

The Parish Bulletin

Communities enriched by Christian faith, worship & values

Eagle Lectern at Yelverton has been vandalised, you may have seen on the BBC and social media. If you see the eagle or know anything, please contact the police on 101 and quote ref 50250119107.

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

Mission Community Council Meeting Thurs 29 May at **St Paul's Church, Yelverton** at **1900**.

CLEAR-UP DAY! St Mary's Church, Walkhampton, has a clear-up day planned for **Sat 31 May** from **1100 - 1500**. All are welcome to come and join us as we sort the inside and outside of the church. Come for as long as you can - refreshments, Wi-Fi, and a toilet are available.

The St Leonard's Sheepstor Summer Festival service will be on **Sun 1 June** from **1600**. This year it will draw on Pope Francis's encyclical on our responsibility for the planet. Come and enjoy favourite hymns, poems and prose.

Scott's Ordination to the priesthood is on **14 June** at **1500**, at **St Paul's Church, Honiton**. EX14 1PG.

Confirmation Service is planned at Tavistock, **3 July**. If you or someone you know is not Confirmed, would like to be, or would like to find out more, please speak to Andrew (854804).

HORRABRIDGE NATIVITY FESTIVAL. The organiser of the Nativity Festival, is looking for a volunteer to take over the organisation of the event. Do you think this is something you could take on? If yes, then please contact Jenny for more information (jennyp@uwclub.net).

Bulletin Notices to go to ruth.gozzard@gmail.com no later than **1600** on **Wed** of each week please.

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

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

WORSHIP

Mon 19 May 0900 Meavy morning prayer

Wed 21 May 1100 Yelverton Eucharist

Sun 25 May 0915 Sampford Spiney Eucharist BCP
0930 W'hampton Patronal Eucharist Ord 1
1045 Meavy Eucharist Ord 1
1100 Sheepstor Eucharist Ord 2

Thur 29 May 1100 Yelverton Eucharist for
Ascension Day

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

18 May (White)
Genesis 22.1-18
Psalm 148
Acts 11.1-18
John 13.31-35

25 May (White)
Zephaniah 3.14-18
Psalm 113
Romans 12.9-16
Luke 1.39-56

COLLECT. Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

1st READING Genesis 22.1-18

PSALM 148

2nd Acts 11.1-18

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Alleluia. Alleluia. I am the first and the last, says the Lord, and the living one; I was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore. **Alleluia.**

GOSPEL READING (John 13.31-35). Therefore, when he was gone out, Jesus said, Now is the Son of man glorified, and God is glorified in him. If God be glorified in him, God shall also glorify him in himself, and shall straightway glorify him. Little children, yet a little while I am with you. Ye shall seek me: and as I said unto the Jews, Whither I go, ye cannot come; so now I say to you. A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK 18 Our means of communication: Our Website (Editor Belinda Gardiner), the weekly Bulletin (Editor Ruth Gozzard), and our Magazine (Editor Sue Walsh).

19 Those who are involved and reliant on the rural economy. **20** St John the Baptist, Horrabridge. The congregation & PCC. **21** Our Safeguarding administrator – Phil Knight. **22** Our Licensed Lay Minister: Martin Jury. **23** Our local Women's Institute. **24** Our local Dental practices.

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

...IN MEMORIAM Vanessa Keane RIP. Margaret Davies RIP. Susan Percival RIP. Christine Gibson RIP