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For those of you not aware who have computers, the ringmaster is a way of informing residents of important events. To be added to the circulation list please send an email to Nigel Dutt at the following address : farringdon.ringmaster@hotmail.com

There is also a **Farringdon Parish** Facebook group for Parish Residents
The Flyer will be posted on the Facebook Group page and website
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Welcome to the September 2024 Flyer

Welcome to the September Flyer. The cover this month shows one of the common autumn garden flowers, Rudbeckia. The name was given by Carolus Linnaeus to honor his patron and fellow botanist at Uppsala University, Olof Rudbeck the Younger (1660–1740), as well as Rudbeck's late father Olof Rudbeck the Elder (1630–1702), a distinguished Naturalist, Philologist, and Doctor of Medicine (he had discovered the lymphatic system).

This month has a several notable events starting with Devon Historic Churches Trust Fun Day on Saturday 14th September. A poster for the event is overleaf. Half of everything raised goes to a Church of your choice and the rest to the Trust, a source of funding for Church repairs.

The Farringdon Society of Art 20th anniversary event which is on the leaflet included with the Flyer begins on Monday 16th including events in the Village Hall and Church.

Finally, Monday 23rd September sees the licencing by the Bishop of Crediton of our new vicar for the White Cross Mission Community Revd Lewis Eden. There is an article from Lewis in this copy of the Flyer.

As well as delivering printed copies of the Flyer, I will continue to email copies to those who have requested them and the online version will continue to be published on the village facebook page and web site.. If you would like a copy or know of a neighbour in the same position please let me know, at thefarringdonflyer@gmail.com or 01395 232459

Contributions to the Flyer would be appreciated by the 18th of the Month please.



MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING

**Do join us for coffee and cake in the Village Hall
on Saturday August 3rd between 10-30am and 12 noon**

Any contributions will go to The Devon Historic Churches Trust

SEPTEMBER GARDENING TIPS:



Plant hardy onions for an early crop next July.

Start collecting the falling leaves in any vessel or space available, bin liners will do just as well, squash the leaves down & twist the top of the bags closed, this leaf mould is fantastic for improving the soil next year.

Harvest blackberries. They are abundant in our lovely Devon lanes if you don't have them in the garden. They freeze well for winter crumbles or jam.

Start thinking about planting daffodil, iris & crocus in September & October.

Lift tender plants such as Osteospermum, lantanas & geraniums, trim them up, pot them up & leave them somewhere frost free for the winter.

Pollinators love asters (michaelmas daisies) so they are a boost to your borders when many flowers are going over & will keep our bees & butterflies happy!

SAVING OUR CHURCHES



Help us to raise vital funds to save Devon's churches for future generations

😊 Have a fun day out visiting our glorious churches & countryside

😊 Send a donation or gain sponsorship for an activity

😊 Arrange a Flower Festival or Open Gardens day

😊 Musical entertainments are always a delight

😊 Cream Teas & Coffee Mornings are always popular

😊 Arrange something Fun for all the Family

DEVON HISTORIC CHURCHES Fun Day

Second Saturday of September or a date to suit you

DHCT Secretary Claire Sherlock: Tel 01626 835 820
E: contact@devonhistoricchurches.co.uk

If you can't attend please donate



RIDE+STRIDES
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LOCAL ORGANISER:

To be a part of our Historic Churches Fun Day check out our website
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In aid of the

DEVON HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST

Charity Registration Number 1189807

THIS YEARS HISTORIC CHURCHES DAY IS ON SATURDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER WHEN MOST CHURCHES WILL BE OPEN TO VISIT. A SPONSORSHIP FORM IS AVAILABLE IN FARRINGDON CHURCH FOR THOSE VISITING OTHER CHURCHES OR FROM THE LOCAL ORGANISOR

Local Organisor David Cowler 01395 232459

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Confirmation of next PC meeting - *The parish council traditionally takes a recess in August . PC agreed next PC meeting to be held on September 10th 2024. at 7-30pm*

Parish Clerk.

POTHOLES, ROAD OBSTRUCTIONS AND ANY OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO ROAD CONDITIONS.

Please do not contact the Parish Clerk regarding the above. The correct contact number is Devon Highways on

<https://www.devon.gov.uk/roadsandtransport/report-a-problem/>

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REPORTING NOISE, BAD SMELLS AND ODOURS

If you are concerned about noise, or a bad smell or odour you should contact both the Environment Agency and the EDDC Environmental Health (who have a 24 hour reporting service)
Environment Agency Hotline 0800807060
EDDC Environmental Health – During working hours 01395517457
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Please call at the time you are experiencing this

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- 1) name, address, or post code or phone contact#
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- 4) rate noise or smell 1 (low) - 6 (high)
- 5) weather conditions (if known)
- 6) if residence, can you smell odour or hear the noise from inside the house with windows opened, with Windows closed.

