



PPT: the Parish Church of St Peter, St Paul  
& St Thomas of Canterbury, Bovey Tracey  
and St Mary's, Hennock

# Jubilee Bulletin

## May- July 2022



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# Letter from the Vicar: A sure Hope

We are living in troubled times: war rages in Ukraine and we are beginning to see refugees arrive in the UK, Devon and Bovey Tracey. We are also feeling its economic impact, and people worry about how they can cope with soaring utility and fuel costs, and other prices are also rising. To say that we hope things get better feels very weak - cross your fingers and..?

But Christian hope is different: it is not wishing for better circumstances, but trusting that the God who began to establish his Kingdom by raising his Son from the dead on Easter Day will keep his promise and transform our troubled world with a lasting and glorious peace:

*We have a hope*

*That is steadfast and certain*

*Gone through the curtain*

*And touching the throne*

*(Jesus is King, Wendy Churchill)*

More than ever we need to share that hope with our friends and neighbours, and each Thursday evening in May we

are visiting houses in Bovey to share our hope with anyone who will listen. We also need to apply this truth to our own hearts if they are shaken. We are running a short course called "Hope Explored" starting at 7pm on Friday 20 May in the Church Room - why not come, and bring a friend?



Through May and June we are studying the letter of James, to encourage us to persevere in times of trial, and put our faith into action. James expects the rich to help the poor, and the church to welcome everyone. As people return to church, it can't be business as usual: we have to respond to the challenges



This summer is also an opportunity to celebrate the outstanding service of Her Majesty the Queen. She is now 96 and has reigned for 70 years. The weekend 2-5 June has been declared her **Platinum Jubilee**.



There will be a Flower Festival in PPT from Thursday to Sunday and a special service held on Sunday 5 June (Pentecost). A full peal of bells will be rung on Friday 3rd. The Town Council has organised a special Party in the Parke for the Sunday afternoon, **St Mary's Hennock** is holding a Jubilee service at 3pm on Friday 3rd June, and presenting books to every child in Hennock school at a special assembly.

Looking further ahead we are planning a United service for Sunday 17 July followed by an afternoon of fun and games at Heatree Activity Centre - please put it in your diary now!

yours in Christ,  
Graham



### News from Bovey Tracey Friends for Ukraine

There is now an active group in the town preparing to welcome Ukrainian Refugees. "We are preparing **welcoming packs** for our Ukrainian guests and consider a welcoming event.

If you would be interested in joining a team to plan the contents of welcome packs, source donations and make up the packs, we would love to hear from you. The welcome that people receive from the rest of the community can be very important and powerful and help people settle into a new place. " The group has also been in conversation with the Ukrainian community in Exeter, based at 6 Paris Street, so if you find yourself in Exeter do pop in.

You can make offers of help through the [town Facebook page](#) or complete this simple Google Form as soon as you can.

<https://forms.gle/ShnjxEALnYHoAzrn8>

Finally, is there anyone with experience of making short videos who would be able and willing to record some voices of Ukrainians in Exeter? We have met some of them and they are doing brilliant work at a very stressful time. We could then show such a video at our meetings.

With many thanks and kind regards,  
Bovey Tracey Friends for Ukraine

## Mission focus for April: Leprosy Mission

'I lift up my eyes to the mountains - where does my help come from?' Psalm 121:1 (NIV)

### **Together we can end leprosy forever**

High on a hill in Nepal sits Anandaban Hospital, a beacon of light to people battling the physical and emotional effects of leprosy.

Alongside The Leprosy Mission's hilltop hospital lies a cramped and crumbling research lab. Appearances can be deceiving! Inside this unassuming building, cutting edge research is taking place to reach the greatest height of all – ending leprosy.

Here the research team are developing an early diagnostic test that could diagnose leprosy on a smartphone! It would mean people like Shakti, pictured, could be diagnosed on the spot in her remote community.

If Shakti's leprosy was diagnosed and treated earlier, she would not have needed a life-saving leg amputation. A pioneering natural treatment, birthed in the lab next to Shakti's ward could have healed her leg ulcers caused by leprosy.

