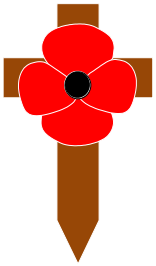
Notices for 8 November 2026

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Services on Sunday 8 November

At Crediton:	
8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)	Preb M Tregenza
10.00am Civic Service of Remembrance	Preb M Tregenza
6.00pm Evening Prayer at St Lawrence Chapel	Revd S Collier
At Yeoford:	
9.30am Holy Communion (CW)	Revd J Francis / Mrs C Price
At Shobrooke:	
10.50am Remembrance Service	Revd S Collier
2.00pm Baptism	Preb A Geering



Gluten free wafers are available. Please ask at the altar rail when you come up for communion.

The Organ Recital: due to unforeseen circumstances, the Music Endowment Fund Trustees have reluctantly decided to postpone the Four Organists recital planned for Sunday 15th November. This recital will now take place next year.

Radio 4 Daily Service: the choir and Matthew are leading the daily service on Radio 4 extra on Friday 13th November at 9.45am. Do tune and listen if you can, or catch up on BBC Sounds. The live broadcast on 18th October is available until 16th November, the link is https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/m00331qz?partner=uk.co.bbc&origin=share-mobile

Many of you will remember Brian & Mary Threlfall. They moved to Surrey a few years ago to be nearer their family. Brian rang to say that Mary died peacefully in her sleep last Saturday, aged 90. They have very fond memories of their time in Crediton and Brian wanted us all to know. He sends his fondest regards to all who knew them.

Sacred Space: the next service will be on Sunday 15th November at 6pm when we will be thinking about Mary Sidney, Countess of Pembroke (1561 – 1625), sister of the poet Sir Philip Sidney. Mary Sidney completed her brother's work in translating the psalms poetically from the Latin. All are welcome.

Shoe Box Appeal: Pauline Staite is appealing for people to fill a shoe box for the charity Christian Response for Eastern Europe. Please wrap the box in pretty paper (the box and lid should be wrapped separately) and label whether for man, woman or child. **The boxes will be blessed at the 9.30am service on 15th November**. If you need ideas for suitable items to include, please see Pauline after church or phone her on 01363 774929.

Crediton Foodbank: This week please could we ask for: Marmite, Weetabix, Long life fruit juice, Instant hot chocolate, Biscuits, Savoury crackers, Washing up Liquid, Laundry pods, Shampoo and conditioner, Size 6 pull up nappies

The St Nicholas Fair takes place on Saturday 21st November, 10-12 in the Boniface Centre. There is a list items needed on p 20 of the October magazine and Anne would also be particularly grateful for items for the tombola. Please sign the list in church to offer to help with the refreshments or provide a cake.

Baptism & Confirmation Service: 6 adults and 2 young people from Crediton and surrounding churches have been diligently preparing over the past months to confirm their faith at a Confirmation Service on Sunday 22nd November 2026 at 6:00pm. The service will be held at Holy Cross and with be presided over by the Bishop of Crediton. Everyone is invited to attend the service to show support for the candidates as they declare their faith.

The Prayer Group: The group meets on Zoom at 9.30am each Saturday:- meeting ID: 794 5639 3860 and Passcode: 6aDnSf https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79456393860?pwd=GgPRTZ0Q69vpIc9pnpCM5CNVWyzi2V.1 The next prayer group breakfast is on Saturday 28th November at 9:30am in the Boniface Centre

Christmas Tree Festival 3 – 6 December

The Festival Team will be very grateful for any offers of help to set up and run this special Christmas event, there's a job suitable for everyone!

Saturday 28th at 10.00am, the pews need to be moved and other items cleared to make way for the trees.

Monday 30th at 9.00am, help is needed to set up the trees. Please wear warm clothes, have work gloves and some sharp secateurs or trimmers for cutting branches.

Wednesday 4th at 9.00am help is needed to set up the Boniface Centre Café

Tree Festival Catering: the rota board is now in church and awaiting signatures! Please sign up as early as possible so that we can get all the slots filled in advance. It is not helpful if you just turn up to help without signing as it's not fair to other people who have signed. Please also make soup (recipe on p. 6 of the November magazine), cakes, meringues and mince pies. There is plenty of room in the Boniface Centre freezer!

Stewards' rota boards are now in church – please sign up. It would be lovely to have every space filled before the Festival starts!

Monday 7th at 10.00am help to clear the trees and replace the furniture.

The Week Ahead

Monday 9 November
10.00am Visiting organist
11.30-12.30pm Singing lesson in the Lady Chapel
4-7.15pm Junior Choir Practice
7.30-9.30pm North Creedy Choral Society practice

Tuesday 10 November
8.15am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel
11.00am Funeral of Albert Labbett
4.00pm Shobrooke Prayer Group in church

Wednesday 11 November
9.00am Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel
10.30am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

Thursday 12 November
8.15am Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel

Friday 13 November
9.00am Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel
6-8.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday 14 November
10-11.00am Singing lesson in the Lady Chapel
2.30pm Wild Church at Yeoford

Prayer Diary

8th – 3 before Advent - Remembrance - *Loving and compassionate God, we pray for all who have laboured for liberty, freedom and justice; for those who have made the ultimate sacrifice; for those who in life and death have preserved our living. Grant that they may rest in your peace and that we, through our actions, may be found worthy to inherit the eternal treasures of your kingdom.*
9th – Pray for the work of the Royal British Legion, the members of all the Armed Forces serving at home and abroad and the local Cadet Force.
10th – Pray for all the members of the Bible Storytellers group as they rehearse today.
11th – Pray for the work of our Pastoral Care and Bereavement Visitors Groups.
12th – Pray for the members of Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue, especially at Crediton Fire Station.
13th – Pray for persecuted Christians throughout the world and remember the work of Open Doors.
14th – Give thanks for the work of the 5 charities supported by Crediton PCC – Connect, Christian Aid, CMS, Crediton Foodbank and Churches Housing Action Trust.

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9.30am Parish Communion	Preb M Tregenza
6.00pm Sacred Space	Team
At Posbury:	
11.00am Holy Communion (BCP)	Preb S Rose / Revd J Rawlings

If you'd like to donate to the work at Crediton Parish Church, our bank details are:
Bank: NatWest, Account Name: The Members Crediton Parochial Church Council
Sort code: 52-30-06 Account Number: 25387103

To give regularly to Holy Cross to help with our upkeep and outreach,
please visit www.parishgiving.org.uk or ring 0333 002 1271 with these details
Church/Parish Name: Crediton Parish Church PGS Parish Code: 151500441