

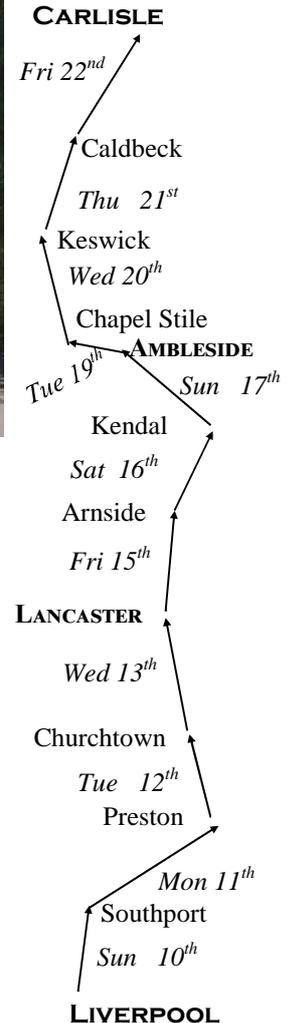
# Peace - the Way of St Francis

2014

## Liverpool to Carlisle Pilgrimage



Each summer the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton organises an ecumenical walk to a place, shrine or area exploring a particular theme or aspect of our faith and Christian heritage. What we rediscover, year after year, is the amazing personal and community value of going on a pilgrimage as our medieval forebears did, where the journey, walking, laughing, sharing, praying, singing, etc. is as important as the destination. We stop at a pub for lunch and sleep on the floors of church, school or community halls. We try to walk on footpaths not roads.



### COME AND JOIN US!

Our 2014 Pilgrimage takes us from Liverpool to Carlisle through the Lake District. Our theme reflects the centenary of the outbreak of the first world war, and the new Pope's choice of Francis for his name; what can St Francis of Assisi teach us about Peace? Each day we worship together as a Christian community, journeying together and growing together in Christ-centred friendships. We stop to pray in the churches we

pass, many of which are of architectural and historical interest, and all of which bring us into contact with the communities we are passing through.

**TRANSPORT:** Our luggage is carried by van. Pilgrims make their own way to the start in Liverpool and home from Carlisle.

**REQUIREMENTS:** All you have to be is over 16 (or accompanied by an adult) and be fit enough to walk an average of about 16 miles per day at a moderate pace — and a sense of humour is useful.

## ONLY £180 FOR 2 WEEKS

**COST:** The cost is only £180 for the whole way (£140 for under 21's), 7+ nights at £16 per night, 1 to 6 nights at £17 per night. (An extra charge of £13 is payable for the night at Keswick for those paying per night). Breakfast, sandwiches for lunch and an evening meal are all included in the cost of the pilgrimage, which is organised by past pilgrims on a voluntary basis.

**STILL NOT SURE?** Visit our web site and see the fun, friendship and fulfilment we've enjoyed over the years.

For more information or an application form contact :  
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or visit

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

**CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS:** 30<sup>th</sup> June 2014, or when all places taken (*accommodation may be limited—don't leave it too late! Send £25 deposit with a completed booking form to secure a place*). **N.B.** All accommodation must be booked and paid for in advance.