

Church Magazine

News from the Shirwell Mission Community

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NEXT MONTH'S MAGAZINE

Articles for inclusion in next month's magazine to be sent to Terry no later than **Thursday 24 September** please.



Cover: Team Service at East Down, with Bishop Mike
Photo by Julie Kift



Ramblings

I am sure the news will have reached you all by now that I am moving to a post in the Edgemoor Mission Community. It will be a time of change for Adam and for me – and for all of you too who form the church in Shirwell Mission Community. I will also be able to continue in my Diocesan role as Rural Church Officer supporting small rural churches and those who serve them.

In our final churchwardens meeting it was suggested that the same parish profile which told me all about the parishes eleven years ago could be brought out again from the filing cabinet. While it would surely save some paperwork, (and I am totally in favour of keeping things simple!) it got me wondering about what *has* changed in our churches and parishes since I have been your Rector.

Of course there is much that has stayed the same, we have honoured traditional forms of worship that have continued through the centuries, and our communities – though made up of many new people – retain very similar demographics. But nevertheless, there is much that is changed, and is in the process of change.

God is steadily at work – not always through growth in numbers or mighty miracles – but in small conversations and in often unseen acts of kindness and service. As the seasons have come and gone, God has been present with us and many have been touched by his love even in challenging times. We have tried new ways of doing church – messy, outdoor, breakfast, pet services, hymns and puddings... and found new ways of serving our communities by opening our doors for community social activities or for people in need to fill their cupboards when things are tight. I hope that writing a profile for your new Rector will help you to reflect on how you are changing.

And I know too that I have been changed by my friendships with you, and I go away richer for knowing you.

Our Bible passage recently was from Romans 12 – a passage which reminds us that we must continue to seek to be transformed, following the ways of Jesus. This transformation comes as we become more like the body of Christ, each of us with different skills and gifts and talents – together building one another up.

An old model of church is one where it was all about the clergy, in the distant past a man with high status and lots of power. (Yes, always before, a man – and I have been honoured to be your first woman Rector). But that has never been the right way. Church is intended to be shaped as the body of Christ, where every person has a role and is valued for all they bring. We are all changed by being together – coming humbly and honouring one another - and when we come together in that kind of love, transformation happens.

A couple of verses stand out from Romans 12 – and they seem very apt to leave them with you.

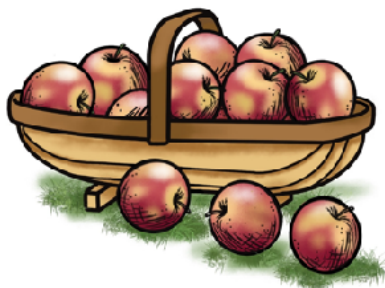
¹² Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. ¹³ Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. ¹⁴ Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse. ¹⁵ Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. ¹⁶ Live in harmony with one another.

In a world which seeks to divide us, look always for how you can welcome every person in the name of Jesus. Look also for how you can receive from one another. Always be asking, who can join me in this? As Jesus has loved and forgiven us – so we need to live in that love.

Thank you all for the change you have brought in me. Stay close to Jesus, and all will be well.

Blessings,

Rosie



A note on the process for appointing a new Rector...

The first thing that will happen is that Archdeacon Verena will get in touch with the churchwardens and arrange a 'vision evening' which anyone who is part of the church is welcome to attend. She will let everyone know a rough timetable of what lies ahead but be aware that it may take a while before a new Team Rector is licensed here.

In the meantime, churchwardens and PCCs take on a little more responsibility for the churches so please support them as much as you are able. They will gather together to support each other regularly and communicate.

Rev. Katie Welborn remains our part time Team Vicar until next summer – and will be able to continue with the pastoral and schools work she is currently involved with. That includes being there for funerals, weddings and baptisms – so please contact her for any enquiries around that. She is also working with the churchwardens to ensure as many services can continue as before – though more of them may be led by lay people or by clergy and other licensed ministers from further afield. Katie's hours remain limited as before – so please take care of her but keep her informed of decisions made and activities planned.

Although a time of vacancy can appear daunting – it can be a real opportunity if used well to think carefully about how you describe yourselves as a church and what kind of a church you aspire to be. It is a chance for new people to volunteer time and energy especially in supporting the Churchwardens and PCCs with caring for church and community. It can be a time of growth as you care for one another and pray for God to lead you.

A profile will be written for a potential new Team Rector, and this is a chance for you all to think about what makes you special, but it is also important to be honest about the challenges you are facing together.

