

WEEKLY UPDATE



Week Commencing January 5th 2025

Matthew 2.1-12

¹ After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem ² and asked, 'Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.' ³ When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. ⁴ When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵ 'In Bethlehem in Judea,' they replied, 'for this is what the prophet has written: ⁶ 'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you will come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel.' ⁷ Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. ⁸ He sent them to Bethlehem and said, 'Go and make a careful search for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him. '

⁹ After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen when it rose went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. ¹⁰ When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. ¹¹ On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshipped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. ¹² And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

Collect

Creator of the heavens, who led the Magi by a star to worship the Christ-child: guide and sustain us, that we may find our journey's end in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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For Pastoral and Caring Issues, or someone to talk to please contact:	Stoke Climsland	Jane 01579 370372
	Linkinhorne	Norma 01579 363572
	South Hill	Judith 01579 384617

Rural Dean Rev'd Michael Johnson

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Claire Hodgkins - Family Worker ccfamilyworker@hotmail.com

Items for the newsheet to John pamjohnk@btinternet.com

Items for Prayer Corner to Brian briannorrisics@hotmail.com

By 6.00pm
Thurs

Prayers - PLEASE PRAY



† That we may re-commit ourselves in 2025 to love and service in our local congregations and communities.

† For those working on the 'On the Way' process and our full time clergy, that they may have wisdom and discernment to guide the deanery and it's parishes into a fruitful and sustainable future.

† For those who have been bereaved or injured in the recent terrorist incident in New Orleans and for all who work to identify and prevent acts of terrorism.

† For those working with the homeless and those living rough on our streets.

† For those unwell in body, mind or spirit. For those who mourn the loss of loved ones.

PRAYER CHAIN - If you would like one of our prayer chains to pray for any particular reason, or would like to join the prayer chains, please contact:-

For Stoke - Jan Parsons janetmparsons@btinternet.com

For Linkinhorne - Norma Draper 01579 363572; nrmadraper@gmail.com

For South Hill - Miranda 01579 382863; mLawranceowen@icloud.com

Everything is always in complete confidence within each chain.

If you would like to advertise on the Website or on Social media you can email the following address: website.callingtoncluster@gmail.com

For calendar entries please contact the following people:

Stoke - Carol Brocklebank: carolbrock57@icloud.com

St. Sampson's - Miranda Lawrance-Owen: mLawranceowen@icloud.com

Linkinhorne - Maxine Browne: maxineatlinkinhornechurches@aol.com

South Hill Prayer Gathering Tuesdays at 9.30 – 10.00 am in St Sampson's.

Informal prayers for our parish. All welcome For more information, or to request prayer, contact Miranda mLawranceowen@icloud.com or 01579 382863"

St. Mary's Monday Prayers

Everyone is welcome to join for prayers, informal bible study, and fellowship each Monday between 10 and 11am.

Deanery Prayer meeting (weekly Mondays at 9 till 9.30am on Zoom)

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2521792902?pwd=SVprSUdUUlFzeFF2L0NMOGM1NmxDNQT09>

Stoke Church Prayer Meeting

Mondays in Church at **6.00pm** – all welcome.

CHURCH SERVICES

Stoke Climsland

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.00am Morning Worship
2.30pm Remembering God

Next Sunday – 8.00am Morning Prayer
10.00am Holy Communion

If you would like to meet to be prayed with, please phone Jan 01579370319.

St Mary's

Sunday - 10.00am Together@10

Next Sunday – Together@10

Mid-week Holy Communion - 10.30 am (said) Every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays.

St Sampson's South Hill

Sunday – 11.15am Morning Worship

Next Sunday - 11.15am Celtic Morning Worship

If you have a concern or require prayer please contact judithayers@yahoo.co.uk

St Paul's Upton Cross

Sunday - 10:00am All Age Service for the New Year

Next Sunday - 10.00am Informal Worship

St Melors Linkinhorne

Sunday - 6.30pm Evensong

Next Sunday – 11.00am Holy Communion

Every Monday – 10.00am Morning Prayer
Church is open daily for private prayer.

Notices

St Mary's 'Warm Space' pop up cafe 12:00pm - 1:30pm, Wednesdays

A guaranteed warm welcome. Home-made
(where possible) soup, a roll & a hot drink.
Anyone can come & it is free – a donation box.

Eat, Drink & Share the Love
at the Pop-Up Café
in STOKE PARISH HALL
TUESDAY 9.00am – 12.00am
voluntary contribution for charity

Drop In Cafe
Linkinhorne Parish Hall, Upton Cross
this Thursday
from 2:45 to 4:30pm.

Baby and Toddler Groups
WoW 9-11 Wed in Church
Sampson's Supertots Mondays
The Parish Hall Golberdon 9.30-11.30am

7pm TUES JAN 21st

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*{toe-tapping / dancing-in-the-aisles-type
Cornish / Celtic song}*

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ticket direct from us at St. Dominick Church

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FOODBANKS – to find out what your local foodbank needs see:

<https://www.givefood.org.uk/needs/?address=Callington,%20UK>

Liskeard and Looe Foodbank donations to Unit 2 Trevecca Industrial Estate, Culverwood Road, Liskeard PL14 6RE on Mon/Wed/Fri 9.30am and 12.30. Also at the Co-Op, Pound Land and Morrisons, near the café.

St Paul's and St Melor's have drop off points. You can donate money on line at

<https://liskeardlooe.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/>

Callington Foodbank

Account Name: Callington Foodbank
Sort Code: 08-92-99
Account No: 67222643
Bank: The Co-operative Bank

drop off point TESCO

If anyone wishes to have a standing order
mandate could they please email me at
stokectreas@btinternet.com

Thank you for your continued support.