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Church and Community Magazine of The Moorland Team

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The CURATE says farewell

When it was first announced that I would join you as a curate back in November 2022, I wrote a magazine article to introduce myself using the word CURATE as an acronym. So I thought it only right to mirror that for my final article here, reflecting on my time in this lovely mission community. Some of you may have heard that I've been appointed as interim priest in charge for the parish of Plymstock and Hooe in Plymouth so my time with you is quickly drawing to an end. So here we go: C-community, U-unexpected, R-rejoicing, A-all ages, T-transformation, E-excitement

Community - the times when we have come together as one mission community have been my favourite, like united services or our weekend away, and I have deeply cherished working across the whole MC. I know that it's been a journey to grow together as one community but it brings so many joys and opportunities for fellowship and friendship. I've seen some great examples of that in my time here. But I also want to challenge you to embrace growing together: to travel across the MC with an open heart and not be too stuck on your own location, tradition or way of worshipping or doing things. There is a great richness in the diversity of our MC.

Unexpected - curacy, ministry and life in general are full of unexpected things and there is only so much you can prepare for that in theological college. Learning to be comfortable with a certain level of uncertainty has probably been the biggest area of growth for me over the last years but let's be honest, I am more of a planner who prefers to know what's happening. It's been a privilege to walk with people during their times of uncertainty and when life throws a curve ball - one of the great privileges of ministry. Every step of our life we walk with a God who loves us deeply and who goes ahead of us so we are never alone in the unexpected.

Rejoicing - I could not write about my curacy without bringing in the word JOY. Even in the midst of the difficult bits, I've utterly loved my curacy and time with you, right from the start. It's been an absolute joy, privilege and blessing to be your curate and minister in your midst. I believe that deep joy comes from stepping further into the calling God has placed on my life. We have all got a vocation, a unique calling by God and so I want to encourage you to explore what God might be calling you to?

All Ages - one of the great things on my heart is worshipping as one, one body of Christ, no matter what age, background, tradition or style, all in the same space. And yes, I know that this is messy and chaotic and sometimes noisy and nobody seems to be fully pleased by an all-age communion, but I believe that we need all ages to represent the fullness of Christ's body here on earth. So our all-age communions are the services that have a special place in my heart.

Transformation - you've had a front row seat to my formation and transformation from a

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Community and Church News & Events

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baby curate with the occasional imposter syndrome to a fully fledged priest and soon to be incumbent, and I'm grateful for your patience and grace when things haven't gone to plan or mistakes were made. Right from the start my curacy has been a safe space to grow, experiment and learn what it looks like for me to be a priest in your midst. I can safely say that the last three years have been the most formative in my life with some steep ups and downs, but I guess diamonds are only shaped under immense pressure.

Excitement - I am very excited for this next step in my ministry, and ask for your prayers for me and the move to Plymstock. It's a suburban parish with three churches and more than 30 000 souls to care for, so it ain't be boring. But I'm hoping to be able to squeeze in a regular paddle or sea swim as the vicarage is walking distance from the beach!

The excitement is of course bittersweet as I will have to say goodbye to you all soon.

I've loved my curacy here and will miss being with you!

So I'm hoping I will see many of you over the next weeks,

and at my final service on **14th June 10.30am at St Andrew's Ashburton.**

With many blessings

Jenny

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16th May
31st May
14th June

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Saturday - Heatree
Games Night
To be confirmed

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**Friday 15th (from 5pm) to
Sunday 17th May 2026**

Heatree Activity Centre (near Manaton) will be our home for the weekend.

If you can stay with us, that's great, but you can come from home each day if staying isn't an option for you, and meals can be booked by day visitors too. Heatree offers great access to the moor, as well as being a wonderful space itself, and there will be free time to walk, explore or play.

Journeying with us through the weekend will be Rev'd Gregg Bakker from the Church Mission Society, who will lead us in finding new perspectives on mission.

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Buckland-in-the-Moor Whist

Thursday 28th May

Whist at 2pm

with half-time refreshments & draw

Optional soup & roll lunch £2 at 12.30pm

Whist every fourth Thursday in the month.





St Peter's, Buckland-in-the-Moor

For contact information, ministers and church officers please see front of the Link
Church Services—see Page 22 for details or
www.ashburtonandmoor.org.uk/buckland

Date	Table Flowers	Time	Service
3rd May	Mary	15.00	Holy Communion
10th May	Isabel		
17th May	Isabel		
24th May	Sandra		
31st May	Sandra	15.00	Evening Prayer

St. Peter's Church is open all day, every day. You are welcome to visit at any time – an opportunity to sit quietly, say a prayer and enjoy our beautiful building.

