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The Healing Power of The Son

Either it's stopped raining or we need to start building an Ark! We're all yearning for sunshine and new life outdoors - Easter has passed but the memories and meaning linger on. We must remember that Jesus is forever a transforming presence - we now live in a world where a resurrection has happened and our encouragement is that we can meet him wherever we need him to be in our life.

After his resurrection, Jesus seeks out his friends for a crafted, personal encounter, ministering to each of them very deeply and he never stops trying to get our attention! He wants to meet us in our own pain and suffering and we need to meet him in order to be healed and move on. It's so important for all of us to seek help in our doubts and pain, because how we allow Jesus to help us navigate these problems will determine our own progress through our spiritual life. We can't control our suffering, it controls us, and can easily limit our progress or steer us in the wrong direction. We must continue to grow to trust in the Lord - we are all in the safest of hands.

We remember Mary Magdalene as she stood weeping beside her great emptiness, the tomb of her Lord, and it calls us to think about where we also return to weep next to the great dilemma or emptiness in our life. She knew Jesus so well but still didn't recognise he was with her - how many times have we also not recognised that he has been with us, he'll never leave us to suffer alone. Jesus calls Mary by name, and in so doing he's saying, "I understand, I see you in your grief and I'm here with you and for you".

Though it takes courage and perseverance, we've got to stay present, wrestling with God in our grief, long enough to experience the fullness and gradual healing that Jesus wants to minister to us in that place.

In this season of celebrating new life, we need to recognise that spiritual sunshine and continue to embrace the warmth and guidance of God as we grow, we are healed and we move on together.

With every blessing

Rev Christian

News from the Tower... It is finished – nearly!

We celebrated the completion of the overhaul of the bells and the centenary of their dedication on Sunday 17th March. Simon, Elaine and Les gave the readings and led the intercessions in the service, and we reflected on the role of the bells in taking the message of the Church out into the community. After the service we enjoyed a convivial bring-and-share lunch at the back of the church. We were pleased that Andrew Wilby, CEO of John Taylor & Co (our contractor), Cllrs Neal Davey and Sue Griggs and Jeremy Salter, Chairman of the Civic Society were able to join us. A magnificent cake, baked and wonderfully decorated by Mark Heritage (pictured in the April magazine,) was cut and a toast drunk to the bells.

The first two phases of the Bells Project are now complete. The repainting of the iron and steelwork has been started, but remains to be completed when the weather is being a little more favourable to us. Offers of help with this (to lesboyce@gmail.com) would be gratefully received!

I must offer heart-felt thanks to all who have helped with the work of the project in the tower, organising fundraising events and activities and those who gave so generously. 17 people - members of our own tower, and volunteers from the congregation and other towers - helped with the work over nearly 50 sessions, saving St Peter's approximately £9,350. We

have raised over £20,500 over the last clapper under the watchful eye of twelve months and are very close to what is bellhanger, Andrew needed to cover all costs. So, although we



Picture of Dave and Simon refitting a

are still open to donations, we will not be organising further fundraising events for the bells. We are so grateful for all the help and support we have been given. Thank you.

Les Boyce, Bells Project Leader





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Christian Aid Week 12-18 May 2024

The community of St Peter's has always been a strong supporter of Christian Aid, and on Sunday 12 May we will have another opportunity to help where the cost-of-living crisis is truly devastating. Thus, to take one of many examples, in Burundi malnourishment and poverty affect more than 70% of the population, making survival a daily struggle. Jobs and food are hard to come by, and those who have homes often have no electricity or running water.

For Aline Nibogora, life was a constant struggle. She was married young and gave birth to her eldest son, Fisto, when she was just 14 years old. She experienced constant abuse at the hands of her violent husband.

A few years later, Aline faced even more devastation. Her husband married another woman, forcing



Aline to flee. He prevented her from taking their children with her, and in a further act of cruelty, told the local community that Aline was mentally ill and unable to care for her children.

In her own words, 'I wandered the streets, asking anyone for a place to sleep. Those who showed me kindness would let me stay for two or three days, but it was difficult. People would insult me and treat me with contempt. They forgot I was a human being. It filled me with sorrow.'



But Christian Aid stepped in. And thanks to support from Christian Aid, Aline could nurture a small income that in time enabled her to buy and grow nutritious food, build a home to call her own, and return her children to her side. She was determined to push back against the inhumanity of poverty, driven by hope, faith and the love of her children.

