

The Vicarage  
Bishopsteignton

Dear Friends,

The other day someone asked me, in a teasing sort of way, "Well, and how would you sum up your sixteen years as a vicar here, then?"

And since I'd already been pondering this myself, I was able to reply, quick as a flash, "In a word: grateful." (Though in so many ways that it would take a book, not a page, to enumerate them adequately.)

In summary then, first and foremost I'm grateful to God for bringing me here, and then, a close second, to Pippa for coming with me.

I'm grateful for the warmth of the welcome that we received; one that has extended into deep friendships over the years.

I'm grateful to clergy and Reader colleagues in the Team, and for the teams of Wardens, Treasurers and Secretaries in each of the churches down the years.

I'm grateful for the creativity within the congregations, and the desire to serve the communities in which each is placed.

And so, as the letters in the magazines this past year have included the sharing of favourite or special prayers, I shall conclude by adapting the short Grace that I quoted in February,

"God, you have given me so much; Give me one thing more: a generous, grateful heart.  
Amen."

And finally, in answer to other queries, Yes, I am grateful to be retiring. It's the right time for Pippa and me, and it's the right time for the Team to have a new Team Vicar.

With my continuing love and prayers,  
Stephen.

**P.S.** Please call in to the Vicarage Tuesday 12th - Saturday 16th, 10 am - 6 pm to take part in the Grand 'Downsizing-at-the-Vicarage' Extravaganza.

### **ST. MARY'S, IDEFORD**

The PCC recently met and elected new members: Anthony French - Fabric.

Lee Martin - acting Treasurer. Liz Rice - Secretary.

Also: Vanessa Morby, Nicky Horseman, Vicki Gardner, Liz Lucas, Becks Jones and Jane Hill.

If anyone has any queries or suggestions feel free to email me on [lizrice890@icloud.com](mailto:lizrice890@icloud.com) and I can put it on the agenda for the next meeting.

We are hoping for an active and peaceful year for St Mary's and Ideford.

*Liz Rice.*

## SERVICES FOR JUNE 2018

### Sunday June 3<sup>rd</sup>

10.30am, Rev'd Stephen West

### 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday After Trinity

Parish Communion

Ideford

### Sunday June 10<sup>th</sup>

6.30pm, Rev'd Stephen West

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday After Trinity

Team Farewell Evensong

St Michael's  
Teignmouth

## IDEFORD READINGS FOR JUNE

	Reading	Readers	Sidesmen
June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 Corinthians 4.5 - 12 Mark 2.23 - 3.6	Alan Wooderson Vanessa Morby	Alan Wooderson Vanessa Morby

## BISHOPSTEIGNTON SERVICES

### 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion (said)

10.30am Village Worship at the Methodist Church

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion (said BCP)

10.30am Holy Communion (sung)

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion (said)

10.30am Village-Family Praise

### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion (said)

10.30am Parish Communion (sung)

### Every Wednesday

10.00am Holy Communion, and prayers for healing (said)

## Luton Church Altar Flowers and Brass Cleaning

June Liz Wright

## Ideford Church Flower Rota

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

Sally Elliot

June 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

Suzanne Hill

June 24<sup>th</sup> & July 1<sup>st</sup>

Gladys Stevens

## Ideford Church Key Rota

June Lesley (Bees Corner)

July Liz Hill (Towns End)

Any problems, please contact Lesley, the Church Key Rota Co-Ordinator on 01626 853752. If someone takes over your key duty during the month, please let Lesley know, and it would also be helpful if you could amend the Rota in the church porch - thank you.

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - Regular Events**

### **TUESDAY COFFEE MORNINGS**

June 5<sup>th</sup> Kath Mortimore, Oaks Reach, Ideford

### **IDEFORD SHORT MAT BOWLING**

Tuesdays and Sundays 7.00pm in Ideford Village hall. New members welcome.

### **ART GROUP**

Thursdays from 2pm until 3.30pm

Adults - £5.00 per session, 16 and under - £3.50 per session.

More information from Angie on 01626 854898.

### **IDEFORD PARISH COUNCIL**

Thursday June 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm - Village Hall, Ideford.

Monthly Council Meeting

### **BISHOPSTEIGNTON PARISH COUNCIL**

Meetings are held at 7.30pm at The Community Centre, Shute Hill

Monday June 4<sup>th</sup> Full Council

Monday June 18<sup>th</sup> Planning Committee

### **BELL RINGING PRACTICE**

Practices normally in Ideford Church on **Thursday evenings** from 7.30pm until 9.00pm, Please contact David Aylmore (852259) or Martin Sampson (853391) for more information.

