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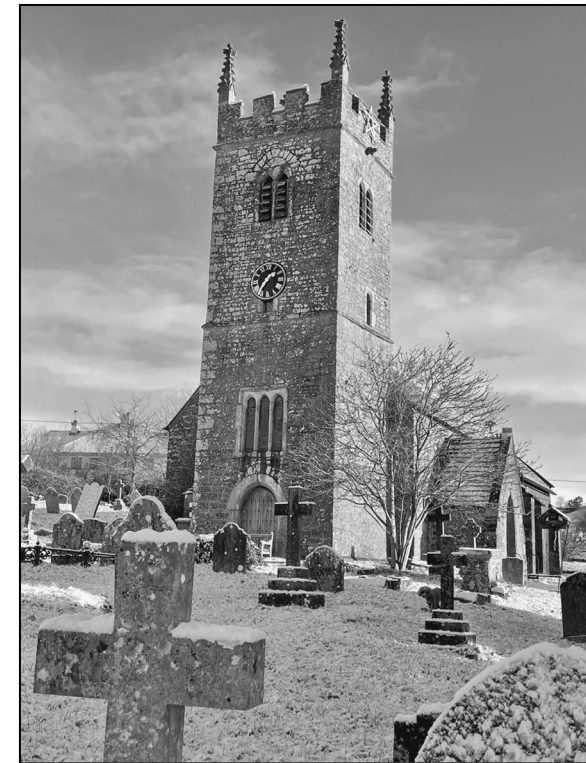
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February 2024



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### Spring is in the Air

It's true, February isn't usually thought of as a Spring month, but we here in the Haldon Mission Community (Anglican Churches in the Teignmouth, Shaldon, Bishop and Villages area) are feeling very upbeat. We feel spring like even if we haven't yet gone into Lent!

There are three main reasons. We are still glowing from welcoming so many people through our doors at Christmas. It was great to see you at our Christingles, crib services, carol services and for school events. We enjoyed having the local schools use our churches and to see the talent and hard work of the children and say thank you to their teachers. Teignmouth Community School held their Christmas concert at St James and there were 37 items on their programme – showing what the talented teens of our area can do. We like to support other organisations in the town and so it is a pleasure to again host the RNLI Carol Service which is also a thank you to the crew, volunteers and fund-raising committee.

Secondly is that we are looking forward to welcoming a new full-time colleague Rev David Wilkie, his wife Donna and family of 4 children under 9. His role will be different from the past as for half of his time he'll concentrate on Children and Family needs supporting the work of our volunteers. To support this change we are developing our pastoral care teams and with our ecumenical colleagues making regular visits to more care homes in our area. He will still have pastoral oversight of Bishop, Ideford, Luton and Ashcombe.

The third reason is found in the love of the Lord Jesus Christ. As Christians we believe that God made and loves the whole world. He gave us free will, though, to make choices about how and if we want to respond to that love. We can turn away and say there are so many bad things in the world how can there be God? We can shout and scream at Him but like when a family argues it is the quiet discussion after that a way forward develops. The wonderful hymn Dear Lord and Father of Mankind reminds us of this:

*“speak through the earthquake wind and fire, O still small voice of calm”* (John G Whittier)

Blessings and peace,

*Rev Carol Green, Team Rector, Haldon Mission Community*

Find us on our website [www.haldonteam.org.uk](http://www.haldonteam.org.uk)

### February Services

<b>Sunday Feb. 4th</b> 4.30pm	<b>Second Sunday before Lent</b> Evensong	Ideford
<b>Sunday Feb. 11th</b> 9.30am 6.30pm	<b>Sunday before Lent</b> Holy Communion Evensong	Ashcombe Luton
<b>Sunday Feb. 18th</b> 11.00am	<b>First Sunday of Lent</b> Holy Communion	Ideford

#### **Ash Wednesday Services in the Haldon Team - 14th February:**

10am	St John's Bishopsteignton
6pm	St Peter's Shaldon
7.30pm	St Michael's Teignmouth

*For other services in the team please see the team website:  
[www.haldonteam.org.uk](http://www.haldonteam.org.uk)*

#### ***Dates for your diary - regular events***

##### **IDEFORD PARISH COUNCIL**

The next Parish Council Meeting, **Thursday 8th February 2024 at 7.00pm** in Ideford Village Hall. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

##### **BISHOPSTEIGNTON PARISH COUNCIL**

Meetings are held at the Community Centre, Shute Hill, commencing at 7.30pm.

