

**The Silvertown, Butterleigh,
Bickleigh & Cadeleigh
Mission Community Newsletter**
Sunday 12th October 2025, 17th after Trinity



This Sunday

9.30 am Holy Communion (CW) (Silvertown) The Revd Joanna Stobart
11.00 am All-Age Worship (Bickleigh) Mr Matt Melksham
11.15 am Holy Communion (CW) (Butterleigh) The Revd Joanna Stobart
3.00 pm Evensong (BCP) (Cadeleigh) Mrs Rose Chanin
Principal readings: 2 Kings 5.1-3, 7-15c; 2 Timothy 2.8-15; Luke 17.11-19

The week ahead

Monday 10.30 am - 12 noon, Coffee n Chat, Silvertown Church Hall
Thursday 10.00 am, Holy Communion (BCP) (Silvertown)
7.30 pm, Bickleigh Bible and Babble, Gable Cottage, Bickleigh

Next Sunday: 19th October 2025, 18th after Trinity

9.30 am Holy Communion (CW) (Silvertown) The Revd Sheila Walker
11.00 am Morning Praise (Bickleigh) The Revd Richard Maudsley
11.00 am All-Age Worship (Cadeleigh) Mrs Rose Chanin
No service in Butterleigh
Principal readings: Genesis 32.22-31; 2 Timothy 3.14 – 4.5; Luke 18.1-8

Clergy Contacts

We are now in an interregnum, and so for the moment we have no Rector for our four parishes until a new appointment has been made. If there is any urgent pastoral matter, please contact one of the churchwardens who will be able to put you in touch with a local member of the clergy. For all other matters, at first instance, please contact Maggie Smith, our administrator, by email: maggiesmith.silverleigh@gmail.com or telephone: 07790 291740.

Prayers for those who are ill or in hospital or otherwise in need

Please hold in your prayers: Andrew Hird, Edward Barham, Sylvia Lewis, Jim Wise, Gerry Hird, Martin McNeely, Karen Lloyd, Bill and Avril Pattinson, Chris Taylor, Martin Clough June Frost, Alan MacDonald, and Marcus Hilton, or anyone else known to you. Please also let the churchwardens know of anyone in need of our prayers, or to be contacted, or both.

Would you also please particularly remember in your prayers any known to you who are suffering from ill-health, hardship or are lonely or frightened. May we also pray for all those who are suffering in conflicts across the world and for an end to violence and a just and lasting peace.

Faithful departed

Please remember in your prayers, Annie Lewis-Marffy, Emma Clark and Reuben Newberry, recently departed. May they rest in peace.

The Interregnum

During the interregnum, we will be assisted in our worship by a number of clergy and lay ministers who have very kindly offered their services. I hope we will all support them and make them feel welcome in our

churches. They are giving up their time and going to a lot of trouble on our behalf, so please make a special effort to attend so they feel their time with us is appreciated. It is also a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the different insights that each will bring. So let us use the interregnum as a time to work and worship together as a family as we look forward to appointing a new Rector.

C.H.A.T.

A reminder that it is C.H.A.T. Sunday next Sunday (the 19th October). As always, household items and foodstuff would be very much appreciated. These may be left in the church during the week or on the Sunday

We are no longer our own, Lord God, but yours.
Put us to what you will, rank is with whom you will;
put us to doing, put us to suffering;
let us be employed for you or laid aside for you,
exalted for you or brought low for you;
let us be full, let us be empty;
let us have all things, let us have nothing;
we freely and wholeheartedly yield all things to your pleasure and disposal,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.
Amen

John Wesley 1703 - 1791

' . . . your faith has made you well. ' (Luke 17.19)

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