

HCMC Information sheet – 11th January 2026

Regular services:

- **Morning Prayer** is said daily by our Ministry Team with
- **Night Prayer** at the end of each day
- **Morning Prayer** is said at All Hallows at 9am Monday to Friday
- **Morning Prayer** is said in the Church Rooms Hartland at 8.30am Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri
- **Holy Communion** informal ½ hour service held each Wednesday at 11am

THIS WEEK

Sun 11	9.30am	Holy Communion at Welcombe and Woolsery
	10am	Morning Worship at Buckland Brewer
		Sunday Breakfast at Parkham
	11am	Holy Communion at Alwington, Clovelly and Hartland
Mon 12	10am	HC Mission Community Council meets in the Old Schoolroom Buckland Brewer
Tues 13	10am	St. Nectan's Coffee Shop (Church Rooms) is open with books to borrow. Warm welcome, hot drinks and home-made goodies.
Weds 14	10am	Coffee morning in Woolsery Chapel.
	11am	Holy Communion at Hartland (Church Rooms). A short, informal service
	12.15pm	Community Lunch (Church Rooms) See over
Fri 16	10am	St. Nectan's Coffee Shop (Church Rooms) is open with books to borrow. Warm welcome, hot drinks and home-made goodies.

Lectionary Readings for Baptism of Christ / Epiphany 1 (White)			
Isaiah 42: 1-9	Acts 10: 34-43	Matthew 3: 13-end	Psalm 29

Services for next Sunday, January 18th – Epiphany 2

11am	Holy Communion at Bucks Mills
10am	Breakfast Church at Hartland
9.30am	Service in Chapel at Woolsery
11am	Morning Worship at Alwington
	Covenant Service in Chapel at Parkham

Hartland Coast Mission Community Council is to meet on Monday at Buckland Brewer. All interested parties welcome alongside the parish representatives!

The Churches in Parkham (Methodist & St James) are delighted to host the annual 2026 Plough Service organised by the Devon Branch of the Charity FCN (Farming Community Network) on Sunday 25th January 2026. This event will take place outside of a Church building – in a barn at Melbury Farm, Parkham, EX39 5PP. Local contacts for this event are Rev Andrew Vidamour, Rev Jane Skinner, Frank Watson, Lorna Thomas and Sarah Badham.



From Jane Skinner

It must be the anti-climax of taking down decorations but suddenly feel tired. The nativity scenes are still around with the shepherds leaping off into the distance and the magi are now in attendance. Perhaps I feel weary at starting again the process of polishing the Parish Profile and adverts going out in the hope of attracting our next Team Vicar. Paper needs filing and the 'To Do' list is long. But this is the very moment to chose to shake off winter blues and decide to leap with a shepherd! We are living in the company of God who became human, we bare the divine imprint and are messengers of this Good News. What a privilege and joy. Yes, there are important challenges ahead but it's not God's intention that the buildings should overwhelm and we are here to work together and spread the love of Jesus around. I'll just leap off and follow the shepherds' example. Happy New Year. Jane

P.S. Thanks to everyone involved over the Christmas season - amazing services and events across the Mission Community were enjoyed by so many. For those who came and received, please tell of the memorable experiences, keep in touch with what was spiritually valuable and consider being involved in 2026! Jane

Please send Tricia (as an attachment) any posters for your church events for circulation and loading on the website. email: hartlandcoastparishes@gmail.com

 *Afterwards, it would be lovely to see some photos, which I can put up on the website.*
<https://www.hartlandcoastparishes.org/photo-gallery>

As ever, if you are sending me photos, PLEASE send them as .jpg or .png attachments for me to download, as it takes so much time to unravel them otherwise and this format is suitable for loading directly to the website without my having to play with them! Thank you, Tricia

PRAYERLINE

If you, or someone you know, would like to be prayed for in complete confidence,
please contact

Revd. Jane Hayes 07503 731465

Revd. Jane Skinner 01237 431622

OR email HartlandCoastPrayerline@gmail.com

During term-time, when Hartland Primary School kitchen is operating, roast lunches will be available on Wednesdays at 12.15pm in St. Nectan's Church Rooms in the Square, Hartland. If you would enjoy sitting around a table with others to eat a roast meal and dessert, followed by a cuppa, all for the very modest price of £5, please book your lunch with Kay by the previous Monday (at least two days in advance) – 01237 441091.

Burns Night Ceilidh. Saturday 24th January at the Allerdice Hall Parkham 7.30-11pm.
£25 (under 16s £10)
Raising funds for St. James. See posters.

Diary date – Sunday 15th February at 4pm

Please consider coming to St. Nectan's Hartland (Stoke EX39 6DU) to support our organ recital, being given by the current Organ Scholar at St. David's Cathedral. Tickets available in advance from Tricia at £7.50 or £10 admission on the door.