WHAT IS A VASE?

Chamber Etymological Dictionary gives 'a vessel of greater height than width, anciently used for domestic purposes and in sacrifices : an ornamental vessel : a sculptural, vase-like ornament.

On Saturday 5 July, Buckland in the Moor Church will be full of vases, vases of flowers, flowers grown in gardens, flowers of all colours shapes and sizes.

A mix of perfumes – how glorious!

The Poetry Society lists the following on the web:

"A vase of flowers brings quiet beauty into a room, capturing a fleeting moment of nature. It often serves as a symbol of love, memory, and the gentle, temporary nature of life, acting as a centrepiece that transforms a simple windowsill or table into a point of colour, emotion, and solace." What a wonderful description.

Another great description from a poem:

Upon the sill, in quiet light
A crystal vase holds colours bright
Soft petals lean against the glass
Watching the quiet moments pass
a little life on display
To cheer the heart along the day.

Do come on **Saturday 5 July, (11am – 5pm)** and see and feel for yourself.

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St Mary the Virgin, Holne

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Date	Time	Service
10th May	18.00	Holy Communion
17th May	12.00	United Communion Service - Heatree Activity Centre
24th May	17.00	Evening Worship
31st May	09.00	Holy Communion at Huccaby

Soup & Pudding Lunch
Holne Village Hall




Friday 1st May
from 12.30




Please contact Maggie Arden on
01364 631438 for further details

Holne Whist



Tuesday 5th May
from 2pm

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I look forward to seeing you



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Other information is currently being gathered and it is hoped to provide additional local material.

Please pay it a visit and enjoy looking around the church, going into our wonderful community shop and partaking of refreshments in the tearoom.

Would anyone like to run a playgroup?

Holne playgroup was a lovely group but due to a lack of volunteers to carry it on, sadly it has had to fold.

The village hall is available and toys are still in the hall. If someone would like to come forward to take this on, please contact Hannah Iskander

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In and out the Dusky Bluebells

Following on from the Snowdrops and the Primroses, we have the Bluebells. We are fortunate that the valley of the West Dart around Huccaby still has remnants of the ancient woodland habitats in which our native Bluebells thrive. Shade is not a necessity, however, as long as there is humidity and continuity of habitat. Some of the bracken-covered pastures leading down to the river have Bluebell drifts so extensive that they stand out as a purple patch on the valley side from a mile away - probably indicating that these sites too were once wooded.

Bluebells are believed to have appeared in Britain shortly after the last Ice Age, serving as remnants of the ancient wildwood that once covered the land. The UK remains a stronghold for the species: almost half of the world's Bluebells can be found here. Unsurprisingly, the Bluebell may be regarded as the United Kingdom's "favourite flower". When the wild plant charity Plantlife organised a survey in 2004 to find a favourite flower for each county in the United Kingdom, it decided to ban voters from choosing the Bluebell because it had been by far the top choice in an earlier national poll.

Those of us old enough may remember the playground song and dance 'In and out the dusky (or dusty or dusting) Bluebells', which enjoyed great popularity among girls in the 1960s and 70s. The song itself may be a reference to ancient folklore: a Bluebell wood in bloom was seen as an enchanted place where fairies lived. A child who picked Bluebells alone could be spirited away ('mastered' in the song) by the fairy folk. Even an adult who ventured into the wood by themselves was in danger of being led by pixies to wander round and round, unable to find their way out. This lore may originate in the poisonous nature of the Bluebell bulb, which can be fatal. Or perhaps, as suggested by the Primrose Path last month, the perils of the Bluebell wood are a further example of our ambivalence towards the experience of natural beauty?

Richard Wells



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Date	Time	Service
10th May	12.15	Parish Communion
17th May	12.00	United Communion Service - Heatree Activity Centre
24th May	12.15	Parish Communion

Leusdon Church is open all day, every day. You are welcome to visit at any time – an opportunity to sit quietly, say a prayer and enjoy our beautiful building.

Leusdon Memorial Hall

We held our monthly coffee morning on Wednesday 1st April. We were able to raise £145.00 for hall funds. **The next coffee morning is on 6th May 10.00-12.00 midday. The whist drives continue on 11th May starting at 2.00pm.**

The committee met on Monday 20th April at 7.30pm. Among other things, we discussed our Italian evening planned for 30th May and an afternoon tea on 30th August. Bookings for these events can be made by contacting Kelly at leusdonmemorialhallbooking@gmail.com

It was announced that the secretary and chairman will be stepping down at the AGM in June. Also Kathryn and Richard Massey, who have helped at the coffee mornings for several years, are taking a break for the summer. I would like to thank them all for their support, which is greatly appreciated. The date of the AGM will be publicised shortly.

