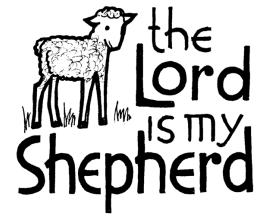


**The Silverton, Butterleigh,
Bickleigh & Cadeleigh
Mission Community Newsletter**
Sunday, 3rd May 2020, 4th Sunday of Easter



Today

9.00 am, Holy Communion (BCP) via Zoom.

10.00 am, Service of the Word (hosted by St Matthew's, Butterleigh). This will be the main service of the day by means of 'Zoom'. The Order of Service and the hymns and Psalm for this Sunday are attached.

The internet link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/441211862?pwd=cWZ6bDVEaVV2S3ZiWW9YYW1XTmVIUT09>

By phone: You can join in the worship by phone by dialling any one of the following numbers: 0203 481 5237 0203 481 5240 0131 460 1196 0203 051 2874

Meeting ID: 441 211 862 Password: 653794

For those who do not have internet access or cannot join us in this way, please put this time aside for a special time of prayer and reflection.

Principal readings: Acts 2.42-47; Psalm 23; John 10.1-10

During the week: Morning Prayer

During the coming week, Paul will continue to say Morning Prayer each morning from home, and this can be seen at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCI5UIh3MZTAcTNzpV9h08bA> or search 'Paul Kingdom' on 'You Tube' available from about 8am each day. This uses material from *Common Worship: Daily Prayer*: see the notes on the YouTube channel for details of readings etc.

Next Sunday: 10th May 2020, 5th Sunday of Easter

10.00 am, Holy Communion, via 'Zoom' (hosted by St Bartholomew's, Cadeleigh).

6.00 pm, Evensong, via Zoom.

Principal readings: Acts 7.55-60; Psalm 31.1-5, 15-16; John 14.1-14

We have prepared a booklet to help worship at home during this time of restriction. The booklet can be seen at <https://www.churchofengland.org/more/media-centre/coronavirus-covid-19-liturgy-and-prayer-resources>

There are many other good prayer resources to use on that webpage. Please let Peter Smith know if you would like a copy sent to you.

Clergy Contacts may be found in the Silverleigh Parish Magazine. For any urgent pastoral matter, please contact Paul: telephone: 01392 860560; email: revpaulkingdom@gmail.com For all other matters, at first instance please contact Maggie Smith, our administrator, by email: maggiesmith.silverleigh@gmail.com or telephone: 07380 247766.

Prayers for those who are ill or in hospital or otherwise in need

Please hold in your prayers: Dave Weston, Sue Knight, Beverley Stoneman, Andrew Hird, Olly Mears and Stephanie, or anyone else known to you. Please also let Paul, Judith, Thom or Catherine or the Churchwardens, know of anyone in need of our prayers, or to be contacted, or both. Sadly, we will not be able to visit except in exceptional circumstances. Please particularly remember in your prayer any known to you who are suffering from the Coronavirus or are lonely or frightened.

Faithful departed

Please remember in your prayers Diana Messer and Andrew Welch recently departed. May they rest in peace. Please also pray for all who have died as a result of the Coronavirus outbreak and for their families and loved ones.

The Mission Community Prayer Meeting

Due to coronavirus, the members of the Group will Pray collectively but in their own homes. The 'meeting' will be on **Tuesday 3rd May 7-7.30 pm** when we will pray for each of the four churches, their leaders, for Paul and his wife.

We will also pray for all those who are ill and mentioned in the newsletter. We will pray for all those affected by coronavirus. We will ask that the Lord will keep us safe at this time.

All members of the 4 churches are invited to join in this quiet time of prayer.

C.H.A.T.

As we are unable at present to collect foodstuffs and household goods for C.H.A.T., any cash donations to C.H.A.T. would be much appreciated at a time when people in our local area need their help more than ever. Address: Coggan's Well House, Phoenix Lane, Tiverton, EX16 6LU, tel. 01884 255606. A newsletter from C.H.A.T. is attached.

Christian Aid

It is Christian Aid Week from 10-16 May. Unfortunately, we cannot collect in Silvertown Square as in previous years. Yet the need is greater than ever and Covid-19 can be overwhelming in a country where there is already much poverty. So please make a donation to Christian Aid to help in the face of so much need. You can donate online at **caweek.org** or send a cheque made out to **Christian Aid** to 'Exeter Christian Aid Treasurer, 46 Heavitree Road, Exeter, EX1 2LQ'. Thank you.

Silverleigh Magazine

The Silverleigh Magazine for May has been distributed by email. If you have not received a copy and would like to be sent one, please let Maggie know.

Weekly Newsletter

A reminder that if you are not already receiving the Newsletter and would like to receive it weekly by email, please get in touch with Maggie (maggiesmith.silverleigh@gmail.com). This Newsletter is also available on our webpages on the 'A Church Near You' website and all further information will be displayed there.

Bickleigh support

See the village website, Bickleigh.org.uk for information for those self-isolating or requiring assistance to collect medicines or essential food. It also provides e-copies of The Bugle and Silverleigh Magazines. You might also like to look at our Facebook local 'Bickleigh Messenger'. For any other advice or help, please contact Clive and Judith Williams on 01884 855093.

Silvertown Angels

The Silvertown Angels are here to help in a variety of ways during the crisis, such as shopping, collecting medication, etc, or just to chat if lonely. If you need help or would like to volunteer, please contact Jules & Tony (01392 861013), Andy (07826 454085), or Jane (01392 860235).

FB: www.facebook.com/groups/silvertowncommunityangels email: silvertowncommunityangels@gmail.com

Gracious God,
give skill, sympathy and resilience
to all who are caring for the sick,
and your wisdom to those searching for a cure.
Strengthen them with your Spirit,
that through their work many will be restored to health;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

All material for the Weekly Newsletter, to Peter Smith please (p.m.smith@exeter.ac.uk)

'Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep.... Whoever enters by me will be saved ...' (John 10.7,9)