The following operators have agreed their details can be published in The Flyer so that any issues that parishioners can be raised direct as well as reported to EA/EDDC etc.

Farringdon Parish Councillor Jane Chanot is the PC Representative on the Hill Barton Liason Committee. Her mobile number is 07783 004688 parishioners may contact her with any concerns

Operator Contact Details:

Coastal Organics (Deep Moor LF Ltd) - reports@coastaluk.co.uk;

- Glyn Brooke (Brooke Energy) - Office: 01823 242555 & Mobile: 07971280360;
- Jack Stuart (EMS) – 07814 731526;
- Tom Stuart (Wash Plant) – 07811 190710;
- Troy Stuart – 07976 700555;

Tarmac - Weekday telephone number 01395 232739 - Evening/
Weekend number 07483 955871 (Plant normal operating hours are Monday to Friday 0530 – 1500)

WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A FLOOD

In the event of a flood, there are many authorities available to help. Below outlines who should be contacted for the various types of flooding incidents and emergencies that occur. The local authorities rely on information reported to them to inform any investigations and prioritization of investment. If it is an emergency and there is danger to life as a result of flooding, you should not hesitate to call 999

To report flooding of the highway and blocked drains contact Devon County Council's Highway Customer Service Centre on 0345 155 1004 or visit the Roads and Transport webpage. Office hours are Monday to Friday 8am – 8pm and Saturdays 9am – 1pm. For emergencies outside of these hours call 01392 383329

For any flooding on major trunk roads (the M5, A30, A38, A35 and A303) contact the Highways Agency on 0300 123 5000 (24 hour service)

To report flooding from sewers and water pipes contact South West Water on 0344 346 2020 (24 hour service)

For enquiries about flood warnings contact the Environment Agency's Floodline on 0345 988 1188 (24 hour service)

For general enquiries about Main River or flooding from the sea contact the Environment Agency on 03708 506 506

For all other flooding enquiries contact the Devon County Council Flood Risk Management Team on 0345 155 1015 or email floodrisk@devon.gov.uk

Preparing for a flood

Please refer to Devon County Council and Environment Agency web pages for advice on what to do before, during and after a flood. In the first instance of flooding and sandbag requests contact your local District or Parish Council to be directed to any local sandbag supplies that may be available.

Sign up to flood warnings: <https://www.gov.uk/sign-up-for-flood-warnings>

Flood Alert: Flooding is possible. Be prepared.

Flood Warning: Flooding is expected. Immediate action required.

Severe Flood Warning: Severe flooding. Danger to life

Warnings no longer in force: No further flooding is currently expected

A Message from our New Vicar (to be) Rev Lewis Eden

September is typically a time of new beginnings; for something new to start, something must end. September marks the end of the peak summer holiday season with children and teachers returning to school, and many parents back to regular working hours. It also sees children, young people, and young adults beginning school, college, or university, respectively, with many moving away to do so. It is the end of an era for them, whether it be saying goodbye to infancy, primary or secondary school, or college. With all that change occurring in September, it's easy to feel discombobulated, even if it has been many years since we left school, as it gets embedded into our heads and hearts. September is a month of newness.

Although the church is still in ordinary time in September, it is not immune from the sense of newness. September sees the Gospel readings switch from the feeding of the 5,000 and the ripples of that story from John's Gospel to the ministry Jesus got up to after the miraculous feeding in Mark's Gospel. We continue with Mark's narrative until Christ the King, the last Sunday before Advent. A return to the Gospel appointed for this Year B in the lectionary.

As things return to a sense of normality, in September, it becomes a chance to look ahead and think about what is coming next in the year. There are big and important things within the church to come, Harvest, All Souls, Remembrance, Advent and Christmas, all of which take considerable time, energy, and effort to organise and make happen. Plans are beginning to take place and be implemented, for some of these.

In addition to the normal rhythm of services and events for the rest of the year, Catherine and I will be saying farewell to Crediton and beginning a new ministry in Woodbury. I will be licensed as your new vicar on the 23rd of September at 7:30 pm in St Swithun's Woodbury. Catherine and I very much look forward to joining you and starting our family home in The Vicarage. We are excited about the move and the start of a beautiful partnership of working together as we seek to serve God.

As Catherine and I prepare for the move, we all enter a transitional period. Transitional periods can be fruitful and exciting; this September is especially so for us, and the entire Mission Community. As we begin this transition, it is curious where God will take us all, so what might you be starting new this September? (It might only be something restarting after a summer break.) What new things would you like to try? And where might God be calling you and us to go?