If you would like to join the committee or help in any way please contact any committee member or email the secretary at leusdonmemorialhallsec@gmail.com. When the jobs are shared as they are now, they are not too onerous and are very rewarding.

Our social media presence continues to grow and followers have now passed 446. It is a resource open to all community and local charities, it is invaluable in publicising local activities. Our old chairs have been in constant demand during the summer by local groups and families for various events. They are available to borrow for other Community events. All we ask is that this would be acknowledged. Should you wish to book the Hall, it is available for hire at £11.00 per hour, which now includes electricity and heating, there are special rates for regular users. Further details can be obtained by contacting our booking secretary: leusdonmemorialhallbooking@gmail.com Tables at the Coffee Morning can be booked for £5 per table per session, please either book these by using the details above or coming to see us at the coffee morning. In the meantime, if anyone would like to discuss any aspect of the Hall please contact me or any committee member.

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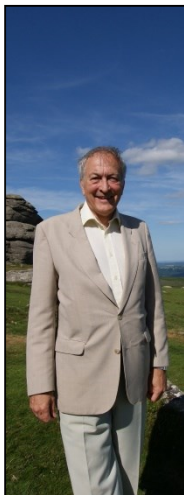
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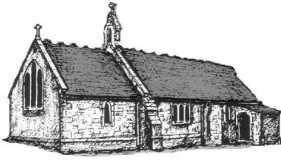


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31st May	18.00	Evening Worship

Postbridge Church is open all day, every day. You are welcome to visit at any time, an opportunity to sit quietly, say a prayer and enjoy our beautiful building.



Postbridge Coffee Morning Monday 11th May 11am - Noon

These coffee mornings are held in Postbridge Village Hall to raise funds for

St Gabriel Church and we'd like to thank all who have contributed.

Maureen



POSTBRIDGE VILLAGE HALL

Our next Monthly Coffee Shop & Mini Market will be held on

Monday 18th May 11.00am - 12.30pm.

Stan, our wonderful plant man will be with us this month!

This month's raffle is for **The Children's Hospice - Southwest**, the local fundraising team will be here to answer questions so please come along and support this worthy cause.

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The Dartmoor Discovery Ultra Marathon Road Race will be taking place again this year on Saturday 6th June, starting and finishing in Princetown. More than 200 runners will leave Princetown at 09:30 and tackle the tough 32-mile course, before returning to finish in Princetown at the Community Centre

Many thanks to all of you who have come out in the past to watch the runners go past, they are always very complimentary about the support they receive along the way, so please come out again if you can and give them a cheer.

The runners will be passing the following locations during the approximate times indicated:

Dartmeet	10:05 to 10:35	Poundsgate	10:20 to 11:08
New Bridge	10:35 to 11:30	Ashburton	10:50 to 12:15
Buckland in the Moor	11:14 to 12:42	Rugglestone Inn	11:40 to 13:30
Widcombe in the Moor	11:45 to 13:40	Postbridge	12:25 to 15:25

returning to Princetown between 13:00 and 16:00.

Every effort will be made to ensure the race causes as little disruption as possible to all residents on the race route and race traffic will be kept to a minimum.

If you have any queries or would like to help in any way, please e-mail or call the Race Director, Liz Barnett; ebarnett1@sky.com; 0793 086 0481.

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Two Moors Festival News

Penny Adie invites you to come to Endecott House - Chagford for a glass of wine and sandwiches on **Friday 8th May, Midday - 2pm.**

for a short talk on the history of the Two Moors Festival and to show you her new book - Tales from the Box Office - that relates its intriguing history.

Church Services for May 2026

3rd May

5th Sunday after Easter

White

Readings - [Genesis 8.1–19], Acts 7.55–end, Psalm 31.1–5 15–16 [or 31.1–5], 1 Peter 2.2–10, John 14.1–14

Widcombe	10.30	Morning Worship	Ashburton	08.00	Holy Communion
Ilington	10.30	Holy Communion	Bickington	09.00	Holy Communion
			Ashburton	10.30	Family Service
			Buckland	15.00	Holy Communion

10th May

6th Sunday after Easter

White

Readings - [Genesis 8.20–9.17], Acts 17.22–31, Psalm 66.7–end, 1 Peter 3.13–end, John 14.15–2

Widcombe	10.30	Rogation	Ilington	08.00	Holy Communion
Leusdon	12.15	Parish Communion	Ashburton	10.30	Parish Communion
Holne	18.00	Holy Communion	Ilington	10.30	Family Service
			TBC	15.00	Moor & Messy

