and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you. Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your kingdom all who share this one bread and one

cup, so that we, in the company of all the saints, may praise and glorify you for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever. **Amen**

Minister: As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

All: **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.**

Minister: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All: **Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread. Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.**

Minister: Draw near with faith. Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you. Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

All: **Most merciful Lord, your love compels us to come in. Our hands were unclean; our hearts were unprepared; we were not fit even to eat the crumbs from under your table. But you, Lord, are the God of our salvation, and share your bread with sinners. So cleanse and feed us with the precious body and blood of your Son, that he may live in us and we in him; and that we, with the whole company of Christ, may sit and eat in your kingdom. Amen.**

You are most welcome to come to the altar rail to take communion.
If you would prefer to receive a blessing, carry this service sheet with you.

The Post-Communion Prayer

Minister: God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

All: Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Minister: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. Amen

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

All: In the name of Christ. Amen

Services in November

Sunday 15th	10.30am HC, SMM
Sunday 22nd	8am HC, AH 10.30am MW, AH
Sunay 29th	Advent Sunday - 10.30am HC, SMM

Café Callister is open again on Tuesday 10th November from 12.45pm-2pm. Do come along for fabulous food and a chat. No charge, but all proceeds to St Aidan's Food Share.