

**The Silvertown, Butterleigh,  
Bickleigh & Cadeleigh  
Mission Community Newsletter  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2026, 4<sup>th</sup> after Trinity**



**This Sunday**

9.30 am All-Age Worship (Silvertown) The Revd Dr Tim Astin  
10.30 am Worship for All (Butterleigh) Mrs Jill Hall  
11.00 am Holy Communion (CW) (Bickleigh) The Revd Dr Tim Astin  
6.00 pm Evensong (BCP) (Cadeleigh) The Revd Dr Tim Astin  
Principal readings: Genesis 22.1-14; Romans 6.12-23; Matthew 10.40-42

**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, 'Bible and Babble', Gable Cottage, Bickleigh

**Next Sunday: 5<sup>th</sup> July 2026, 5<sup>th</sup> after Trinity**

9.30 am Matins (BCP) (Silvertown) Dr Peter Smith  
9.30 am Holy Communion (CW) (Cadeleigh) The Revd Dr Tim Astin  
11.00 am Holy Communion (CW) (Bickleigh) The Revd Dr Tim Astin  
No service in Butterleigh  
Principal readings: Genesis 24.34-38, 42-49, 58-67; Romans 7.15-25a; Matthew 11.16-19, 25-30

**Clergy Contacts**

For any pastoral matter, please contact Tim: telephone: 07786 667170, email: [tim.astin@virginmedia.com](mailto:tim.astin@virginmedia.com)  
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**Prayers for those who are ill or in hospital or otherwise in need**

Please hold in your prayers: Edward Barham, Gerry Hird and members of the Hird family, Karen Lloyd, Chris Taylor, Martin Clough, June Frost, Marcus Hilton, Gwyneth Whitty, Roy Collings, Kathy Roberts, Eli Brookman, Helen and Mike Thomas, 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 Graham Parnell recently departed. May he rest in peace.

**Hesperos Choir**

I'm sure many of you will remember with great pleasure the concert given by the Hesperos Choir in Silvertown Church last July. You now have another opportunity to hear them, as the choir is giving a concert in aid of Cadbury Church, 'Nature & Memory' – music at dusk for the end of a long summer's day, in St Michael and All Angels Church, Cadbury on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 6.00 pm. Tickets £10: email: [catriona.fursdon@gmail.com](mailto:catriona.fursdon@gmail.com)

**Ashley Court, Tiverton Summer Fayre**

Join us on Saturday 4th July 2026 from 11.00 am to 5.00 pm for the Ashley Court Summer Fayre in aid of CHAT. See <https://www.chatmid.org/events/ashley-court-tiverton-summer-fayre> for details.

Father, my Father, enlarge my heart  
that it may be big enough to receive the greatness of your love.  
Stretch my heart that it may take into it  
all those who with me and around the world believe in Jesus Christ.  
Stretch it that it may take into it all those who do not know him,  
but who are my responsibility because I know him.  
And stretch it that it may take in all those who are not lovely in my eyes,  
and whose hands I do not want to touch;  
through Jesus Christ my Saviour.  
**Amen**

*‘ . . . whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.’* (Matthew 10.40)

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