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Children, Youth & Families (CYF) Ministry Lead News



September Babies and Toddlers - now on holiday. Resumes on

Monday 8th

September 2025

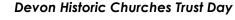


Next Sunday Club 21st September 2025



No monthly Mondays during the summer!

Dates for your diary



SATURDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2025

St John's church, Instow is open all day from 10am with written guides available. All Saints Chapel, Instow is open from 10.30am. Cream teas will be served from 2pm until 4pm. All welcome.

All churches will be open for some of the day.

SUNDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 2025

St Peter's, Westleigh is launching a 'Family Breakfast' service. **9.00am** breakfast followed by a **9.30am** family service. We hope this begins a regular addition to our CYF offering across our churches.





Please take a copy of the Beacon home with you so you can keep up to date with all our news.

Please join us for refreshments after our joint service today

SUNDAY 31ST AUGUST 2025

Readings: **Hebrews 13 v1-8, 15-16 page 1212 Luke 14v1, 7-14 page 1047**

10.00 Songs of Praise (TTEC joint service),

St John's church, Instow

MONDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 2025

No babies and Toddlers group

10.30-12.30 Refreshments and light lunch

'drop in', All Saints Chapel, Instow

TUESDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2025 10.30 Home group, Westleigh

WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2025

Readings: 1 Corinthians 1 v18-25

Mark 4 v1-9

10.00 Holy Communion, Fremington

19.30 Fabric & finance subcommittee, Rectory

THURSDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2025

14.00 Bell ringing practice, Fremington

FRIDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER 2025

14.30 Holy Communion, Catherine Court

SATURDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2025

09.00 Men's breakfast, Old Barn Bickington

13.30 Service of blessing, Instow

SUNDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER 2025

Readings: Philemon1-21 page 1200 Luke 14 v25-33 page1048

09.30 Holy Communion, Westleigh

11.00 Altogether service with baptism,

\Fremington



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At the beginning of the new academic year, we pray for all students and staff in schools and colleges across Devon. May this new year bring renewed energy, patience, and compassion. We pray for our CofE schools and academies, that through their visions and values, young people would discover the love of God.

MISSION COMMUNITY PRAYERS



- The worldwide Christian church
- Those suffering persecution for their faith
- The work of International Christian Concern
- Deacon Sheralee Devitt to be welcomed as new Methodist minister
- The peoples of Israel, Gaza, Ukraine and Sudan
- Cholera epidemic sweeping Sudan
- Hundreds of thousands of children 'facing starvation' in Nigeria

Please also pray for:

Bruce Bennett, Jane Lush, Ruth White, Brian & Pat Beadle, Gordon Coulter, Peter Fowler, Marion Smith, Jeanette Brown, Ellen Preston, Julie Crocker, Anne Rhodes, Sandra Michaelson, Jack Lingard, Ann Locketst

We especially pray for the recently bereaved families of: Ann Pentlow, Margaret Hammett

Articles to read - Please follow the 'News' links on the website - people have submitted articles of interest, under 'News and notices' (on achurchnearyou pages). Please send anything you'd like to share to the Rector.

Roots and Shoots - Please look at this monthly newsletter from the diocese, with all sorts of news and information. It can be seen here, or visiting the Links page on our website.

Fremington west end - Some people have commented that the re-ordering is less impressive than expected. We have not finished! There is still a storage cupboard and the kitchen to fit. We also will be using new tables and chairs. Please be patient.

New email address for Beacon

Please send information or news for the Beacon to: beacon@ttec.org.uk no later than:

TUESDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2025

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'Bag blessing' service Next Sunday 7th September 2025 11am St Peter's, Fremington

This service will mark and bless anyone going into a new phase of life; such as a new school or uni, changing role - anything where there is change. Please come and take part - bring a friend. You don't need to bring the bag!

Raising Funds for Blood Cancer



Rev. Steve Painting is completing the Barnstaple Half Marathon and Jo (Steve's daughter) is completing the Barnstaple 10K on **28th September 2025**. We are running in aid of Blood cancer UK and would be really grateful for any donations for the charity. You can find out more and donate on our JustGiving page or come and speak to us and donate offline. Thank you for your support! JustGiving link

https://share.google/R5qi4yIBqPTWRqRw8 or

SUPPORTING NORTH DEVON AGAINST DOMESTIC ABUSE (NDADA)

EVENT ON SATURDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER 2025. ST PETER'S CHURCH HALL, FREMINGTON



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