

Parish Bulletin

**Communities enriched by Christian faith,
worship & values**

We are the Church of England inclusive and loving worshipping communities of Yelverton, Meavy, Sampford Spiney, Sheepstor, Walkhampton, Princetown, and Horrabridge, and you are very welcome!

One Accord Choir. You are invited by Horrabridge and Sampford Spiney WI to **St John's Church, Horrabridge**, at **1430** on **Wed 16 Oct**. Do come along and listen to about 25 ladies singing, and enjoy some refreshments in the interval. Free entry

Beating of the Bounds: The third and last part of Plasterdown Grouped Parish Council's boundary walk will take place on **Sun 20 Oct** at **1000**. It will start from the Boundary Stone near Riland Plantation (Grid Ref 516714) and finish at the Dartmoor Inn, Merrivale-approximately six and half miles. Wear stout footwear and waterproofs, children welcome but must be with an adult, bring lunch and drink, walkers do so at own risk, sorry, NO DOGS, at the request of farmers. Further details from Janet Sturmer on 01822 614752 or janetcbsturmer@aol.com Thank you.

A Goodbye Service for Philippa and Stephen, who are moving to Brixham for her to take up her post as Rector, will be held at **Horrabridge** on **Sun 27 Oct** at **1800**. There will be a bring and share tea afterwards, all contributions gratefully received

Friday 8 November Kathryn Roberts and Sean Lakeman, one of the best-known duos of modern British folk, will be playing at **St John's Church, Horrabridge**, at **1930**. Tickets are £12, under 16s £6, and they can be obtained from Bookstop in Tavistock, or phone 01822 614657 or email horrabridgechurch@outlook.com. Space is limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

Mobile Post Office services are now available at **Walkhampton Memorial Hall** on **Wednesdays** from **1100 - 12noon**.

Bulletin Notices to go to ruth.gozzard@gmail.com no later than **1600** on **Wednesday** please.



Our Rector

The Rev Andrew Thomas.
T: 01822 854804.
E: rectorwestdartmoor@gmail.com

Parish Bulletin

Ministry Team and website contacts are found at www.westdartmoor.church

Open Churches

All our churches are open daily for private prayer and stillness.

WORSHIP

Mon Oct 14th	0900 Walkhampton Morning Prayer
Wed Oct 16th	1100 Yelverton Eucharist BCP
Sun Oct 20th	0915 Yelverton Said Eucharist Ord 1 1000 Horrabridge Toast 1600 Sheepstor Evening Service 1800 Yelverton Choral Evensong

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

Oct 13th	(Green) Amos 5.6-7, 10-15 Psalm 90. 12-end Hebrews 4. 12-end Mark 10. 17-31
Oct 20th	(Green) Isaiah 53.4-end Psalm 91.9-end Hebrews 5.1-10 Mark 10.35-45

Collect. God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; through 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.

1st Reading. Amos 5.6-7,10-15 **Psalm.** 90.12-end **2nd Reading** Hebrews 4.12-end

Gospel acclamation. Alleluia. Alleluia. Speak Lord, for your servant is listening, you have the words of eternal life. **Alleluia.**

Gospel Reading: (Mark 10.17-31). As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, 'Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: "You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honour your father and mother." ' He said to him, 'Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.' Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, 'You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, 'How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!' And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, 'Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.' They were greatly astounded and said to one another, 'Then who can be saved?' Jesus looked at them and said, 'For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.'

Peter began to say to him, 'Look, we have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.'

Post Communion Prayer. God our Father, whose Son, the light unfailing, has come from heaven to deliver the world from the darkness of ignorance: let these holy mysteries open the eyes of our understanding that we may know the way of life, and walk in it without stumbling; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for the week ahead. **13** Our local Emergency Services, especially the Fire Station at Yelverton. **14** Those preparing funerals and memorials Services for loved ones.

15 For the life and organisation of our local and parish Halls at Rock Methodist Church, Meavy, Walkhampton, Horrbridge, Sheepstor, and Yelverton. **16** The Mission Community Choir - Pauline Hamilton- Leggett, the choir leader. **17** Those who work locally in dangerous conditions and occupations. **18** Our local Young Farmers Clubs. **19** Our Ecumenical neighbours: Rock Methodist Church, Holy Cross Catholic Church.

...In need of healing & wholeness: Monty Hamilton, Karen and Gareth Sherry, Jo Day, Noah Buff, Peggy Bryant, Esther Warner, Geoff Lloyd, Esther Rookes, Rodney Carroll, Michael and Wendy Doidge, Peter Walde, Philip and Pat Kerslake, Keat Cawrse, Karen Hammonds and Di Pulford.

... In Memoriam. Trevor East RIP

Healing and Wholeness. The Ministry Team are creating a regular review of the names on the list. If you would like your name added, or a name that is on the list to remain there, please contact Caroline Paskins arcjpaskins@btinternet.com (853377). In future, names will be removed after 3 months, after which they can be added again if desired.