I will need to keep a distance once I am licensed to the Edgemoor Mission Community, and absolutely won't want to interfere in the ministry of your new clergy person. But please know that I will be praying for you all.

Rosie



Creation in Christ Sunday

Rosie's Last Service
11am Holy Communion
followed by a
bring-and-share lunch
SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER
St Peter's
Bratton Fleming

September Monthly Reflection

CREATION IN CHRIST

Brown lawns, desiccated herbaceous borders, hosepipe bans, searing heat in the daytime, difficult sleeping conditions at night—no resident of the UK can be in any doubt that summer 2026 has been one of the hottest and most drought-ridden ever, if it doesn't actually end up holding a record. Those who remember the summer of 1976 will recognise conditions of even greater severity now, exactly half a century later, but this time as part of an increasingly evident pattern over recent years rather than an exceptional event.

The evidence for climate change caused by human interaction with the environment has been clear to the scientific community and the wider public for a considerable period; the summer we have experienced this year has brought home the magnitude of the changes humanity now faces, even if future increases in global warming can be limited in line with international goals—an aim of which the achievement in practice is far from being guaranteed.

Indeed, brown lawns and wilting borders are as nothing compared to the risk of increasing hunger if not starvation for millions of people around the world in increasingly hostile climates with marginally sustainable food supplies, in the context of the diminishing food security which all nations cannot now but address. Compounding all those problems is the effect of climate change in the winter months in geographies such as ours, where summer heat and drought are increasingly followed by extremely wet winters and flooding with all the disruption to homes and lives that entails.

Thankfully all is not doom, at least not yet. The gifts of human ingenuity are as real as they ever were, and the growing commitment by such a large part of our society to addressing the roots of climate change through modified behaviour patterns and investment in new ways of harnessing energy is plain to see, not least—often passionately so—among younger people.

In particular, the remarkable response among church communities in this diocese to the Give to Grow Green initiative has been heartening. More and more, churches are incorporating reflection on environmental concerns into their thinking and planning around their local mission and ministry—taking a lead in our wider society in a way which is truly prophetic.

The Biblical tradition of the Old and New Testaments is clear that the universe and everything in it is absolutely dependent on God for its coming into being and its continued existence, or (to put it the other way round) that God's absolute creativity is the source of all that is. At the same time, Holy Scripture witnesses to the trust God has placed in humanity as that part of God's earthly creation God has called to steward and care for the rest of it.

One of the gifts of the increasing awareness of this responsibility among all church traditions has been greater attention in our corporate spiritual life to the relationship of humanity to God as Creator. One of the fruits of this awareness has been the welcome ecumenical adoption of a 'Season of Creation' extending from the start of September to the St Francis of Assisi's day on October 4th.

As part of this initiative, the General Synod in July gave final approval to what has been describe as the most significant piece of liturgical business in a generation: the new Festival of Creation in Christ on the first Sunday in September. This offers a significant new opportunity each year for church communities in the Church of England to reflect on God's creative act in Christ, 'through whom all things were made', and on the responsibility for creation to which God calls us all.

As we enter the month of September and with it the season of Creationtide, I commend this new festival with its central theological and moral themes to our celebration and reflection in our local churches. May it help us to grow more deeply into our calling to fulfil the trust God has placed in his human creation for the sake of the world God has made.

Douglas Dettmer, Archdeacon of Totnes



Pioneering Parishes Book Launch Hosted by Diocese

A book launch for the new [Into All the Parish](#) book by the team behind [Pioneering Parishes](#) has taken place at the Diocese of Exeter's Old Deanery offices.

The authors Rev'd Greg Bakker and Rev'd Tina Hodgett said the short book was designed for church leaders, PCCs and others to read and ponder on how they could be and do church differently in a way that included as many people as possible and offered a "compelling witness in their neighbourhood."

Rev'd Hodgett said "I have a passion that the Church of England would be as beautiful, varied and compelling as God is, so people would want to know more about Him.

"I hope the book helps church people to go where others are and be a beautiful, glorious presence in their neighbourhood."



The Bishop of Exeter, the Rt. Rev'd Dr Mike Harrison, said "This is a wise, accessible and practical guide to helping Christian communities discern how God's Spirit is at work inside and outside the Church. Tools are helping congregations to ensure principles eclipse preferences, abundance mind-sets hold sway over scarcity narratives, and different ways of doing and being church are held together synergistically. All this wrapped up in a missional understanding of being caught up in God's sacrificial loving movement towards the world – personified in Jesus and inviting

our participatory involvement. Recommended!"