### **IDEFORD LUNCH CLUB**

Second Thursday of each month.

For more details please contact Kath Mortimore (853394).

### **MOBILE LIBRARY**

Wednesday June 13<sup>th</sup>

Ideford (The Pound) 3.45pm - 4.15pm

Luton (Church Street) 4.25pm - 4.45pm

### **CHURCH ROTAS - SEE PAGE 2**

## **Can you help?**

I am looking for someone who would be able (and willing) to collect some newsletters from Ideford on the **4th Thursday or Friday** of each month and deliver them to an address in Ashcombe and/or Higher Sandygate, ready for delivery. If you can help, please contact Janet on 01626 852259 or e-mail: [janetaylmore@hotmail.com](mailto:janetaylmore@hotmail.com) - thank you!

## Other Events

**WEST COUNTRY**  
affordable  
**ART FAIR**  
at  
**ASHCOMBE**  
**2 & 3 JUNE**  
BAR & REFRESHMENTS  
Signed on  
**A380. EX7 0QD**

### Village Hall News



Many thanks to everyone who supported the last Village Hall Quiz in April.  
Our next Quiz Evening will be held on Saturday 13th Oct. at 7pm for 7.30pm.

**Also:**

A Table Top Sale will be held on Saturday 6th October from 10am - 2pm.

Tables are £10 each, to book please contact Angela Fox on 01626 859599

An ideal opportunity to sell art and craft items or unwanted and unused gifts.



An invitation to an open night and short presentation on  
**FREEMASONRY**

Who we are, what we do, how we do it, and why

**TUESDAY JUNE 5th AT 7.00PM**

**Vale of Haldon Masonic Lodge**

**The Masonic Hall, Barton Terrace, Dawlish, EX7 9QH**

**Opposite Barton Surgery**

Ever thought about joining Freemasonry, or what it is all about? Well this is your chance to come along and find out.

The Vale of Haldon Lodge will be opening its doors on the 5th June and invite you to come along and see what Freemasonry is all about and see the good work and enjoyment which is had by like-minded men, whilst at the same time, making a difference and helping those less fortunate.

Therefore, if you are interested or are just curious, come along and hear our short presentation, enjoy some light refreshments and meet the members of the lodge.

The Vale of Haldon Lodge meet at The Masonic Hall, Barton Terrace, Dawlish on the first Tuesday in February, March, April, October, November & December at 6.30pm and afterwards dine at the Langstone Cliff Hotel.

[www.valeofhaldon.org.uk](http://www.valeofhaldon.org.uk)

Our twitter account is @7949lodge

## **SUMMER IS NEARLY HERE!!**

**Come and enjoy a Cream Tea  
in Ideford Village Hall**

**on**

**Sunday June 10th**

**Sunday July 15th**

**Sunday August 12th**

**from 2.30pm - 5.00pm**





## ***Downsizing at the Vicarage***

### **Good homes wanted**

for hundreds of books, dozens of pictures  
& no end of other stuff!

Please call round to the Vicarage, 3, Moors Park (TQ14 9RH)  
anytime between 10am and 6pm  
from Tuesday 12th to Saturday 16th June  
and take your pick,  
(less than half our stuff will fit into our new house!)

If you want to phone ahead, it's 775247.

We look forward to seeing you,

*Stephen and Pippa*

### **Amber's WSJ Fundraising Update**

Firstly, many thanks to everyone who has supported us with our fundraising for Amber to attend the World Scout Jamboree next summer in West Virginia, USA. We really appreciate your help and support and we're doing really well with it. We have a couple of fun events coming up locally.

The first is the Pop-Up Supper which will be held in the lovely gardens of Teign Lawn in Bishopsteignton (by kind invitation of Nick Shaw) and which will be hosted by Amber (and myself). The catering is being provided by a professional chef and celebrates the foods of the countries hosting the World Scout Jamboree. Tickets are **£25pp** and this includes a superb and interesting 3 course meal and a welcome cocktail. The menu can be found on [www.bishopsteignton.org.uk](http://www.bishopsteignton.org.uk) and tickets can be bought at Bishopsteignton Village Shop, Post Office and the Hair Studio.

