

Mission Community of Goodrington and Collaton St Mary

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St George's, Goodrington



St Mary's, Collaton St Mary

7th September 2025
Twelfth Sunday
after Trinity

Creationtide begins

*I pray that the sharing of your faith may
become effective when you perceive all the
good that we may do for Christ.*

St Paul's letter to Philemon v6

Services today

9.15am Parish Eucharist at St Mary's

11am Parish Eucharist at St George's

Readings: Deuteronomy 30. 15-20; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14. 25-33

A very warm welcome to all, and particularly to any visitors.
We hope you will join us for refreshments after the Eucharist, at the
back of church at St Mary's and in the church hall at St George's.

The UK Emergency Alert system will be tested today, Sunday 7th
September, at 3pm. No action is required but do not be alarmed
to hear a loud noise from your mobile phone this afternoon!



Services this week:

Wednesday 10th September, 10am Holy Eucharist at St George's

Morning Prayer at 9am and Evening Prayer at 5pm are said on
weekdays in St George's church

This Week at St George's and St Mary's

Monday 8th September:

Goodrington Memory Café from 2 to 4pm in St George's church hall, for those with cognitive issues and their carers. A small fee of £2 per person applies.

Tuesday 9th September:

the Friendship Group returns after its Summer break, meeting weekly on Tuesday mornings from 10.30am to 12noon in St George's church hall – all are welcome.

Wednesday 10th September:

10am Holy Eucharist at St George's, including the Mothers' Union Wave of Prayer which reaches the Diocese of Exeter from 10th to 12th September.

Friday 12th September:

The YUM bus mobile food bank is at St Mary's on Fridays between 10am and 12 noon. Refreshments and advice are available in the church during that time.

St Mary's will be open again this afternoon, between 2 and 3.15pm with refreshments for Collaton St Mary Primary School parents and carers and their children and visitors.

Saturday 13th September:

Meet and Make with Revd Alison, crafting items to give away, including gifts for Ukraine, as well as knitting links for chains to be used during the 16 Days of Activism against gender-based violence (25th November to 10th December).

The Collect for the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

*Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*



Next Sunday, 14th September– the 13th Sunday after Trinity

9.15am Parish Eucharist at St Mary's

11am Parish Eucharist at St George's

Readings: Exodus 32. 7-14; 1 Timothy 1. 12-17; Luke 15. 1-10

An appeal and a challenge:

We are appealing for packets of Paracetamol tablets to send to Ukraine. Paracetamol is the only painkiller that can be imported and it is difficult to obtain there. The Challenge is to see if we can collect 1000 packets by St Luke's Day, which we shall celebrate on Sunday 19th October. There will be collection boxes in both our churches on Sundays – please give generously.

And an invitation:

On Tuesday 23rd September, the Mothers Union group is hosting an open evening Potluck Supper in support of Refugee Action. You are all invited – everyone who comes is asked to bring a dish to share, something which has meaning to them – perhaps a favourite food from childhood, a family recipe or their signature dish – and to make a donation. We do need to collect names (but not necessarily their dishes) in advance, so please sign one of the lists at the back of each church. If you have any questions, please ask Ruth Collop (tel. 01803 843452)