

## Today's Hymns

555	Praise my soul
153	Now the Green Blade
571	Soldiers of Christ
497	Let all the world

## Pew Notices (The pew sheets are published on our website)

**The Tree of Light** Once again the Tree of Light will be in St Peter's for anyone who wishes to place a Star with Christmas thoughts and loving memories of our friends and relatives. Donations in support of the Children's Hospice will be gratefully received.

**Church cleaning** – Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November Big THANK YOU to all who came along to help.

**Weekend opening and closing the church** – once again volunteers are sought. Please see John or Ben.

**Food Bank Christmas Appeal** Please make any donations by Sunday December 4th. See the poster for further details. Packets of sugar are no longer to be supplied. As usual there will be a box at the back of the Church for any contributions. Thank you.

**Nine Lessons and Carols**: 11<sup>th</sup> December / **Christingle**: 18<sup>th</sup> December

**Carol Singing**: Tues 13th December 6pm: High Newton & Barber Green, finish at the Crown Inn around 8pm. Tues 20th December 6pm: Field Broughton, finish at the Priory Hotel, Cartmel around 8pm.

## Our Next Service

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November  
Advent Sunday - Purple  
Common Worship – Holy Communion

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*After the service, please join us at the back of the church for tea or coffee – and a biscuit or two?*



*Cartmel Peninsular Team Ministry*

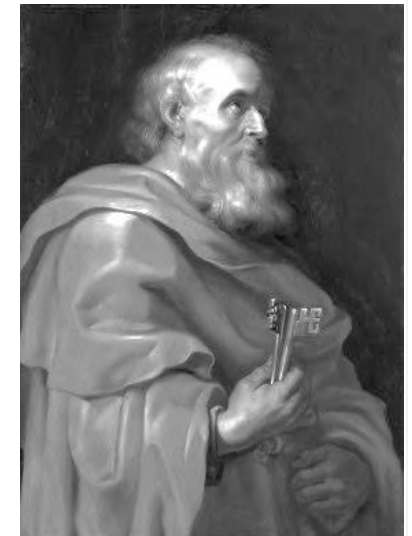
## **St Peter's Field Broughton**

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2016  
1<sup>st</sup> Sunday before Advent  
Christ the King - Red

Matins – Book of Common Prayer  
Reverend Nick Devenish

## Collect

Eternal Father,  
whose Son Jesus Christ ascended  
to the throne of heaven  
that he might rule over all things  
as Lord and King:  
keep the Church  
in the unity of the Spirit  
and in the bond of peace,  
and bring the whole created order  
to worship at his feet;  
who liveth and reigneth with thee,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
*Amen*



*Please take a copy of this pew sheet to read at home,  
or for anyone who might like to receive one*

*If you know anyone who would like to receive home communion,  
please let one of the churchwardens know*

Jeremiah 23. 1-6

“Woe to the shepherds who are destroying and scattering the sheep of my pasture!” declares the Lord. Therefore this is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says to the shepherds who tend my people: “Because you have scattered my flock and driven them away and have not bestowed care on them, I will bestow punishment on you for the evil you have done,” declares the Lord. “I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them and will bring them back to their pasture, where they will be fruitful and increase in number. I will place shepherds over them who will tend them, and they will no longer be afraid or terrified, nor will any be missing,” declares the Lord.

“The days are coming,” declares the Lord,  
“when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch,  
a King who will reign wisely  
and do what is just and right in the land.  
In his days Judah will be saved  
and Israel will live in safety.  
This is the name by which he will be called:  
The Lord Our Righteous Savior.

Luke 23. 33-43

When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals—one on his right, the other on his left. Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.” And they divided up his clothes by casting lots. The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, “He saved others; let him save himself if he is God’s Messiah, the Chosen One.”

The soldiers also came up and mocked him. They offered him wine vinegar and said, “If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.”

There was a written notice above him, which read: This is the King of the Jews. One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: “Aren’t you the Messiah? Save yourself and us!” But the other criminal rebuked him. “Don’t you fear God,” he said, “since you are under the same sentence? We are

punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong.”

Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” Jesus answered him, “Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise.”

Psalms 46

- 1 God is our refuge and strength,  
an ever-present help in trouble.
- 2 **Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way  
and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,**
- 3 though its waters roar and foam  
and the mountains quake with their surging.
- 4 **There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,  
the holy place where the Most High dwells.**
- 5 God is within her, she will not fall;  
God will help her at break of day.
- 6 **Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall;  
he lifts his voice, the earth melts.**
- 7 The Lord Almighty is with us;  
the God of Jacob is our fortress.
- 8 **Come and see what the Lord has done,  
the desolations he has brought on the earth.**
- 9 He makes wars cease  
to the ends of the earth.  
He breaks the bow and shatters the spear;  
he burns the shields with fire.
- 10 **He says, “Be still, and know that I am God;  
I will be exalted among the nations,  
I will be exalted in the earth.”**
- 11 The Lord Almighty is with us;  
the God of Jacob is our fortress.