

# Parish Bulletin

**Communities enriched by Christian faith,  
worship & values**

*We are the Church of England inclusive and loving worshipping communities of Yelverton, Meavy, Sampford Spiney, Sheepstor, Walkhampton, Princetown, and Horrabridge, and you are very welcome!*

**Crafty Club:** Meets 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues of every month. Next meeting **Tues 16 Aug 7-9pm** in St Paul's Church Hall. For information ring Sheila 01822 852315.

**Funeral Service.** This service for Kerry Elson, who was a Reader in the Mission Community, for many years, will be held at St Peter's Meavy on **Wed 17 Aug at 2pm**. He will be sadly missed.

**Gardening work party.** St John's Horrabridge **Thurs 18 Aug**. Any help welcome between **9.30am and 12.30pm**. Something for everyone, even sitting down if you can't kneel or stand. Refreshments provided.

**Cream Teas.** Come and enjoy a cream tea at St Paul's Church Hall **Sun 21 Aug from 2.30pm-5pm** and St John's Horrabridge on **Sun 28 Aug from 4pm - 5.30pm**. Followed by a church service at St John's from **6pm**.

**Bulletin Notices** to go to [ruth.gozzard@gmail.com](mailto:ruth.gozzard@gmail.com) no later than 1600 on Wednesday each week.



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#### **Parish Bulletin**

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#### **Open Churches**

All our churches are open daily for private prayer and stillness.

## WORSHIP

**Mon Aug 8<sup>th</sup>** 0900 Sampford Spiney Morning Prayer

**Wed Aug 10<sup>th</sup>** 1100 Yelverton BCP  
1200-1300 Yelverton  
Contemplative Prayer

**Sun Aug 14<sup>th</sup>** 0915 Yelverton Eucharist Ord 2  
0915 Sampford Spiney Patronal Eucharist  
0930 Walkhampton Patronal Eucharist  
Ord 1

1000 Meavy Family Worship  
1030 Horrabridge Eucharist Ord 1  
1100 Sheepstor Morning Service

## SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

**Aug 7<sup>th</sup>** (White)  
Daniel 7.9-10,13-14  
Psalm 97. 2 Peter 1.16-19  
Luke 9.28-36

**Aug 14<sup>th</sup>** (White)  
Isaiah 61.10-end  
Psalm 45.10-end. Galatians 4.4-7  
Luke 1.46-55

**Collect Prayer.** Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and Govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading** Daniel 7.9-10, 13-14    **Psalm 97**    **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading** 2 Peter 1.16-19.

**Gospel Acclamation.** Alleluia, Alleluia. Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life. **Alleluia.**

**Gospel Reading** (Luke 9.28-36). Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah'—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

**Post Communion Prayer.** Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.

**Prayers for the week ahead.** **7** The Revd Mike Fairall, Priest with Permission to Officiate. **8** Administrator - Andy Lacy and Safeguarding Officer - Debbie Delaney. **9** All those involved in Yelvercare and other local caring organisations. **10** Dartmoor National Park Authority (Kevin Bishop Chief Executive). **11** St Mary's Walkhampton. Bunty Baxter & Ros Knight, Churchwardens. The Congregation & PCC. **12** Our local Scouting and Guiding Associations groups. **13** Our local Emergency Services, especially the Fire Station at Yelverton.

**...In need of healing & wholeness.** Carolyn Hempenstall. Betty Walke. Michael Doidge. Jo Day, Noah Bruff, Victoria Lee, David Stacey, Maurice and Phyllis Hellier, Pat Kerslake. Jan Cooper.

**...In Memoriam.** Martin Cooper RIP. Luke Searle RIP. Janet Strelling RIP. Kerry Elson RIP.