Monday February 5th	Full council Meeting
Monday February 19th	Planning Committee

##### **BELL RINGING PRACTICE**

Practices are normally in Ideford Church on Thursday evenings from 7.30pm until 9.00pm. We would love to have some new ringers join our team, please contact David Aylmore (852259) or Martin Sampson (853391) for more information.

##### **IDEFORD SHORT MAT BOWLS**

Small friendly group meeting every Tuesday in the village hall from 7pm till 9pm with a break for tea.

We encourage new members of any age to join us, no experience necessary, just turn up and 'have a go'

##### **IDEFORD SOCIAL CLUB**

Monthly meetings - please contact Kath Mortimore for details - 853394.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### **Ideford Church Key Rota**

February	Bill Wilkins (Linden Lea)
March	Lesley (Bees Corner)

#### **Luton Altar Flowers and Brass Cleaning**

February	Liz Wright
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#### **Chudleigh Library - opening times**

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#### **Websites and Sat. Nav.**

<b>Haldon Team Website</b>	<a href="http://www.haldonteam.org.uk">www.haldonteam.org.uk</a>
<b>Ideford Parish Website</b>	<a href="http://www.ideford-parish.co.uk">www.ideford-parish.co.uk</a>

<b>Church post codes for Sat Nav:</b>	St Mary's, Ideford	TQ13 0BB
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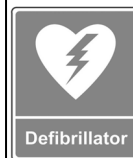
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**0105/23 CLERK'S REPORT AND FINANCE:**

0105.1 The balance of accounts on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023 was £15,211.03. The bank reconciliation for October 2023 was agreed by all and signed by the Chair and Clerk.

0105.2 It was agreed by all to make the following payments:

£22.50	Village Hall	Room Hire
£33.25	Village Hall	Room Home
£96.82	Parish News	Minutes

A direct debit for £12 per month has been set up to pay for Scribe Accounts.

It was agreed the PC would pay the M Green insurance renewal direct, rather than award an annual grant.

0105.3 The budget for 2024 – 2025 was agreed at £9,045.00 a 2.03% increase.

0105.4 Legal and administrative update:

Citizens Advice Teignbridge send their thanks for the £250 grant.

The TDC Town and Budget Consultation is being held via Zoom on 19<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm.

**0106/23 DATE OF NEXT MEETING** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023 at 7pm – to be confirmed.



**Ideford Community Litter Pick**

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**Ideford Village Hall**

**11am - 1pm**

**Everyone is welcome to come along to our dog friendly, Community Café for tea/coffee and cake and/or a light lunch.**

**(Voluntary donation only)**

Our Pop Up Café has been running for a year now, and has proved to be very popular. It's difficult to imagine that this time last year, when we had the 'crazy' idea, we were wondering whether anyone would turn up for a coffee and chat. It has been great for us to see the hall buzzing as people come in for coffee and/or a light lunch and a good natter with friends and neighbours. As an added bonus, thanks to your generous donations we have been able to give over £1,000 to HITS. Thank you so much for your support.

We get the impression that the village would like the Pop Up Café to continue in 2024, and we are more than happy to oblige. However, it would be nice if we could have a list of people to call on for help if needed - due to holidays or illness etc. If you would be able/willing to help with any of the following occasionally, please contact us.

1. Setting up the tables before the café opens at 11am and putting them away again at 1pm.
2. Helping with serving and washing up - 11am until 1pm.
3. Baking a cake.
4. Making something for a light lunch - soup or quiche etc.

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**Lent Studies**

Lent Studies will be held each Monday, starting on Monday 19th February.

We meet at The Old Post Office, Fore Street at 7.30pm.

We hope you can join us.



### Mothering Sunday - March 10th

There will be an informal, community led Mothering Sunday service at St. Mary's, Ideford at 10.30am. The service will last for no more than half an hour, and coffee and biscuits will be available after the service for those not rushing off for celebratory lunches.

More details in next month's Parish News.

### Hold the Date

**Sunday March 24th**

**10am - 1pm**

**Spring Breakfast**

**Ideford Village Hall**

**Donations Only**



### SHARING THE LOAD!

**Ideford Village Hall**

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#### Could you find some time to help ' share the load' ?

