



# Churches Together in Cumbria

June  
2018

## Messy Cumbria Networking and Training Day

A day for existing and prospective Messy Church Teams



- Networking
- Encouragement
- Training
- Workshops

with keynote speaker Jane Leadbetter  
from National Messy Church BRF

Saturday 14th July 2018  
10am - 4pm

Penrith Methodist Church  
10 Wordsworth Street, Penrith, CA11 7QW

Tickets cost £5 including refreshments and lunch  
To book go to  
[www.trybooking.co.uk/CNP](http://www.trybooking.co.uk/CNP)



### Moving Mountains

To help further the 'Moving Mountains Mission' a series of events has been organised for anyone interested in exploring what God might be calling them to do.

Dates and locations for the **Vocations Roadshows** are as follows:

Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Christchurch Cockermouth, 10.00am-12 noon
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	St Thomas' Kendal, 7.30pm-9.30pm
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	St James Parish Centre Carlisle, 7.30pm-9.30pm
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	Dalton Parish Centre, 7.30pm-9.30pm

Please come along to find out what different sorts of ministry might mean so that you can encourage others.

Please come and explore what God might be calling you to do.

Please bring others with you.

All welcome.

### SAVE THE DATE



Building on the successful day last year and amazing feedback the #FXCumbria day will be back on November 10th 2018. We will confirm details asap just trying to find a bigger venue!!

### Cumbrian Christians for Creation Care (CC4CC) is

an Ecumenical Group reporting to the CTiC Social Responsibility Forum. It aims to inform and encourage our churches about our mission to nurture and protect our world - our "common home" as Pope Francis called it. However, although we are ecumenical in name, at present our membership is mostly Anglican. We welcome new members to our group, particularly from non-Anglican churches. We especially welcome people who can help us improve our outreach via the internet and social media.

If you are interested, please contact:

Ian James (dr.i.n.james@btinternet.com) (Please note the correction to the email address from last month) or Pam Martin (pammartin47@gmail.com).  
Ian James, Chair, CC4CC

The Osiligi Maasai Warriors are a performing group from southern Kenya who have toured the UK over a number of years with great success. They have received invaluable support from Cumbrian schools over the years and, via Churches Together in Cumbria, have also enjoyed successful church performances in Workington and Carlisle. They will return to Cumbria in September and we are looking for a church to host an event **in northern Cumbria** on :  
**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2018.**  
**No financial guarantee is required.** We simply split ticket receipts 70/30 in favour of the artistes with agreed prices (currently in the range of £10 adults, £8 concession and £4 children) and poster publicity and ticket artwork is provided free of charge. The show is great family entertainment.

If your Church is interested in this please contact Jim Wilkie, Tour Organiser on 0775 360 6886 or email [j.wilkie@btinternet.com](mailto:j.wilkie@btinternet.com)

Border Kirk Church of Scotland Carlisle are urgently seeking a regular organist or indeed pianist from late summer 2018. Could anyone interested please contact Rev David Pitkeathly on 01228 593243 .

### Caring for Our Common Home: An action plan for Christians in Cumbria

Prepared by Cumbria Christians 4 Creation Care formally Churches Together in Cumbria's Environment Group

<http://www.churchestogethercumbria.co.uk/home/814-care-for-our-common-home.html>

<http://www.churchestogethercumbria.co.uk/living-lightly>

Blog: <https://caringforourcommonhome.wordpress.com/>

### Cumbria tourists and pilgrims

Cumbria is a unique part of the world, housing two UNESCO World Heritage sites; two National Parks and two Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, it welcomes millions of tourists. Our church buildings provide an amazing glimpse into our history and there is growing interest by visitors for their architecture, art and musical heritage, as well as their spiritual presence.

Do you have a church trail you wish to promote? or if your church is open and you want to be included on the ExploreChurches website please contact The Churches Trust for Cumbria

Jayne Potts (Development Officer)

Churches Trust for Cumbria, Church House, 9 - 24 Friargate, Penrith, Cumbria CA11 7XR

Tel: 07979 606 131

Email: [jayne@ctfc.org.uk](mailto:jayne@ctfc.org.uk)

[www.ctfc.org.uk](http://www.ctfc.org.uk)



## YOU'RE INVITED

You are invited to join us for a FREE

### Christenings Resources Workshop

Hosted by Allison (CCL) and Sarah (Reach)  
Bring and share your best ideas!