Pioneering Parishes is a Church Mission Society project which receives funding from the Church of England. It aims to help parishes become more outward looking, enabling parish priests and their churches to extend the care of souls into all the parish and explore a mixed ecology of church by offering different forms of worship and regular events designed to fit the local context.

The new book builds on training the authors have delivered over the past five years to curates, PCCs and whole mission communities.

Rev'd Claire Reynolds, vicar of Okehampton and Inclusivity Advisor for the Diocese took part in Pioneering Parishes during her curate training. She was interviewed at the launch and said "Pioneering is about giving space and freedom to people who have got those ideas and giving space to the Holy Spirit."

Claire said she was taking small steps in her own parish – for example taking the Open the Book project into a local school and adapting it to enable the pupils to play the biblical characters themselves because she does not have enough adult volunteers to follow the usual Open the Book model of adults playing the characters.

The Diocese of Exeter has partnered with CMS to run a 12-month part-time Certificate in Pioneer Mission course which results in a commissioned role. A number of lay pioneers have already been commissioned to work in their local parishes.

You can [find out more about training in pioneer ministry here.](#)





Dear Rosie,

It is hard to believe we are approaching Harvest time once again. It is a season of the year when we can express gratitude for the blessings in our lives and can, maybe, also give thought to those less fortunate.

You will know that here at the Freedom Centre, we work with local members of our community who struggle with homelessness, addiction and other life challenges. Working with other agencies, our heart is to meet with individuals at their point of need and walk with them towards a more positive, hopeful and purposeful future.

In the first half of this year, here are some of the ways in which we have been able to support people on our Day Centre that operates 5 days a week:

Activity	Total	Activity	Total
Visits to the Freedom Centre	4993	Loads of client laundry	154
Different individuals supported	342	Gym visits	629
Lunches provided	3398	On site GP / Nurse interventions	877
Clothing donations given out	116	'Together' clients seen	80
Showers provided	302	Individual counselling sessions	52
Foodbank vouchers given	71	On site pods nights occupied	589
Phone used by clients	342	Breakfasts for pod users	378
Phones charged	167	Computers used	53
Food parcels given	104		

We also provide safe supported housing for more than 50 people at any one time who may otherwise be homeless and, our partnership team operates an outreach service to those who continue to rough sleep in the area, to make sure they are cared for and their essential needs are met.

In previous years we have been so blessed by and grateful food donations that we have used in our Day Centre kitchen to help those in need whilst at the same time keeping our costs down to enable us to spend that money elsewhere.

If you feel you would like to support us in this way once again, this year, we would be so very grateful. If you are wondering how best to do that, we have enclosed a list of items that we are in most need of and can best use. Please do feel free to share this information with others who, you feel, may like to help.

Thank you once again for your amazing on-going support and on behalf of the FCA which is so appreciated. If you would like any more information about our work or donating at harvest, please do call the office on 01271 321171 or email us at info@freedomcommunityalliance.org.uk.

Freedom Harvest List

This is a list of our current requirements to keep our kitchen running and provide food parcels for our clients:

Meals in a tin e.g. chilli, stew and curry
Tinned fruit e.g. pineapple chunks, pears, rhubarb, apple or mandarins
Custard powder
Chopped tomatoes
White easy cook rice
Coffee
Pot noodles
Granola bars
Chocolate bars, large and small
Orange juice – large or small cartons
White Flour – self raising and plain
Granulated white sugar and caster sugar
Icing sugar
Jelly – any flavour
Tomato puree and Worcestershire sauce
Herbs and spices: Rosemary, thyme, cumin and garam masala
Lemon juice and Vanilla essence
Sunflower oil
Washing up liquid

We have a huge amount of the following, so can we please ask you NOT TO SEND:

Tinned soup, pasta and spaghetti and tea

Also needed are:

Men's spray deodorant, toothpaste and toothbrushes

Mission Community Telephone Prayers

Our telephone prayers continue at 6.30 every Wednesday. These prayer times last only about half an hour and we pray for those within our Mission Community and further afield. This is a time when we can join together in prayer either aloud or in silent prayer, but we may feel that when two or three meet together, we can join our prayers and thanks too. Anyone can join in, the phone number is available from Rosie or from Chris and Rosemary.

Bratton Fleming



with

Stoke Rivers News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/bratton-fleming

www.shirwellmissioncommunity.orh.uk/churches/stoke-rivers

Since the last Church magazine went to print what a month it has been!