Your friend and vicar (to be),

Lewis

September Church Services in the White Cross Mission Community

Sunday Sept 1st			
9.30am	Woodbury Salterton	Holy Communion	Rev Sid Humphries
9.30am	Clyst St Mary	Family Service	Rev Stuart Huntley
11.15am	Aylesbeare	Holy Communion with Baptism	Rev Stuart Huntley
11.15am	Woodbury	Holy Communion	Rev Karen Spray
6.00pm	Exton	Evening Worship	Christine Grist
Sunday Sept 8th			
9.30am	Exton	Holy Communion	Rev Margaret Scrivener
9.30am	Clyst St George	Breakfast Family Service	Rev Stuart Huntley
11.15am	Farringdon	Holy Communion	Rev Chris Cant
11.15am	Woodbury	Holy Communion	Rev Sid Humphries
Sunday Sept 15th			
9.30am	Clyst St Mary	Holy Communion	Rev Margaret Scrivener
9.30am	Woodbury Salterton	Breakfast Family Service	Lay Led
9.30am-11.00am	Aylesbeare	Family warm space	Lay Led
6.30pm	Woodbury	Evensong	Lay Led
Sunday Sept 22nd			
9.30am	Farringdon	Morning Worship	Christine Grist
10.30am	Woodbury	Family Service	Lay Led
11.15am	Clyst St George	Holy Communion	Rev Karen Spray
Monday Sept 23rd			
7.30pm	Woodbury	Rev Lewis Licensing service	Bishop of Crediton
Sunday Sept 29th			
11.15am	Clyst St George	Whole Mission Community Holy Communion	Rev Lewis Eden

Any baptisms, marriages, funeral services or hospital visits may be arranged by contacting

the Church Admin Officer Jill Dupain dupain@hotmail.co.uk or the Church Warden Dawn Cowler on 01395 232249

Zoom Services in the White Cross Mission Community

Morning Prayer Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays @ 9.30

Please email Jill at Dupain@hotmail.co.uk for the zoom address (It is the usual Jacque zoom address for those who have been on zoom before)

YOUR CHURCHYARD NEEDS YOU

If anyone could spend an hour or so to help out with the maintenance of the churchyard, this would be most appreciated.

This could be mowing, strimming or keeping the graves and hedges tidy.

If you could spare a little time to help please contact David on 01395 232459

TO ALL RESIDENTS OF FARRINGDON

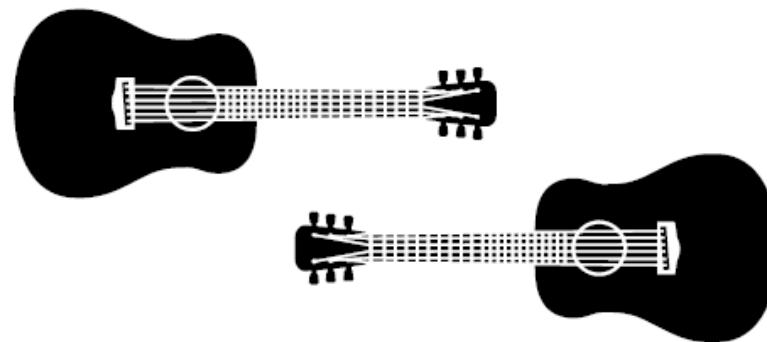
Please note there is no requirement to be a member of the Church congregation

DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH THE COST OF YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION?

ARE YOU STRUGGLING WITH UNIVERSITY FEES, THE COST OF SCHOOL TRIPS, MUSICAL TUITION etc?

If so, the church may be able to help you. There is a charitable trust called the Challice Educational Foundation which is able to offer financial assistance to any children under the age of 25 years of age who live in Farringdon.

If you think we may be able to help, do telephone me for a chat to discuss your needs. Dawn – 01395 232249



Classical Guitar with Tom McLauchlan

Tom McLauchlan is a prize-winning classical guitarist and graduate of the Royal College of Music. Performing as part of a series of events to celebrate 20 years of the Farringdon Society of Arts, Tom's recital will include works by JS Bach, Rodrigo and Piazzolla, as well as the popular Cavatina from The Deer Hunter. Tom has performed all over the world, establishing himself as one of the most dynamic and versatile guitarists of his generation. Tickets are £5 and are available in advance or on the door (space permitting). Proceeds will be donated to the village church roof fund. Please visit the FSA's website or telephone 01395 232022.

