

Cluster services - July 2016

Date	St Kew	St Peter's	St Endellion	St Minver	St Enodoc	St Michael
Saturday 2				9.30 Messy Church Perceval Insitute		
Sunday 3 Thomas the Apostle	9.30 Holy Communion	9.30 Morning Worship	11 Sung Eucharist	11 Holy Communion Baptism	3pm Evensong	6pm Evensong
Sunday 10 Sea Sunday	9.30 All Age Worship	9.30 Holy Communion	11 Sung Eucharist	11 All Age Worship	3pm Evensong	9.15 Holy Communion 6pm Evensong
Sunday 17	9.30 Holy Communion	2.30 Messy Church	11 Morning Worship 6pm Taize	11 Holy Communion	3pm Evensong	6pm Evensong
Friday 22 Mary Magdalene			9.15 Eucharist			
Sunday 24	9.30 All Age Worship	9.30 Holy Communion Baptism	11 Sung Eucharist		3pm Holy Communion	11 United Songs of Praise 6pm Evensong
Sunday 31	9.30 Holy Communion	9.30 Holy Communion	11 Festival Sung Eucharist	11 Holy Communion	3 Evensong	6 Evensong

Weekly Services

8am Tuesday Holy Communion (BCP) St Endellion

10am Wednesday Holy Communion St Minver

11am Thursday Bible Study (see Pew Sheets for details)

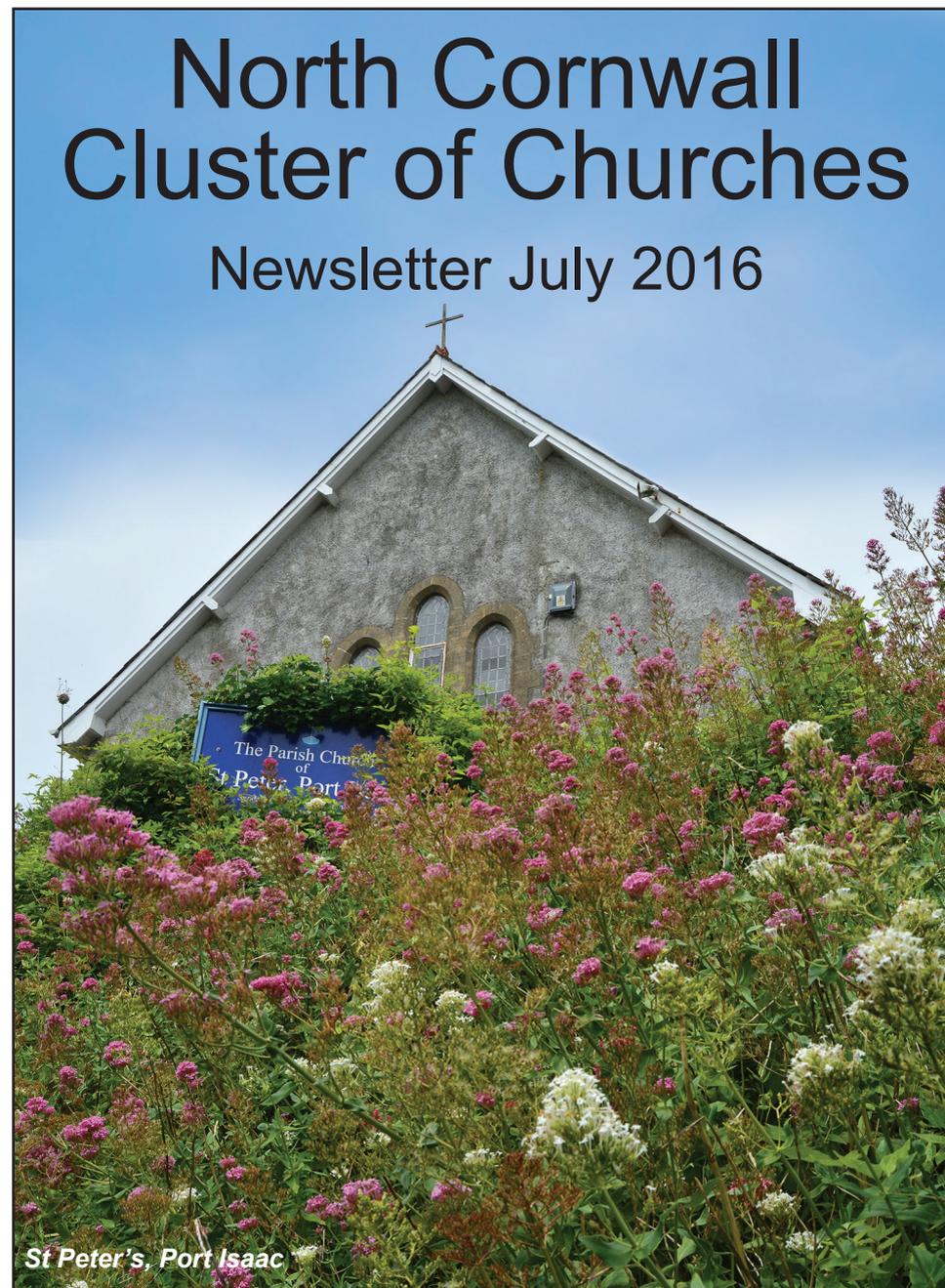
Morning Prayer 8.45am Wed Fri St Endellion

