

Together, serving the communities of Teignmouth, Bishopsteignton, Ideford with Luton, Ashcombe, Shaldon and Ringmore

Praying and Growing in Christian discipleship, and **Serving** the people of Devon with joy

Welcome to our churches Sunday 24th November – Christ the King

Daniel 7. 9-10, 13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousand served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened. As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed ..

Revelation 1.4b-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia:

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds;

every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

John 18. 33-37

Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

Collect

Eternal Father,

whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Post Communion Collect

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Services During the week

Monday 25th 9.30amSt Michael's, Morning Prayer Tuesday 26^h 9:30am St Michael's, H C Tuesday 26th Noon Teignmouth Baptist Church, Ecumenical Midday Prayers Wednesday 27th 9.30am St Peter's, Morning Prayer

Future Team Services

Advent Sunday: December 1st **Candlelight Service** at 4.30 at St.Michael's with carols, readings, choir pieces. A lovely way to still ourselves for the Advent season.

Services Next Sunday 1st December Advent Sunday

9.30am - St Michael: Holy Communion
9.30am - St Johns, Bishop: Family Church
9.30am St Nicholas: Matins
10.30am - Bishop' Methodist Church: Village Worship
11.00am - St James: Holy Communion with healing
11.00am - St Peter's - Holy Communion
11.00am - St Michael's: Family Praise
4.30pm - St Mary's Ideford - Evening Service
4.30pm - St Michael's - Advent Carol Service

Requests to Guide Your Prayers

(Please contact clergy for inclusion)

Residential home: Moors Park

The healing and wholeness of: Nicholas Brixton, Anne Roper, Nobby Bray, Margaret Baxter, Andy Harding, Chris Newton, Len Parkyn, Liz Fuell and Pamela Langley.

Circle of Care: Andy Dyson, Maggie Halford, Yvonne Crispin, Eric Crocker, Tony Corlett, Janet Paget, Max Guy and Marion Delaney.

The recently departed and their family and friends: David Robertson, Jane Snell, Mary Perry and Hope Whittard

Pewsheet submissions by 10am please on Thurs to office <u>office@haldonteam.org.uk</u> <u>www.haldonteam.org.uk</u> <u>www.facebook.com/haldonmission</u>

Making church thrive

Revs Carol and Dave are working to support day to day working in our churches and particularly our wardens. St Michael's have just appointed 2 Asst CWs Lesley Heffer and Derek Whitty and St John's are supporting the idea of having CWs for the day/duty wardens working in teams. Shaldon is also looking at ideas. Tell us what you think.

Future events open to everyone across the Mission Community

Dorcas Group for bereaved people and supporters meets in St Michael's

Mon 2nd Dec. outing to Tavistock Christmas Tree Festival. Leaving at 9.45 returning 3, cost £24. Christine Marsh 01626 772561 to book.

Shaldon Singers Christmas Concert at St Peter's Sat 7th Dec at 7.00pm. Tickets £12 (£16

with refreshments) Concessions from Bradley's Shaldon, Teign Music or WeGotTickets.com.

Teignmouth Youth Choir at St Peter's with

Rowcroft Hospice Choir will hold a concert on Sunday 15th December 4.00pm.- Tickets £5 at the door - Under 16 free or email: <u>teignmouthyouthchoir@gmail.com</u>

St Michael's Christmas Fayre has been postponed until next Saturday 30th November due to anticipated bad weather for 23rd. Please come along for a great selection of gifts, to see Father Christmas have lunch and refreshments.

We are experimenting with **the Pewsheet** and will would be interested in your feedback please email the office or speak to the clergy/CWs with feedback.