

# The story of The Platinum Jubilee Path



# The journey of the Platinum Jubilee Path

**Early Steps**

**Permissions given**

**The work begins**

**Completed**

**The engraved message**

**Platinum Light song**



**A moment in time**

**Two words for Time in Greek**

**Chronos and Kairos**

**Passage of time**

**and the opportune time**

**A moment in time**

# **Time: Chronos and Kairos**



**Living history and Life enriching**

A moment in time

# 'Life in all its fullness'



eden  
churches

Eden  
Wild  
Goose

The logo for Eden Wild Goose, featuring a red square background with a white Celtic knot pattern. The text 'Eden Wild Goose' is written in white, stacked vertically in the center of the square.

# Early steps



# Foundations

**Design**

**Funds**

**Permissions**

**The team**



**Foundations**

**Design**

**Funds**

**Permissions**

**The team**

**A Brief, then...**

**-Paul Grout Architect**

**-Pip Hall Sculptor**

**-Jon Thompson Builder**

**-Lily Hopkins DAC**

**-Parochial Church Council**

**-Local Council**



**Foundations**

**Design**

**Funds**



**Individual supporters**

**Helen Squires  
CWMET**

*Thank you*

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**Design**

**Funds**

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**Diocesan Advisory  
Committee DAC**

**Carlisle City Council**

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**Paul Grout**

**Pip Hall**

**Jon Thompson**

**Graeme Skinner**

# Permissions given



# Words for the journey

1	<small>star</small> 	
2	1stC Jesus: God saves	
3	7thC Cuthbert Caring	
4	8thC Constantine Praying	
5	9thC Monks Worshipping	
6	12thC Priory : Seeking God	
7	13thC Font: Choosing God	
8	16thC Church: Meeting God	
9	2022 Platinum Jubilee God save the Queen	
10	<small>star</small> 	

# Pip Hall's template

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45  
12 H C  
105

52  
P R I O R Y :  
115  
36  
60

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S E E K I N G  
105

G O D  
45

12<sup>th</sup> July 2022



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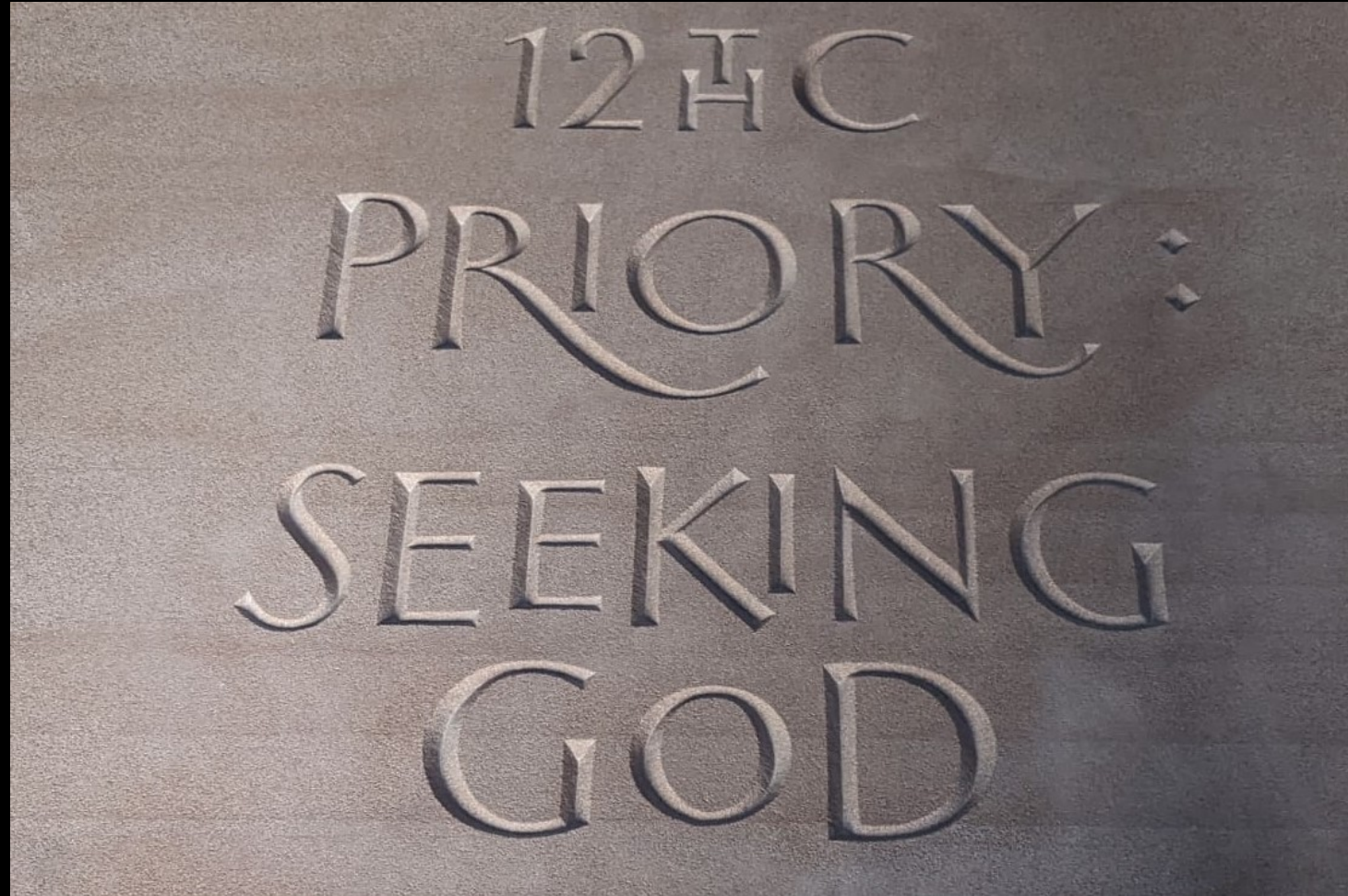