Evening Prayer 5.30pm Mon: St Minver (Quiet Time)

Tues: St. Kew Wed: St Michael's Thurs. St Peter's

Fri: St Endellion BCP Sat: St Enodoc

Correct at time of printing. Please check weekly pew sheets for more information



St Peter's, Port Isaac

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The People of God!

This was the theme of the first “Clergy College” which I attended as part of the Accompanied Ministry Development (AMD) programme for our Cluster of Churches.

It was wonderful to be reminded that God’s work in our parishes isn’t just up to me as the Priest-in-Charge – or even the very able church leaders in our Cluster – but is the business of everyone who is involved in our church communities.

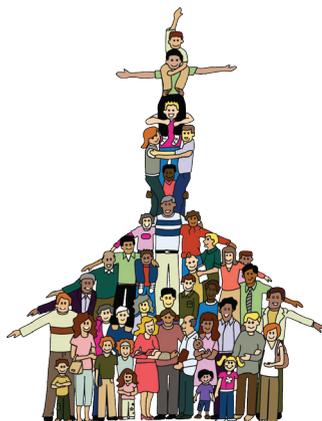
We heard about how God calls everyone who is Baptised or Christened to get involved with what God is already doing in our churches and wider communities. That means that all of us, from tiny babies to frail older folk, and everyone in between, are invited to be a part of what God wants for the world here in North Cornwall.

If that sounds scary, it doesn’t have to be, because we are not called to go it alone, but to work together with one another, noticing our different gifts and skills and bringing them together for God’s good purposes. People in the same church congregation, and working together across different churches in the Cluster, are called to help one another to share God’s love with the wider community through all sorts of activities.

Our churches are already involved in raising money for charity, putting on marvellous concerts and arts events, visiting the sick and lonely, offering lunches in the community, welcoming visitors and preparing couples for marriage. Some people go into schools to share God’s story with the children there, others welcome families to fun and friendly All Age Services and Messy Church, still others offer a quiet space for reflection and a listening ear in times of need.

In our Cluster of Churches, the People of God are busy, but there are lots of ways for new people to get involved. As we begin to think about who we are and what God wants us to do as God’s people in this place, I hope that we will be able to learn about our different church stories and how we came to be here today, to share good ideas with one another and to inspire one another as we look to the future.

The aim of AMD is to help us to work together to grow our churches. Please pick up one of the leaflets in all the churches to find out more or speak to me or one of the Ministry Development Team (David Foster, Janet Townsend, Jane Trayhurn, David Elliott, Marion Stone and Gus Guest) to find out more.



Reverend Elizabeth

Dates for your Diary July

Wed 6th	7pm St James PCC meeting in the church
Fri 8th	7.30pm - Strings & Songs, St Endellion
Sat 16th	7.30pm Endelienta Ensemble – Beethoven and Schoenberg, St Endellion
Wed 20 – Sat 23rd	Tregardock Art Exhibition, St Endellion Church Hall
Thu 21st	7.30pm - Open the Book Demonstration with the Mother Union in the St Endellion Church Hall
Sat 23rd	2.30pm - St James Fete at Trescobel
Sun 24th	Open Air ‘Songs of Praise’, St Michael
Tues 26th - Fri 5th	St Endellion Summer Music Festival

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Wed 3rd	10am-12noon St Minver Coffee Morning, Perceval Institute
Fri 5th	1pm Lunchtime Concert in St James church

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Music at St Endellion



July sees an exciting month of music at St Endellion, both orchestral and vocal, from local amateurs to international stars. We have several concerts in the first part of the month followed by the annual summer music festival and we hope something for everyone.



