

The Benefice of St Germans with Antony and Sheviock

THE MINISTRY TEAM

Sunday Services

31st July, Trinity 7

10am United Service, **St Germans**
7pm Sunday Worship on Zoom

7th August, Trinity 8

10am Sheviock
10am Downderry
7pm Sunday Worship on Zoom

14th August, Trinity 9

10am St Germans
10am Antony
7pm Sunday Worship on Zoom

21st August, Trinity 10

10am Downderry
10am Sheviock
7pm Sunday Worship on Zoom

28th August, Trinity 11

10am United Service @ Sheviock
7pm Sunday Worship on Zoom

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SAFEGUARDING

Any safeguarding concerns should be passed to the Safeguarding Officer via the Vicarage:
01503 230676

The Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser is:
Sarah Acraman
01872 374351

Other Services:

Until further notice there are no mid-week services or Daily Zoom Prayers.

On The Way Deanery Plan

Following Deanery Synod's adoption of the plan the Deanery is now working with the Archdeacon of Bodmin to form an Implementation Team over the next couple of months.

The Archdeacon will then task the team with a number of actions but one of the earliest will be the Pastoral Reorganisation.

The Deanery Website will carry the latest news:

<https://sites.google.com/view/east-wivelshire-deanery/on-the-way>

ON THE WAY PRAYER

Faithful God, as you led your people of old,
into a new and fruitful place,
So, lead us too today we pray.
Show us the way to go,
and help us on the way with the courage and the faith
and the imagination that we need
that we may be the church that you are truly calling us to be.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Safeguarding Update for PCCs

All PCC members are required to complete the Basic Awareness Course every three years, the link for the course is here:

<https://safeguardingtraining.cofeportal.org>

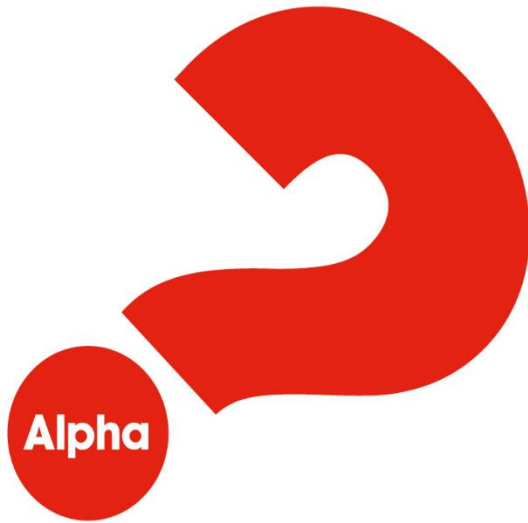
Churchwardens must also complete the Leadership level every three years, please do check if you are in date, courses can be booked here:

<https://trurodiocese.org.uk/resources/safeguarding/training-safeguarding/leadership-training/>

DBS checks are now valid for **three** years, while each Parish Safeguarding Officer (PSO) will keep an eye on this please do check your own certificate and ask the PSO for help to renew it if it was issued prior to 2019.

PCCs will also need to check they are compliant with the new **Safer Recruitment** procedures.

<https://www.churchofengland.org/sites/default/files/2019-10/ParishSafeGuardingHandBookAugust2019Web.pdf>



Alpha Course

Launching in September, we will be running an Alpha course in St Germans, which explores the basics of Christian faith.

Places are limited. Please speak to Revd Laura, Richard Laugharne or Steve Guffick to find out more.

The foodbanks have recently requested:

Deodrant
 Fruit juice
 Jam/Marmite/Peanut butter
 Spaghetti hoops
 Tinned fruit
 Washing powder
 Anti bac cleaning spray
 Hair conditioner/shampoo
 Jars of pasta sauce



It is the school holidays, a time when children need an endless supply of snacks, squash and packed lunches, so please consider this when donating.

There is a drop off point in the porch of St Nicolas, Donderry and St Anne's, Hessenford.