Shakti need not have endured rejection and prejudice because of leprosy. Scientific breakthroughs would have allowed her to live her dream of becoming a doctor. This bright 16-year-old could now be applying to medical school. Heartbreakingly, Shakti says her disability means her dream is now out of reach.

Clinical trials are in progress at Anandaban that will reduce leprosy's devastating grip globally. Through ground-breaking science, people like Shakti can reach the great heights they deserve.

Anandaban is home to scientific breakthroughs that pave the way to the end of leprosy. The mountainous challenge now faced by The Leprosy Mission is that the lab is at risk of closure. It's too small, not fit for purpose and was severely damaged in the



severe earthquakes of 2015. It simply won't pass the upcoming Nepali Government inspection. Without this lab, the chance to end leprosy in our lifetime is lost forever. To stop people like Shakti facing the devastating effects of leprosy, a new world-class research centre is needed at Anandaban.

God challenges us all to go to greater heights in His name. Will you make medical miracles happen by helping to build Anandaban Research Centre? Together we can give the research team the best possible environment and tools to end leprosy.

**Inspired by the ministry of Jesus, together we can reach the summit and end leprosy forever.**

**Please visit [www.leprosymission.org.uk](http://www.leprosymission.org.uk) or ring 01733 370505**

## Threads Through Creation'

A spectacular sequence of twelve huge textile panels retelling of the creation story in the book of Genesis, a retelling which many visitors find both moving and breathtaking. Viewers are treated to a wonderful variety of colours, shapes, patterns – and of course lots of creatures!

The exhibition is one of the largest textile projects by a single artist, ever. It has taken Jacqui nearly three years. It follows on from 'Threads through Revelation', her first huge exhibition which visited 14 cathedrals from 2016 to 2018, and was seen by more than 500,000 visitors.

8th June to 24th July – EXETER CATHEDRAL



## IF PRISON WALLS COULD SPEAK

Artless presents a one-man hybrid multimedia performance (in association with Release International). A true story of resilience, espionage and faith from the heart of the persecuted church. Based on the book 'imprisoned with ISIS' by Petr Jasek. Tickets £5 on the door, but it would be helpful to know numbers beforehand - email [info@rorahouse.org.uk](mailto:info@rorahouse.org.uk) to book a

# WALLS COULD SPEAK

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# Events & Notes

## Hope Explored

There are few emotions more powerful than hope. But these days, hope often feels hard to come by. Where can we find a hope that won't disappoint us? **Hope Explored** looks at the life, death and resurrection of Jesus in Luke's Gospel, this three-session series shows that Christianity is about real hope: a joyful expectation for the future, based on true events in the past, which changes everything about my present.

The structure of each session is simple: a short Bible study, a video talk and a discussion based on the talk. Graham will lead the course starting on Friday 20 May in the Church Room.

## Peninsula Gospel Partnership

We are a partner church in the Peninsula Gospel Partnership, and several members of the congregation are attending the weekly raining. This term's open study day is on Wednesday 25 May at St Matthew's Elburton, when Nick McKinnel, the bishop of Plymouth will be teaching from Paul's second letter to the Corinthians: all welcome!

## HIT Boxes

Here is the shopping list of priority needs, copies are also available in the church foyer:

**Food:** instant mash potato, instant custard, jars of pasta sauce, small tins of spaghetti, small tins of macaroni cheese, small tins of tomatoes

**Toiletries:** size 5 nappies, shampoo

## Mission Focus.

Each month we have a different focus for our prayers and mission giving. Our focus in April is **Leprosy Mission**, in May will be the **Kenyan Diocese of Thika**, and in June will be the Sandels family, serving in Albania with YWAM.

If you wish to make a donation you can put cash in the collection plate on Sunday, or use the contactless payment device, or make an online donation through the Church Bank account: please name the mission focus in the reference box.



## Living in Love & Faith

Following the course in Lent, the House of Bishops will be considering all the feedback, and then bring proposals for any change in the church's teaching to General Synod in 2023.

If you missed the course, there are some helpful videos at the Church of England Evangelical Council:

<http://www.ceec.info/gods-beautiful-story.html>

The Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship are holding a meeting on Mon 4 July 2022 at 7pm in St Leonard's Church, Exeter, when the Director of the CEEC will be outlining what challenges may lie ahead.

