

North Cornwall Cluster of Churches

# Newsletter

## November 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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# Holy Habit number 2! Gladness and Generosity

Following the success of our first Holy Habit, **Eating Together**, through which we shared food, fellowship and fun together, we move on through November and December to explore the theme of **Gladness and Generosity**.

The timing is perfect as we prepare for Christmas, the season of goodwill to all people. The church was born in **Gladness** for what God has done for each one of us through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus and the outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. In the early church there was much **Gladness** in believers' homes, in the temple and out on the streets. St. Luke notes in the book of Acts that they had glad and generous hearts, they embodied the generosity of the heart of God and were counter cultural in a world of avarice and greed. We too are called to live this way, being generous with all we have.

**Gladness and Generosity** are inextricably linked and are joyous and challenging Holy Habits. We all need reminding to think of others and not be selfish and as we learn to look at the world with the mind of Christ, we begin to embody that outlook in how we live. The root of all this is thankfulness as we realise all that God has done for us, our thankfulness is expressed through our worship to God and our service to others. As we learn to gladly and generously give to others we also learn how to gladly and generously receive from others.

I hope that in this season we will all embrace the creative teaching in our study groups, church services and extra activities which will bless our lives and that of others as we grow in the Holy Habits of Gladness and Generosity.

*With Every blessing. Rev'd Geraldine.*

From Holy Habits: Gladness and Generosity, by Andrew Roberts, John Barnett, Neil Johnson and Tom Milton, published by The Bible Reading Fellowship [brfonline.org.uk/holy-habits](http://brfonline.org.uk/holy-habits).

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*Harvest of the Ocean reminds us to pray for Peace*

## Experience Harvest

Three Churches, nineteen volunteers and around a hundred-and-seventy children from our three primary schools, joined together to Experience Harvest over six separate sessions. Feedback from the teachers and parent helpers have been very positive and the children sent letters thanking us for teapots, clay, eating the bread, being nice and for allowing them into our churches. A big thank you to all those who were praying for us, to those who helped me gather in the materials and to those brave souls who took part on the days.



*Henry Gompertz (fourth from right) was licensed as a Reader to serve in the North Cornwall Cluster of Churches, by Bishop Philip at Truro Cathedral on Saturday 12th October.*



John Raybould at his confirmation service held at Truro Cathedral on Saturday 19th October.

# Good Morning Cafe



## St kew Ace Academy

### Wednesday term time

### 8.45-10.30

**Everyone welcome**

Begin the rest of your day with a relaxing cuppa  
Previously known as Tea'n'toast



# Events at St Endellion November 2019

## Kevos – Blue Green Hill Saturday 9 November 7.30pm

Patrick Bailey – conductor Cheryl Rosevear – soprano. Kevos is an ensemble dedicated to performing contemporary classical music in Cornwall. The programme, inspired by the environment and nature, including works by Judith Weir, Estonian Helena Tulve, and Barbara White. £10



Endelienta

## The People's String Foundation - Duo Friday 22 November 7.30pm

South West based composer-musicians Ben Sutcliffe and Zaid Al-Rikabi (musical directors for Kneehigh) mix artisan flavours with urban/world beats. Their compositions are melodic, wistful, and dynamic as well as upbeat and fast, designed to get people's toes tapping. £10

## COMING SOON IN DECEMBER

## The Portorius Quartet Sunday 1 December 3pm

A delightful Sunday afternoon in the company of this young Quartet - Sophia Prodanova & Nicole Petrus Barracks – violins, Diogo Ramos – viola, and Nathan Giorgetti – cello – which formed at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama in 2017. £8 (includes tea and cake).

Tickets from [www.endelienta.org.uk](http://www.endelienta.org.uk) or 07787 944935. Accompanied under 16s free to most concerts – check the website for details.

## Poetry Reflective Day



Paul Fiddes, Professor of Systematic Theology at the University of Oxford and a Prebendary of St Endellion will lead a day in the church reflecting on the poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins on Saturday 2nd November from 10am. He will

explore the Presence and Hiddenness of God in Hopkins' poetry and there will be an opportunity for those who'd like to do so, to offer their own poetry inspired by Hopkins. The day will begin with coffee and tea in St Endellion's new hall and will end at 3pm. Cost £10 and bring a picnic lunch.