After much speculation Taylor Swift finally married Travis Kelce at a star-studded wedding with over 1000 'A' listers on the guest list. Once again, the 'beautiful game' suffered many highs and lows as the Football World Cup played out in real time. Some teams were superb, others behaved disgracefully, but Spain were worthy winners, though of course, you might disagree.

Mid-August saw the 5th. official 2026 heatwave in southern England as well as over 90% of the sun eclipsed. It wasn't quite as spectacular as the 1999 eclipse, because it happened in the evening, but it still displayed the awesomeness of God's creation.

Rev. Rosie's Farewell Service - Sunday 6 Sept. I am at St Peter's, Bratton Fleming, will be followed by a Bring and Share Finger Buffet Lunch. It would be most helpful to let Marion

know what you intend to bring.
Mobile text to 07484 610285

Rosie and Adam have been so much part of our Church and community for the past 11 years; it's hard to imagine what life will be like without them.

Before Rosie came, the ECC discussed having a screen and projector, but the detailed specification was only worked on after she arrived. And several things happened having been instigated by Rosie:

'Mondays @ 2' - met a need for mums with very young children. Breakfast Church, the 'Give and Take' box, Peter's Pantry – each initiative has been meeting needs within our community.

And who would ever have thought of 'champing'? August has been a busy month offering hospitality to champers. Many choosing to stay in

churches to help the All Churches Trust and the individual churches involved.

Looking forward - the September services at Bratton are as printed on the back.

Our Harvest Thanksgiving on 13th. Sept. will be led by Jenni Coats.

On 20th Sept. Tracey Darling will lead our Communion Service and

27th. Sept. 10.45 a.m. Breakfast Church will be led by Laura Winkley.

We look forward to seeing you all soon.



St. Bartholomew's Church, Stoke Rivers are the proud owners of two new magnetic noticeboards courtesy of Maureen and Roger Ireland.
Many thanks to both for your kind donation.

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Challacombe News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/challacombe

Church News

Our final Morning Coffee for this season was a happy occasion with plenty of time to chat and to look at some of the old photos which had been brought.

There was a good turn out for the cream tea with Epilogue which was held at the end of July. We are so grateful to Roger for coming over to play the organ, and to the choir for their singing and to Ruby for her harp music. The tea was excellent and again there was plenty of opportunity to chat. Thank you to everyone who helped to make it such a happy occasion.

At the end of August we shall be hosting the Mission Community service at 11am on the 30th. Again it is a great opportunity to meet with others from other parishes and to worship together.

This year, owing to outbreaks of Blue Tongue in the area, our annual Sheep dog Trials will have to be without sheep or sheep dogs. However, on September 6 we shall be holding a

Family Day with dog show, stalls, competitions, refreshments and lots of family entertainment, all in the usual field. We hope to make it a really enjoyable day out. There will be free entry to the field from 11.30, the skittles competition starts at 12, competition entries must be in the tent by 1pm and the Family dog show starts at 1pm. Most other events will continue throughout the day. Any contributions to the refreshments, stalls and tombola will be most welcome.

The tower has now been finished and is now a dazzling white (this will fade in time).

On September 27 at 6pm we shall be holding our Harvest Festival. This will be followed by a supper and the auction of produce, all to be held in church.

On September 2 the Home Group will be meeting at 7.30 at the Old Smithy to plan out our future programme.

Challacombe Family Day & Dog Show

Whitefield Barton - EX31 4TU

Saturday 5th September 2026

Activities Start

11.30am

Family Dog Show

1.00pm

**Refreshments, Raffle,
Tombola, Skittles, Stalls**

Special attraction – old photo exhibition of Challacombe and farming through the ages (we would welcome any exhibits of interest on this theme)



Also open competitions -

1. Floral arrangement in a jug/gravy boat
2. Best 3 blooms from your garden
3. Best single item of veg from your garden
4. Vegetable sculpture

To be staged in the marquee by 1 p.m.

For more details tel :- 01598 751310

All Welcome

East Down

with

Arlington News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/arlington
www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/east-down

On 19th July we held a Holy Communion service at East Down church and were lucky to have the Bishop of Exeter come to take it for us. Rev'd Katie was also there to help too. We had a lovely amount of support from all the other churches and many stayed for the picnic afterwards on the lawns of East Down Manor. Bishop Mike stayed for the picnic and enjoyed meeting everyone and participating in the raffle!

The Bishop gave us an oak sapling which he presented to the Chairman of the Friends group.

