The Benefice of Lann Pydar

St Columb, St Enoder, St Ervan, St Eval and St Mawgan

Welcome



Sunday 22nd November 2026
Christ the King

Our Services for the week ahead

Tuesday 24th November

9:00am	St Mawgan	Morning Prayer

Wednesday 25th November

9:30am	St Eval	Communion

Thursday 26th November

9:00am	St Mawgan	Morning Prayer
3:30pm	Columba Centre	Evening Prayer

Sunday 29th November

11:00am	St Mawgan	Benefice Safeguarding Service with Communion
6:00pm	St Eval	Advent Carol Service

We continue to make Morning Prayer available online on Facebook: facebook.com/lannpydarchurches
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Safeguarding

The Benefice of Lann Pydar takes the safeguarding of those who attend and visit our churches seriously. If you have any concerns or would like to talk to someone, please see our posters in all our churches for contact details, or contact Helen, the Rector, or Jackie Oglethorpe (07811 958851, jackie.oglethorpe@gmail.com), the Benefice Safeguarding Officer.

We remember all those who need our prayers…

We pray for…

Our Diocesan and Deanery Ministry Teams: Bishop David, Bishop James, Archdeacon Clive, Archdeacon Helen and Revd. Helen Baber.

The Newquay Area Debt Centre and its Manager Bekah.

Our Worship Team: Helen (Rector); Lydia (Curate); Alison, Andrew, Angela, Bryan and Mary (Assistant Priests); Phil (Licensed Lay Minister); Jackie (Local Lay Leader); Barbara, Denise, Kat and Ros (Local Worship Leaders); Margaret and Sarah (Ordinands).

Our Benefice and Churchwardens: as we work together with our Deanery and across our Diocese.

We also remember those who are bereaved at this time, thinking of the family and friends of Elizabeth Wilson.

Years mind: Tony Gummow, Margaret Beetle, Pauline Sandercock, Frank Williams, Mervyn Thomas, Ellen Strong and Janet Hawke.

If you know of anyone needing prayer or pastoral care, please phone the Benefice Office on 01637 880252 or email lannpydar@gmail.com Please send any information for the Welcome from your parishes by 9:00am on Tuesday.

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Just Be

Thursday 26th November at 2:00pm in the Vyvyan Room at the Columba Centre. Come along for tea, coffee and cake, bring a craft if you would like to, and just be.

Bible Course

The next, and final, session of the Bible Course will be held **on Thursday 26th November at St Ervan Church from 7:00pm to 8:30pm**. See posters for details.

Benefice Advent Service

Come to a reflective service of Advent readings and music **at 6:00pm on Sunday 29th November at St Eval Church**.

Angel and Dove Festival

From **Tuesday 1st December** St Columb will be filling their church with angels and doves, bringing hope, peace, joy and love. Everyone is invited to **make or contribute angels and doves** and leave them in St Columb church (open 10:00am to 4:00pm daily) **by Sunday 29th November**. For further details see posters in churches or contact De Tremain (stcolumbpcc@gmail.com).

Drop In and Chat

This will be held **on Monday 30th November at 10:00am at M&S Kingsley Village**. Have a coffee and chat with Helen. This is the last one until mid-January 2027.

Contemplative Prayer during Advent

This will be held **every Tuesday during Advent (1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd December) at 7:00pm at the Rectory**. Come and meet for meditation, contemplative prayer and silence with God.

Items needed for Tombola

Please bring donations of unwanted suitable items for the Tombola for the St Columb Christmas Lights turn on **to the Rectory by the morning of 4th December**.

Advent Quiet Day: "Light and Service"

On Friday 4th December, 10:00am to 4:00pm at Angela Butler's house in Newquay. Canon Steve Weston takes his theme for the day from the Ancient Service of Light as we look forward to Christmas at the darkest time of the year. Cost is £10 to include lunch. For more information and to book contact Angela (01637 859238 or angelabutler209@gmail.com).

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 64:1-9, Psalm 80:1-8,18-20,
1 Corinthians 1:3-9 and Mark 13:24-37.

St Enoder Christmas Tree Festival

Local community groups and businesses are invited to supply and decorate a tree within **St Enoder Church**. **The trees need to be in place by Sunday 6th December** and can be any size and theme. See posters for details

Saturday 12th December:

10:00am – 12:00noon	**St Mawgan - Churchyard Working Party**
10:00am – 4:00pm	**St Eval – "Around the World with 100 Cribs"**
2:00pm	**St Columb – Messy Church does Christmas**

Old Testament Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-16,20-24

Thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.

Psalm: Psalm 95:1-7a

O come, let us sing to the Lord;
let us heartily rejoice in the rock of our salvation.
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving
and be glad in him with psalms.
For the Lord is a great God and a great king above all gods.
In his hand are the depths of the earth
and the heights of the mountains are his also.
The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hands have moulded the dry land.
Come, let us worship and bow down
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.
For he is our God;

New Testament Reading: Ephesians: 1:15-23

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Gospel Reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

Collect

God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory. **Amen**

Prayer Response

We are your people:
the sheep of your pasture and at the end…
Merciful Father, accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Stir up, O Lord,
the wills of your faithful people;
that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**