17th May

Sunday after Ascension

White

Readings - [Ezekiel 36.24–28], Acts 1.6–14, Psalm 68.1–10 32–end [or 68.1–10], 1 Peter 4.12–14; 5.6–11, John 17.1–11

Heatree	12.00	Mission Community			United Communion Service
Activity Centre		Weekend Away			
			Ashburton	18.30	St Petroc's Reflective Service

24th May

Pentecost

Red

Readings - Acts 2.1–21 or Numbers 11.24–30, Psalm 104.26–36, 37b [or 104.26–end], 1 Corinthians 12.3b–13 or Acts 2.1–21, John 20.19–23 or John 7.37–39

Leusdon	12.15	Parish Communion	Ashburton	09.15	Breakfast Church
Holne	17.00	Evening Worship	Ashburton	10.30	Parish Communion
Widcombe	18.00	Choral Evensong	Ilington	10.30	Morning Praise

31st May

Trinity Sunday

Gold/White

Readings - Isaiah 40.12–17 27–end, Psalm 8, 2 Corinthians 13.11–end, Matthew 28.16–end

Huccaby	09.00	Holy Communion	Ashburton	10.30	All-Age Communion
Widcombe	10.30	Parish Communion	Ilington	10.30	Holy Communion
Buckland	15.00	Evening Prayer	Bickington	10.30	Morning Worship
Postbridge	18.00	Evening Worship			

Holy Communion

Midweek & At Home

There is a service of **Holy Communion every Wednesday at 10.30** at St. Andrew's Church in Ashburton. You will be most welcome!.



Communion at home

If you would like to receive Home Communion please see [page 2](#) for contact details

Rainfall in March 2026

Place	Total Rainfall	Days without rain	Wettest Days
Postbridge	75.8mm (3.0")	8	12th 25.3mm (1.0")
	March 2025 6.1mm (0.24")		
Holne	114.8mm (4.59")		11th 43.7mm (1.7")



From the Registers

Funeral	26th March	Postbridge	Jean Legate
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Dates for the Diary

May 2026		Page	May 2026		Page
1st	Holne Soup & Pud. Lunch	9	11th	Postbridge Coffee Morning	19
5th	Holne Whist	9	13th	Dunstone Lunch	33
5th	Princetown History Group	35	14th	Widcombe Social Group	31
5th	Ashburton Book Club	38	17th	Parish Link Copy Deadline	
6th	Leusdon Coffee Morning	15	18th	Postbridge Mini Market	19
6th	Widcombe History Group	29	21st	Wid Annual Parish Meeting	25
7th	Widcombe PC	25	26th	Dartmoor Forest PC	40
8th	Two Moors Festival Talk	21	28th	Buckland Whist	6
9th	Bovey 'Love Local' Mkt	37	30th	Italian Job! Leusdon	17
10th	Holne Plant Sale	11	30th	Open Garden for Rowcroft	38
11th	Leusdon Whist	15	30/31	MED Theatre Martha Witchalse	35

WIDECOMBE FAIR 2026 Local Craft and Produce Schedule

VEGETABLES (ALL vegetable classes 1-15 must be locally grown)

1. 3 Coloured potatoes
2. 3 White potatoes
3. 3 Onions – Grown from sets or seed
4. 3 Carrots – Trimmed and washed
5. 3 Beetroot – Trimmed and washed
6. 6 Runner Beans
7. Longest Runner bean
8. 6 French beans – any colour
9. 2 Courgettes
10. A Squash
11. 2 Leeks
12. 4 Tomatoes
13. A Single Vegetable or Fruit not mentioned.
14. 4 Culinary Herbs in a Jar
15. A Selection of 5 different varieties of vegetables in a standard box (12"x16")



FLOWERS (ALL Flower Classes 16-22 must be locally grown)

16. 3 Dahlias
17. A single specimen dahlia, any type
18. A Single rose
19. A single stem of any flower (excl. Dahlia & Rose)
20. 3 Hydrangea flower stems.
21. A vase of 9 mixed flowers (3 of each variety)
22. A vase of decorative foliage



FLORAL ART

23. A woodland arrangement
24. An arrangement in an unusual container.
25. An arrangement in a teacup.
26. A Harvest Wreath

ART AND CRAFTS

27. A woven, knitted or crocheted item
28. A Needlework item.
29. A Widecombe Fair Poster (A4)
30. A pencil sketch
31. A painting, any subject, any medium
32. An item made from wood, metal or clay
33. Any Craft Item not Mentioned

