



Sunday Snippets

6th October 2019

From the Choir Stalls

Next Saturday, 12th October sees the welcome return of the Tamar Concert Choir who will be performing once again for us here in St Edward's at 7.30pm. Tickets are available today so if you have not already done so, you can obtain them before leaving. Nothing beats live entertainment and the TV will still be there when you get home so do come along to this, the latest in our series of musical offerings.



Pets Behaved Well

Last Sunday afternoon saw a modest attendance of dogs and a hamster at the inaugural pet service in St Edward's. Those accompanying their pets behaved admirably as did the animals themselves and songs by the Eggbuckland Community Choir were much appreciated. Next in line the Christmas Donkey?



Harvest Time

Rev Chris led a Harvest Communion Service at Pattinson Court, Mainstone on 1st October. Generous gifts were given for the North Plymouth Foodbank and these will be displayed in St Edward's until our own Harvest Festival on 20th October. The next Service at Pattinson Court will be on Monday, 11th November at 10.45am for Remembrance. There is an open invitation for anyone wishing to attend.



Eggbuckland Honey

Honey produced by our churchyard bees will be available after the 20th October. In the meantime we are holding a silent auction to obtain the highest possible price for this amazing local product. All profits will go to 'Send a Cow' Harvest Appeal. Bids in sealed envelopes can be received from this Sunday.



Church Hall Railings

The long awaited church hall railings arrived this week and are due to be fitted



tomorrow. The final pieces of the jigsaw can then be put in place to enable the main entrance door to be used. Hopefully all will be completed with little further delay.

Magazine Deadline

The deadline for the November Parish Magazine is next Sunday, 13th October. Please submit all copy for printing by that date.



PCC Meeting

The next meeting of the Eggbuckland with Estover Parochial Church Council will be held in St Edward's Church tomorrow, Monday, 7th October commencing at 7.30pm.





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Thank You (2)

This year's annual effort for Macmillan Nurses by Pam Capps has resulted in £275 being raised through individual donations, the U3A quilting group and last Sunday morning's refreshment sales in church. Pam has asked that all involved be thanked for their generosity.

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An Invitation to Plymouth Mission Shed From the Diocese

Every Mission Shed gathering is a great opportunity for meeting others in a fun and encouraging environment, to learn, share and pray together for our on-going work to grow God's Kingdom. If you haven't made it



yet, we'd love to welcome you and members of your church to our upcoming gatherings. Mission Shed is for any ordained or lay leader, ministry team member, PCC rep or individual who wants to be encouraged and learn more about different ways to grow in faith and explore different ways of being and doing church. There is to be an open meeting on Monday, 28th October from 7.-9.00pm at St Mark's Church Centre, Cambridge Road, Ford when the theme will be 'Christian Faith – What's that About?' It will be looking at Enquirers' courses, finding the right one for your church and hearing from local experience. There will be coffee and cake on arrival and everyone is welcome to attend.

Called By Name

Could God be calling you to Ministry? Perhaps you feel a mixture of nerves and excitement at this question. If you have sensed a nudge from God to church leadership or people around you have mentioned it, do go along to the Vocations Event at Cullompton Church Centre on Saturday, 9th November from 10am-1.30pm (coffee from 9.45am). Please bring a packed lunch. This will



be a great chance to hear about the different shapes and sizes of ministry.

Attendance will not commit you to anything but could be the next step you need to explore further. To sign up for more details, contact Hannah Mears, Diocesan Vocations Adviser – hannah.mears@exeter.anglican.org

Planning for the Big Event

Plans are well advanced for the Village Lighting Event on Saturday, 30th November. Many organisations will be involved with sales stalls in both the hall and church. Tower tours should prove popular, choirs, brass bands and Morris dancers will be performing and, of course, there will be plenty of refreshments. Please let Vicki Hocking know if you are able to donate raffle prizes, cakes, mince pies or toiletries. There will be no books or bric-a-brac stalls on this occasion.



Only Joking!

The wealthy lady returned home from a ball. She summoned her footman and said, "Edward take off my shoes," and he did. Then she said, Edward, take off my coat," and he did. "Take off my dress," and he did. "And now, Edward, if you wish to remain in my service you are never to wear any of my clothes again."