The second event is a summer ball at Teignmouth Golf Club. There will be live music from local band Moneypenny, raffle, auction and a 3 course sit down hot buffet and of course, the view from the golf club in summer is to die for! Tickets for both of these events can be bought from Vicki on 01626 854814.

*Vicki Gardner*

I am holding a

# **Cream Tea**

**in my garden at Oaks Reach**

**on Sunday 24th June, 2.30pm onwards**

This is in memory of Rob Mortimore,  
and to raise money for The Marie Curie Nurses.

I will also be making a donation to Ideford Church, Millennium Green, and Luton Church.

My High C's choir will be singing some lively songs to entertain you.

**Entrance £5 includes your cream tea (children £2)**

There will be a draw

My grateful thanks to Maureen and family for allowing me to use their field for parking.

Please bring a chair, some will be provided

Hope to see as many of you who can make it.

*Kath Mortimore*



**Rural Skip**  
**Ideford Village Pound Area**  
**Saturday 30 June 2018**  
**10am until 4pm**

This service is for bulky household waste only  
 (televisions and computer monitors are accepted)

***Whenever possible items deposited will be reused or recycled***

In line with the new contract the following items **will not** be accepted through the Rural Skip service and will instead need to be taken to one of the Devon County Council run household waste and recycling centres (when charges may apply). The nearest centre is on Brunel Industrial Estate, Newton Abbot:

Dead pets and animals	Food waste	Garden waste
Demolition & construction waste	Plastic window or door frames (with or without glass)	Bath or shower tray (plastic, fiberglass or composite)
Plastic pipes/guttering/fascia etc.	Soil & rubble including tiles & sanitary ware	Shower screen (glass or plastic)
Insulation materials	Roofing felt	Trade waste
Oils & other liquid wastes including household chemicals	Hazardous waste including fluorescent tubes	Toxic waste
Tyres	Vehicle batteries	Gas cylinders
Sharps/clinical items	Plasterboard & asbestos	

Ideford Parish Council would be grateful if car owners who usually park near the Pound could keep the area as clear as possible on 30 June 2018 to allow for the delivery and easy access to the skip.

**Please do not deposit any waste at the site before the skip has arrived.**

For more information please contact your Parish Councillors or call the free Recycling Helpline 0800 731 0323.



**WHEN PARKING OUTSIDE THE VILLAGE HALL - PLEASE WOULD YOU ENSURE THAT ALL NEIGHBOUR'S DRIVES HAVE BEEN LEFT COMPLETELY CLEAR - SO THAT ACCESS AND EGRESS ARE NOT BLOCKED IN ANY WAY.**

**Many thanks - Angela Fox - Chair of the Trustees Committee**



## IDEFORD VILLAGE TIDY UP DAY

Please come and help tidy up your village. Tidy up day is on **Saturday 30th June**, to coincide with the village skip collection.

10am - 1pm

Litter picking equipment will be distributed from the village hall from 10am, all helpers will be very welcome.

Tea and coffee will be served in the village hall from 11am.

For more information please contact Liz Hill on 854934 (e-mail: [lizhilltownsend@gmail.com](mailto:lizhilltownsend@gmail.com) )



## Ashcombe Village Fete & Country Show

11am - 6pm, 29th July 2018

Ashcombe Village Club, EX7 0QD

Adults £5 Children Free

Great Stalls • face painting • Steam Horse Display Team • Terrier Races  
Displays & Shows • Vintage Tractors • 4x4 Scuffle Trucks  
BBQ • Live Music • Dog Show • Produce Show • Bar

[www.ashcombe-villageclub.co.uk](http://www.ashcombe-villageclub.co.uk)

Facebook: Ashcombe Devon

## Check who you pay to take your rubbish away

Did you know that you are legally responsible for the waste you are getting rid of? This means that if it ends up getting dumped, you could face a fine and a criminal record. Don't become a victim of this type of crime. Before you pay someone to take your old fridge, furniture or bulky items away, follow our simple checklist.

Simple steps

1. **Check if they have a waste carriers licence.** You can do this by checking on their website, asking to see their waste carriers licence and by calling the Environment Agency on 03708 506 506 for a free instant waste carrier check.
2. **Make a record.** Take a note or photograph of the registration number of the vehicle that is being used to take your waste away and ask where it will end up.
3. **Get a receipt.** Ensure that you get a transfer notice or receipt before your waste is taken away.

Remember that most unwanted bulky household items can be taken to your nearest recycling centre for free. Alternatively, Teignbridge Council provide a free rural skip service and offer a charged bulky waste collection service. For more information please visit [www.teignbridge.gov.uk/wastecarrier](http://www.teignbridge.gov.uk/wastecarrier) .

