

Collect for Today

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern
both our hearts and bodies
in the ways of your laws
and the works of your commandments;
that through your most mighty protection,
both here and ever,
we may be preserved in body and soul;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen

Readings for This Week (may vary)

Isaiah 1.1,10-20
(Psalm 50.1-8, 23,24*)
Hebrews 11.1-3,8-16
Luke 12.32-40

Readings for Next Week (may vary)

Isaiah 5.1-7
(Psalm 80.1-2,9-20*)
Hebrews 11.29 - 12.2
Luke 12.49-56

Verse for the Week:

‘Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and
certain of what we do not see’. **Hebrews 11 v1**

Prayer & Reading Diary Hatherleigh

Monday

Read: Isaiah 5.1-7

Prayer: Pray for the people who made responses to
Jesus at the Hatherleigh Festival service; that we get
the opportunity to root them into the life of Jesus and
his local church here.

Tuesday

Read: Psalm 80.1-2,9-20*

Prayer: Pray for breakthrough in our finance block
so we can move forward with the internal reordering.

Wednesday

Read: Hebrews 11.29 - 12.2

Prayer: Give thanks for the Gym project and the
100 or so users; pray that we make good connections
and build relationships that include Jesus through this.

Thursday

Read: Luke 12.49-56

Prayer: Pray for Youth Café, running tonight; now
re-launched with a younger age group; for good
connections with the young people, that they grow in
confidence in themselves, and in God's love for them.

Friday

Read: Jonah 1

Prayer: Give thanks for all those who were married
in St. John's this year; pray for solid foundations to
their marriages, and God's blessing on them.

Saturday

Read: 2 Peter 3.14-18

Prayer: Ahead of tomorrow; pray for our new
Sunday School initiative, the new leaders, for patience
and inspiration: for the children, a growing awareness
of God's design, plans and love for them.

Notices:



* Prayer during the Interregnum

Every Monday morning at 10.30am 8 people, at the
moment, are praying specifically that the right person
is appointed as Incumbent. If you would like to join
with us, please do. If you could drop me an email
mwebberm@yahoo.co.uk, or phone 07791798983
saying that is what you are doing that would be
encouraging. Many thanks. Maurie

* **Okehampton All Saint's Parish Church** is open
every Tuesday morning between 10am and 12 noon
for prayer. This is an opportunity to meet and pray
with others, or just to sit quietly. Refreshments will be
available.

* **St James Chapel**, in the centre of Okehampton, is
open all day, every day. **Every Thursday:** 10am
Communion at St James, Okehampton.

Dates for your diary :



* Inwardleigh and Folly Gate Craft Show

On **Saturday 16th August** at St Petroc's Church, Inwardleigh between 10am and 5pm.

A number of Crafters will be showing and demonstrating their skills , among them Spinner/Weaver, Felter, Wood Turner, Potter, Bee Keeping (minus the bees!), Flower Arranger and others. Some will be encouraging you to 'have a go'. Refreshments - free entry.

Do come and join us ☺

* **Cream Teas at Sourton** in aid of St Thomas à Becket Church on **August 10th, 17th and 24th** from 1.30 p.m. -5.30 p.m. in the Village Hall. We are serving sandwiches and savouries as well as cream teas and home-made cakes.

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Church Services:



Sunday 10th August

(8th Sunday after Trinity)

9:30am

Belstone - Celtic Morning Prayer
Inwardleigh - Holy Communion
Bridestowe – Morning Prayer
Bratton Clovelly - Holy Communion
Jacobstowe – Morning Prayer
Northlew - Holy Communion

11:00am

Okehampton - Holy Communion
Hatherleigh - Morning Service in church
Lydford - Holy Communion
Exbourne – Morning Prayer
Meeth - Morning Prayer

Sunday 17th August

(9th Sunday after Trinity)

8.30am

Sticklepath – Holy Communion

9:30am

Belstone – Holy Communion/ Matronal Service
Inwardleigh - Morning Prayer
Bratton Clovelly - Morning Prayer
Meeth – Morning Praise
Exbourne - Holy Communion
Northlew – Morning Prayer

11:00am

Okehampton - Holy Communion
** Hatherleigh Square – ‘Bandemonium’ Service **
Lydford – Morning Prayer
Bridestowe - United Service with Methodists

7:00pm

Hatherleigh – Prayer and Praise

****Confirmation needed for start time of this service:
10am or 11am ?**

Grapevine

8th Sunday after Trinity

10th August 2025



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The rest of the chapter in Hebrews 11 goes on to give examples of numerous people whose faith prompted action.

If we are sure of what we hope for then we can trust God. We do not need to have all possible outcomes worked out before deciding on a course of action. We only need to be at peace in our conscience and go ahead with what we think God is asking of us. If we get it wrong, He can and will work our mistakes (even wilful ones) into His plan. We can have certainty that God will take care of us and steer us if we go off course. Trusting our loving heavenly Father in this way enables us to live differently to those who have no faith. We can hold on to our possessions lightly and be generous to those in need without worrying about our own future needs. In this way we invest in the kingdom of heaven, an investment which will last for ever and cannot be stolen or destroyed.(Luke 12v33)

Luke 12 v 34 says : For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

It is often said of people – their heart is in the right place. Each of us can ask ourselves – is this true of me?
Lynn Winsbury