

## Notices

For further details on any of these events or activities,  
please contact the Parish Office on 810616.  
[www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk](http://www.stjamescarlisle.org.uk)

10.30am Holy Communion John Libby  
6.30pm Evening Worship John Libby  
*Prayer Ministry is available after this Service*

### Cummersdale

10.40am Morning Worship Frank Tebbutt

Mon 16 10.00am Parent & Toddler Bible Study  
Tue 17 7.30pm P.C.C  
Wed 18 10.00am Toddlers  
Thur 19 10.30am Sticky Fingers  
Fri 20 7.45pm Badminton

### Services Next Sunday

10.30am Family Worship Wendy Downey  
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### Information:

**Distributors** - Publicity bundles for the festival are available to pick up from the back of church.

**Festival** - There are sign up sheets at the back of church for those able to help at this years event

**Prayer Diary Info & Magazine articles** should be submitted by next weekend.

Joel Edwards will be speaking at our Parish Centre on Tuesday 24 June @ 7.30pm as part of his *Agenda for Change* Tour.

### Advance Notice:

**Ordination** - Our new curate, Eddie Scrase-Field, will be ordained at the Cathedral on Sunday 29th June. If you would like to attend the service please let the parish office know by tomorrow.

There will be a Welcome Lunch in the Parish Centre following the ordination service. All members of the congregation are welcome, please sign up on the sheet at the back of Church.

If you are able to offer accommodation to members of Eddie's family and friends for 28th/29th June then please contact the office as soon as possible.

And, finally, if anyone would like to make some contribution to re-stock the larder at the curatage, please pass your donations to the office.

**Carlisle One World Centre** are holding their AGM on Thursday 19 June, 7.30pm at the Church of Scotland. Chief Constable Craig Mackey will be speaking on 'People Trafficking'.

### Please pray for:

Those who are ill or in hospital at this time, especially Gloria Smith, Fiona Smith, Fiona Hurley, Peggy Fluck, Glenda Davidson, Rebecca Slater, Philip Levin, Dorothy Oliver, and Maureen Richardson.

For those recently bereaved, especially the family and friends of Billy Fulton.

Please feel free to take this service sheet away with you

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# SAINT JAMES' CHURCH

## CARLISLE

Evening Worship  
6.30pm, Sunday, 15th June, 2008

# MICAH

# CHALLENGE

Welcome to our evening service. We continue with our Micah 6v8 challenge tonight, looking at what the Lord requires of us- namely, to love mercy as our God does

*If you are new to St. James'  
please fill in one of the Welcome Cards on the pews*

*If you have a mobile telephone,  
please ensure that it is switched off. Thank you.*

### Welcome and Notices

#### Opening Sentence

'He has showed you, O man what is good and what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God'

*Micah chapter 6 verse 8*

### Songs

#### Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord

We will wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord  
Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord

Our God You reign forever  
Our hope our strong Deliv'rer

*You are the everlasting God*

*The everlasting God*

*You do not faint*

*You won't grow weary*

*You're the defender of the weak*

*You comfort those in need*

*You lift us up on wings like eagles*

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#### Give thanks to the Lord,

Our God and King:

His love endures forever.

For He is good, He is above all things.

His love endures forever.

Sing praise, sing praise.

*Continued...*

With a mighty hand  
And an outstretched arm  
His love endures forever.  
For the life that's been reborn.  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise, sing praise.  
Sing praise, sing praise.

*Forever God is faithful,  
Forever God is strong.  
Forever God is with us,  
Forever.  
(Repeat)  
Forever.*

From the rising to the setting sun,  
His love endures forever.  
By the grace of God, we will carry on.  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise, sing praise.  
Sing praise, sing praise.

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### **Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day:**

Christ on the road to Calvary,  
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten then  
Nailed to a cross of wood.

*This, the power of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us.  
Took the blame, bore the wrath –  
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh to see the pain written on your face,  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin.  
Every bitter thought, every evil deed  
Crowning your bloodstained brow.

*This, the power...*

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its Maker bows his head.  
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life,  
"Finished!" the victory cry.

*This, the power...*

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### **Confession**

As the music gently plays.

We confess to you our selfishness and lack of love:

Fill us with your spirit.

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have Mercy.**

We confess to you our fear and failure in sharing our  
faith: fill us with your spirit.

Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

We confess to you our stubbornness and lack of trust:

fill us with your spirit.

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have Mercy.**

Assurance of Forgiveness:

May the father forgive us by the death of his Son and  
strengthen us to live in the power of the spirit all our  
days. **Amen**

### **Offertory Prayer**

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory,  
the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven  
and on earth is yours.

**All things come from you,  
and of your own do we give you.**

### **Closing Prayer and Blessing**

**Prayer ministry is available in the front left pew  
following the service**

**Please join us for tea and coffee in the welcome  
area after the service**

Oh, to see my name written in the wounds,  
For through your suffering, I am free.  
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,  
Won through your selfless love.

*This, the power of the cross  
Son of God slain for us.  
What a love! What a cost!  
We stand forgiven at the cross*

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### Time of Thanksgiving and Testimony

#### Song

**Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise,**  
The city of our God, the holy place,  
The joy of the whole earth.  
Great is the Lord in whom we have the victory,  
He aids us against the enemy,  
We bow down on our knees.

*And Lord, we want to lift Your name on high,  
And Lord, we want to thank You,  
For the works You've done in our lives;  
And Lord, we trust in Your unfailing love,  
For You alone are God eternal,  
Throughout earth and heaven above.*

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#### Intercessions

##### The Lord's Prayer

**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.**

#### Song

**Hungry, I come to you,**  
For I know you satisfy.  
I am empty, but I know your love does not run dry.  
So I wait for you, so I wait for you.

*I'm falling on my knees, offering all of me.  
Jesus, you're all this heart is living for.*

Broken, I run to you,  
For your arms are open wide;  
I am weary, but I know your touch restores my life.  
So, I wait for you, so I wait for you.

*I'm falling on my knees, offering all of me. . . .*

So I wait for you (x4)

*I'm falling on my knees*

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#### Reading

Matthew Chapter 9 verses 9-13

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After the reading:

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Chose to serve and not be served

Jesus, you have called us  
Freely we've received now freely we will give

*We must go  
Live to feed the hungry stand beside the broken  
We must go  
Stepping forward, keep us from just singing  
Move us into action  
We must go*

To act justly everyday  
Loving mercy in every way  
Walking humbly before you God

You have shown us what you require  
Freely we've received now freely we will give

*We must go...*

Fill us up and send us out  
Fill us up and send us out  
Fill us up and send us out Lord (repeat)

### Talk

Love Mercy

### Song

*(During this song the offering will be taken to the front)*

#### Men of faith, rise up and sing

of the great and glorious King:  
you are strong when you feel weak,  
in your brokenness complete.

*Shout to the north and the south,  
sing to the east and the west:  
'Jesus is Saviour to all, Lord of heaven and earth.'*

Rise up, women of the truth,  
stand and sing to broken hearts:  
who can know the healing power  
of our glorious king of love?

*Shout to the north . . .*

We've been through fire,  
We've been through rain;  
We've been refined  
By the power of His name.  
We've fallen deeper in love with You,  
You've burned the truth on our lips.

Rise up, church with broken wings,  
fill this place with songs, again,  
of our God who reigns on high:  
by His grace, again we'll fly.

*Shout to the north . . .  
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