- 21st September 2024, 7:30pm
- St Petrock & St Barnabas Church, Farringdon, Exeter EX5 2HY
- Event organised by: The Farringdon Society of Arts



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HELP INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF DEVONIAN FIRST AIDERS

St John Ambulance needs Youth Volunteers at six locations in the county – including Exeter!

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Youth Team Volunteers guide St John's young people, Badgers (aged 5-11) and Cadets (aged 10-17), as they learn first aid and develop many other useful skills during their unit sessions. On average, for every adult volunteer that is recruited, eight spaces for young people are created.

Successful applicants begin their volunteering journey as Youth Helpers, and with more training and experience, have opportunities to progress to Youth Leader positions, and deliver first aid duties in the community and at events.

No prior first aid or volunteering experience is needed as all necessary training (such as First Aid and safeguarding) will be provided. Applicants must be aged 18 or over and will be required to pass an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

If you are interested in these opportunities, please contact Georgina at georgina.hughes@sjia.org.uk.

To learn more and apply, please visit www.sja.org.uk/youthteam.

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Monday's 11am – 1pm.





As the summer holidays draw to a close, we know this is a busy time for families across Devon as you prepare for a new academic year.

We want to help you make the transition back to school as easy as possible, so we've put together a special edition of our 'Connect Me' newsletter packed with information and advice about everything from school transport to help with childcare costs.

It can be a particularly challenging time for parents and carers of children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND), so we've also created a special edition of our SEND newsletter for subscribers. If you missed it in your inbox, [you can read it online here](#).



Helping your child prepare

The prospect of starting a new school year will be exciting for many pupils and others might feel anxious after the long summer break.

Helping your child transition smoothly back into a school routine can make a big difference. Here are a few tips:

- **Re-establish a routine:** Start winding down the relaxed summer schedule by gradually implementing a routine similar to what it will be during the school term
- **Talk positively about school:** Discuss what they're looking forward to and any worries they might have. Open communication can help ease anxiety
- **Organise school supplies early:** Avoid feeling rushed and disorganised by sorting out what your child needs for school ahead of time. Let your child help choose their supplies as this can help them to feel more involved and excited about the new school year
- **Healthy habits:** Ensure your child is getting enough sleep, eating a balanced diet, and engaging in regular physical activity. A healthy body supports a healthy mind

[Young Minds has helpful information and advice about supporting your child with school anxiety](#). Their website also has tips for working with your child's school if your child is having difficulties, and finding extra help if you need it.



Is your child entitled to free school meals?

All children in reception, year one and year two at state schools in England automatically get free school meals.

However, if you receive certain benefits, you are encouraged to apply for free school meals when you enrol your child in school, as this can also help your school to attract additional '[pupil premium](#)' funding to support your child's learning.

[Please apply through our website](#), as this is the quickest and easiest way and will result in you getting an instant decision. Alternatively, call our Education Helpline on [0345 155 1019](#).

Apply for free school meals

Getting more wear out of your school uniform

When it comes to buying school uniform, the costs can add up. The [Recycle Devon](#) website has tips and advice to help families plan and get the most wear out of their school uniform.

Websites such as [Freecycle](#), [Preloved](#), [Gumtree](#) or [Freecycle](#) are all good places to pick up bargains! And many schools offer low cost, second hand uniform or uniform swaps.

You can also find out what the latest deals are on buying new uniform [from the MoneySavingExpert website](#).

Travelling to school

We encourage all children to walk, cycle or scoot to school if they can. Teachers tell us that pupils who travel actively often arrive more alert and ready for learning, as well as being generally happier.

Active travel also helps parents and carers to stay fit, help the environment, and it might save you money. Even if your family can only make the change a couple of days a week, or for just one leg of the journey to and from school, it will make a big difference. [Our recycling centres](#) often have bikes and scooters in their resale shops at bargain prices!

If your child isn't able to walk, cycle or scoot, could they use public transport instead? And if you do have to drive your child to school, please consider parking a ten minute walk away to help keep the school entrance clear of traffic.

We provide [school transport to more than 16,000 pupils](#) across Devon. Families who qualify should have received information from us regarding arrangements for the new term, and the majority of school bus passes have now been sent out. However, if you have not heard from us, or you have a query, please call us on [0345 155 1019](#).



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There is a collection box just inside the door. The Church is generally open between 9.30am and 6pm but if it should be locked please leave any items in the porch.

PRIORITY ITEMS

- FRUIT SQUASH
- FRUIT JUICE
- TINNED MEAT
- TINNED POTATOES
- BISCUITS
- NOODLE SNACKS
- JAMS AND SPREADS
- CUSTARD
- SPONGE PUDDING
- COFFEE (100G)

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