# The work begins



# A word from Pip Hall



# Wayne Hart - starting the work – On Pip Hall's drawings



# Wayne Hart



Ready for transport



12HC

PRIORY:

SEEKING

GOD

17<sup>th</sup> November 2022



24<sup>th</sup> November 2022



# Completed





2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022



2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022



12<sup>th</sup> C

PRIORY:

SEEKING

GOD

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# The engraved message



**A shape to the words**

# Hebrew teaching patterns In the Old and New Testament



**Statement**

**Start**

**Text**

**More**

**More**

**Statement**

**Start**

**Text**

**More**

**More**

**More**

**More**

**Text**

**Start**

**Statement**

**Statement**

**Start**

**Text**

**More**

**More**

**More**

**More**

**Text**

**Start**

**Statement**





**Wetheral Star**



**Top and tail symbol**

**Wetheral Star**

**Wetheral Star**

**God**

**God**

**God**

**Wetheral Star**



Wetheral Star



1<sup>st</sup> C

7<sup>th</sup> C

8<sup>th</sup> C

9<sup>th</sup> C

12<sup>th</sup> C

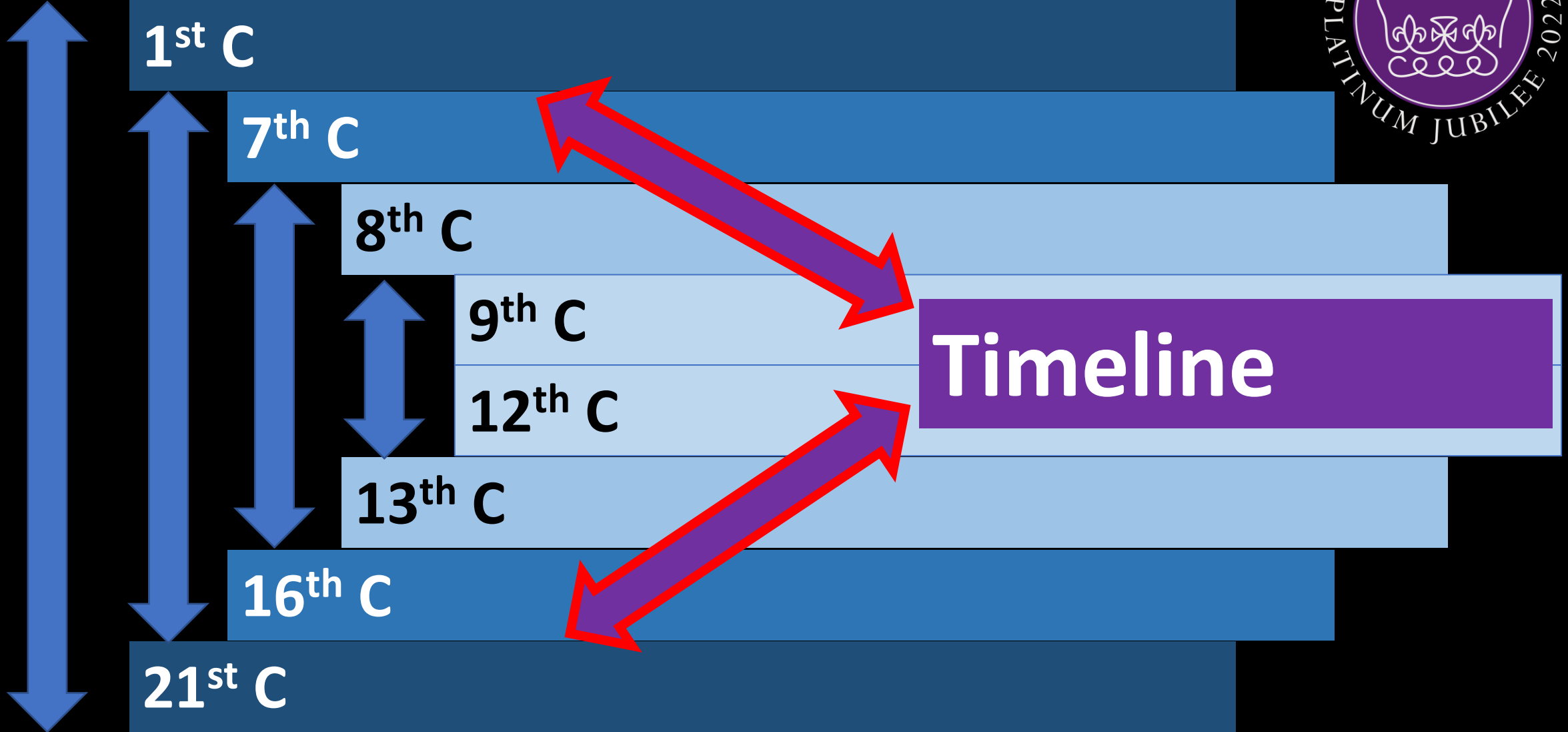
13<sup>th</sup> C

16<sup>th</sup> C

21<sup>st</sup> C

Timeline

Wetheral Star



Wetheral Star

God

Cuthbert

Constantine

Monks

Priory

Font

Church

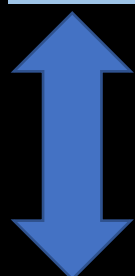
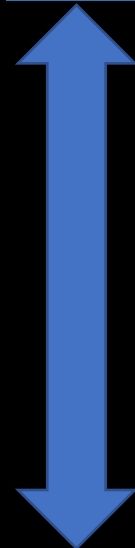
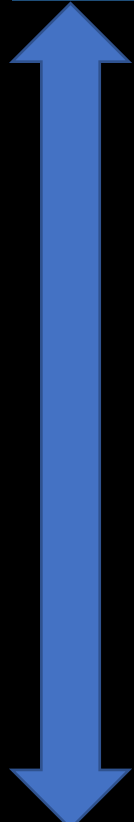
God

Wetheral Star



People

Place



**Wetheral Star**

**God saves**

**CARING**

**PRAYING**

**WORSHIPPING**

**SEEKING GOD**

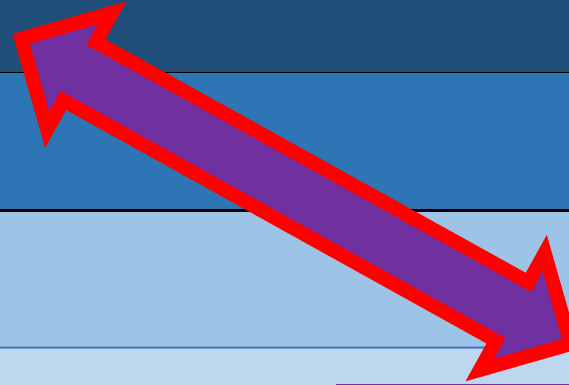
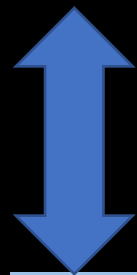
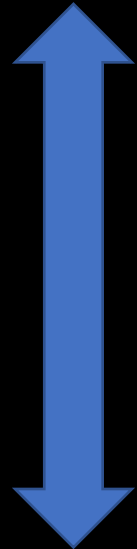
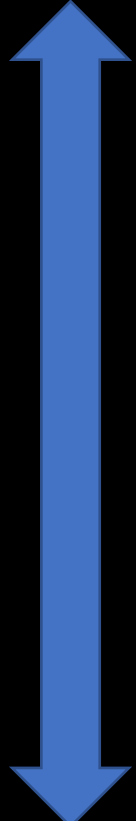
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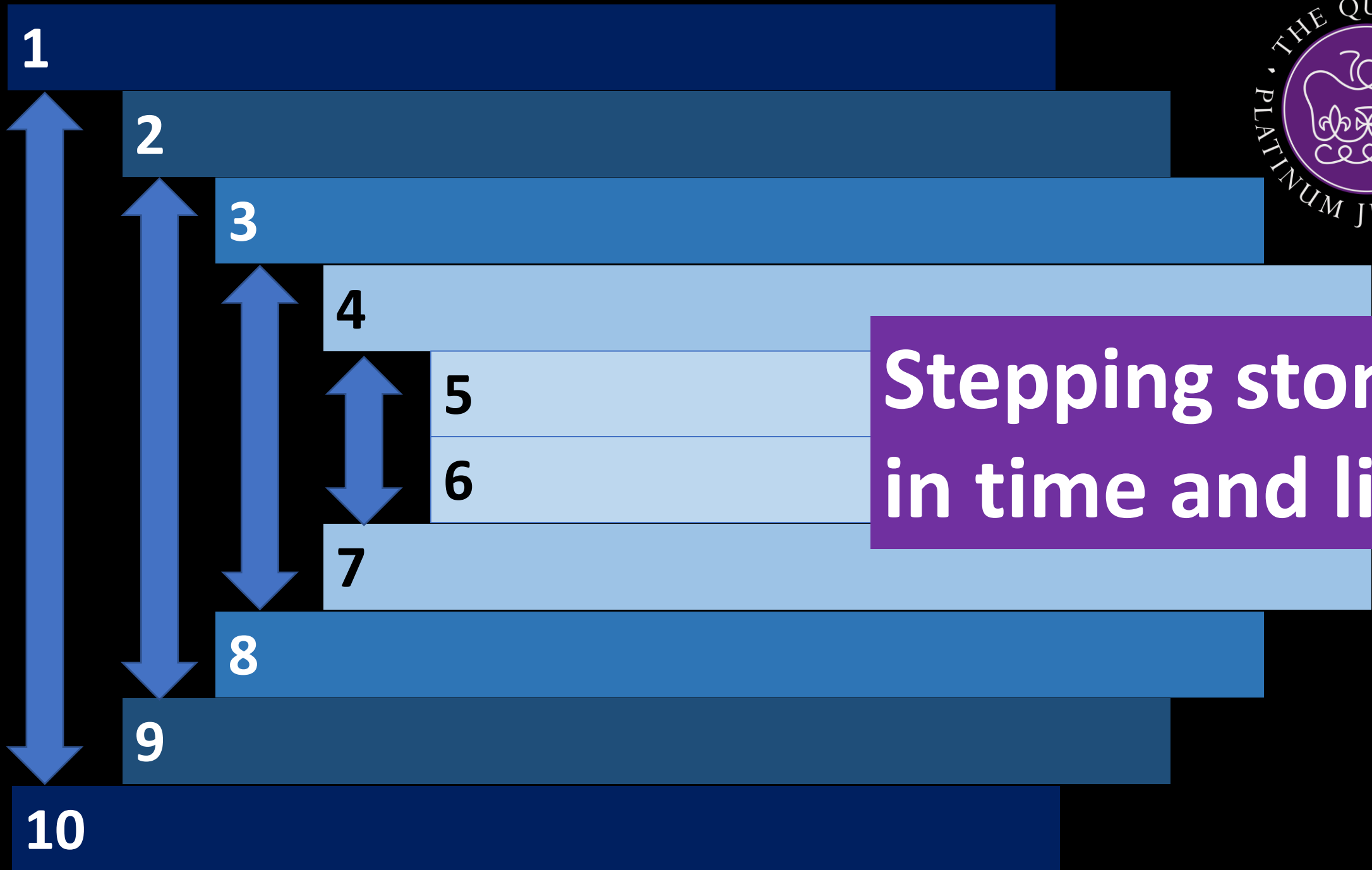
**MEETING GOD**