Friday 8th July , 7.30pm - two local groups, the Atlantic String Orchestra and Port Isaac Chorale, are putting on a joint concert entitled 'Strings & Songs'. No charge for entry; there will be a retiring collection in aid of orchestra and choir funds together with Children's Hospice South West.

Saturday 16th July, 7.30pm - an orchestral evening with the Endelienta Ensemble playing Beethoven's 4th Symphony and Schoenberg's Chamber Symphony. Adam Hickox and Rees Webster (Festival regulars and currently associate conductors of the Cambridge University Music Society) are bringing a great group of young orchestral players from Cambridge University and London Music Conservatoires to St Endellion.

Monday 18th July, 7.30pm - an evening of operatic and musical theatre delights performed by Current and Past winners of the Chris Treglown Foundation Fund and hosted by international mezzo soprano Maria Jagusz, who is also director of MJUK. Endelienta is pleased to give support to this local charity which provides financial assistance to aspiring young singers to pursue their musical education. The concert 'A Serenade to Music' - will showcase up and coming young talent who have benefited from the foundation.

Tickets for both these concerts are £10 (free to accompanied under-16s) and are available from the Endelienta Box Office: telephone 07787 944935 or online at www.endelienta.org.uk

Tuesday 26th July to Friday 5th August - St Endellion Summer Music Festival

The opening concert features Tim Gill performing Walton's magnificent Cello Concerto and Handel's Dixit Dominus. Berlioz's beautiful oratorio Childhood of Christ will be performed in both St Endellion Church and in Truro Cathedral. Festival chairman, Tom Hickox will perform at a late night concert. This year's opera will be Gloriana by Benjamin Britten, conducted by Martyn Brabbins, with Susan Bullock, one of the world's top sopranos, in the title role. There is a feast of concerts, chamber groups, recitals and much more to be enjoyed.

For full festival details see www.endellionfestivals.org.uk
Telephone booking: 01208 880298

Half way through the year, where does time go?

This used to be my holiday time, the last two weeks of July throughout most of my working life. A time to switch off, change track, slow down yet it was always full of activity, surfing, golfing, fun and games on the beach. And it was here in North Cornwall that I spent most of my holidays. We live in such a beautiful part of the world that many will be visiting, like I used to do. Let us be open and welcoming in our churches, in our communities as we share this part of God's creation with them, be it for activity or rest or both. Yes the queues may be longer, parking more difficult, more cars on the road but it is holiday time for many we meet.

These are extracts from 'Bare feet and Buttercups' (Wild Goose)

People go to work
to get some money
to go on holiday
to go to the seaside
to get shells
by Paul aged 8

God of golden fields and blue skies
God of white waves and wet pebbles
God of ripe plums and meadowsweet
Thank you for summer
Thank you for life
by Ruth Burgess

Whatever age you are, have a good July and give thanks for life, summer, and holiday time. If you are a visitor, welcome, may you find rest and re-creation whilst here.

David Elliott

Songs of Praise by the Beach

at St. Michael's Church, Porthilly

On Sunday 24th July at 11am there will be an "open-air" service at St. Michael's Church at Porthilly with hymns, readings and prayers, supported by the St. Minver Silver Band.

Friends from Rock Chapel will be especially welcome, together with visiting holiday makers and everyone from the Cluster churches. We do suggest you bring a chair/cushion with you and if wet the service will be in St. Michael's Church.

We look forward to seeing you!



Coffee Morning

Wednesday 3rd August
10am-12 noon

At the Perceval Institute, St Minver

Stalls to include Cakes and Preserves, Plants, Produce, Toys, Bring and Buy, Raffle and much more.

Admission £2

In aid of Perceval Institute Funds.

If you are able to donate items for sale or raffle prizes, please bring them along to the hall on the day or contact Liz on 01208 863778.

Your support is much appreciated and will help with the upkeep of this useful community building.