34. A Photograph: 'Dartmoor Flora'

35. A Short Poem

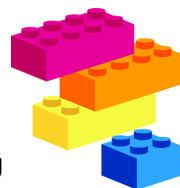
CHILDRENS CLASSES – Age 7 and under

36. A painting or drawing (A4 Size)
37. A Poem or Short Story (one Side of A4)
38. 10 interesting items in matchbox
39. 4 Decorated Cup Cakes
40. A Model made from any medium
41. An item of headwear e.g. helmet, crown hat any medium



CHILDRENS CLASSES - Aged 8 to 12

42. A Painting or Drawing (A4 Size)
43. A Poem or Short Story (one side of A4)
44. A Lego Model
45. A Decorated Cake
46. A Photo, any subject
47. A Decorative Bird Nesting Box



HOME PRODUCE

48. 6 Decorated Biscuits (uniform in type/size)
49. A Decorated Ginger Cake
50. A Traditional Victoria Sponge
51. A Traditional Pasty
52. A Vegetarian Quiche
53. A Wholemeal Loaf of Bread
54. A Sourdough Loaf
55. A Jar of Jam
56. A Jar of Dartmoor Honey
57. A Jar of Lemon Curd
58. Jar of Chutney
59. A bottle of homemade alcoholic drink,
60. A bottle of homemade non-alcoholic drink,
61. 6 Chicken or Duck Eggs displayed in a basket



For more information, please see our conditions of entry, visit our website:

www.widecombefair.com or contact Mrs Jenny Pascoe by email: pascoewoder@yahoo.co.uk



St Pancras, Widecombe-in-the-Moor

For contact information, ministers and church officers please see front of the Link
Church Services—see **Page 22** for details or
<https://ashburtonandmoor.org.uk/widecombe>

Date	Time	Sidesperson	Coffee	Flowers
3rd May	10.30	Vanessa	Brenda B	Mary D
10th May	10.30	Debbie	Debbie	Philly
17th May	12.00	United Communion Service - Heatree Activity Centre		
24th May	18.00	Annabel	Kriss & Peter	Jacqueline
31st May	10.30	Clare	Clare	Jacqueline

Widecombe Church is open all day, every day, 9-5. You are welcome to visit at any time – an opportunity to sit quietly, say a prayer and enjoy our beautiful building.

Widecombe Parish Council

Next Meeting: **Thursday 7th May 2026**
Leusdon Memorial Hall at 7.30pm

WIDECOMBE IN THE MOOR
PARISH COUNCIL

Widecombe Parish Council invites you to the Annual Parish Meeting

Join us **Thursday 21st May 2026 at 7.30pm** in **Leusdon Memorial Hall** to celebrate our wonderful community and everything it offers.

Representatives from local groups detail their activities over the past year and there will be a report from the Parish Council.

This is a great opportunity to bring matters to the Parish Council's attention as a focus for the next 12 months.

The evening starts with a **Cheese and Wine** reception. We very much hope you can join us.




Widecombe Church House

Craft Fairs

Mondays

May 11th & 18th

June 1st - Sept 28th

11am-5:30pm

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Profits going to Widecombe Pre-School

ANOTHER PIANO RECITAL IN ST PANCRAS

We are delighted to welcome back to Widecombe concert pianist Iwan Llewelyn-Jones. He will be giving us a recital on



Sunday June 27th at 4pm,

playing music by Rachmaninov, Liszt, Chopin and Debussy. This will be his third recital, and those who have heard him play before will know that we are in for a special treat.

We will be serving teas and cakes in Church House from 3pm. Non reserved seating tickets (£15) will be available online and at the door, and under 14's go free. Premium reserved seats (£20) are available by emailing mikebrown007@hotmail.com

Proceeds will be put towards the church assisted access project.

Widecombe Fair 2025

Takings from the Fair suffered considerably due to the weather, however at our first meeting of the new year we were pleased to help out by giving grants to the following organisations:

Widecombe Community Hall

Leusdon Memorial Hall

Widecombe Churchyard Maintenance

Spitchwick Cricket Club

Friends of Dartmoor Hill Pony

Widecombe Preschool

Widecombe Church Concert Lighting

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Hedgehogs need all the help they can get as their numbers continue to decline in the UK making them

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Thank you!

Widcombe Singers

If you want to join the Singers we rehearse at

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Widcombe & District Sports Group

For membership renewals please email cl.partridge@hotmail.co.uk or tel: 621468.

Alternatively membership forms can be found in the noticeboard by the court.

Regular Bookings: Tuesday & Thursday: Tennis Adults (16+) 6.30 Under 16's with ability are welcome to these sessions with a parent who is also playing.

For queries re tennis phone **Di Cameron on 01364 621218.**

Please remember to wear soft soled shoes and to leave the court tidy with the net replaced. Report any damage immediately to Claire Partridge (Secretary) on 621468. Close all gates and replace the keys.