**God save the Queen**

**Wetheral Star**

**Action**





**Stepping stones  
in time and life**

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Welcome to  
**Wetheral**  
**Parish Church**

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See the notice board inside the lych-gate



# A word from Susan Holmes



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## Stepping stones

**Wetheral Star**  
Linking  
Wetheral  
and Warwick  
on Eden  
Churches.  
Two ancient  
church sites.



**Norman apse**

12<sup>th</sup> C and 19<sup>th</sup> C



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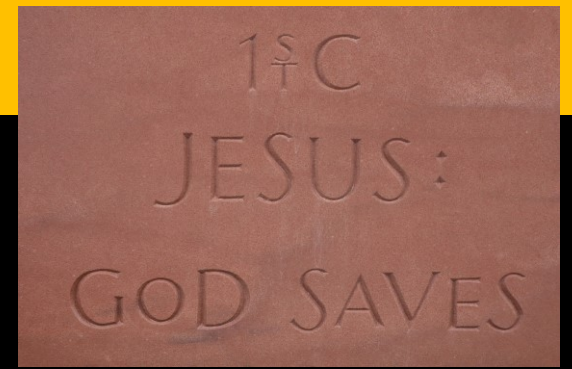
18C

JESUS:

GOD SAVES

# 2

## Stepping stones



**1<sup>st</sup>C Jesus: God saves**

**lēsous** the Ancient Greek form  
of the Hebrew and Aramaic **Yeshua**

**'You will call his name Jesus because he will  
save his people.'** Message to Jesus' father

# Stepping stones

**'History'**

**Many shades of reliability**

**Impossibility**

**Improbability**

**Possibility**

**Probability**

**Certainty**

3

74C

CUTHBERT

CARING

# 3

## Stepping stones

### 7<sup>th</sup>C Cuthbert Caring

From Lindisfarne in 687AD

He came to Carlisle (**Certainty**)

to care for the people

and visit a local monastery (**Certainty**)

...In Wetheral (**Possibly**)



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8HC

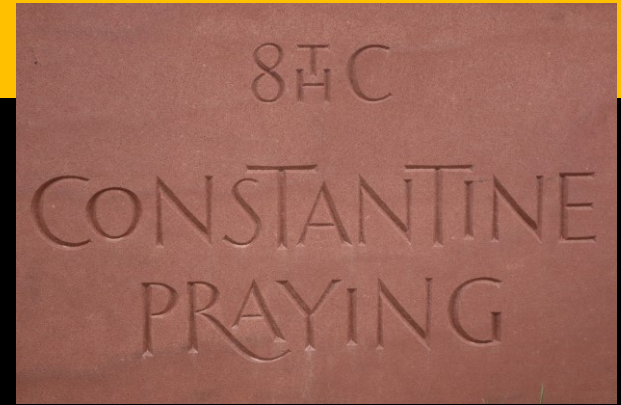
CONSTANTINE

PRAYING



# 4

## Stepping stones



### 8<sup>th</sup>C Constantine Praying

St Constantine's Cells – a place to pray?

Who was Constantine? 7<sup>th</sup> C?

Strathclyde King and missionary

Did he come here? (Possibly)

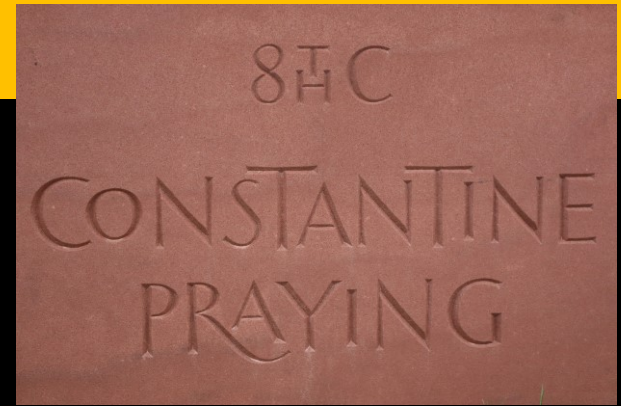
A Christian presence by 8<sup>th</sup> C (Probably)

