

Hayley

Praise and thanks

- A date booked for a day of question and answer session as R.E. lessons at **Nelson Thomlinson**.
- Secondary lunch clubs- there are some awesome discussions happening here with young people questioning everything.
 - For the openness that is in the Wigton area for the gospel to be taught in schools.

Puppets

Praise and thanks

- for a year of full bookings for the puppet teams during 2018.
- for the commitment of the willing teams of volunteers.
- for safety in travelling and ability to get to schools in time, even when there have been traffic hold ups.

General

Praise and thanks

- For the many who pray faithfully for the work.
- For progress made with the Data base under new data protection regulations.
- For opportunities to visit supporting churches to encourage prayer and partnership. Some events mainly serve the church we visit, some give a view of the opportunities in local schools.

Pleas please

- First assembly at **Kirkbride**- pray for God's words and guidance for me, and God's peace and love to shine out through it.
- **Morton lunch club**- some young people keep picking up new testaments that have been left on desks and flicking through them. I would love to give everyone who wants one a New Testament in easy to read language. Pray God puts this vision into people's hearts too.
 - Practicalities of Christmas - a busy time for Wigton area with many experiences and lessons booked in. Pray for good health of people, timings, resources being ready and that God goes first.

Pleas please

- Christmas assemblies in December and rehearsals during November
- Ailsa as she writes 2 new assemblies for 2019 ready to rehearse in January
- For Christine as she takes puppets to Uganda in November. She aims to help the church there to use puppets; also, in an outreach to a refugee camp there.

Pleas please

- For help in making good contact with church reps and appointing church reps in churches where we have none.
- For the work the committee is doing to support the different areas as the work is growing.
- For the development of a prayer meeting in the Wigton area
- For new volunteer helpers for the secondary school clubs and leaders so Kingmoor Quest club can continue.

PRAYER DIARY OCTOBER - NOVEMBER 2018

SUNDAY Staff, families and churches

Rachel & Paul Gleave Isaac, Lauren, Reuben	St Peter's
Ruth & Bryn Evans John, Jemima, Mark	King's Penrith
Hayley & Matt Wisbey Georgia Dylan, Brandon, Kaitlyn	Wigton Methodist
Trudi Newgarth	Houghton
Fiona Crouch	Dalston Methodist
4 Nov Scotby Church (Rachel, Puppets)	3.00pm
Hesket Newmarket (Ruth, Hayley)	4.45pm

MONDAY

15 Oct PA St Margaret Mary	9.00am
Harvest Newtown (Hayley)	1.30pm
CW Shankhill (Rachel)	1.00pm
CW Lanercost (Rachel)	2.50pm
29 Oct CW Bolton Low Houses (Hayley)	8.30am
5 Nov CW Bp Hvy Goodwin (Rachel)	9.00am
19 Nov CW Raughton Head (?)	9.00am
CW Shankhill (Rachel)	1.00pm
CW Lanercost (Rachel)	2.50pm

Prayer Meeting 7.30pm
St Peter's, Carlisle CA30BB

Weekly

Staff team meeting	10.00am
SC Trinity (Kristian, Donna, Fiona)	12.00-1.30pm
QC Pennine Way (Diane, Susannah)	3.30-4.30pm
PC Abbeytown Kids Club (Hayley)	3.00-4.00pm

TUESDAY

16 Oct CW Kirkbride (Hayley)	10.00am
CW Crosby (Rachel)	3.00pm
30 Oct CW Hallbankgate (Rachel)	9.00am
CW Thursby (Hayley)	10.30am
6 Nov CW Brampton Primary (Rachel)	9.00am
20 Nov CW Kirkbride (Hayley)	10.00am
CW Crosby (Rachel)	3.00pm

Weekly

SC RR Morton (Hayley, Kristian)	1.30-2.10pm
QC Kingmoor Junior (Bruce, Ruth, Molly)	3.30-4.30pm

