The Parish Bulletin

Communities enriched by Christian faith, worship & values

The Three Trees. The children of Lady Modiford's School, Walkhampton, will perform their Easter play on Tues I April at 1400 in St Mary's Church Walkhampton. Please come and support them as they tell the Easter story in a musical way. There will be refreshments after the play.

Lent Lunch (soup, bread, tea/coffee) on Fri 4 April at 1200 – 1330. Venue 7 Heathfield Park, Dousland Donations in aid of the charity 'Feeding Devon' Contact: knightrosalind4@gmail.com

Bishop Mike is coming to a united Mission Community Service. Sun 6 Apr. 1000, Horrabridge. CANCELLED-error in Bishop's office See below for new service schedule for Sunday 6 April.

St John's Plant and Table Top Sale at St John's Horrabridge, 1000 - 12 noon on Sat 12 April. Coffee and homemade cakes will also be available.

Social Dance Evening On Sat 26 April in Tavistock Parish Hall

1900-2130. Bring and share supper. Tea/coffee. Bring own alcohol or soft drinks. Basic teaching on four ballroom and Latin dances incorporating worship hymns and songs. £7.00 per person; Proceeds after expenses to be given to Young lives V Cancer. Book with payment through TMC office 01822 611049 or Sandra 07508686673

Cream Teas: This year's monthly teas will begin on Sun 18 May from 1400 -1630 in St Paul's

Scott's Ordination to the priesthood is on 14 June, 1500, at St Paul's Church, Honiton. EX14 IPG.

Church Hall.

WORSHIP

Mon 31 Mar 0900 Sheepstor Morning Prayer

Wed 2 April 1100 Yelverton Eucharist

Sun 6 April 0915 Yelverton Eucharist Ord I

0930 Walkhampton Eucharist Ord I

1030 Horrabridge Eucharist Ord 1

1045 Meavy Eucharist Ord 2

1500 Sampford Spiney Evening Service

1600 Sheepstor Evening Service

Our Rector:

The Rev Andrew Thomas. T: 01822 854804 E: rectorwestdartmoor @gmail.com

Parish Bulletin, Ministry **Team Contacts** are found on our web site

Open Churches All our churches are open daily for prayer and stillness

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

30 Mar (Rose/Purple)

I Samuel 1.20-end

Psalm 34.11-20

Colossian 3.12-17

John 19.25b-27

6 April (Purple)

Isaiah 43.16-21

Psalm 126

Philippians 3.4b-14

John 12.1-8

COLLECT God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Ist READING I Samuel 1.20-end PSALM Psalm 34.11-20 2nd READING Colossian 3.12-17

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Praise to you O Christ King of eternal glory. The Lord is a great God, O that today you would listen to his voice. Harden not your hearts. **Praise to you O Christ King of eternal glory.**

GOSPEL READING (John 19.25b-27) And that is what the soldiers did. Meanwhile, standing near the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing beside her, he said to his mother, 'Woman, here is your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.' And from that hour the disciple took her into his own home.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life: help us who have tasted your goodness to grow in grace within the household of faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD 30 All those who arrange flowers in our churches.
31 Our Rector The Revd Andrew Thomas. I Our Church School at Walkhampton. (Head: Sarah Reid) teaching staff, the governors and children. 2 Our local Medical Centre - Doctors, Nurses, Midwives, other medical therapists, and administration staff. 3 Our Link Diocese - Thika. Kaira Parish, Vicar Revd Samuel and Reader Kungu Henry Ngige. 4 The Revd Miranda Donne, Associate Priest.
5 St Peter's, Meavy. The Congregation & PCC.

...IN NEED OF HEALING & WHOLENESS Monty Hamilton. Jo Day. Geoff Lloyd. Esther Rookes. Di Pulford. Ann Carder. Di Caine. Michael and Wendy Doidge.

...IN MEMORIAM Dennis Bishop RIP. Margaret Woodley RIP.

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