

# WEEKLY UPDATE



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**Week Commencing Aug 17th 2025**

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## **Luke 12.49-56**

<sup>49</sup> “I have come to bring fire on the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! <sup>50</sup> But I have a baptism to undergo, and how distressed I am until it is completed! <sup>51</sup> Do you think I came to bring peace on earth? No, I tell you, but division. <sup>52</sup> From now on there will be five in one family divided against each other, three against two and two against three. <sup>53</sup> They will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.” <sup>54</sup> He said to the crowd: “When you see a cloud rising in the west, immediately you say, ‘It’s going to rain,’ and it does. <sup>55</sup> And when the south wind blows, you say, ‘It’s going to be hot,’ and it is. <sup>56</sup> Hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of the earth and the sky. How is it that you don’t know how to interpret this present time?”

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## **Collect**

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory’s sake in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**website [www.callingtoncluster.org.uk](http://www.callingtoncluster.org.uk)**

For Pastoral and Caring Issues, or  
someone to talk to please contact:

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## **Prayers - PLEASE PRAY**



† For the Road Show Holiday Clubs running this week at South Hill on Monday and Stoke Climsland on Wednesday.

† For committees and trustees with care for village halls and facilities benefiting the local community remembering particularly Linkinhorne Parish Hall closed at present due to structural problems.

† For talks to end the war between Russia and Ukraine, that a path to a just and lasting peace may be found.

† For Food Banks and other organisations working to bring relief to those in need.

† For those unwell in body, mind or spirit. For those who mourn the loss of loved ones.

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***PRAYER CHAIN - If you would like one of our prayer chains to pray for any particular reason, or would like to join the prayer chains, please contact:-***

**For Stoke - Jan Parsons [janetmparsons@btinternet.com](mailto:janetmparsons@btinternet.com)**

**For Linkinhorne - Norma Draper 01579 363572; [nrmadraper@gmail.com](mailto:nrmadraper@gmail.com)**

**For South Hill - Miranda 01579 382863; [mlawranceowen@icloud.com](mailto:mlawranceowen@icloud.com)**

***Everything is always in complete confidence within each chain.***

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If you would like to advertise on the Website or on Social media you can email the following address: [website.callingtoncluster@gmail.com](mailto:website.callingtoncluster@gmail.com)

For calendar entries please contact the following people:

Stoke - Carol Brocklebank: [carolbrock57@icloud.com](mailto:carolbrock57@icloud.com)

St. Sampson's - Miranda Lawrance-Owen: [mlawranceowen@icloud.com](mailto:mlawranceowen@icloud.com)

Linkinhorne - Maxine Browne: [maxineatlinkinhornechurches@aol.com](mailto:maxineatlinkinhornechurches@aol.com)

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### **South Hill Prayer Gathering Tuesdays at 9.30 – 10.00 am in St Sampson's.**

Informal prayers for our parish. All welcome For more information, or to request prayer, contact Miranda [mlawranceowen@icloud.com](mailto:mlawranceowen@icloud.com) or 01579 382863"

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### **St. Mary's Monday Prayers**

10 am Monday - prayers for ourselves, our community and churches. All welcome, just pop in and join us. (45 mins)

11am Bible study - informal ( 1 hour), everyone welcome.

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### **Deanery Prayer meeting (weekly Mondays at 9 till 9.30am on Zoom)**

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2521792902?pwd=SVprSUdUUlFzeFF2L0NMOGM1NmxBNQT09>

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### **Stoke Church Prayer Monday Meeting**

from 6.00 to 7.00pm

## **CHURCH SERVICES**

### **Stoke Climsland**

**Sunday - 8.00am BCP - Barbara Bennet**  
**10.00am Holy Communion - Michael Johnson**

Next Sunday – 8.00am BCP  
10.00am Family Worship

If you would like to meet to be prayed with, please phone Jan 01579370319.

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### **St Mary's**

**Sunday – Together @10**

**Next Sunday – Together @10 with Holy Communion and Healing**

Mid-week Holy Communion - 10.30 am (said) Every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays.

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### **St Sampson's South Hill**

**Sunday – 11.15am Morning Worship**

**Next Sunday - 10.00am Sunday with a difference**

If you have a concern or require prayer please contact [judithayers@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:judithayers@yahoo.co.uk)

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### **St Paul's Upton Cross**

**Sunday – No service at St Paul's**  
**we are joining with Stoke for 10.00am Communion**

**Next Sunday – 12.00 Meet and eat – the cross link centre**

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### **St Melors Linkinhorne**

**Sunday - 6.30pm Choral Evensong - Andrew Doney**

**Next Sunday – 11.00am Morning Prayer**

Church is open daily for private prayer.

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## **Notices**

☀ **FREE Summer Holiday Club!** ☀

You still have **TWO** more opportunities to join our wonderful summer holiday clubs run by our Families Worker, Claire.

**St Sampson's Church, Golberdon on 18th August**

**Stoke Climsland Church@Venterdon Methodist Church on 20th August**

☀ **For 5 - 11yr olds**

☀ **Drop off 10am, Pick up 2pm**

☀ **Bring a PACKED LUNCH**

☀ **Games, Crafts and Stories**

**Book your tickets here...**

**St Sampson's on 18/8/25 - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1372310871759...>**

**Stoke Climsland on 20/8/25 - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1372346718979...>**



## No Drop In Cafe

Linkinhorne Parish Hall.  
During Summer Holidays

**Baby and Toddler Groups**  
WoW closed for holidays

**Sampson's Supertots Mondays**  
Closed for the summer break

*Eat, Drink & Share the Love*

**at the Pop-Up Café TUESDAY 9.00am – 12.00am**  
**in Church this week due to Parish hall refurbishment**

**no charge - voluntary contribution for charity**

# POP-UP

EVERY WEDNESDAY

ALL WELCOME

12PM-1.30PM

## CAFÉ

CALLINGTON  
ST. MARY'S

A warm welcome awaits you

SERVING A WARM MEAL  
& REFRESHMENTS

**£2.50 PP**  
minimum donation

### PAY-IT-FORWARD

Be part of our pay it forward scheme,  
simply leave an extra donation in the  
box provided at the kitchen to provide a  
meal for someone who is unable to pay.

**FOODBANKS – to find out what your local foodbank needs see:**

<https://www.givefood.org.uk/needs/?address=Callington,%20UK>

**Liskeard and Looe Foodbank** donations to Unit 2 Trevecca Industrial Estate, Culverwood Road, Liskeard PL14 6RE on Mon/Wed/Fri 9.30am and 12.30. Also at the Co-Op, Pound Land and Morrisons, near the café. St Paul's and St Melor's have drop off points. You can donate money on line at <https://liskeardlooe.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/>

Callington Foodbank drop off point TESCO Account Name: Callington Foodbank  
Sort Code: 08-92-99 Account No: 67222643 Bank: The Co-operative Bank

**Items for the newsheet to John** [pamjohnk@btinternet.com](mailto:pamjohnk@btinternet.com)  
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By 6.00pm  
Thurs