

### W/B 3 August 2025

## The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

#### All Saints', Lower Brixham

9.30am Holy Communion Tues 5 August 10am Communion by Ext

#### St Mary's, Higher Brixham

11am Holy Communion Morning Worship Mon 4 August 9am Morning Prayer Wed 6 August 10.30am Holy Communion

# **St Mary the Virgin, Churston** 10am Morning Worship

**St Thomas of Canterbury, Kingswear** 10.30am Morning Worship

The Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Galmpton 8.45am Holy Communion



#### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

May God surround all who are sick in mind, body, or spirit with His healing love.

#### ALL SAINTS' LOWER BRIXHAM

Mary Eveleigh, Clarice Westlake, Chris Chinnery, Christine Watt, Jayne Carter

#### ST MARY'S CHURSTON

Eric Smith, Peter Grantham, Jo & David Lambert, Vikki Sheen, Derek Brown, Wendy Tonkin, Gay Brooke

#### ST MARY'S HIGHER BRIXHAM

Victoria Green, Gordon Smith, Graham Ward, Helen Kelly and her daughter Sarah, the Watson family, Ivor John, Steve Clutterbuck, Robin Hale, Paul Stamp, Paul Oxenbury, Christine Bull, Joshua Jackson, Judy Jolly

#### ST THOMAS, KINGSWEAR

Marcia Abdilla, Hayley Radford and family

#### THE DECEASED

# THE GRAPEVINE

27 July 2025

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#### Collect

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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.

First reading: Genesis 18.20-32

Second reading: Colossians 2.6-19

### **Gospel: Luke 11.1-13**

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.' He said to them, 'When you pray, say:

Father, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come.

Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.'

And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything." I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his

persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

'So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'

#### **Post Communion**

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.



Readings for Sunday 3 August, The seventh Sunday after Trinity

First reading: Ecclesiastes 1.2,12-14;2.18-23

Second reading: Colossians 3.1-11



#### **Art Exhibition**

Galmpton Barn Art Group's 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition of Art will be held in

#### the Barn Hall

from Saturday 16th to Monday 25th August

It will be open daily from **10am - 5pm** except on the Bank Holiday Monday 25<sup>th</sup> when it will close at 4pm.

Paintings and cards will be for sale.

A donation will be made to the church funds after the exhibition.

All are Welcome.

Brixham Royal British legion are arranging some events in support of *Ukrainian Action*:

**Saturday 23 August 7.30pm** Quiz Night at the Conservative Club, New Road (next to the museum/theatre). Maximum 5 per team, £3 per person.

**Saturday 20 September 7.30pm** Quiz Night at the Conservative Club – details as above.

Friday 17 October 6.30pm Hog Roast Dinner at the Berry Head Hotel, followed by a talk from Ukrainian Action (Devon). £35.

All profits from these events will be given to the aid convoy (see July issue of *Moving Forward Together*, page 20 for information about *Ukrainian Action*).



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