The Perceval Institute is available to hire at very reasonable rates, hourly or by the day, and can be booked through Maureen at the Post Office St Minver. Tel. 01208 863366

Memories of St Enodoc

Last time I visited St Enodoc the building was half buried in sand, with some windows broken behind the alter I think. I flew my kite from Brae Hill - 4 lines tied together - almost 400 yards - until the kite was out of site. The line dipped over the water towards Chiddleypumps I think. After 10 or 15 minutes flying my kite (invisible though it was) the line went limp and dropped across the estuary. I imagined a startled cow in a paddock somewhere peering at a newly landed kite then going back to the grass.

Today I had great pleasure in coming back. Padstow is a 2nd home for me (or perhaps 3rd depending how you measure things), and I hadn't visited for 38 years or more. It really felt like coming home even though I never lived here - I call it 'Padstow Disease' - if you catch it under the age or 10 you have it for life...!

It was lovely to see St Enodoc 'alive' again - there was a wedding today and I was graced with visions of guests leaving, beautiful and happy. After my last visit at age of about 10, I waited 28 years then became a Christian.

John Porter

St James Fete

The Fete will be on the 23rd July which is the nearest Saturday to St James Feast Day (24th July).

Start time is 2pm and is at Trescobel, St Kew, the former Rectory, which is about 75 yards from the church.

There will be a car park in the field across the road from the house. There will be the usual 20+ stalls, plus Punch & Judy.

The traditional ducks races will take place starting 1030am by the bridge by the church car park.

During the week starting Monday 18th July, we would be happy to receive books, bottles, bric a brac, cakes, jumble, plants and produce and clean nearly new.

Items could be left at the back of the church during the week before the Fete.

From the Visitors Book - St James

13 July 2000 Our great, great, great (and great) grandfather came from St Kew. Left in 1842. Andrew George, Auckland, NZ.

16 July 2000 G, G, G, G Father & Mother buried in old part of graveyard. John Leah, NSW, Australia.

30 July 2000 St Kew church is the best church in Cornwall, I think. It's very well respected by the whole Church. Tom Ridley, London [Praise doesn't come any higher!]

4 July 2001 G, G-Grandparents married here. Jean Hunter, Essex, Ontario, Canada (Lobb).

29 Jul 2001 I came here for the Ogham, but stayed for the church! Stephen Miller, Rockville, Maryland, USA. [We have an Ogham Stone in the church, which was found by the vicar near the south-east corner of the church. Ogham is an ancient British and Irish alphabet probably dating from 2nd-4th century.]

10 July 2002 Great grandson of Henry Dalton Jackson MA vicar of this church 1916-27. David Constable, Keynsham, Bristol. [It was the Rev Henry who found the Ogham stone and also found pieces of our mediaeval Lantern Cross in the mud in the Skisdon stream.]

6 July 2003 Great Great grandparents lived at Lanow Farm (Inch Family) before emigrating to N.Z. [Signed by many members of the Mehrtens family, from Kowai Bush, N.Z.]

5 July 2004 Graham Currin of Carshalton, Surrey observed: What fantastic bees! [We have bees outside half way up the Bell Tower]

St James church, St Kew rocked by folkastic fundraiser for Cornish HIV/AIDS charity

On Bank Holiday Monday, St James church in St Kew was astonished and delighted to have its roof blown away by folk music stars Seth Lakeman, Wildwood Kin and the Grenaways. Over 200 people packed in to hear the gig, hosted by Kernow King, which was the brainchild of the amazing Max – photographer, artistic entrepreneur, and trustee of the 'Kernow Positive Support' charity for those affected by HIV/AIDS in Cornwall. The concert raised over £3000 to help run a respite centre near Altarnun which is entirely supported by donations (see www.kpsdirect.com for more details). Networking Max is friends with Chris of local 'big sound' folk band the Grenaways (who have previously recorded in St Kew church), and with Wildwood Kin – a family trio of women singing wonderful close harmonies over thumping instrumentals. And Wildwood Kin have just recorded an album with Seth Lakeman who mixed new tunes with old favourites in a mesmerising set of stomping fiddle and guitar songs. All the artists played without pay, the lighting/sound technicians were practically free, and the money raised was further boosted by a bar hosted by volunteers. It was a great evening for a good cause and, as one of the church congregation, I really hope St Kew's ancient and beautiful building can host more concerts like it.

Rob Soley

Visiting bell ringers from Little Petherick will be ringing the St Minver bells on: Thursday July 7th 10am-11am.