North Cornwall Cluster of Churches Newsletter July 2019



For the parishes of St Kew, St Endellion with St Peter's, Port Isaac and St Minver with St Enodoc (Trebetherick) and St Michael (Porthilly)

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Living out our faith

The earliest Christians were known for they way that they lived – sharing love and resources so generously that others noticed what they were doing and thought that they should do the same. One of the challenges for us as Christians today is to live out our faith - as individuals and as church communities - in ways that demonstrate God's love for all. But how do we do that, every day?

The first disciples met together to share fellowship and learn from the teaching of those who had known Jesus personally. They broke bread together, prayed together, and shared their resources with one another, serving those in need. They



worshipped and ate together with glad and generous hearts, and as they did this people joined them. They made new disciples, and the church grew. (Acts 2.42-47)

This description of how the earliest Christians lived out their faith can be a model for us as we seek to grow in our own faith living today. There is a new discipleship programme, which we are considering following in our Cluster, which is based on doing exactly this. It is called "Holy Habits" and the idea is that church communities seek to develop each of ten holy habits, drawn from this description in Acts, by focussing on one habit at a time in a whole range of ways.

Holy Habits provides resources for our worship and preaching, for small groups and for individuals to explore each habit, and seek to develop it. Whether it is "Eating Together" or "Prayer", "Gladness and Generosity" or "Serving", each holy habit enables us to grow a little more in our faith living.

We will be considering this way of growing in our discipleship in our Cluster this month, and I hope that we will all be able to deepen our faith as we seek to live our lives God's way, in love and joy and peace.

Revd Elizabeth

Lunch time concert, St Peter's

There will be a lunch time concert on **Tuesday July 2nd at 12-30pm in St Peter's Church** given by pupils from Denstone College, East Staffordshire.

The pupils are also performing at Lanhydrock and in Truro Cathedral and have previously sung at the National Arboretum and In Birmingham Cathedral.

Please come and support the youngsters.

Pat Pearson



Ishmael Praise Party

On Thursday 20th June we had a great time of celebration.

Ishmael, the legendary singer/songwriter brought his unique music style to the Perceval Institute as a Praise Party Concert for all ages. In the space of 90 minutes we sang, worshipped God, acted and learned a Bible verse. Ish also fitted in a story about Zaccheus the little taxman and gave a short testimony about his illness, grateful to be in remission. Everyone participated with great gusto and seemed to enjoy themselves. The main word used was 'uplifted'.

Our thanks go to Ishmael and Irene for fitting us into their West Country tour!





Avila Wild volunteering in Tanzania!

Having just finished my A-levels and now embarking on a gap year before university, I'm really excited to tell you that I have been selected to volunteer in Tanzania this October with Raleigh International on an ICS (International Citizen Service) placement. ICS volunteers live and work alongside local youth volunteers fighting poverty together. Every overseas community, that ICS volunteers work with, has specifically asked for the energy and enthusiasm of youth volunteers and all ICS projects are committed to delivering real impact on the ground. ICS also aims to inspire young people in the UK and overseas to become active citizens who are passionate about long term community development. Half the world is under the age of 25 and by empowering young people ICS believes they will bring about positive change worldwide.







The first part of my placement is a challenge to raise £800 towards the work of Raleigh International and their ICS partners. The money raised will go towards enabling the overall costs of ICS, ensuring they can to continue sending youth volunteers, like me, to the developing world to make a lasting difference in disadvantaged communities. I'm planning to raise part of this amount by undertaking a sponsored walk around all six of the beautiful churches in our cluster in one day, although the final date is tbc it will be sometime in July and anyone is welcome to join me and my friends walking from one church to the next or even all six if they would like! I have a Just Giving page (https://www.justgiving.com/Avila-Wild-ICS) if anyone would like to sponsor me or make a donation towards this. I am very grateful for any support in this and look forward to telling you all about it when I return to the UK in December. Avila x

Experience Harvest

It might feel a little early to be thinking of harvest especial when we are hoping for the right quantities of sunshine and gentle rain this summer, but we have exciting and big plans for this harvest season; also I shall away for two weeks in September so I really need to complete all my plans before then!

At the end of September we will be hosting Experience Harvest in our churches for schools to come and reflect upon harvests of the Ocean, of the Flock, of the Garden, of the Grain and of the earth (clay and earthenware). In small groups children will visit each station and muse upon patience, peace, humility generosity and joy. The session concludes with a Harvest Thanksgiving based upon the Jewish harvest celebration Sukkot also known as Festival of Tabernacles. It will be run on four different



A Sukkah; this year Sukkot starts on 13th Oct

days and we need 5 helpers to lead the stations; please see me if you would like to help on one of these afternoons. To complete the experience, each station will be decorated according to its' theme and a makeshift "booth" to be the final tabernacle. If you have any paraphernalia that might help towards one of the themes and are willing to loan it to us or if you know how to build a Sukkah please do get in touch with me before September.