## Perceval Institute

**St Minver Christmas Fayre** with Coffee and Mince Pie Saturday 30th November from 10am to 12noon at the Perceval Institute. Lots of local craft stalls together with a cake stall and super raffle.

Proceeds to go towards the upkeep of the hall.

We also have our **Nostalgia Cafe (Memory Cafe)** on the third Saturday of each month at the Perceval institute from 2pm to 4pm. Tel. Liz 01208 895046 for further information. Date of the next meeting is Saturday 16th November.

## Please help St Petroc's

We collect dried and tinned food for the Bodmin centre, which supports two houses in the town. Please can you consider putting something extra into your weekly shopping basket for those less able to provide for themselves. The collection bags are at the back of the churches.

We can also take single bedding and clothing – especially men's clothing.

## Remembering Loved Ones

A special service to remember loved ones who have died will be held in St Endellion Church at 4pm on Sunday 3rd November. The service will last about 45 minutes and will include readings, prayers, music, an opportunity to light candles and for names to be remembered aloud. Everyone is welcome to attend and tea will be served afterwards.

## 'Remembering a Loved one'

A simple service of readings, prayers, music; an opportunity to remember loved ones by name and to light a candle.

Sunday 3rd November at 4pm

St Endellion Church. Everybody Welcome.



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)

10am on 9th November and 14th December at Percveval Institute

For more information contact  
Ann Sumra 01208 862559

## Remembrance Sunday in The North Cornwall Cluster of Churches

### St Peter's

10.30am Service of Remembrance

3pm Laying of Wreaths at the War Memorial

### St Kew

10.30am Remembrance service

### St Minver

10.50am Remembrance Service

### St Endellion

10.50am Sung Eucharist with Act of Remembrance



# Cluster events for children & families



**Messy Church**  
Perceval Institute

**9<sup>th</sup> November 10am**

Everyone welcome to celebrate with us, will include a fair trade stall.  
Ann 01208 862 550



**Junior Church**  
Perceval Institute

**Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> November 10.45am**

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



**Mini fingers**  
Perceval 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 23<sup>rd</sup> November 5pm**

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



**Make Club**  
St Endellion,  
Stone barn

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 10am-12.30**

Fabric Christmas Decorations. £5 per family. Book at [Endellionta.org.uk](http://Endellionta.org.uk)

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# Advent Services

**Sunday 1st December**

4pm - Christingle, St Minver

**Sunday 8th December**

4pm - Candlelit Carols, St Peter's

6pm - Carol Service, St Kew

**Sunday 15th December**

6pm - Carol Service, St Minver

**Sunday 22nd December**

3pm - Blue Christmas Service,  
St Endellion

6pm - Carol Service, St Endellion



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### Next issue

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

**13th November 2019**

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

# Cluster services and Events - November 2019

Date	St Kew	St Peter's	St Endellion	St Minver	St Enodoc	St Michael
Sunday 3 <b>All Saints</b>	9.30am Holy Communion	9.30am Morning Worship	11.00am Sung Eucharist  4pm Remembering a loved one	11.00am Holy Communion with Junior Church	3pm Baptism	6pm Evensong
Saturday 9		2pm RNLI Service on The Platt		10am Messy Church Perceval Institute		
Sunday 10 <b>Remembrance Sunday</b>  	10.30am Remembrance Service	9.30am Holy Communion  10.30am Remembrance Service  3pm Laying of Wreaths	10.50am Sung Eucharist with act of Remembrance	10.50am Remembrance Service	No Service today	9.15am Holy Communion  6pm Evensong
Sunday 17	9.30am Holy Communion	9.30am Morning Worship	11.00am Sung Eucharist	11.00am Holy Communion with Junior Church	3pm Evensong	6pm Evensong
Saturday 23				5pm Come and sing		
Sunday 24 <b>Christ the King</b>	9.30am All Age Worship	9.30am Holy Communion	11.00am Sung Eucharist	11.00am All Age Worship	3pm Holy Communion	6pm Evensong

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

## Weekly Services

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

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