

Hello from St. Hugh's!

June 2026/3

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Bishop David of Truro (right) and Bishop James of St. Germans spent Sunday, 17th May in the benefice and arrived at St. Hugh's for 6pm choral evensong. There was a very good congregation, including visiting organist Sarah Gard and eight members of her Callington Singers who became 'the choir' for the evening. Bishop James preached and the choir sang processional and an anthem. Over coffee and snacks, the bishops circulated amongst the congregation. They were very enthusiastic and supportive when they heard about our progress with the planned changes at St. Hugh's. Someone said afterwards that they had enjoyed meeting the bishops as they were just 'ordinary people' - a lovely comment to sum up a happy visit.



Services in June/July

(See Church noticeboard for any changes)

7th June 10am:	Morning Worship
14th June 10am:	Morning Worship
21st June 10am:	Holy Communion
28th June 4:30pm:	Evening Worship
5th July 10am:	Holy Communion
12th July 10am:	Holy Communion
19th July 10am:	Morning Worship
26th July 4:30pm:	Evening Worship - Creation Care

PCC Matters - Annual Meetings

Rachel Winstone was the only person nominated to be churchwarden and was duly elected. Rachel was also appointed as the Parish Safeguarding Officer.

Richard Winstone, Sarah Newman, Phil Renfree and Mary-Ann Parsons. were elected to the PCC as representatives of the laity. There are 2 vacancies. Other PCC members are Rev. Li Selman, Rachel Winstone, Martin Smith and Jacqui Olver. Richard is Lay Chairman, Martin Smith is Treasurer and Mary-Ann is Secretary. Sarah is 'Creation Care Champion' and Jacqui is Deanery Synod Representative.

Concert

Concert goers were treated to a journey, by Pam Marchant, through the history of harp playing. Pieces were also included from Wales, Scotland and Ireland (but not Cornwall!). After a buffet supper, the audience settled down to hear, for the first time, a recital of non-worship music being played on the 1905 Heard & Sons organ.



We were very fortunate that Jonathan Delbridge agreed to play for us and he chose a range of pieces that he felt would suit this organ, which although does not have the thundering power of larger instruments, is able to produce a wide range of 'colours' in its sounds. Whilst getting to know the organ during the afternoon, Jonathan put together a short video guide which can be seen here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XPOVrVTWTGY> The consensus among the audience was that 'Nimrod' sounded fantastic! Many thanks to Pam and Jonathan, and the helpers and bakers, for a lovely and successful evening.

Quethiock School Eco-Group...

...have been busy helping out in the churchyard once again! They have created bundles of twigs and straw to make a mixed habitat area to support biodiversity. They also made Creation Postcards using flower dyes and coloured pencils. Their wonderful artworks are on display at the front of the church.



Forthcoming Events

* **Wednesday, 8th July 10-12:30 in the church**

Trelowan Flowers - a talk and demonstration by Tamsin

* **Sunday, 26th July 4:30pm**
Creation Care themed Evening Worship

* **Sunday, 23rd August 2-5pm at Trehunsey Cottage**
"Tea at Trehunsey" - with Wheal Martha Band and Melodi Liskerret

Talk and Demonstration
Tamsin
from
Trelowan Flower Farm

Wednesday 8th July
10am-12:30
St. Hugh's Church

Come and hear Tamsin talk about her passion for growing beautiful flowers at Orchard Park near Pilla Mill. Tamsin will follow her talk by demonstrating a pedestal flower arrangement using flowers from her farm.

Tickets cost £10 and include Coffee and Cake. Raffle.

To book a place, contact Sue Rowe on 01579 349922



Ploughman's and Pud - 12-1:30 in the Parish Hall on 26th June and 31st July.

Offers of bakes (sweet or savoury) for St. Hugh's cake stall at the Horticultural Show would be very gratefully received.

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