

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!

Mission Community Lent Course 2024. 'Pastoral Principles of Living and Learning Well Together' - encourages us to find creative ways to grow and learn together in the love of Christ. **Starts Wed 14 Feb 1130** at **St Paul's Yelverton**. For further details please contact Philippa Bellows philippa.bellows@iCloud.com For details of the same course online please contact Martin Jury martinwestdartmoor@gmail.com or Anne de Looy adelooy@gmail.com .

Ash Wednesday. There will be a service **of Holy Eucharist with Ashing** on **Wed 14 Feb** at **St Pauls** at **1800**.

Soup and Sandwich Lunch - Join us at **St Paul's** on **Sun 18 Feb 1200-1500**.

World Day of Prayer at 1400, Fri 1 March at Holy Cross Church - prepared this year by a group of ecumenical Christian women from Palestine. Refreshments afterwards. **Rehearsal** open to all held in **Holy Cross Church** at **1030** on **Fri 23 Feb**. Contact Sue Walsh svwalsh@hotmail.com.

Explore the meaning of life together: Discover the Christian faith in a positive and inclusive group. Next session on **Sat 24 Feb 1030-1200** at **Horrabridge Youth Club**. Contact Philippa at philippa.bellows@iCloud.com for details. All welcome.

The West Dartmoor Mission Community Hymn Along . Do you love to sing hymns, are there any you haven't sung for a while, would you like to select a hymn or two? Well now you can. **St Johns Church Horrabridge Sun 25 Feb** at **1800**. Send any requests to Scott Angell at westdartmoorordinand@gmail.com.

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 Feb 12th 0900 Walkhampton Morning Prayer
Wed Feb 14th 1800 Yelverton Ash Wednesday Eucharist
Sun Feb 18th 1000 Horrabridge Toast
1600 Sheepstor Evening Service
1800 Yelverton Eucharist Ord 1

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

Feb 11th (Green)
2 Kings 2.1-12
Psalm 50.1-6
2 Corinthians 4.3-6
Mark 9.2-9
Feb 18th (Purple)
Genesis 9.8-17
Psalm 25.1-10
1 Peter 3.18-22
Mark 1.9-15

Collect. Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

1st Reading. 2 Kings 2.1-12 **Psalm** 50. 1-6 **2nd Reading.** 2 Corinthians 4.3-6

Gospel acclamation. Alleluia, alleluia. Speak Lord, for your servant is listening, you have the words of eternal life. **Alleluia.**

Gospel Reading (Mark 9.2-9) Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!' Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Post Communion. Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for the week ahead. **11** St Mary's Walkhampton. The Congregation and PCC.

12 Our local Scouting and Guiding Associations groups. **13** Our local Emergency Services, especially the Fire Station at Yelverton. **14** Those preparing funerals and memorials Services for loved ones. **15** For the life and organisation of our local and parish Halls at Rock Methodist Church, Meavy, Walkhampton, Horrabridge, Sheepstor, and Yelverton. **16** The Mission Community Choir - Pauline Hamilton- Leggett, the choir leader. **17** Those who work locally in dangerous conditions and occupations.

...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, Philip Kerslake and Monty Hamilton.

...In Memoriam. Jim Knight RIP. Winifred Mares RIP.

St Johns Horrabridge, has a Collection Point in the Church **for donations** to Horrabridge Food Hub. **The Church is open daily between 1000 and 1600** and items can be left in the Collection Box at any time. Donated items are taken to the Food Hub promptly. 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.

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