Many thanks go to all the cleaners, flower decorators, and everyone who helped in any way to making the church and churchyard so welcoming for him. Thank you for all the raffle prizes. We were also lucky with the weather again so that made a difference.

The next service will be the Harvest Festival on 27th September 5pm followed by a supper in the village hall.

All very welcome to come and join us





TIM GODDEN

artist



Open Studio

An exhibition of works by artist Tim Godden, including five new pieces exploring the often lost architecture of John Meadows, marking the 235th anniversary of his death alongside his memorial.

St. James' Church, Arlington
12th & 13th September
19th & 20th September
10am - 4pm

For more information visit:
openstudios.devonartistnetwork.co.uk/studio/tim-godden



Kentisbury News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/kentisbury

Three Tower Festival

Saturday 5th September

All welcome



Bratton Fleming

Kentisbury

Berrynarbor

Friday night camping
BBQ

Barn Dance

Hog Roast - tickets available

Bar on site

Westland Farm, Kentisbury EX31 4SH

Contact Andy Cleave 07970 667472

andycleave@hotmail.co.uk

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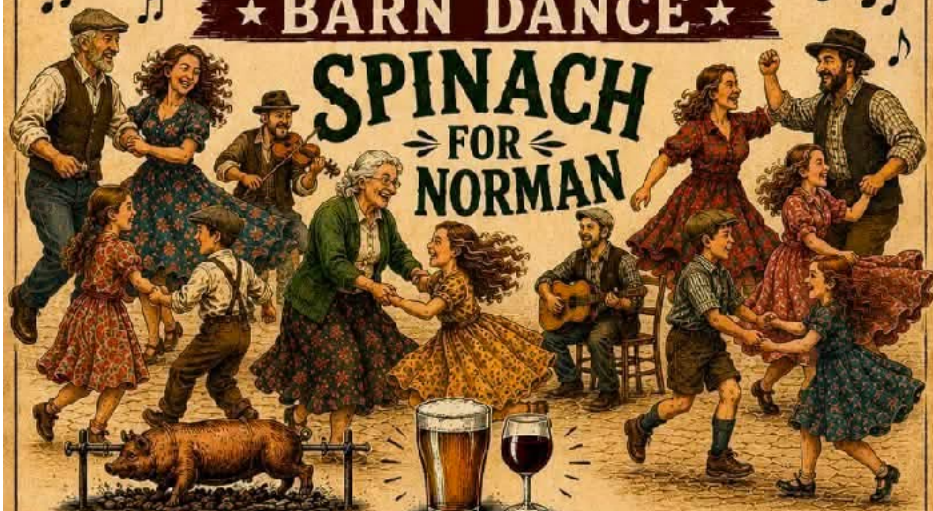
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Loxhore News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/loxhore

On Saturday 15 August Loxhore team of bell ringers took part in a Ringing Festival held at East Buckland Church.

Evening Prayer on Sunday 16 August was the last service led by Rosie. It was a sad occasion but was also a time when we could thank Rosie for

all her support, encouragement and faithful service over the past 11 years. We all wish Rosie and Adam the very best for their future ministry and life in the Edgemoor Mission Community.

We look forward to our Harvest Service which will be held on Sunday 20 September at 3pm.



Shirwell News



www.shirwellmissioncommunity.org.uk/churches/shirwell

August

I feel we have been treasuring Rosie's last few services and her messages to us this month before she moves to "pastures new".

Katie has also led us with thoughtful worship as always.

The lay- led service this month was led by Charles and Simon when Simon spoke interestingly about eco theology.

Looking ahead: September

Services will be at 9.30 at Shirwell each Sunday this month except on 6th September when we join the Team service at Bratton Fleming at 11am. This will be Rosie's last service with us. I'm sure we are all sad to see her leave but our prayers and best wishes are with her for the future.

There will be a bring and share lunch afterwards. If you are planning to come it would be helpful if you could let Marion Ridd Jones at Bratton know what you are planning to bring. Her email address is marionriddjones@gmail.com or tel.no 07484610285. Thankyou

There will be a coffee morning with a bring and buy stall in aid of Devon Historic Churches in the Church on

Saturday September 5th from 10 until 12. Do come along!

Julia will be starting our choir practices on Thursday evenings, commencing September 10th at 7.30pm in preparation for the Harvest Festival service. We look forward to getting together for some more joyful singing.

This month's Shirwell soup lunch will be on Wed, September 16th at 12.45 for 13.00 hrs. Anyone from the Shirwell congregation or aged over 50 living in Shirwell is welcome. Please book your place, preferably by Friday 11th by phoning Amanda on 07900826669. Thankyou.