**The Millennium Green Committee** would like to thank all those who helped to make the Pre-Royal Wedding Bash such a success. I know there were many of you behind the scenes assisting with putting up tents, baking cakes, providing fabulous prizes and bottles for raffles, tombola and stalls as well as organising races for children and ducks! Thanks to the Traditional Building Company for their very generous donation towards the staging and thank you to Maureen for allowing us to use her field for parking. Of course, we also want to thank the wonderful Narramore and Steve Scagell from Luton, who gave us great entertainment. We managed to raise an astounding £2077.20 after expenses. This will help to keep our breathing space going and allow us to use it for future community events. Most importantly - thank you to all those who supported us on the day.

*Suzanne Hill*

### **Sound Accountancy and Taxation Advice**

You may run a business and would benefit from help with your bookkeeping, VAT, payroll, general taxation and accounts. Or, you may have a rental property and need someone to help you file your self-assessment tax return. Whether you are planning for your retirement, or investing in your business, or something as simple as buying a new vehicle, a professional accountant will save you time, leaving you to focus your energy on what you do best. As your accountant, I will make sure that you claim the tax allowances to which you are entitled and provide information to help you make decisions which are tax efficient.

A client recently informed me that he was selling his business. He had found someone who was interested and was going to sell the name and the customer list now. Then over the next year would sort out the premises and stock and would gradually sell the rest of the items in the business, probably to the same person. I advised him that, if he sold the whole business now, he would benefit from Entrepreneur's Relief at a lower effective tax rate of 10%, saving tens of thousands of pounds. I saw him a month after the sale of the whole business, glad to benefit from the lower tax rate and happier to be free of all work commitments, despite a busy time up to the sale date.

Whatever your accountancy or taxation needs, for local sound and friendly advice call: Sue Beverton FCCA, Accountancy and Probate, 07704 103032

(See Sue's advert on the back cover of the Parish News)

### **WEBSITES AND SAT. NAV.**

Haldon Team Website      [www.haldonteam.org.uk](http://www.haldonteam.org.uk)  
Ideford Parish Website      [www.ideford-parish.co.uk](http://www.ideford-parish.co.uk)

### **Church post codes for Sat Nav:**

St Mary's, Ideford	TQ13 0BA
St John's, Luton	TQ13 0BN
St Nectan's, Ashcombe	EX7 0QD

### Ashcombe Village Club

Opening times: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7.30pm -11pm.  
3rd Saturday of the month 7.30pm - 11pm  
Sunday 1pm - 5pm.

Skittles Tuesday & Thursday.  
Meat Bingo 1st Wednesday of the month.  
Early Doors 1st Friday of the month.

Membership: Single £10, Couple £15.

See website for further details: [www.ashcombe-villageclub.co.uk](http://www.ashcombe-villageclub.co.uk)



### CHUDLEIGH LIBRARY

Monday	10.00am - 1.00pm	Tuesday	3.00pm - 6.00pm
Wednesday	10.00am - 1.00pm	Thursday	Closed
Friday	2.00pm - 5.00pm	Saturday	10.00am - 1.00pm

#### Tunes for Toddlers

Come and listen to stories, make simple things to tie in with the stories and sing songs. Every Thursday during term time, **10.30am - 11.30am**. No need to book - just turn up!

*Mobile Library dates and times can be found on page 3 under 'Regular Events'.*

### IDEFORD VILLAGE TRANSPORT TIMETABLE

Ring & Ride	Destination	Fares (return)
Monday	Newton Abbot (will stop at Sainsbury's)	£4.25
Wednesday	Newton Abbot (will stop at Tesco)	£4.25
Thursday	Teignmouth	£2.75

#### How to make a Ring & Ride Journey

- Choose which day you wish to travel. Telephone 01626 888777 between 9am-3pm, Monday to Friday, answer phone service available at all times.
- Please be ready by 9.30am.
- Be ready at 1.00pm to be collected at the 'Boarding Point' for your journey home.
- Please cancel booking if you are not able to travel.
- **Please wear seat belts at all times.**

Dawlish Community Transport Service operates in the area to provide transport for all ages whether they are disabled, frail, infirm or not...in fact anyone wishing to use this service will be very welcomed. All our vehicles are adapted to take wheelchair seated passengers, have lowered steps and tail lifts.

For more information please telephone 01626 888890