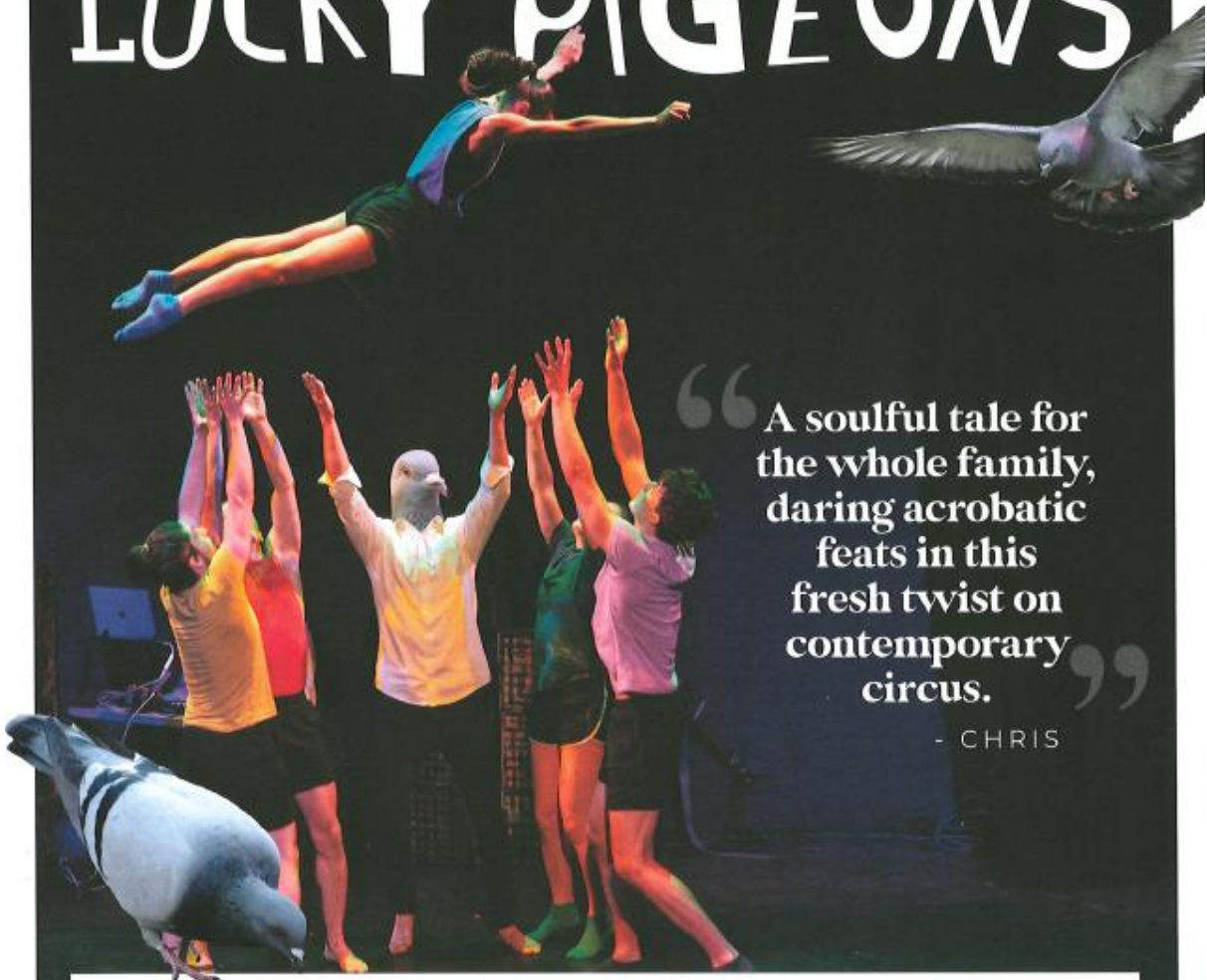
The app BanktheFood is being used by our local foodbanks to show the Priority Items they need; it is in real time so is always up to date. More information [here](#)

You can donate money to the local Foodbank to help with running costs [here](#)



PRESENTS

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Living in Love and Faith

The Benefice responded to the Church's request to engage with a national discernment process aimed at helping the Church move forward with decisions around issues relating to human sexuality and marriage. We ran a Lent course based on this topic and everyone who attended had the opportunity to feedback to the Church of England.

Bishop Hugh recently chaired a special Diocesan Synod to update members on the national progress of this process. The report can be found here:

<https://trurodiocese.org.uk/2022/07/special-diocesan-synod-reports-on-llf-progress/>

You can sign up to a range of newsletters from the Diocese, follow this link to stay up to date <https://trurodiocese.us16.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=d4fbc78257d8f51844df7f14c&id=d0479e1c72>

And finally....

GO TO CHURCH WILLIAM!

On a sunny morning, William's mother came into her son's room and said, "William, it's Sunday. Time to get up! Time to get up and go to church! Get up!"

From under the covers came mumbles, "I don't want to go!"

"What do you mean?" she said. "That's silly! Now get up and get dressed and go to church!"

"No!" he shot back. "I don't want to!"

"Nonsense," she told him. "I'll give you two reasons to go. First, you are 42 years old, and second, you are the VICAR!"

Poor William was clearly not fortunate enough to serve the Benefice of St Germans with Antony and Sheviock!

A joyful heart is good medicine - Proverbs 17: 22