Songs of Praise by the Beach

This year's Song of Praise by the beach will be at St Michael's Porthilly on Sunday 28th July, 11am, with St Minver Silver Band.

We look forward to seeing you there for this very popular event.



Endelienta events July 2019

7.30pm Dante Quartet - Baroque and Beyond

Wednesday 10 July

A Dante Festival concert. Bach's Brandenburg No. 3, Vivaldi concerto for 2 cellos, Brahms string sextet in B Flat, and the world premiere of a short piece for strings by Joy Lisney.



Wednesday 10 July

The Dantes perform Shostakovich's extraordinary 15th quartet, his penultimate work: an unforgettable experience. Tickets from www.dantefestival.org.





Lifeboat Service

The slipway on Port Isaac beach played host to an extremely busy service for the Royal National Lifeboat Institution. The service honours and gives thanks for all the Lifeboat crews across the country and blesses the station's D class lifeboat.

The service raises awareness and much needed funds to keep the lifeboat running and is a very popular event each year for local residents and visitors alike.



Congratulations!

Congratulations to our new curates Revd Rose Jones and Revd Geraldine Ashton, ordained Deacon on Friday 28th June. We look forward to their ministry in our cluster.

If you would like to contact them, their email addresses are: gezzalou@aol.com and revrosejones@gmail.com. Phone numbers are on the contact page.



The 61st Summer Music Festival starts on Tuesday 30th July with Choral Eveonsong at 4.30pm. See endellionfestivals.org.uk/ for more details.

Church Fetes

Fete season is nearly upon us. Please see our church summer fetes listed below:

St James Fete on Sat 20 July at 2pm at Trescobel, St Kew Churchtown.

St Endellion & St Peter's, Port Isaac Garden Fete 2pm Tuesday 13th August, St Endellion Rectory



St Minver Annual Fete

Plans for our annual Church Fete are well underway. It will take place on Wednesday 21st August commencing at 2pm on the Cricket Field. Once again, we thank the Cricket Club for their assistance in retaining this much-loved traditional fete.

If you are one of our regular stalwart helpers, you can expect the call again!! If you have not been involved but would like to help in any way, you will be most welcome, we never refuse! For more information, call either Brian 869315 or Dawn 869084

So, if you knit, sew or cook, get ready, we need you. If you can have fun with old and young alike operating a game, we need you. If you can sell anything, we need you. In fact, whatever you think you might be able to do, we need YOU!



Cluster events for children & families



Messy Church Percival Institute **13**th July **10**am Everyone welcome to celebrate with us, will include a fairtrade stall. Ann 01208 862 550



Junior Church
Percival Institute

Sun 7th & 21st July

10.45am

Bible story, games and craft before we join the adults for Communion



Mini fingers Percival Institute Every Friday term time 10am- 12
Baby and toddler club, with play, songs and

activities. All welcome.

£2 per family



Good Morning Café St Kew Ace Academy School Every Wed term time 8.45-10.30am

Everyone welcome for a light breakfast and chat with a play area. Artists and crafters are welcome to bring their working projects.



Come and Sing St Minver Church Saturday 27th July

5pm

Gentle service suitable for all ages, singing new songs and old favourites.



Make Club
Pentire Point

Saturday 20th July

10am

Outdoor sketching with Ness Lannen for children and parents. £5 per family. Booking essential at endelienta.org.uk



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For children of all ages and families to take part in crafts and activities, bible stories, song and prayer in a welcoming environment of fun and enjoyment

Free breakfast

(bacon bap or cereal)

Messy church is usually on the second Saturday of each month at 10am

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Next issue

The deadline for text and or pictures* for the July issue is:

19th July 2019

* Please note that permission is required for people in photographs and written parental consent for children.

Cluster services - July 2019

Date	St Kew	St Peter's	St Endellion	St Minver	St Enodoc	St Michael
Sunday 7	9.30am Holy Communion	9.30am Morning Worship	11.00am Sung Eucharist	11.00am Holy Communion with Junior Church	3pm Evensong	6pm Evensong
Saturday 13				10am Messy Church		
Sunday 14	9.30am All Age Worship	9.30am Holy Communion	11.00am Sung Eucharist	11.00am All Age Worship with baptism	3pm Evensong	9.15am Holy Communion 6pm Evensong
Sunday 21	9.30am Holy Communion	9.30am Morning Worship	11.00am Sung Eucharist 6pm Taize	11.00am Holy Communion with Junior Church	3pm Evensong	6pm Evensong
Saturday 27				5pm Come & Sing		
Sunday 28	9.30am All Age Worship	9.30am Holy Communion	11.00am Sung Eucharist	11.00am Songs of Praise at St Michael's	3pm Holy Communion	11.00am Songs of Praise 6pm Evensong
Tuesday 30			4.30pm Summer Festival Evensong			

Weekly Services

8am Tuesday Holy Communion (BCP) St Endellion, 10am Wednesday Holy Communion St Minver

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