WEDNESDAY

17 Oct CW Stoneraise (Trudi)	9.20am
31 Oct CW Kirkbampton (Hayley)	9.00am
CW Scotby open the book (RG)	10.20am
(tbc) CW Wigton Infants (Hayley)	3.00pm
14 Nov CW Stoneraise (?)	9.20pm
CW Cumwhinton (?)	2.45pm

Weekly

SC Caldew (Trudi, Hayley, Fiona)	12.20-1.10pm
SC Lime House (Trudi, Hayley, Fiona)	1.15-2.15pm

THURSDAY

18 Oct PA Brook Street	8.40 for 9.10am
CW Belle Vue (Hayley)	10.00am
1 Nov CW Lees Hill (Rachel)	3.10pm
BELONG youth event (Hayley)	7.00pm
8 Nov Team Wigton (Hayley)	10.00am
CW Longtown (Rachel)	2.30pm

22 Nov CW Belle Vue (Hayley)	10.00am
29 Nov CW Central Academy (Rachel)	12.30am

Weekly

SC William Howard (Rachel)	11.00am & 12.30pm
QC Houghton (Andrew, Miriam, Anne)	3.20pm

FRIDAY

2 Nov Youth leaders' Prayer (Rachel)	11.15am
Weekly	
SC Central Academy (Rachel, Brian)	12.25-1.25pm
SC Nelson Thomlinson (Hayley)	12.30-1.30pm

SATURDAY

8 Nov Houghton Church Wedding of Trudi Newgarth and Alistair Barrie	
Weekly	
Head office: Nick Klein ceo, Pam Jones, Ruth Robinson. Growth of Business Class- funding for head office staff	

KEY	SC Secondary Club
PC	Primary School Club
CW	Collective Worship
PA	Puppet Assembly
QC	Quest Club



Puppets Fun

The NISCU puppet teams go into as many local primary schools in the NISCU North Cumbria area as we can, performing great assemblies.

We always welcome new volunteers. NO prior experience required (although if you've got some, great!).

If you are at all interested please contact Ailsa Taylor

Email: puppetsfun@gmail.com Phone: 07786160163

Or just come along to a rehearsal to see what's involved. We are preparing for our Christmas assemblies every Thursday in November, 9.15 am – 10.45 am at Hebron Evangelical Church Botchergate, Carlisle.

If you want to receive details of the work Ruth is doing in the Eden area then please get in touch with her.

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If you do not receive the monthly prayer updates for the North Area by email and would like to do so, please contact Barbara Gardner to make sure you are added to the data base.

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Prayer pointers

October-November 2018

Northern Inter Schools Christian Union North Cumbria

'For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,' declares the LORD. 'As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways'
Isaiah 55:8,9

Trudi

Praise and thanks

- **High Hesket** have responded and would like assemblies again
- the young people at **Caldew** and **Lime House** are responding really well to Hayley coming in.
- for a joyful year of growth and encouragement working for NISCU.

Rachel

Praise and thanks

- a lovely RE week in **6 Brampton area schools** looking into Music and Worship
- a week of assemblies at **Central Academy** on segregation went really well. Lots of positive feedback and a great opportunity to see everyone in years 7-11
- lots of booking now coming in for Christmas – especially for Christingle activities/services!
- **William Howard** now have 2 breaks which has opened up the door to be able to visit some common rooms and see how the year 7's are settling in on the day we run club.

Ruth

Give thanks or all the work Ruth has done in North Cumbria. From next month she will concentrate on her work in Eden area. Pray for wisdom to know what openings to develop. Pray for a good support network and that many children and staff hear, understand and respond to the Christian message she shares.

Pleas please

- pray the discussion Hayley continues to bring to **Lime House** will continue to challenge the young people in a very real way.
- for Fiona and our hand over. Pray that God leads Fiona where he wants the work to go.

Pleas please

- Wisdom on how best to support our schools and what to offer, especially **James Rennie School**
- For the team as Trudi leaves and Fiona joins us and the Fiona feels settled quickly.
- For more opportunities to grow the secondary work.
- That the **Understanding Christianity** training at **North Lakes** school is well received.