We need a little help. It would involve using our contacts to enable works to be carried in the hall when necessary. The hall is currently in good shape, so this wouldn't be very time consuming. Our booking clerk, Angela Fox does this in addition to other jobs. There would be no obligation to become a trustee, just a friend to the hall.

Please contact Angela on 01626 859599 if you can help us.

Thank you.

### Parish Diary

I now have a 2024 diary, which I will try to keep up to date with village events. If you would like to add your event or check for free dates, please get in touch - 01626 852259, email: [j23aylmore@gmail.com](mailto:j23aylmore@gmail.com).

DIARY

**0101/23 cont.**

Cllr Roger Croad, Cabinet Member for Public Health, Communities and Equality, said: We still have funding available. For more details, contact community grants @ devon.gov.uk.

**0102/23 PARISH MATTERS**

0102.1 It was proposed by Cllr T Hill, seconded by Cllr M Batting and agreed by all (AC-W & DF did not vote) to award a grant of £500 to the Village Hall.

An annual grant amount of £500 to be added to the budget and the PC to look at contributing to larger one-off projects as and when needed.

It was suggested that the PC, Village Hall and M Green could save costs by combining their insurance policies.

The PC's gratitude and thanks were conveyed to the trustees of the Village Hall and the Millennium Green for all that they do.

0102.2 A CIL payment of £146.72 has been received; to be spent on infrastructure within the next 5 years.

0102.3 Providing a grant to help repair the church clock was deferred.

0102.4 Purchasing sandbags for flood defence was deferred.

0102.5 The Chair attended 'Your Water Your Say' online forum and put forward resident's concerns regarding leaks and loss of water – SWW will reply to the comments in due course.

0102.6 The resurfacing of the road from Longthorn Cottage to the Roal Oak junction has been rescheduled for 27th to 29th November 2023.

0102.7 Sustainable Ideford update and report:

Cllrs agreed the proposed costs of approx. £50 for refreshments and printing for the Carbon Café.

0102.8 Wildlife Wardens update and report:

The Woodland Trust have sent 200 saplings which are intended for hedge planting at the church.

Also, the wildflower area in the churchyard will be enlarged, with more seeds being planted hopefully producing a nice display next summer – and after a presentation by the Wildlife Wardens to the Haldon Ministry, other churches in the area are looking to introduce churchyard wildflower areas.

**0103/23 PLANNING:**

0103.1The PC had been notified of planning application 23/01933/FUL – Rixford Bungalow, but prior to the PC meeting the application was no longer available to view on the TDC planning portal, so the PC were unable to make comment.

0103.2 Planning enforcement issues and updates.

TDC Planning will be visiting Longbarn, Lower Colleybrook and Higher Colleybrook to meet with owners and discuss outstanding applications, enforcement issues and concerns raised about works.

**0104/23 CONCERNS RAISED BY PARISHIONERS TO COUNCILLORS:**

It was noted that the fungus by the Oak tree was on the posts surrounding the tree and not in the bark chippings as was previously noted. The fungus and the tree will be monitored.

**IDEFORD PARISH COUNCIL**

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting  
held in the Village Hall on 9th November 2023 at 7.00pm**

Present: Cllr T Hill - Chair  
Cllr A Carter-Woodwork Cllr m Batting  
Cllr D Fox Cllr C Hill

In Attendance Cllr R Peart (DCC) Mrs J Thompson - Clerk  
Five members of the public