**Wednesday 11th July, 12.00noon - 3:30pm.**  
**Ulverston Parish Centre**  
20 Church Walk, Ulverston, LA12 7EN

*For anyone who works with christenings in preparation or follow-up, and those who work with young families in your Mission Community. This workshop will have an ecumenical, Mission Community focus.*

**Bookings and information:**  
[www.cumbriachristianlearning.org.uk/event/christenings-ulverston](http://www.cumbriachristianlearning.org.uk/event/christenings-ulverston)



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**Church House**  
19-24 Friargate  
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**Cumbria CVS** **South Lakeland Volunteering Fair**

**Wednesday 6 June 2018**  
**12noon-1.30pm**  
**Kendal Town Hall, Highgate, Kendal, LA9 4DL**



Come along and talk to local organisations about a range of volunteering opportunities:

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| Kendal Community Emergency Planning Group | Age UK South Lakeland           |
| Leonard Cheshire Disability               | The Stroke Association          |
| Barnardo's                                | The Royal British Legion        |
| National Trust Fell Foot Park             | Nightstop                       |
| South Lakeland Carers                     | Manna House                     |
| Kirkby Lonsdale CIC                       | British Heart Foundation Kendal |
| Guide Dogs                                | Cumbria County Council          |
| Oaklea Trust                              | Cumbria CVS                     |



**Get involved and make a difference**

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**Free self-harm & suicide alertness training for professionals working with children & young people**

Workshop includes case studies, videos and group discussion

Learning outcomes include:

- Examining the local and national context and being aware that self harm and suicide are major public health issues
  - Seeking to dispel some myths about self-harm and suicide and looking at our own and societal attitudes
  - Helping colleagues to identify issues, discuss and help a young person to seek further support
  - Understanding and using the Cumbria Self-Harm Guidance & Pathway and being aware of other support available
  - Understanding the importance of asking directly about thoughts of suicide and the importance of safety planning
- o **Barrow Fire Station:** Friday 29 June 9.30-1pm, Thursday 5 July 9.30-1pm
  - o **Carlisle East Fire Station:** Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 9.30-1pm, Tuesday 26 June 9.30-1pm, Thursday 19 July 9.30-1pm
  - o **Kendal Fire Station:** Monday 21 May 9.30 – 1pm, Tuesday 5 June 9.30-1pm, Wednesday 4 July 9.30-1pm
  - o **Penrith Fire Station:** Monday 4 June 9.30-1pm, Monday 25 June 1.30-5pm, Friday 13 July 1.30-5pm
  - o **Workington Fire Station:** Friday 18 May 9.30-1pm, Friday 1 June 9.30-1pm, Monday 9 July 1.30-5pm

For more details please email: [training@cemind.org](mailto:training@cemind.org) or to book a place go to [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com) and search for 'FREE Self Harm and Suicide Alertness.'

FREE in house sessions can also be offered. Please contact us at: [training@cemind.org](mailto:training@cemind.org) to discuss.

These FREE courses are funded by



**Cumbria CVS** **Eden Volunteering Fair**

**Thursday 7 June 2018**  
**12noon-1.30pm**  
**Masonic Hall, Front Street, Alston, CA9 3JF**



Come along and talk to these local organisations about a range of volunteering opportunities:

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| East Cumbria Family Support Association     | Eden Carers             |
| South Tynedale Railway Preservation Society | Eden Independent Living |
| Age UK Carlisle and Eden                    | Depaul UK               |
| People First                                | Cumbria County Council  |



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**Cumbria CVS** **West Cumbria Volunteering Fair**

**Tuesday 5 June 2018**  
**12noon-1.30pm**  
**Carnegie Theatre, Finkle Street, Workington, CA14 2BD**



Come along and talk to these local organisations about a range of volunteering opportunities:

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| Hospice at Home West Cumbria | Copeland Citizens Advice Bureau   |
| Howgill Family Centre        | People First Independent Advocacy |
| Workington Town Council      | Alzheimer's                       |
| West Cumbria Carers          | Victim Support                    |
| The Royal British Legion     | Age UK West Cumbria               |
| Cumbria County Council       | CADAS                             |



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**“Tea Services”**

As part of CTiC’s dementia-friendly churches project, there are now a number of “tea services” being held across the county. These are short services, followed by refreshments, which have designed with the needs of people affected by dementia uppermost, but which are open to everybody. Come and see!