Following Constantine and Cuthbert

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## Stepping stones

### 8<sup>th</sup>C Constantine Praying

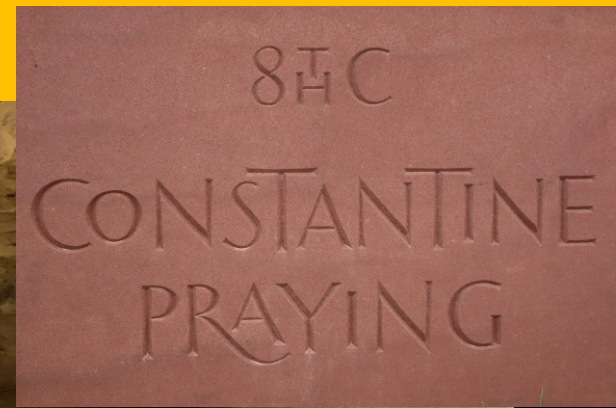


The name of this church:  
Holy Trinity  
and **St Constantine** Wetheral  
with Warwick on Eden

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# Stepping stones

## 8<sup>th</sup>C Constantine Praying

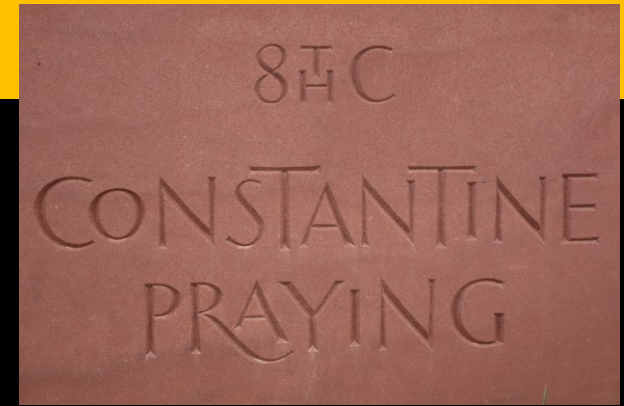


# 4

## Stepping stones

### 8<sup>th</sup>C Constantine Praying

It may not be THE place  
where A Constantine prayed  
but it is a place  
where we are prompted to pray.



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9HC

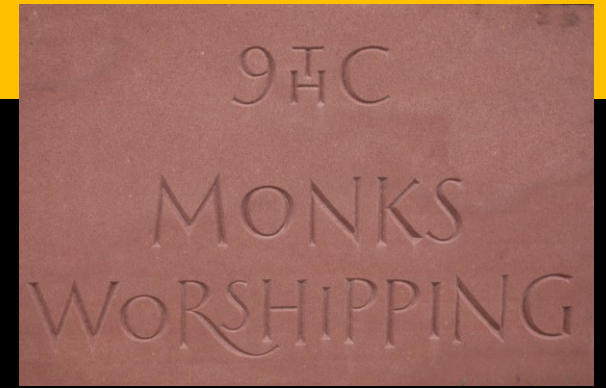
MONKS

WORSHIPPING

# 5

## Stepping stones

### 9<sup>th</sup>C Monks Worshipping (Uncertain but possible)



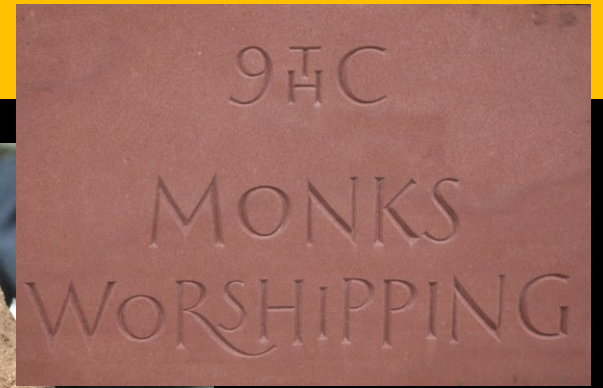
- Maybe visited by Cuthbert before who come to a local monastery
- And the founding of Priory after