For more information about WDSG visit

www.widcombe-in-the-moor.com/sports_group/

Thank you and enjoy your sports area.

Widcombe Church House Management Committee Chairman - Mike Pascoe

To book the Hall please contact Rose Mortimore 01364 621444.

Rates of Hire

Local Events: £6.00 per hour

Non-local Events: £10.00 per hour

Non-local commercial events: £100.00 per day

For any other rates please contact the Bookings Secretary

Payment by cheque is preferred. Cheques to be made payable to Widcombe Church House Fund and send to Sarah Reeve,

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For all other matters relating to the Church House please contact Diana Cameron on 01364 621218



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Friday 26th June 2026

7 for 7.30pm

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Event to raise funds for **Widecombe Community Hall**
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Memories of Widecombe

My brother John and I (Susan) recently visited Widecombe where we had lived sixty years ago. Our Father Bob Bates was the headmaster at the village school and we lived in the schoolhouse next door. We could both remember Dad having to chase the ponies off the school field and playground in the winter, and the field opposite the school where the annual fair was held. In the school holidays we had the playground and field to ourselves. The school toilets were outside, I think they must have been cold in the winter! The caretaker of the school was a lady called Miss Miners whom both John and I adored, I think she sometimes looked after us.

Mum (Jean) was also a teacher and sometimes took a few children for a class in the schoolhouse kitchen. She had a part time job in the Cafe on the Green on Saturdays and school holidays and we would walk up to meet her when she finished. Mum was also involved with a local drama group, the Moorland Merrymakers, and one year was part of the pantomime Aladdin. She played the princess and I and other children were taught to sing "Do Re Mi" to perform during the show.

In April 1966 we were driving across the moors to Newton Abbot in a blizzard and a drunk lorry driver crashed into us. Mum and Dad were both quite badly injured and John and I were fostered while they recovered. Shortly after this Dad received a call for an interview for a headship in Suffolk (where we had family) and they were most impressed that he made the journey on public transport with his leg in a cast; he got the job! We moved back to Suffolk later that year.

Dad passed away in 2019 and John and I decided that as we would be visiting Widecombe we would bring his ashes. We met a lady outside the school who directed us up onto the moor above the school and we scattered the ashes there. We both felt this was fitting as the family enjoyed such good times in Widecombe.

If anyone in their mid to late 60's can remember being taught by Dad we would love to hear your memories, suevhollis@gmail.com

Sue Hollis (nee Bates)



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the Bus Service for Widecombe – Newton Abbot**

Attached is this year's bus timetable for the 271 service from Newton Abbot out to Widecombe and back which in the past has operated on a Saturday (May – September). The exciting news this year is that it will also be operating on a Thursday giving more opportunities for residents and visitors to get around.

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DRUMBRIDGES, Roundabout	0905 1115 1410 1615
BOVEY TRACEY, Union Square	0915 1125 1420 1625
HAYTOR VALE, Moorlands House	0925 1135 1430 1635
WIDECOMBE, Car Park arrive	0936 1146 1441 1646
WIDECOMBE, Car Park depart	0941 1151 1446 1651
WIDECOMBE, Swallerton Gate	0948 1158 1453 1658
MANATON,	0958 1208 1503 1708
BECKY FALLS	1001 1211 1506 1711
EDGEMOOR HOTEL	1009 1219 1514 1719
BOVEY TRACEY, Union Square	1013 1223 1518 1723
DRUMBRIDGES, Roundabout	1022 1232 1527 1732
NEWTON ABBOT, Sherborne Road	1040 1250 1545 1750

Widecombe & District Social Group

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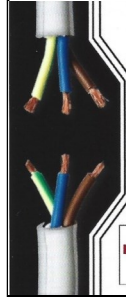
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Church contacts: Sandy McFeat 07860 555206 or Serena Walcot (01364) 631279

Sunday Services

Dunstone - Informal service at 3pm in Dunstone Chapel every week and all are welcome.

Poundsgate - 3rd May at 3 pm. Led by Revd. Kevin Hooke in conversation with Sarah La Nauze.

Dunstone Lunches

Wednesday 13th May from 12 noon until 2.30pm.

This month's lunch is for Dartmoor Search & Rescue

There will be soup, bread, sushi, savoury dishes, salads and cakes.

Please make as generous a donation as possible.

Thank you to everyone that joined us in April. We raised **£80** for

Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF) and **£40** for our Chapel.

A huge thank you to all our helpers and to all the people who join us at our lunches!