## Where The Wild Things Are

"Mountain goats, the wild donkey, the wild ox, the ostrich, the horse, the hawk, the eagle' Job ch39 vs 13-18

### The Ostrich

The Lord devotes six whole verses to the ostrich That's surprising, because it is such an ugly bird that we might have been tempted not to mention it at all. It has a small head and an even smaller brain' It has a long scrawny neck and ungainly featherless legs. It has wings, but they are far too small for it to take to the air'. The ostrich is flightless, hardly worthy of being called a bird at all, yet the Lord points out to Job that it flaps its wings joyfully and laughs as it runs- It clearly has something to teach us about how we can lay hold of the happiness that God wants to give to those that love him' So let's not rush on to the next animal until we have listened to what the ostrich has to say.

Theodore Roosevelt famously warned that "Comparison is the thief of joy" That gets to the heart of what the ostrich has to teach us in these verses. The Lord points out that its wings are useless when compared to those of the stork, just as its nesting instinct and its parenting skills are useless when compared to those of almost any other bird. It is even more bird-brained than the raven and even more

ungainly than the wild donkey, but the ostrich has one big thing going for it' It knows better than to compare itself with the birds that God has not created it to be. Its wings are flightless but it flaps them joyfully because it knows what they are for. As the longest-legged bird in the world, it was given its wings to help it run even faster'. The ostrich doesn't compare itself with storks or eagles - those are not what God created it to be - but with the horse and its rider. A horse struggles to sustain a gallop of thirty miles per mile for any real distance' but an ostrich can easily hit forty miles per hour and then keep on running.

The ostrich therefore teaches us that happiness is about keeping our eyes fixed on our creator. The ostrich also teaches us that happiness is about being grateful for what we have. Finally the ostrich teaches us that happiness is about cultivating a simple trust in the Lord.

For I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances' St Paul - Philippians ch4 v11

*Extract from  
Straight to the  
Heart of JOB-  
Phil Moore,  
chosen by  
David Horton*



## From the registers:

*Congratulations to:*

*Arthur Burchell, baptised on Sunday 20 February, and Sienna Payne baptised on Sunday 20 March*

*Congratulations to Victoria Harle and Azzam Bhatti on their wedding blessing.*

*Our condolences to the families of: Harvey Richards and Esther Weekes whose funerals will be held in church this month.*

# Introducing Angie

Firstly, I wanted to say thank you to you all for being such an amazing church family. Since joining PPT, I have felt at home.

We moved to Dartmoor in Jan 2021 to retire. We have two grown up children and one teenager. One grandchild, with another one on the way. Two dogs and one cat. And we have inherited some bats ☺ (they came with the house)

I was born and lived in London for the early years of my life. Dave and I met whilst I was working as a civilian for the Met Police, he was a serving police officer. Dave is now retired after having served 30 years with the Met Police. We have been happily married since 1993.

I left the police in 2002 after having my second daughter. I went along to a parent and toddler group, started helping at the group, went on an Alpha course and became a Christian. During this time, I retrained to be a preschool teacher and youth worker.

I have been working in youth and children's ministry for 20 years, both Christian and secular. I worked for Spark (a mental health provision for young people) as the manager, youth mentor and school's worker.

I ran Pathfinders at St John's Buckhurst Hill. A bunch of lovely young people aged from 11-18 years, every Sunday morning. When working for the Red Balloon Family Foundation I ran parent/ toddler groups, after school clubs and youth groups.



I was part of the pastoral care team, prayer ministry team and Thursday Night worship group, in my last church.

I was very pleased to receive my official authorisation from the Bishop of Chelmsford as a children's, families, and youth worker some years ago.

**I am passionate about guiding anyone of any age into a having a living faith in Jesus Christ**

My other passion is gardening.

**Questions I have been asked recently:**  
What's your most embarrassing moment – when my phone went off, playing “We won't stay silent anymore “during the 2-minuet silence – I was leading a remembrance service for 80 school children ☺  
What are you really bad at? – baking and retirement!

God Bless  
Angie (your youth worker)



# Managing your money

## From spending to saving and giving to tithing, this is how to manage your finances in a Godly way

From the well-known verse about the love of money being the root of all evil (1 Timothy 6:10) to more obscure teachings on debt and giving, finance is a theme that runs from Genesis to Revelation. Here are four biblical principles to focus on when it comes to managing our money in the new tax year.

