

Parishes of Kirkby Ireleth and Broughton & Duddon

THE SUNDAY SUPPLEMENT

6TH JULY – SEA SUNDAY

Service of the Word

Hymns

153 Eternal Father strong to save
964 Gloria
736 When I needed a neighbour
338 James, Andrew, Peter and John
733 Will your anchor hold?

Collect

Almighty God, we remember those whose lives are lived on your great oceans. For those who go down to the sea in ships, we give thanks; they enrich our lives at great personal cost. May they daily feel the strength of your protection, the warmth of your presence and the love of your relationship as they seek the hope of safe passage. We pray for seafarers who are stranded at sea and forced to survive using only the resources available around them.

Amen.

Old Testament reading - Sue

Psalm 107 23 - 31

²³ Some went down to the sea in ships,
doing business on the mighty waters;
²⁴ they saw the deeds of the Lord,
his wondrous works in the deep.
²⁵ For he commanded and raised the stormy
wind,
which lifted up the waves of the sea.
²⁶ They mounted up to heaven, they went
down to the depths;
their courage melted away in their calamity;
²⁷ they reeled and staggered like drunkards,
and were at their wits' end.
²⁸ Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,
and he brought them out from their
distress;
²⁹ he made the storm be still,
and the waves of the sea were hushed.
³⁰ Then they were glad because they had
quiet,

and he brought them to their desired
haven.

³¹ Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast
love,

for his wonderful works to humankind.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God



Christ on the Sea of Galilee

1841

Eugène Delacroix, 1798-1863

Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art

Kansas City

Luke 8. 22 - 25

One day he got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side of the lake.' So, they put out, and while they were sailing, he fell asleep. A gale swept down on the lake, and the boat was filling with water, and they were in danger. They went to him and woke him up, shouting, 'Master, Master, we are perishing!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and the raging waves; they ceased, and there was a calm. He said to them, 'Where is your faith?' They were afraid and amazed, and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that he commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him?'



Christ asleep in the tempest
21st century
Kathleen Peterson
Spring City, Utah

The Gospel reading - Stuart

Luke 10. 25 - 37

*Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,
 according to Luke*

Glory to you, O Lord.

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two

denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.' 'This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.



Good Samaritan

George Frederick Watts, 1817-1904

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 Christian Tradition***