<u>Item</u>	<u>Discussion and Decisions</u>
097/23	<b>WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b> The Chair opened the meeting at 7:05pm and welcomed everyone. Note – the meeting was delayed due to the incorrect start time being posted. Apologies were received from Cllr H Bellamy, Cllr J Gardner and Cllr K Gearon (TDC).
098/23	<b>MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING</b> It was proposed by Cllr M Batting, seconded by Cllr A Carter-Woodwork and agreed by all to accept the minutes of the meeting of Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October 2023 as a true and accurate record.
099/23	<b>DECLARATION OF INTERESTS</b> Cllr T Hill for any Millennium Green or PCC items. Cllr A Carter-Woodwork for any Village Hall items. Cllr D Fox for any Village Hall items (partner is VH trustee).
0100/23	<b>PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:</b> Cllr M Batting reported that he unfortunately had to withdraw permission for anyone to exercise their dog on the fields he rents between Olchard Lane and the dual carriageway, due to an incident of verbal abuse received from an Ideford resident. The PC said that it was unfortunate that the actions of one had spoilt it for everyone.
0101/23	<b>REPORTS:</b> Cllr R Peart Grants for Community groups. Community groups and organisations are being invited to apply for grants to help look after people over the winter. Devon County Council is encouraging these groups to apply for funding from its Growing Community Fund which was set up last year. So far, more than £700,000 has been awarded to local projects, many of which are helping communities in many ways. Grants have been awarded to 475 local groups, and of these 216 are helping to address food and fuel poverty, 399 are addressing health and wellbeing, 313 are supporting those with mental health issues and 322 are helping families, parents and parents who are on their own. Groups who can apply include those bringing communities together for activities and social interaction, provide a warm safe place during the winter or help with food poverty and essentials or offer communities the means to cook nutritious meals on a budget.

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*Remember - 'Many hands make light work'!!*

These are also the contact details if you would be interested in exhibiting or trading at the fayre.

A huge **'thank you'** to everyone who supported Christmas events in the village this year. To those who organized and supported the Craft Fayre, everyone involved with the Festive Meal - either cooking, serving or coming along to enjoy the evening. The Advent Windows were amazing, from angels to wise dogs and Christmas trees to candles. The Christmas services were well supported, and it was lovely to see St. Mary's full. Thank you one and all.



## SUSTAINABLE IDEFORD A - Z

### L is for Leftovers



Reducing food waste is one of the most important things we can all do to be more sustainable.

The three most commonly wasted foods in households are:

#### POTATOES

Millions of potatoes hit the bin every day in the UK. Keep your potatoes in a cool dark place and cut off the eyes if they start to sprout. Potatoes that are going soft can either be added to soups or boiled up and mashed and then frozen.

#### BREAD

Millions of slices of bread are chucked away daily. If you find yours gets mouldy before you get through it, keep it in the freezer and take out slices as you need them. Whiz up stale bread in a food processor to make breadcrumbs and then store them in the freezer ready to use as toppings.

#### MILK

Millions of gallons of milk are poured down the drains in the UK. Milk in plastic (recyclable) bottles can be stored in the freezer and defrosted when needed. If you are going on holiday freeze your left over milk rather than pouring it away.

#### OTHER ITEMS

Milk, cheese, butter, eggs (but not in their shells), avocados and hummus can all be frozen.

Rustle up some banana bread from ripe bananas, whiz up a smoothie from tired looking fruit in the fruit bowl or make soup from the limp veg in the fridge.

**Buy less - but try buying better.**

**Use every scrap.**

Use up any left overs from a Sunday roast. Try serving cold in sandwiches, make a risotto or curry, cut up and freeze to make more meals at another time. Boil up bones or chicken carcasses for soup or stock.

**Buy British**

Buy British milk, meat and cheese. Not only will the food miles be less but our farm welfare standards are generally higher than some other parts of the world.

**Go Free Range**

This applies for meat as well as eggs. Outdoor reared meat is generally farmed much less intensively, reducing carbon emissions and generally meaning the animals have a more pleasant life

# Dog Public Space Protection Order

We have introduced a new Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) aimed at reducing irresponsible dog ownership and making Teignbridge an even cleaner and greener place

## From 1 April 2019 you have to:

- pick up after your dog in public places
- not walk your dog on some beaches from 1 April to 30 September
- keep your dog out of areas signed as dog exclusion areas (for example, children's play parks)
- keep your dog on a fixed 1 metre lead (which includes a fixed extendable lead) in certain areas
- keep your dog on a fixed 1 metre lead (which includes a fixed extendable lead) when walking next to a road, on a footpath next to the road or on a cyclepath
- where a dog is being a nuisance or annoying to people or other animals, you must put your dog on a lead if asked to do so by a council officer or police officer
- limit the amount of dogs you have with you to a maximum of six (this applies to professional dog walkers too)
- You must carry sufficient dog poo bags

Failure to comply may result in a Fixed Penalty Notice or Prosecution

For more information visit [teignbridge.gov.uk/dogpspo](https://teignbridge.gov.uk/dogpspo)