### Tithing

Not everyone agrees that tithing is a requirement today, but it helps me remember that everything I own comes from God and to put him first in all things, including my finances.

Malachi 3:10 says: “Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house...and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.”

We obviously shouldn't give to receive, but I believe that God honours those who honour him – with their possessions and in everyday life.

### Giving

Paul encouraged the believers in Corinth to be generous, telling them that “God loves a cheerful giver” (2 Corinthians 9:7). Some churches pressure their members to give, but if we read the rest of this verse, we see that we should do so based on the Holy Spirit's prompting (“Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give”). This might be as simple as buying a coffee for someone, or a big gesture like opening our homes to Ukrainian refugees. Whatever God asks of us, we should do from a place of love rather than out of compulsion.

### Spending

It's a bit of a no-brainer that we should avoid spending more than we make, but that isn't always easy, especially with food and energy prices on the rise. It can really help



to put together a budget so we know where our money is going and meet our core obligations before splurging all our cash on chocolate cake!

As Luke 14:28 says: “Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won't you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it?”

If I'm not sure whether to buy something, I ask myself: “Is it necessary, is it good for me and is it godly?”

### Saving

It's important to work hard (2 Thessalonians 3:10) and trust God in all aspects of our lives (Proverbs 3:5-6), but it also makes sense to set some money aside for the future if we can afford to. Proverbs 30:25 points out that the ants save food in summer to get themselves through the winter. Sticking a small amount into an ISA each month could help to build a sizeable emergency or retirement fund over the years. And if you end up with more than you need, give it away cheerfully!

Luke 6:38 says: “Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.”

# What's on at PPT Bovey & St Mary's

**see the weekly notice sheet for details of regular midweek services and events**

## MAY

### 1 May

#### **Third Sunday of Easter: *Passing the Tests***

bible readings: James 1.1-18, Acts 15.13-21  
 PPT 9.30am Sunday Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 11.00am Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 5.00pm Lord's Supper: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 7.00pm 14-18s in the Church Room

St Mary's Bible Readings: Acts 4.32-35, Luke 24.13-35  
 11.00am Holy Communion: Canon Michael Sansom

### 8 Sun

#### **Fourth Sunday of Easter: *The work of the Word***

bible readings: James 1.16-27, Luke 8.4-8  
 PPT 9.30am Sunday Praise: Rev David Harris  
 11.00am Holy Communion: Rev David Harris  
 5.00pm Prayer & Praise: Rev David Harris  
 7.00pm 14-18s in the Church Room

St Mary's Bible Readings: James 1.1-18, Luke 24.36-end  
 11.00am Baptism of Reuben Thirtle: Rev Graham Hamilton

14 Sat 10am- noon Church Spring Cleaning - come and join in!

### 15 Sun

#### **Fifth Sunday of Easter: *Seeing people God's way***

bible readings: James 2 1-13, Luke 18.15-17  
 PPT 9.30am Sunday Praise & Baptism: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 11.00am Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 5.00pm Prayer & Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 7.00pm 14-18s in the Church Room

St Mary's Bible Readings: James 1.16-27, Luke 8.4-8  
 11.00am Holy Communion: Rev David Harris

### 22 Sun

#### **Sixth Sunday of Easter: *Faith that saves***

bible readings: Genesis 15.1-6, James 2.14-26  
 PPT 9.30am Sunday Praise: Mrs Carolyn Laycock  
 (Lord's Prayer) Rev Graham Hamilton  
 11.00am Morning Prayer: Mrs Carolyn Laycock  
 5.00pm Prayer & Praise: Mr David Barlow  
 7.00pm 14-18s in the Church Room

St Mary's Bible Readings: James 2 1-13, Luke 18.15-17  
 11.00am Rogation service: Rev Graham Hamilton  
 followed by lunch & Annual Parochial Church Meeting

