

Churchmouse

St Feock Church

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“Read all about it”

Churchmouse aims to provide everyone with a quick update after PCC and other meetings. The full PCC minutes are available at the back of church

and don't forget to check out our website at stfeockchurch.org.uk for more information and pictures.

!!!! FABULOUS FLOWER FESTIVAL !!!!

A Big Thank you to everyone for supporting the St Feock Flower Festival. What an amazing spectacle it was! Beautiful arrangements, gorgeous displays, brilliant dresses and photographs, all bringing back many memories for so many people. Hundreds of people came to look around the Church, both locals and visitors admired the displays fully appreciating the skill and talent of all involved. Wendy Gladwyn and her team of flower arrangers had worked extremely hard and did us all proud. We were also able to fully utilise our Church Hall and our thanks to Martin and Nina for the refreshments throughout the weekend. A lot of work went in to acquiring sponsorship for the event so that practically all the donations both in the Church and the Church Hall (circa £3000) will go towards our church funds, well done everybody!!

Church Lighting

Thank you for all your feedback about the new lights in Church. As a result we have been able to go ahead and finish the installation with thanks to Jeff Baker. The

LED lights mean huge improvements in economy and efficiency and last about ten times longer (around 22,000 hours), which means virtually no ladder-climbing to replace lamps.

“Comfy seats”

We are delighted to tell you that 120 new chairs have been ordered for our Church Community Hall. As a result of some generous donations the new chairs will soon be available and in use for your comfort at our fortnightly lunches, our Film Club and all our other events. We have also received an offer from Tresillian Church to purchase many of our old ones. Thank you to all!

“In Remembrance”

Are you are interested in adopting a practice common in many Churches of remembering your loved ones around the anniversary of their death? The suggestion is that an offering could be made towards the flowers in your chosen week/month.

If this is something you think you would like to do, please tell Clare Beard.

Cluster News

(Dom's Farewell!)

We will be hosting the next joint Cluster Service at St Feock Church Community Hall at **4.00 pm on Sunday 9th July**. This is a particularly special occasion as it will also be our farewell Service for Dom and Hannah. Dom will soon be taking up his new post as Chaplain with Hampshire Police. Everyone is welcome to come along and is invited to bring along a plate of food to share after the service.

Confirmation

What a beautiful service we were fortunate to witness

when Bishop Chris Goldsmith came to St Feock to confirm three candidates from across the Cluster, including our own Lorna Weaver. It was a very moving and uplifting occasion and a great opportunity for Churches within the Cluster to get together both at the service and to scoff the cake afterwards! Our congratulations and prayers are with you Lorna!

Diocesan News

We are also fortunate to welcome Bishop Tim Thornton to our Eucharist service on 2nd July. As we all know he too is leaving us

soon. He will be presiding over his last Eucharist service at Truro Cathedral on Saturday 22nd July at 4.00 pm. He is also inviting everyone to Lis Escop on 28th and 29th July between 3.00 – 5.30 pm for refreshments, a wander around the garden and to say final goodbyes. All are welcome!

Summer is with us

The fine weather means that many of us are on holiday or enjoying our local waters. We are fortunate to see some visitors at our services. Whatever you are doing or wherever you are, make the most of it and stay safe!

Please let us know if you found this newsletter useful and keep bringing us your views from the pews

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