For your diaries

October: Our Harvest festival service will be at 6.30pm on October 4th followed by a bring and

share supper. The choir will be singing. Everyone will be very welcome



...I take it our local supermarket has a rather good offer on tinned peas at the moment!

Back to School

The summer days of leisure
Give way to autumn cool;
Our mood is hard to measure
As we go back to school.

The table that was bearing
The fizzy pop and snacks
The surface is now caring
For books and packed lunch packs.

It's sad when times of easy rest
Give way to daily grind;
The bright side, when we're feeling stressed
Can be quite hard to find!

But we can't live forever
On a beach of golden sand;
It wouldn't be so clever
To live our lives unplanned!

A new phase is beginning
New scope of things to learn,
New ways we can be winning
New corners we can turn!

When school days are behind us
And faded, like a ghost -
The summertime will find us
With two weeks hols at most!

By Nigel Beeton

Rotas

Date:	Sept 6	Sept 13	Sept 20	Sept 27	Oct 4
BRATTON FLEMING					
Sidespeople	Maria	Barbara	Lynne		Maria
Flowers	Alissa	Nicky & Hazel	Claire	Hilary	Maria
Readers		Lynne & Barbara	Roy & Pam		Roger & Barbara
Intercessions	Steve	Vas	Lynne		
CHALLACOMBE					
Sidespeople		Rosemary		Hugh	
Readers		Philip & Carole		Daniel & Hugh	
SHIRWELL					
Sidespeople		Mark	Dvid F	Sue	
Readers		Hazel & David F	Harvey & Charles	Linda B & David B	
Flowers	Linda D	Linda D	Averil	Averil	
Coffee		Charles & Julia	Hazel	David & Sue	
Cleaning	Sue & David	Ann & Dsnielle	Linda & David	Jean & Nadine	

And Finally . . .

Are politicians the oldest profession?

A surgeon, an architect and a politician were arguing as to whose profession was the oldest. Said the surgeon: "Eve was made from Adam's rib, and that surely was a surgical operation."

"Maybe," admitted the architect, "but prior to that, order was created out of chaos, and that was an architectural job."

"But" the politician pointed out in triumph, "somebody had to have created the chaos first!"

September 2026

Services in the Shirwell Mission Community

Date	Place	Time	Service type	Readings Year A
Sept. 6	Shirwell		No service	
Creation in Christ	Bratton Fleming	11.00am	Holy Communion followed by bring and share lunch ¹ to celebrate Rev'd Rosie's final service	Isaiah 55:12-13 Matt 8:23-27
<i>White</i>	Loxhore		No Service	
Sept. 13	Shirwell	9.30am	Morning Worship	Rom 14:1-12
Trinity 15	Bratton Fleming	9.30am	Harvest Service	Matt 18:21-35
	Challacombe	11.15am	Holy Communion	Ps 114
<i>Green</i>	Arlington	10am-4pm	Devon Open Studios: Tim Godden ²	
Sept. 20	Shirwell	9.30am	Morning Worship	Jonah 3:10-4:11
Trinity 16	Bratton Fleming	9.30am	Methodist Communion	Matt 20:1-16
<i>Green</i>	Loxhore	3.00pm	Harvest Service	Ps 145:1-8
	Arlington	10am-4pm	Devon Open Studios: Tim Godden ²	
Sept. 27	Shirwell	9.30am	Holy Communion	Phil 2:1-13
Trinity 17	Bratton Fleming	10.45 for 11.15am	Breakfast Church	Matt 21:23-32
	East Down	5.00pm	Harvest Service followed by harvest supper ³ in the village hall	Ps 25:1-8
<i>Green</i>	Challacombe	6.00pm	Harvest Service followed by refreshments and harvest auction	
Sept. 29 Tuesday	Bishop's Nympton	7.00pm	Rev'd Rosie's Licensing Service	

All services Common Worship unless indicated BCP. BCP is a more traditional liturgy, with language from 1662.

¹ If you can, please let Marion know what you're planning to bring: marionriddjones@gmail.com

² Tim Godden is a North Devon painter, collagist and printmaker. He is exhibiting some of his new works inspired by the architecture of John Meadows, who designed the original house at Arlington Court in 1790. The church holds John Meadow's memorial, and the exhibition coincides with the 235th anniversary of his death. openstudios.devonartistnetwork.co.uk/studio/tim-godden/

³ £10 per person, please pre-book by emailing Charlie: charlesoconnor@hotmail.com