

UPCOMING EVENTS



St. Andrew's are short of volunteers to help with the vestry. It entails making sure the communion tray is ready for the next communion service, oil-filled candles are topped up and the laundering of any communion linen. Each duty last two weeks about every 3 months and you work in pairs. Training given. Anyone interested in helping please contact:

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St Andrew's, Ipplepen

Saturday 6th December -10 – 12

(Setting up on Friday 5th December from 2pm – 4pm)

Donations of books, jigsaws, bric a brac, toys, produce and preserves, cakes gratefully received! If you would like them collected, please call Vanessa on 812812.



Weekly Notices

Sunday 16th to Sunday 23rd November

Sunday 16th November – Second Sunday before Advent

Time	Service	Location
09.30am	Holy Communion + Children's Activities	Denbury
10.30am	Refreshments followed by	
11.00am	Holy Communion	Ipplepen
6.00pm	Come Holy Spirit	Ipplepen Church Hall

Sunday 23rd November - The Sunday next before Advent

Time	Service	Location
08.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Ipplepen
09.30am	Celtic Morning Prayer	Denbury
11.00am	Holy Communion	Broadhempston
10.30am	Refreshments followed by	
11.00am	Holy Communion	Ipplepen
6.00pm	Evensong (BCP)	Woodland

In Memory: Jeff Clarke, Sheila Turvey, John Osborn, Tony Newton, Arno Klein, Elizabeth Mills, Jill Harvey, Alison Pexton, Joseph Greek, Len Haynes

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For urgent matters please contact Andrew at the Rectory on 01803 813403.
 Please note Andrew's day off on Thursdays.

Beacon Parishes Mission Community Website: www.missioncommunity.org.uk
 Facebook pages: www.facebook.com/StAndrewsIpplepen www.facebook.com/denburyworship www.facebook.com/Broad20

Sunday 16th November 2025 – Second Sunday before Advent

FIRST READING Malachi 4:1-2a

See, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings.

SECOND READING 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Now we command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you,⁸ and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labour we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living.¹³ Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

GOSPEL Luke 21:5-19

When some were speaking about the temple, how it was adorned with beautiful stones and gifts dedicated to God, he said, 'As for these things that you see, the days will come when not one stone will be left upon another; all will be thrown down.'

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They asked him, 'Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign that this is about to take place?' And he said, 'Beware that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and, "The time is near!" Do not go after them.'

'When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.'

'But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. This will give you an opportunity to testify. So make up your minds not to prepare your defence in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your souls.'

Notes...



Creating Room – An Advent Candlelit Service - followed by refreshments

Sunday 30th

November – 6pm

**St John the Baptist,
Woodland**



The late Joseph Greek's funeral is being held at St. Andrew's on
Monday 17th November at 12 noon.