What can we do?

(Continued from page 7)

1 Fill an envelope

Our own chance to step in will come when Christian Aid giving envelopes are distributed to everyone who comes to the main morning service on Sunday 12 May, and collected with your help on the following Sunday 19 May.

Please remember that there are literally thousands and thousands of Alines whose lives we can help to transform. Please give what you can, and help the government to give what it says it will when you fill in the Gift Aid form.Thank you!

2 Book a safari supper

Share in a convivial evening on Friday 17 May. Starter and main course in a private home (details later); pud and coffee in church. Don't delay: limited numbers, first come first served! Book by phone: Gill Heard (258600) or Sally (254378) by Friday 10 May. The latest update on detailed plans will be posted on the notice board in the porch.

Chevithorne News

The church was full for the funeral of Wendy Richardson of 2 Riverside cottages Chettiscombe we offer our sympathy to the family.

To Daniel and Dannielle Tapp, a baby girl Heidi Molly Evelyn a sister for Olive.

Forthcoming village events, Saturday 27th April 10-30. Plant sale in the village hall.

Saturday 4th May. Village walk leaving the village hall at 2pm with a delicious cream tea to follow.

Saturday 11th May 10am. Village Hall spring clean from 10am.

Thursday 16th May 7-30pm. Quiz in the Village Hall.

Saturday June 1st, St Thomas church fête to be held in the grounds of Hayne House by kind permission of Sir Ian and Lady Amory from 2-5pm. Any help or donations would be much appreciated. A fine day would be a blessing.

We welcomed Mrs Esther Burd as the church treasurer at the recent AGM and thank Mr John Ewins for all his work as treasurer.

> Thank you. Margaret

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Tiverton Mothers' Union

Wednesday April 24th 2pm Baptist church rooms, this is a D I Y meeting when we talk about our birthdays, perhaps memorable ones when we were young or more recent ones celebrating the big O's. Family birthdays may also be discussed and as it is a members birthday on the 24th we finish with a birthday Tea. All are welcome to join us for a Happy afternoon.

The Holy week meeting in march was led by Sarah Rock - Evans From St Pauls. Sarah had prepared 4 readings each one read by a member starting with Isaiah 9, followed by discussion of how on this passage alone would we expect the Messiah to be like. After hearing the story of Herod and the wise Men we discussed their different reasons for wanting to find Jesus and why we want to know Jesus. The 3rd reading was from Matthew 26 and Jesus's prediction of Judas betrayal and Peter's denial. We discussed how Jesus baffled the disciples on what he said and did and what we do when our faith is confusing. After listening to Mark 14 32-41 we talked about how the Journey of the Cross impacts on our life. Sarah finished with prayer and we all agreed it had been a very meaningful talk for Holy Week.

Before Sarah left to meet her children from school we were able to enjoy tea & cake together and further chat.

May 24th --The Mothers Union Diocesan AGM 10-30 am -2-30 pm please take a packed lunch, Tea & Coffee will be supplied. It is a good time to hear about all the various different branches of the Diocese and the Overseas Links. Please contact Nickie if you would like to go.

Betty Thrall

Tea for Two (and many more!!!!!)

For Tiverton Mothers' Union outing on June 26th we are proposing to visit the Canal Tea Rooms – under new management – for a delicious Cream Tea. As in past years, we would like to invite members of our congregations to join us. Although a block booking can be made, we really need to have some idea of numbers before this can be done.

Please give your names to members or to Nickie Johnson (07957 198388) asap and let us hope the sun shines!





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Changing Times

There comes a time in one's life when one has to rethink all sorts of things. I served my first curacy in a very high church parish where lace prevailed, the servers wore white gloves and everyone called me "Father". I loved the theatre of it all, I loved the way young people served at the altar and seemed dedicated to the faith and loved the colourful rituals of the Christmas Midnight Mass or the Holy Week liturgies ending with the glorious liturgy of Easter Eve. I loved preparing the church for the great festivals and the camaraderie around the altar and the build up of anticipation prior to the great feasts of the church's year.

We kept every saint's day and after my priesting I presided at the Eucharist several morning a week. My first Mass after my priesting was midweek with a packed church and my parents, wife and family were proudly sitting in the front row. At the end I presented my wife and mother with bouquets of red roses as thank yous.