**Grange over Sands:** Third Monday in the month: Grange URC, Kents Bank Road; 2.30pm

**Kendal:** Third Thursday in the month: Kendal Parish Church, Kirkland; 2.30pm

**Millom:** Third Friday in the month: Lapstone House, Lapstone Road,; 10.30am

**Milnthorpe:** Third Thursday in the month: St Thomas’ Church (2.00pm short Prayer Book service; 2.30pm tea, coffee, cake & chat)

**THE DEMENTIA CAFÉ**

**at The Hub, Penrith Hospital**

Takes place on the last Tuesday of the month,

1.30pm-3.30pm

Everyone welcome

**The South Lakes Dementia Hub**

Kendal Dementia Action Alliance– working together to help improve the lives of people affected by dementia.

Monthly 2pm-4pm at St. Thomas’ Church, Kendal

12th June

Email: [KendalDAA@gmail.com](mailto:KendalDAA@gmail.com)

A chance to chat and have a cup of tea in a relaxed setting.

**Do you want to help your church become dementia-friendly?**

CTiC’s project to make every church in Cumbria dementia-friendly by 2020 is in its third year. We now have 117 local volunteer Dementia Enablers across the county. If you are interested in learning more about the role, and having chance to become an Enabler before our development day for Enablers in June, please contact Lucie Lunn [revlucielunn@btinternet.com](mailto:revlucielunn@btinternet.com).



**Christ Church, Penrith**

*The Penrith Tea Service*

**Every Friday at 2:30 p.m.**

A simple, (but still ‘proper church’) service of about 25 minutes, with familiar hymns, readings and prayers followed by tea and cakes.

The service is **for all**, but is especially suitable for anyone for whom Sunday morning longer church services are not possible, for whatever reason. All are invited to share the friendly welcome and accepting nature of the gathering. The tea and cakes after the service brings us together in kind, gentle fellowship and good conversation.

This ecumenical service is led and supported by people from many of the Penrith church communities.

**Together the Border Kirk and St George’s URC**

are holding a



*Dementia Tea Service*



**At St George’s URC, West Walls, Carlisle, CA3 8UF**



**2.00pm the 3rd Tuesday of the month**

**Next one: 19th June**

**A short informal service, open to everyone, but especially those with memory loss, their family and carers.**

**Stay for refreshments after the service**

**For more information contact Rosalind on 016973 44892**



Caritas Care is an Independent Adoption Agency based in the heart of Carlisle working across Cumbria to find adoptive families for children. Their friendly and knowledgeable team will be available to give anyone considering adopting advice and information on Adoption.

**Forthcoming Events:**

Carlisle City Centre	Friday 1 June	9.30 – 3.30
Country Fest	Saturday 2 June & Sunday 3 June	
Tesco Store, Barrow	Friday 15 June	10 – 4pm
Tesco Store, Annan	Thursday 21 June	10 – 4pm
Dunmail Park, Workington	Friday 22 June	10 – 4pm

Caritas Care is the only adoption agency in Cumbria to have been awarded 'Outstanding in ALL areas' by Ofsted, and this is something they are very proud of. So, you know you are talking to true experts and professionals about adoption! To find out more about their outstanding service, contact 0800 652 6955 or visit their website [www.caritascare-iadopt.org.uk](http://www.caritascare-iadopt.org.uk)



**Reminder**

Please remember to keep looking at the CTiC [events page](#) which is regularly updated with all the events we are notified about. Please send information before mid June for our July newsletter: [ebctic@outlook.com](mailto:ebctic@outlook.com)

**Saturday,  
23rd June 2018**

**10:00 am – 4:00 pm**

 [/UnityFestival](#)



**Kendal Town Centre  
Abbot Hall Park,  
Abbot Hall Social  
Centre**

1 Dowker's Lane; LA9 4DN

# Kendal Unity Festival

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