Someone was here worshipping

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# Stepping stones

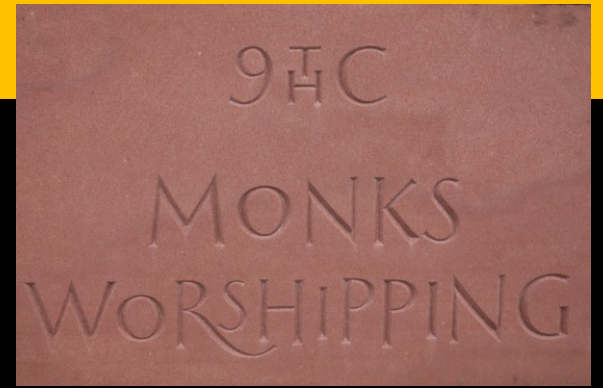
8/9th C



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Stepping stone

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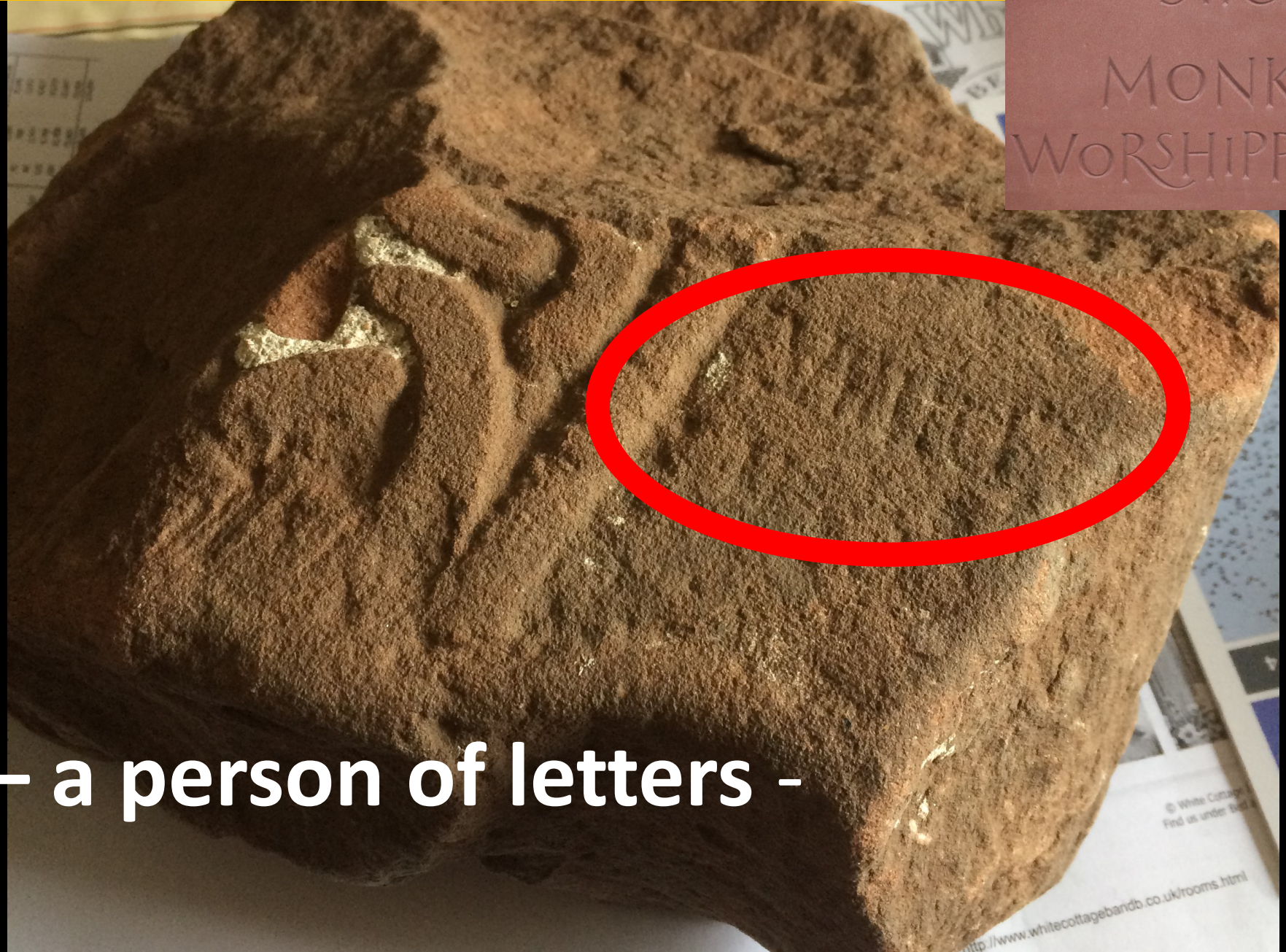




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# Stepping stones

8/9<sup>th</sup> C



Writing – a person of letters –

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Fied us under Bed  
<http://www.whitecottagebandb.co.uk/rooms.html>

# 5

## Stepping stones

**Viking King of York**

**Halfdan 875AD**

**Destruction**

*997 Cuthbert's coffin arrives in Durham –  
previously avoiding the Vikings*

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12HC

PRIORY:

SEEKING  
GOD

# 6

## Stepping stones

### 12<sup>th</sup>C Priory: Seeking God

Benedictine

Founded 1106AD (certainty)

Probably by 12 monks

From St Mary's Abbey in York

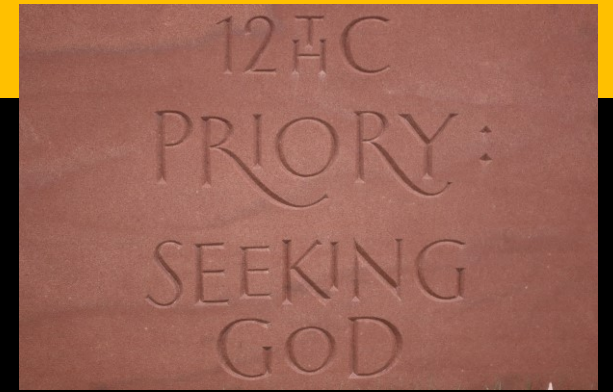
Gatehouse 15<sup>th</sup>C

12<sup>th</sup>C  
PRIORY:  
SEEKING  
GOD



# 6

## Stepping stones



### 12<sup>th</sup>C Priory: Seeking God

6<sup>th</sup> C St Benedict Montecasino (Black habits)

8<sup>th</sup> C from Gaul to England

From Cotswolds to Whitby

to York to Wetheral (probably)

Setting up new monasteries (certainty)

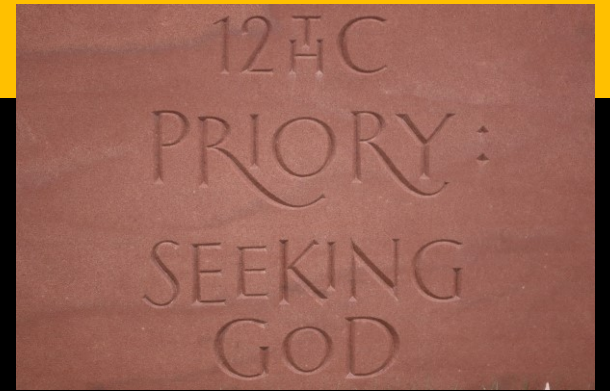
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## Stepping stones