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meets **1st Tuesday** every month

Prinetown Community Centre 7 for 7.30pm

5th May - A Peep at the Pixies:
Examining Anna Elizabeth Bray's
Writing by Dr Sharon Gedye

2nd June - A visit to Foggintor School
at Fourwinds with Liz Miall

For further information, please contact:

Mr. John Lissenden **phone** 01752 47573

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High Moorland Women's Institute Prinetown

We are a group of local ladies
meeting on the 1st Wednesday of each
month 7.30pm at the Community Centre
Prinetown.

Our wide interests are reflected in our
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to a talk about the operation of Plymouth
Harbour and Sound.

Outings have included the Box, in
Plymouth and the Eden Project.

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Do come along to our next meeting on
6th May at 7.30pm Prinetown

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Nestled in the country lanes of Buckfastleigh, this garden is a beautiful addition to the open gardens programme. With around two acres of well planted semi-formal borders, a water feature, wildlife pond and 5 acres of wildflower meadows, there is plenty to see and enjoy.



Opening time: Saturday 30th May 10am until 4pm.

Admission: Suggested donation £5 per adult (cash only, no cards)

Parking: Availability for 10 cars on site and additional parking at the Rugby Club

Yes: dogs, children, toilets, wheelchair access,

Refreshments: Teas & Cakes

Kingswood House, Oaklands Road, Buckfastleigh, TQ11 0BL

Ashburton Book Group is looking for new members!

We meet at the Quaker Meeting House in Ashburton on the first Tuesday of the month. We choose a list of books, fact or fiction, for the coming months. On alternate meetings we discuss books we have enjoyed to recommend to other members and sometimes people are happy to lend or give away books. We are a friendly group – you can be any age or gender – you just need to love books!

Our books for the coming months are:

Godmersham Park by Gill Hornby,
Four Thousand Weeks by Oliver Burkeman,
A Town Called Solace by Mary Lawson,
The Land in Winter by Andrew Miller and
The Case for Christ by Lee Strobel.

There is a small charge which goes towards the hire of the room.

Our next meeting is on the **5th May at 2.30pm** at the Quaker Meeting House to discuss the first book on the list. Please contact Audrey Ryder on audreyryder@icloud.com for further details or just come along to the meeting.

Community coffee morning

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Bountiful Butterflies

Dartmoor is a wonderfully wet place, boasting 24 river catchments (depending on who you ask!). These rivers are a mosaic piece in the beautifully interconnected artwork of hydrology, geology, and ecology that make up our National Park. The piece of the mosaic I want to talk about today is an intriguing habitat that exists alongside our rivers – Rhos pasture. Here at Shallowford we are blessed with a swath of this species rich wetland, awash with biodiversity, that sits along the banks of the River Webburn.

One species that is an iconic sight in the rhos pasture are the bobbing purple pin cushion flowers of the Devils Bit Scabious, a native perennial wildflower that thrives in this damp riverside habitat. An important plant as it is the only food source for the Marsh Fritillary Butterfly that lives there too.

This threatened insect is recognisable by its wings of yellow, orange, and brown, reminiscent of stained-glass, that have a distinct row of black spots lining the hindwing. They are known as an indicator species, able to tell us about the overall health of the rhos pasture by their ability to thrive there. Working in collaboration with our neighbouring farms, Butterfly Conservation, and Central Dartmoor Landscape Recovery, we are working to monitor and support this species across the Webburn Valley.

Ten farms are included in the monitoring of the species' larval webs. An activity that includes walking a path through the rhos pasture noting each web of caterpillars you find. Training to do this will be in early June and we are keen to teach as many people this skill as possible, so if you would like to become one of our citizen scientists get in touch! Email Emily at emily@shallowfordfarm.co.uk to find out more.

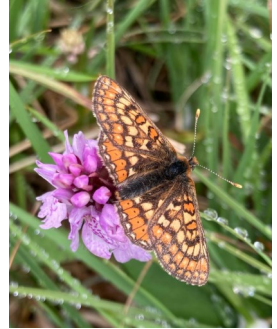
Until then, here is what we have **coming up on the farm...**

Big Batch Bake Day - 13th May, 10am to 1pm - join us for a fun day to stock our freezers full of delicious home-made goodies for the young people who stay with us. Book your free ticket using the QR code below.

Rivers and Moorland Festival - 6th June, 12pm to 6pm – come find us at the festival to learn more about the Marsh Fritillary.

Our summer coffee morning - 12th June, 10am to 12pm- you are welcome to join for coffee and cake and learn more about what's going on at the Farm. Free to attend, no need to book.

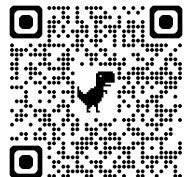
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all based in their studio in Moretonhampstead.