My second curacy was much more down to earth and incense was only used three times a year but the ceremony was still there although I became "Young Ian" rather than "Father". As the years have gone on and I have served in a variety of situations – as a youth officer, as parish priest to multiple rural parishes, as an evangelism advisor and more recently as a bishop's multifaith advisor, I have been forced to radically reevaluate things.

In my last parish my colleagues prevented me installing a daily Holy Communion and, while we had great Palm Sunday processions and Good Friday liturgies, we were much more ordinarily Anglican.

Since retiring my ministry has been largely in rural churches where simple liturgies are prepared lovingly by lay people; often just as moving and beautiful as some of the great ceremonials. The rituals of the Eucharist in which I grew up are often missing. The preparation and cleansing of the vessels at communion for example. The liturgical colours and vestments have much less importance and in general everything is much simpler but just as loved.

Weekday commemorations of the saints, Ascension Day, daily Mass during Holy Week with the readings of the Passion, along with much liturgical language have all gone. And part of me wants to grieve for it all.

May 2024 Diary

Sat 27 Apr	7:30pm	East Devon Choral Society Concert
Sun 28 Apr	9:30am 10:15am	Morning Prayer Online Holy Communion
Sun 5 May	8:00am 9:30am 10:00am 10:15am	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Prayer Online Morning Prayer Chevithorne Holy Communion
Thu 9 May	7:30pm	PCC Meeting
Fri 10 May	4:15pm	Visiting Bell Ringers
Sun 12 May	9:30am 10:15am	Morning Prayer Online Holy Communion
Wed 15 May Fri 17 May	6:00pm 6:00pm	Leave a Gift in Your Will Safari Supper
Sun 19 May	9:30am 10:00am 10:15am	Morning Prayer Online Holy Communion Chevithorne Holy Communion
Wed 22 May	2:00pm	Mothers' Union Meeting
Sun 26 May	9:30am 10:15am	Morning Prayer Online Holy Communion
Sun 2 June	8:00am 9:30am 10:00am 10:15am	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Prayer Online Morning Prayer Chevithorne Holy Communion
Mon 3 June	7:30pm	Deanery Synod
Sun 9 June	9:30am 10:15am	Morning Prayer Online Holy Communion

Tiverton Pannier Market – 2024 events schedule

May

Thursday 2 May (midday to 2pm) – Midweek Car Boot Sale Saturday 4 May (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market and Garden Festival Saturday 11 May (5pm to 9pm) – Electric Nights

June

Saturday 1 June (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market Thursday 6 June (midday to 2pm) – Midweek Car Boot Sale Saturday 15 June (times TBC) – Tiverton Family Dog Show and Father's Day event Sunday 30 June (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Salvage Fair

July

Thursday 4 July (midday to 2pm) – Midweek Car Boot Sale Saturday 6 July (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market (Summer Festival) Saturday 13 July (5pm to 9pm) – Electric Nights

August

Thursday 1 August (midday to 2pm) – Midweek Car Boot Sale Saturday 3 August (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market Saturday 17 August (times TBC) – Pirate event Sunday 25 August (10.30am to 4pm) – The Great Western Teddy Bear Fair

September

Sunday 1 September (times TBC) – Devon General bus event in town centre Thursday 5 September (midday to 2pm) – Midweek Car Boot Sale Saturday 7 September (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market Friday 27 September (10am to 1pm) – World's Biggest Coffee Morning Sunday 29 September (10am to 4pm) – Market Fest (alongside eat:Festival in town centre)

October

Saturday 5 October (9am to 2pm) – Tiverton Farmers Market (Oktober Feast) Saturday 12 October (times TBC) – Apple Day Saturday 26 October (10am to 2pm) – Halloween Pumpkin Hunt, A Chance to However, another part me wants to celebrate the releasing of the gospel from the shackles of the pious inner group that knew what to do and how to do it I want to welcome the much more casual and open fellowship with no hierarchy or imposed structure.

It is very difficult to see much loved practices becoming barriers for people to find the love of Christ – but with our changing society that is what is happening. I have been so impressed visiting vibrant open evangelical fellowships where young people still thrive and children are not only welcomed but what to be there.