### 12<sup>th</sup>C Priory: Seeking God

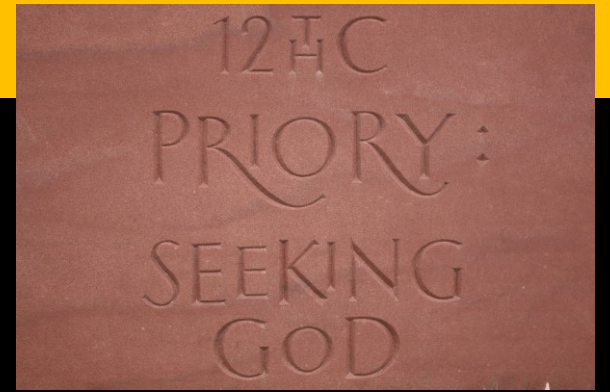
Scriptorium, Worship, Work – ‘Seeking God’

Names of Priors on our door lintels



# 6

## Stepping stones



### 12<sup>th</sup>C Priory: Seeking God

After 1555 'The priory buildings soon went to decay and were never repaired.

Thomas Denton, writing in 1687, stated that only the gatehouse remained entire and in good repair in his time. Its survival may probably be accounted for by the fact that it then 'served the minister for a vicaragehouse.'

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13HC

FONT:

CHOOSING

GOD



# 7

## Stepping stones

### 13<sup>th</sup>C Font: Choosing God

Baptism is about  
a declaration of faith.

Octagonal

Resurrection and new life

Almost certainly installed  
by the Priory Monks



8

16TH  
CHURCH:  
MEETING  
GOD

# 8

## Stepping stones



### 16<sup>th</sup>C Church: Meeting God

We meet God anywhere and everywhere,  
But we meet God together as we gather here.

13<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>C... but mostly 16<sup>th</sup> C

Square tower replaced

by Octagonal Tower 18<sup>th</sup> C

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2022  
PLATINUM JUBILEE  
GOD SAVE  
THE QUEEN

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## Stepping stones

**2022 Platinum Jubilee**

**God save the Queen**

**The Queen's Green Canopy**

**Wildlife friendly area**



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## Stepping stones



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**'Platinum Light' Song by Jerry King**



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Interpretation board



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**...and this Platinum Jubilee Path**

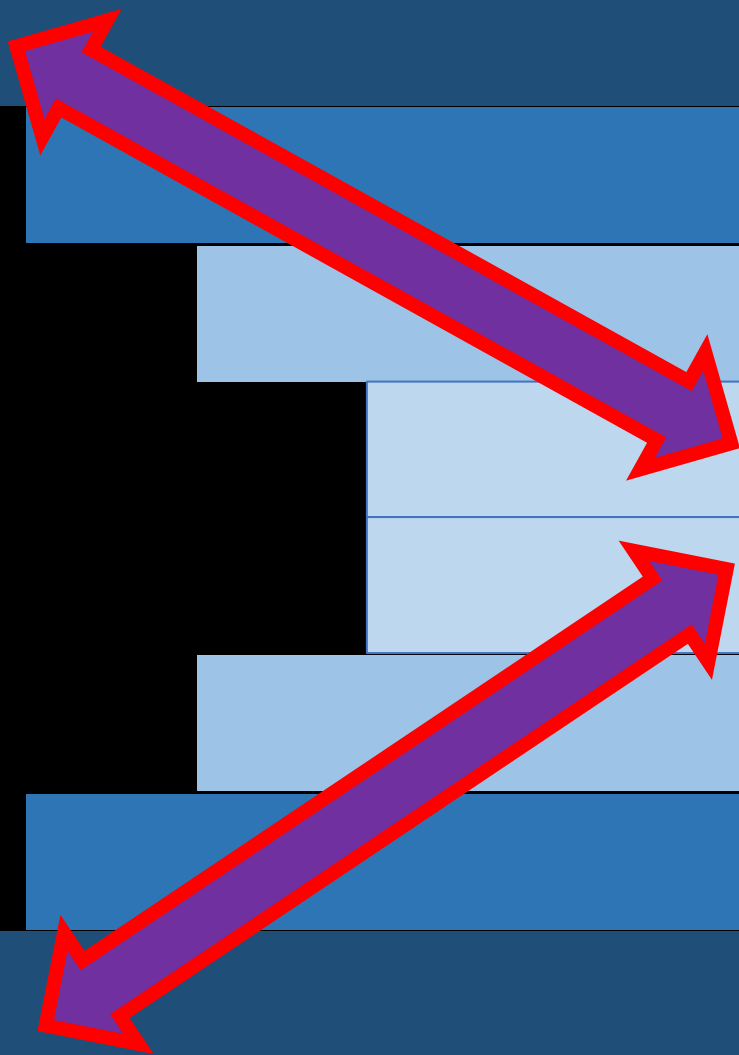




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From the place where God said 'Love'



To the place where God said 'Love'

