

## Readings Sunday July 5th:

*St Thomas Apostle: Transferred from 3rd July*

**First reading:** Habakkuk 2:1-4

**Second reading:** Ephesians 2:19-end

**Gospel:** John 20:24-29



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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

*Tuesday 30th June:* 11am- 1pm Wildlife survey **St Mary the Virgin, Churston, Churchyard.** Assistants very welcome: *Deb Avery and Kay Deare. [deb.avery1@icloud.com](mailto:deb.avery1@icloud.com)*

*Friday 10th July:* After school: Last Messy Church **Hunter's Moon, Horsepool Street, Brixham.** If wet, we will be in church as usual. *Lesley 01803 854036*

*Sunday 12th July - Sunday 19th July*

## ALL SAINTS' SEA WEEK

*Sunday:* 9:30am Sea Sunday Service **All Saints' Church**

*Tuesday:* 10am - 2pm Stalls at **Brixham Fish Quay Market**

*Tuesday:* 3pm - 5pm Cream Tea with Missin' Tackle: **All Saints' Church** £5

*Wednesday:* 10am Midweek service

**All Saints' Church**

*Thursday:* 10am - 12pm Coffee morning

**All Saints' Church**

*Friday:* 7pm Fish and Chip supper

**All Saints' Church** Tickets £10

*Sunday:* 6.30 pm Harvest of the Sea

Civic service **All Saints' Church.**

## THE GRAPEVINE

*June 28th, 2026*

*St Peter and St Paul*

*Transferred from 29th June*

## Collect

Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**First reading:** Zechariah 4:1-6a, 10b - end

**Second reading:** Acts 12:1-11

**Gospel:** Matthew 16:13-19

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock, I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail

against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.'

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER** Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the apostles with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

After a long battle with cancer, Carmen Lewis's sister *Marcia Carson (nee Abdilla)* passed away on the 19th June, after marrying her partner Ian on 18th June.

Also remembering *Anna Snuggs*.

### PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND WHOLENESS

**All Saints', Lower Brixham:** Jacky Walker.  
**St Mary's, Brixham:** Joan Christley, Brian Williams, Revd Ken and Val Dixon, Helen and Sarah Kelly, Judy Jolly, Paul Oxenbury, Robin Hale, Jodie Cantel. **St Mary the Virgin, Churston:** Derek Knowles; Val and Ian Webb; Bryn Thomas.  
**St Thomas of Canterbury, Kingswear:** Christine Abdilla, Stela.

### PRAYERS FOR BAPTISM

For Max and Maggie.

### SERVICES for this week:

**Monday 29th June: St Mary's, Brixham:**  
9am Morning Prayer  
**Tuesday 30th June: All Saints, Lower Brixham:** 10am Holy Communion

**Wednesday 1st July: St Mary's, Brixham:**  
10.30am Holy Communion

**Sunday July 5th**  
*St Thomas Apostle*

**All Saints', Lower Brixham:** 9:30am Holy Communion

**St Mary's, Brixham:** 11am Holy Communion

**St Mary's, Churston:** 10am Holy Communion

**St Thomas, Kingswear:** 10:30am Morning Worship

**Barn Chapel, Galmpton:** 8:45am Holy Communion

**Saturday 18th July:** Brixham Orpheus Male Voice Choir An afternoon concert **St Mary the Virgin, Churston**



### The Good Shepherd's Way

**PILGRIMAGE** 15th-16th August

2026 **Are you interested in the idea of pilgrimage?**

- keen to reconnect with nature and faith?
- curious?
- in need of peace for reflection?

**Self-guided WALKING ROUTE** linking all churches in the Brixham Mission Community Map and instructions available to print. Churches provide welcome, drinks, facilities and reflective spaces.

**EVERYONE WELCOME** CHILDREN, FAMILIES, WHEELCHAIR USERS... do any section you can, at your own pace, with your own picnic.

**DAY 1 Saturday 15th August** *Easy, moderate, half day hike starting from the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Galmpton*

**DAY 2 Sunday 16th August**

*Challenging. A whole day hike from St Mary's Brixham to Kingswear, ending with tea at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Galmpton.*

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