Perhaps the greatest learning curve I am travelling along today is to discover that the rituals and drama of traditional liturgies belong in big city churches and cathedrals rather than small fellowships. The love of Christ seems more accessible and available where the language is normal and the rhythms of the year grow out of local experience rather than imposed by the Book of Common Prayer.

Ian Johnson

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From the registers



Funerals

- 18th January: Guy Mitchell
- 26th January: Maurice Burgess
- 27th March: Jeffrey Stokes (Taunton Crematorium)
- 11th April: Wendy Thompson (Chevithorne)



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Jam and Jerusalem

After last months request for recipes, I was so pleased to receive 3 from Caro Lamdin, and here's the first one for your all to enjoy.

Chicken Liver Pate with Gin.

11b/450g chicken livers (fresh or frozen)
1 tabsp butter
2 cloves garlic, peeled and chopped finely
2-3 tabsp gin *
10-12 juniper berries, chopped finely *
3-4 tabsp cream/cream cheese.

(*Variation - use dry martini or dry sherry & chopped rosemary or thyme instead of the gin & juniper berries)

Thaw the chicken livers if frozen, & snip out any white or fibrous core strands. Sauté lightly in the butter until just stiffened, adding the garlic to the pan when nearly done. Put into a liquidiser & de-glaze the pan with the gin, then add that to the liquidiser, with the juniper berries & cream. Whizz till smooth & pour into a pretty serving bowl - it will firm up as it cools. serve with toast or crackers, as nibbles, or as a first course, or for lunch with a salad. The flavour improves with keeping for a day or two, so it can be prepared well in advance & kept in the fridge for up to a week.

Wow this sounds really good, and I love things that can be prepared in advance. Thank you Caro, and I look forward to having your favourite recipes too.

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Saint Peter's Spring Fair

On Saturday 6th April, we held our Spring Fair to raise funds to equip the Children's Corner, and what a lovely morning it was. The bunting was a waving all



around the extended back of our Church, the cake table was overflowing, Bric a Brac galore was for sale, and the coffee flowed non stop. Jo had a queue at her draw table, and who wouldn't have a go at winning the fantastic hamper, all in a swanky F & M basket!!! We raised a wonderful total of £730.00 wow!! Shelia Richardson and Kate Henshall are delighted to be able to get the area carpeted, and maybe even a couple of 'easy' chairs to complete it, and we look forward to having a very welcoming Children's area very soon. Thank you to everyone who supported us.

Sally M.



St Peter's was looking amazing all 'dressed up' for Easter, and I would like to thank all the flower team once again, for their hard work and skill in making our Church look so beautiful, you are indeed very much appreciated by all. Sally M.

Random Thoughts

Perhaps most of us have an image or an experience from long ago which recurs at regular intervals throughout our lives.

When, where or what of I do not remember. All I recall is the brief T.V. record of a man leaping on a single bare foot, after two oxen. Not only had he lost a leg, but both arms were missing from the elbow. He had wedged the stumps over the handle of his primitive plough and was preparing the soil for the season's planting.

I never forgot that flash of another world, another tragedy, another injustice, and but a fragment of man's seemingly endless inhumanity to man.

Yet this wasn't a scene of pathos. Quite the reverse. It was a statement of human resilience-of desperation, perhaps, yes-but also a determination to get on with life with what he had left to him, to survive, and to do what he had to do in order to provide for his family.

He represented all those who humble us with their courage, who are undefeated by the tragedies of life; and we are reminded of those brought to our attention in recent years, people who have suffered loss through violence, suicide or cruel health issues and who have risen from their pain to mount crusades to help others.

Man's spirit, when it rises above the negativity of the world, becomes an inspiration to us all and we are nourishment accordingly.

Anon

Editors Note :- As always, If any reader has any thoughts / experience that they would like to share we welcome any articles sent to

TheParishMagazine@live.com or by post to Cotswolds, 49 Park Hill, Tiverton EX16 6RW by the 10th of the month preceding the issue month (ie 10th May for the June edition)

While space is limited I can generally find space for articles that are submitted locally, if not the same month then the following month.

Garfield

Prayer Diary for May 2024

O Lord hear my prayer – when I call answer me!