# The disciple's life

CARING

PRAYING

WORSHIPPING

Following God





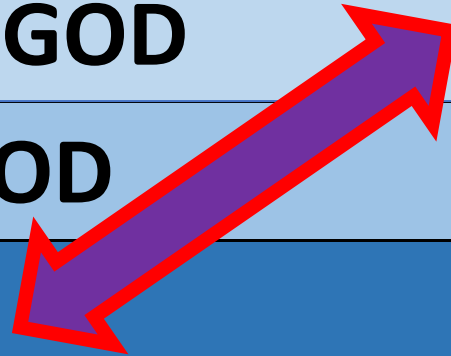
**Finding God**

**SEEKING GOD**

**CHOOSING GOD**

**MEETING GOD**

**Becoming a disciple**



## The welcome path

**The invitation is  
to walk the path,  
finding and following Jesus  
who loves us.**

**This is a welcoming  
and accessible path.**

**A moment in time**

**Chronos and Kairos**

**Passage of time**

**and the opportune time**

**Walk the timeline**

**and this about your 'now'.**

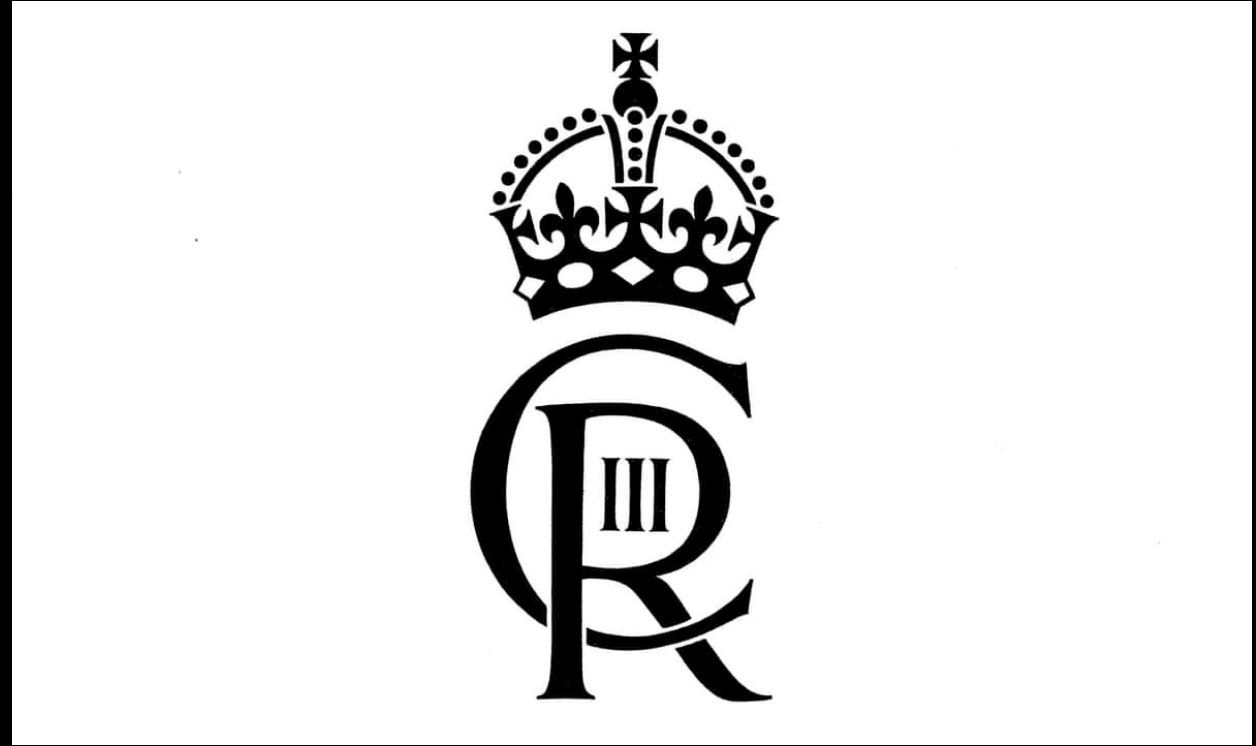
## Thoughts from our late Queen

**‘It is through this lens of history  
that we should view  
the conflicts of today,  
and so give us hope for tomorrow.’**



# Interest from a King

## King Charles III letter



**‘... interested  
... and glad to know of ths special project.’**



# The late Queen and her time



‘Each day is a new beginning,  
I know that the only way to live my life  
is to **try to do what is right,**  
**to take the long view,**  
**to give of my best**  
in all that the day brings,  
and to **put my trust in God.**’



# Platinum Light

A song by Jerry King  
Written for the  
Eden Wild Goose  
Community Choir



**1. You promised at your coronation,  
For Commonwealth and Nation,  
To serve without discrimination.  
God save the Queen!**

**2. To lead a people you did swear  
With word of truth, measured and fair,  
And God's right hand through constant prayer.  
Long live the Queen!**



**3. With selflessness gave of your life**

**Through triumphs and through pain and strife**

**As daughter, sister, mother and wife.**

**Long may you reign!**

**4. Resistant to corrosive spite**

**Your shield of platinum pure light,**

**Cast in your majesty and might.**

**God save us all!**

***5. With sceptre, orb and book***

***These solemn vows you took***

***And trusting in God's call***

***You prayed for strength to govern one and all.***

**6. As three score years and ten have passed,**

**Your heart and mind remain steadfast,**

**Though empires fall you constant last.**

**God save the Queen!**

**God save the Queen! © Jerry King**

# The story of The Platinum Jubilee Path