26 Thu 7.30pm Ascension Day service: Canon Michael Sansom  
 at St Mary's Hennock

<b>29 Sun</b>		<b>Sunday after Ascension: <i>Words, words, words!</i></b> bible readings: James 3.1-18, Luke 24.36-end
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton
	7.00pm	14-18s in the Church Room
St Mary's		Bible Readings: Genesis 15.1-6, James 2.14-26
	11.00am	Morning Prayer: Mrs Carolyn Laycock
<b>JUNE</b>		
<b>2-5</b>		<b>Platinum Jubilee Flower Festival at PPT</b>
3 Fri	3.00pm	Jubilee Celebration service at St Mary's Hennock
<b>5 Sun</b>		<b>Pentecost</b> bible readings: Leviticus 25, Acts 2.1-21
	10.00am	United Service: Rev Graham Hamilton
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise:
St Mary's		Bible Readings: Acts 2.1-21, John 14.8-17
	11.00am	Morning Worship: tbc
<b>12 Sun</b>		<b>Trinity Sunday: <i>Whole-hearted Wisdom</i></b> bible readings: James 4.1-12, Mark 10.35-45
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Rev Paul Reynolds
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Paul Reynolds
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: tbc
St Mary's		Bible Readings: James 3.1-18, Luke 24.36-end
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton
14 Tue	7.30pm	New Century Singers Summer Concert in church
<b>19 Sun</b>		<b>First after Trinity: <i>The risk of riches</i></b> bible readings: James 4.13-5.6, Luke 16.19-31
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise(HC): Rev Graham Hamilton
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton
St Mary's		Bible Readings: James 4.1-12, Mark 10.35-45
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Revd. Paul Reynolds
25 Sat	12 noon	Wedding of Hannah Rockey & Craid Good
<b>26 Sun</b>		<b>Second after Trinity: <i>Steady does it</i></b> bible readings: James 5.7-12, Luke 13.18-21
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Mrs Carolyn Laycock
	11.00am	Morning Prayer: Mrs Carolyn Laycock
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise (HC): tbc
St Mary's		Bible Readings: James 4.13-5.6, Luke 16.19-31
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton

## JULY

1 Fri	12.30pm	Wedding of Anna Mitchell & Andrew Hart
2 Sat	12.30pm	Wedding of Kylie Walker & Simon Weeks
<b>3 Sun</b>		<b>Third after Trinity: <i>Restoring the Wanderer</i></b> bible readings: James 5.1-13, John 21.15-19
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: Rev Graham Hamilton
	7.00pm	14-18s in the Church Room
St Mary's		bible readings: James 5.7-12, Luke 13.18-21
	11.00am	Morning Prayer: Mrs Carolyn Laycock
4 Mon	7.00pm	Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship at St Leonard's
<b>10 Sun</b>		<b>Fourth after Trinity: <i>Called to be a blessing</i></b> bible readings: Genesis 12, Hebrews 11.8-16
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Rev David Harris
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev David Harris
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: Rev David Harris
St Mary's		Bible Readings: James 3.1-18, Luke 24.36-end
	11.00am	Morning Worship:tbc
<b>17 Sun</b>		<b>Fifth after Trinity: <i>Believing the Lord</i></b> bible readings: Genesis 15, Rom 4.1- 5.1
	10.00am	United Service: Rev Graham Hamilton
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise:
St Mary's		Bible Readings: Genesis 12, Hebrews 11.8-16
11.00am		Holy Communion: Rev David Harris
<b>24 Sun</b>		<b>Sixth after Trinity: <i>Don't make me laugh</i></b> bible readings: Genesis 18.1-15
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Rev Paul Reynolds
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Paul Reynolds
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: Mr Jack Knightly
St Mary's		Bible Readings: Genesis 15, Rom 4.1- 5.1
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Rev Graham Hamilton
<b>31 Sun</b>		<b>Seventh after Trinity: <i>Praying Boldly</i></b> bible readings: Genesis 18.16-end,
PPT	9.30am	Sunday Praise: Canon Michael Sansom
	11.00am	Holy Communion: Canon Michael Sansom
	5.00pm	Prayer & Praise: tbc
St Mary's		Bible Readings: Genesis 18.1-15
	11.00am	Baptism of George Fellowes: Rev Paul Reynolds

## News from the wider Church:

The new **Associate Minister** with responsibility for **St Michael's Ilstington** is the Rev John Bennett. He is currently serving in Cardigan, and will be licensed at St Michael's on Wed 13 July.