- 1. SS Philip & James. "Lord, show us the Father and we will be satisfied"
- 2. St Athanasius Give thanks for all who adhere to Christian doctrine
- 3. World Laughter Day give thanks for all that makes you laugh!
- 4. Pray for the housebound, lonely, unloved and unlovable
- 5. 6th Sunday of Easter pray that we may love as Jesus loves us
- 6. May Bank Holiday think of those who have to work today
- 7. Pray for the families of all those killed in the Gaza Strip, Palestinians and Aid Workers
- 8. Give thank for all who work for and support CHAT
- 9. Ascension Day Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!
- 10. Pray for all the Christian fellowships in and around Tiverton
- 11. Give thanks for the NHS: for doctors, nurses, auxiliary workers and administrators
- 12. 7th Sunday of Easter Thank God for His gift of eternal life
- 13. Pray for those who, through no fault of their own, are homeless
- 14. St Matthias Apostle. Give thanks for all those chosen to serve the Lord
- 15. International Day of Families give thanks for all that improves family life
- 16. Pray for those who need help with problems of debt
- 17. Give thanks for all who work 'behind the scenes' at St Peter's
- 18. International Museum Day give thanks for those who work in our local museum
- 19. **Pentecost** may the Spirit guide us into all truth
- 20. World Bee Day give thanks for the wonders of nature, for pollination and honey!
- 21. Bring before God those who mourn the loss of loved ones
- 22. National Numeracy Day give thanks for all who teach numeracy especially MU worldwide
- 23. Pray for carers of all ages who help to improve the lives of others
- 24. John & Charles Wesley Pray that we too may be bold in proclaiming the Gospel
- 25. Ask God's protection on the vulnerable and marginalised in our society
- 26. Trinity Sunday We praise you Father, Son and Holy Spirit
- 27. Schools half term May teachers be refreshed and children safe
- 28. Give thanks for those who grow and prepare our food
- 29. Pray for those suffering from depression, that they may find help and comfort
- 30. Corpus Christi Pray to abide in Christ and He in us
- 31. Visit of Mary to Elizabeth May our souls 'magnify the Lord'

IN MEMORIAM





This kneeler was made by Jane Bonnick, on behalf of St Peter's choir, in memory of Andrew Curtis, organist and choirmaster at St Peter's church.

Rev Christian Hill blessed the kneeler on Sunday 7th April 2024.

Andrew was a very unassuming, but very well respected member of St Peter's. As organist and choirmaster he provided a wealth of exceptional music for the church.

However his musical and other qualities reached far beyond the church, especially to children.

If you would like to remember or would like to know more, Devon Live has a lovely tribute written just after Andrew's awe inspiring funeral. Search online for "Andrew Curtis, Tiverton, Devon".

Andrew Curtis



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ORGANISATIONS ATTACHED TO SAINT PETER'S CHURCH

YOUNG CHURCH

We welcome all children and young people of whatever age, and like to have them in the congregation with us. Our policy is to enjoy our children - to see and hear them. Supervised activities tailored to the needs of individual children are provided during the 10.15 service.

ALTAR TEAMS

Sacristans care for the altar, and with Servers assist at Holy Communion on Sundays. (Contact Susan Beale 252619)

CHOIR

New members always welcome. (Contact: Gill Heard music@stpeterstiverton.org.uk)

BELL RINGERS

Bells are rung on Sundays and for Weddings. Practice on Tuesday 7.30. (Contact Sheila Scofield, emailringers@stpeterstiverton.org.uk)

MOTHERS' UNION

MU is a worldwide Christian organisation, concerned with the family, for women and men, married or single. At present we meet on 4th Wednesday in the month from 2.00 to 4.00 in the Baptist Church Lounge, and we welcome visitors and potential members! Contact Nickie Johnson 07957 198388.

PRAYER CHAIN

For those in need of some supportive prayer. Offered in total confidence. (Contact Jean Jenner 256597)

FLOWER ARRANGING TEAM.

A team who decorate the church at festivals and throughout the year. New members always welcome. Beginners offered tuition. (Contact Sally Mundy 254378)

SUNDAY INTERCESSIONS

If you are unwell and would like to be included by name in the prayers at Parish Communion, or if you would like the name of a friend to be included (having first got their permission) please contact Jean Jenner 256597.

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SUNDAY THURSDAY (Ot	 8.00 Holy Communion (BCP) (1st Sunday 9.30 Morning Prayer online - joint with The Exe Valley Mission Community 10.15 Holy Communion (CW) 10.00 Holy Communion at St Paul's her Services as on Notice Board in Porch) 	only)
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