
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!

Soup & Sandwich Lunch in **St Paul's church Hall** on **Sun 21 Jan** from **1200 - 1500**. All Welcome.

Horrabridge Food Hub Collection Point at **St John the Baptist Church, Horrabridge**, from **1 Jan 2024** donations of rice, cereals, tinned, bottled and packet foods and soups, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shower/bath gels, shampoos/conditioners, and laundry products - all will be gratefully received.
For further information gm.hiles2@gmail.com or text 07759 011543

Explore the meaning of life together: Discover the Christian faith in a positive and inclusive group. **Being with** starts on **Sat 27 Jan 1030-200** at **Horrabridge Youth Club**. Contact Philippa at philippa.bellows@iCloud.com for details. **Being With** is a course developed by St Martin-In-The-Fields. More information can be found at (being-with.org)

Bulletin Notices to go to ruth.gozzard@gmail.com no later than **1600** on **Wednesday** please.



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Open Churches

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

WORSHIP

Mon Jan 15th 0900 Horrabridge Morning Prayer
Wed Jan 17th 1100 Yelverton Eucharist BCP
Sun Jan 21st 1000 Horrabridge Toast
1600 Sheepstor Evening Service
1800 Yelverton Eucharist Ord 1

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

Jan 14th (White)
1 Samuel 3.1-10 (11-20)
Psalm 139.1-6,13-18
1 Corinthians 6.12-20
John 1:43-51
Jan 21st (White)
Jonah 3.1-5,10
Psalm 62.5-12
1 Corinthians 7.29-31
Mark.14-20

Collect. Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; 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.

1st Reading. 1 Samuel 3.1-10 ,(11-20) **Psalm** 139.1-6, 13-18 **2nd Reading.** 1 Corinthians 6.12-20

Gospel acclamation. Alleluia, alleluia. Christ was revealed in flesh, proclaimed among the nations and believed in throughout the world. **Alleluia.**

Gospel Reading (John 1.43-51) The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.' When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

Post Communion God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for the week ahead. **14** Our Diocesan Bishop of Exeter, Robert, Suffragan Bishop James, Archdeacon Jane, and all who work in the Diocesan administration.

15 St Leonard's, Sheepstor. Richard Bayly and Caroline Jennings, Churchwardens. The Congregation and PCC. **16** Those preparing for Baptism and Confirmation.

17 Those who live and work in retirement and nursing homes and sheltered accommodation in the area. **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 and PCC

...In need of healing & wholeness: Michael Doidge, Jo Day, Noah Bruff, Peggy Bryant, Esther Warner, Peter Walde, Richard Callow, Esther Rookes, Geoff Lloyd, Basil Kinver, Patrick Butler and Philip Kerslake.

...In Memoriam. Tony Smith RIP. Eric Shaw RIP. Neil Gillbanks RIP. Frank Kitson RIP.