

The Little Dart Mission Community Website



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To know Christ and make Him known

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OUR TEAM

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This is the place to visit for details about the life of the 12 churches in the Mission Community

www.littledartchurches.org.uk

Weddings and Baptisms

Weddings and Baptisms have been suspended until further notice

For Funerals.

In Chulmleigh, Burrington, Chawleigh, Cheldon, Eggesford, Meshaw, Romansleigh, Thelbridge and Wembworthy, Witheridge with Creacombe, East Worlington and West Worlington please contact Rev'd Tony

Clergy

Rev'd Tony Rockey. Tony's rest day is Monday Tel. 01769 581712
email: rector@littledartchurches.org.uk

Rev'd. Adrian Wells. Adrian is currently self isolating
email: vicaradrian@btinternet.com Tel. 01884 861383

Rev'd. Clive Jobbins. Clive is currently self isolating
email: jclivejobbins@gmail.com Tel. 07745 684505

Rev'd. Janet May. Janet's rest day is Friday Tel. 01769 580791
email: curate.janet@littledartchurches.org.uk

Weekday Prayers in church

All public services in our Mission Community are suspended until further notice

House Groups

Chawleigh House Group

Suspended until further notice.

Witheridge House Group

Now meeting via Zoom.



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Diary Dates & Info

Sunday 17 May 2020

A very warm welcome to you today

May you know God's blessing today and in the days ahead.

Currently in response to the Coronavirus outbreak all of our churches are closed. We are however continuing to worship using a range of resources including Zoom, FreeConference and facebook. Details of how to engage with our services are included below;

The government is currently indicating that our churches could begin to reopen in July 2020. Bishop Sarah (Bishop of London) is heading a group looking at how this might be done. Potentially those currently self-isolating for health reasons may not be free to attend until even later in the year.

Here is an article published on the BBC News website on 10 May 2020 <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-52600707>

The Rt Rev Sarah Mullally, the Bishop of London, is leading the Church of England's planning for reopening its buildings. She said there would have to be significant changes to key aspects of Christian worship "for some time" to come.

"I don't envisage, even up to the end of the year, we will be back to our normal services.

"There are some very challenging questions that we'll have to face, not least about singing and about the receiving of Holy Communion. So the future will look different.

"But we want to continue to support people in their spiritual journey with their faith," she told the BBC.

In the Diocese of Exeter



pray



grow



serve with joy

"When we open our church buildings, we will still have to ensure physical distancing. We'll have to make sure people can wash their hands on the way in and on the way out. We are likely not to be able to use hymn books or service sheets or sing."

So services in the near to medium term future are likely to be very different from what we have known in the past.

We look forward to being able to worship together again. In the meantime there are several ways in which you can join in with worship online or over the phone.

DailyHOPE



A free phone line of hymns, reflections and prayers

0800 804 8044

Are you in need of some daily hope during this lockdown?

We have a new FREE telephone line for you to ring to hear comforting hymns, daily prayers and reflections.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND Faith in later life CONNECTIONS

The Church of England has launched a free telephone worship and prayer service for those who do not have internet access

The free phone line – which is available 24 hours a day on **0800 804 8044** – has been set up particularly with those unable to join online church services in mind. The service offers hymns, prayers, and reflections 24 hours a day while church buildings are closed because of the coronavirus.

Wetheridge



Sunday at 09:30 am

Join in with Worship in Wetheridge via their facebook Group. You will need a facebook account and access to the group is controlled.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/249511849407115>

Service led by Adrian posted at 09:30am on Sundays with links to a weekly homily written by Steven and the regular Pause and Pray sessions from the Diocesan staff.

Chawleigh

Sunday 09:30am

Service of Morning Worship using FreeConference. The service lasts for about an hour and gives time for people to meet.

You can join by telephone

Dial in 0333 011 0616

Access code 9139195

Or join online

<https://hello.freeconference.com/conf/call/9139195>

There are plans to move the service over to Zoom from Sunday 24 May 2020 as this is proving to be a more stable platform and makes sharing and talking easier.

Chulmleigh

Sunday Worship @ 10:30

The meeting opens at 10:00 to give people time to meet up before the service and runs for an hour or so.



As we continue on our journey together we will be looking at the whole story of The Bible over the coming year with a teaching series and themed services.

This week we will be looking at the first half of the Book of Leviticus where God sets out how the Israelites can come closer to him.

www.thebibleproject.com & Read Scripture app

<https://www.readscripture.org/> available free on the Apple App Store and Google Play Store.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/701323502?pwd=MlZlbnNlRkFjdksUUFKeVlxQT09>

Dial in 0203 481 5237 United Kingdom

Meeting ID: 701 323 502

Password: 123456