The new **Team Rector of Newton Abbot** is to be Rev David Brown, who is currently Rector of two parishes in Hertfordshire. He has been a teacher in Peterborough and Northamptonshire, before becoming

Head of the Sampford Peverell CofE Primary School in 2002. He felt called to the ordained ministry, so attended Theological College in London, followed by practical training as Curate in the Sid Valley Team Ministry in East Devon. He moved to Stevenage to take up his present incumbency in 2011. He will move in to the Newton Abbot Rectory with his wife Judy during September and, subject to legal formalities, the Bishop will install him at St Paul's Church on the evening of Tuesday 20th September.



Top left: Worship on Palm Sunday  
Bottom left: the meal together after  
Above: beautiful cakes for Ukraine-  
we raised £172

# FLOWER FESTIVAL

Thursday 2nd - Sunday 5th June 2022



To mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee

At the Parish Church of St Peter, Paul & Thomas  
of Canterbury, Bradley Road, Bovey Tracey

The Church will be open to Visitors  
10am - 5pm, Thursday & Friday  
2pm - 5pm, Saturday & Sunday

Tea & cakes will be available in the  
Church Rooms from 2pm until 4pm

There will be the opportunity to purchase 'A Guide & History'  
booklet, which provides an excellent background to the Church  
& the significance of many of the beautifully decorated windows.

The staging of a Flower Festival takes a lot of hard work from a  
dedicated team of volunteers & we want to say a real thank you  
to all contributors, including the Church Flower arrangers,  
the Bovey Tracey Garden Club & members of the Church  
providing refreshments.

## Easter Greetings from Choice Words Christian Bookshop Newton Abbot!

Happy Easter to you! We would like to thank all of you who have continued to support our mission during these recent challenging times. The pandemic was a very difficult time for both churches and the high street but we hope your church is starting to return to more regular activities and that you are feeling fully equipped to respond to the challenge to now re-mission and move forward.

At Choice Words, we regularly pray for our customers and local churches and are keen to support you in any way that we can.

### Who are we and what do we do?

Choice Words has been operating in Newton Abbot and the South Devon community for over 30 years serving the local churches, conferences, events and the general public. We are also in the process of transitioning to a fully fledged charity: **Choice Words CIO (charity number 1163536)**.

We continue to offer an extensive supply of dated material (daily reading notes) via subscription and have new ranges of cards and gifts in store, as well as new book titles. Many people used the opportunity of lockdown to write new books for both adults and children. We stock bibles, hymn books, song books and prayer books, the Real Easter Eggs for Easter and Real Advent Calendars in the run up to Christmas!

Competitive bulk order discounts and special offers on adult and children's books are also available. In addition, we have probably the largest selection of Christian second hand books in the South West!

Some customers prefer to have items posted to them (for a small fee) rather than coming into town on a regular basis

and this is a service we are happy to offer.

Our regular opening hours are

**Wednesday to Saturday**

**(9.30am-4.30pm)**. M

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Christian bookshops are a rare and precious commodity in today's high street. Our stated vision is to be "**God's witness in the community**" and our mission "**to serve, support, encourage and equip God's church**". Sadly,, with the continuing advance of online ordering, it is now becoming a case of "use us or lose us!" although we prefer to say "**Help us to help you!**" because **we are stronger together!**

There are also opportunities to volunteer at Choice Words either in the shop or behind the scenes so if you think that there might be people in your community who would enjoy doing this, please contact us if you would like further information. It is a great way to support God's Kingdom growth.

We look forward to continuing to support your important work.

With blessings to you all

**Phyllis & Debbie and The Choice Words Team**

# Who's who at PPT Bovey & St Mary's Hennock:

## Vicar:

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email: [vicar@pptbovey.church](mailto:vicar@pptbovey.church).  
Day off -Tuesday

Church Office: 834835  
ansaphone checked regularly during the week

## Family Worker:

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## Youth Worker:

Angie Blanche 07863 854013  
email: [youth@pptbovey.church](mailto:youth@pptbovey.church)

## Churchwardens (PPT)

Jill Hosford 832966  
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(Hennock)

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