Contact education@medtheatre.co.uk to register your interest/find out more.

A PLAY-IN-A-WEEK - adults and children

New opportunity from MED Theatre for members of our Dartmoor community to take part in a collaborative, intergenerational (meaning all generations, aged 8+), play-making process over the course of one week in the **May half term: 26th - 31st May 2026**.

No experience needed! Flexible schedule possible.

For more info & costs visit www.medtheatre.co.uk/intergenerational-play-in-a-week

TEENS: Performance and creative writing opportunity

Playwriting, Peril and Performance Project, part of the International Agatha Christie Festival.

We are looking for young people aged 12-19 to join our creative project as performers, directors, writers and creators! The team will create our own original Murder Mystery play, to be performed in Torbay in December. We will meet every Tuesday in term time April-December, 6-7.30pm, in the MED studio in Moretonhampstead. For more info and costs visit www.medtheatre.co.uk/drama-groups/ (bursary places available) Cost: sliding scale £25/30/35. Bursary places available.

Dartmoor Forest Parish Council

Council normally meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month, with the meetings starting at 7.30pm in the small hall, Princetown Community Centre. One meeting per year is held at Postbridge Village Hall; usually in the summer months.

Who are your Parish Councillors?

<https://www.dartmoorforestparishcouncil.gov.uk/members.php>

Members of the public are welcome and can address Council during the Public Sessions; to comment on issues discussed, raise new issues or concerns for discussion at subsequent meetings or just come and listen. The Agenda and Minutes for all Council meetings can be viewed on our website: <https://www.dartmoorforestparishcouncil.gov.uk/meetings.php>

Date of next meeting: Annual Council Meeting 26th May at 6.30pm, held at Princetown Community Centre, small hall. We are also on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/dartmoorforestpc.net>

Parish Clerk: Duncan Swift

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Business Directory

In each issue of the Parish Link we promote businesses across the Parish and surrounding area, these businesses support us and enable us to publish this magazine for the local community. If you are looking for a great local business then look below. Next to each business is the page where they appear in this issue. **If you call them, please let them know you found them in the Parish Link.**

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*Next issue available on **Thursday 28th May***

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Widcombe Sports Group

May is one of my favourite months – long daylight, fresh green leaves and blossom everywhere – what’s not to like? This is the month that sees pilgrimages to Holwell, Challacombe and the Vitifer valley to admire great oceans of bluebells. For more information about these iconic early summer flowers, please see Richard Wells’s piece on [pg13](#). The slopes of Challacombe feature on our cover image.

And speaking of the cover image, we were lucky enough to be offered this month’s photograph taken by Ray Williams. (Some of you may remember his talk at the Widecombe Social Club last summer, about his life as a vet.) Mostly the cover images of the Link are taken by either Fiona, Debbie or Daf – the editorial team – but we would really welcome photographs from any of our readers. Anything taken within the Link area, portrait shape (to fit, of course!) will be considered. Please email your images to link@moorlandteam.org.uk

There are lots of things going on this month, as there always seems to be (how lucky are we?) from an Open Garden at Kingswood House in Buckfastleigh [pg38](#) on behalf of Rowcroft Hospice to a cracking evening of singing and wit with Maggie Duffy at the Widecombe Social Club [pg31](#) to a sumptuous pop-up Italian restaurant at Leusdon Memorial Hall – which, if it’s anything like the French Bistro last summer, will be so much more than just dining out! [pg17](#).

We were sad to hear that Holne Playgroup has had to close due to lack of volunteers. The equipment is still there – so if anyone would like to revive this fun group, please see [pg11](#) and contact Hannah about this.

And we see that Ashburton Book Group are looking for new members. [pg38](#) for more details.

Now it’s spring, the hedgehogs are awake and need our help! Please see [pg27](#) for ways we can assist them to thrive.

And enjoy those long, light days and the swallows and house martens and foals on the moor – I can’t wait!

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5th - 7th - Folk & Ale Festival

Sun 14th - Andy Quick

Sat 20th - Crank Summer Ball

Sat 27th - Miss Ruby Slipper Drag Night 8pm

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July

Sun 12th - Rich Cottell

Sun 19th - TBC

Sun 26th - Crediton Brass Band

Fri 31st - Ady Bings Bonkers Bingo 7.30pm

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August

Sun 2nd - Exeter Brass Band

Sun 9th - Daniel on Sax

Sun 16th - Okehampton Brass Band

Sun 23rd - Rich Cottell

Fri 28th - Elton John Tribute 8pm

Sat 29th - Marvin Muoneke 8pm

Sun 30th - TBC

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