

Donations for the continued mission and ministry of this church can be placed on the brass plate at the back of church or in the churn. There are blue envelopes in the pew or back of church if you wish to gift aid your donations. Alternatively, to make a one-off payment please use either of these methods: *Use the contactless Card Reader at the back of church or scan the QR code right.* If you wish to make a regular donation, please contact the Treasurer – Julia Dodge on 01736 810440. Thank you.



**Coffee money donations during 2025 will help “Support Cornwall Air Ambulance #Heli2 Appeal**

**Christian Aid Week 11-17 May 2025 . Our retiring collection this morning will be for Christian Aid. In addition to the plate collections, any donations made through the card reader will also be kept separate for Christian Aid. Thank you for your support!**

**Please note that the service time for St Buryan will be changing to 0930 hours wef from 18<sup>th</sup> may. The Revd Adam Thomas will be leading the Eucharist at St Buryan and Paul on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month and St Levan and St Sennen on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays thereafter.**

**Breakfast Club:** First Thursday of the month (5 June) **8.30-10.30am**  
**Soup Lunch:** Third Thursday of the month (15 May) **12 noon–2pm**

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> May** PGS Plant Sale **2pm – 4 pm** (church to provide teas)  
**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** Classical Soprano - Nancy May - in Concert. Tickets £15 **7.30pm**  
**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May** Stalls at the Market Cross **10.00 to 12 noon** Donations of cakes and savouries welcome – see posters for more information

**PLEASE INCLUDE THESE TOPICS IN YOUR PERSONAL DAILY PRAYERS**

12	As Christian Aid launches its week of prayer let us pray for farmers facing hunger and hardship, that they can access the resources they need to protect their families, feed their communities and tackle the climate crisis.
13	Pray for the work of Christian Aid and all the people who work for this charity.
14	Pray for justice, peace and an end to poverty and all that is unfair in our world
15	Mike, Andrew, Richard, Jenny and Tamsin and for Paddy whose funeral is today
16	David Williams, next Bp of Truro being installed tomorrow at 11 am at Truro Cathedral
17	Richard and Eliza getting married today

**PLEASE HOLD IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Lynn, Kevin and family. Peter. Kenneth. Peter, Albert and family. Bob, Barbara. David Dean-Saunders. Peter Jackson. Mike, Andrew, Richard, Jenny and Tamsin. Lena Rogers

**PRAY FOR THOSE RECENTLY DEPARTED:**

Paddy Hersant (private funeral at the Crematorium) Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2025

**ST BURYAN CHURCH – THIS WEEK’S NEWS**  
**SUNDAY 11 MAY 2025 Easter 4 Third After Easter**  
**(Benefice Service for St Buryan Feast)**

***A warm welcome to St Buryan Church.***

*Today is our Benefice Service and it is good to have everyone joining us for our Celebration Eucharist for St Buryan Feast.*  
*Do please stay and join us after the service for refreshments.*

**10.00 SAINT BURIANA – THE FEAST EUCHARIST**

**President & Preacher: The Revd Adam Thomas**

**COLLECT FOR TODAY**

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**FIRST READING:**

**Acts 9:36-43**

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, “Please come to us without delay.” So Peter got up and went with them, and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, “Tabitha, get up.” Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile, he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

**HYMNS: A&M**

St Buryan Hymn  
391, 126, 343

**ANTHEM:**

Spirit of God unseen as  
the wind

## SECOND READING:

## **Revelation 7:9-17**

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" <sup>14</sup> I said to him, "Sir, you are the one who knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat, for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

## GOSPEL:

## **John 10:22-30**

At that time the Festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me, but you do not believe because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord

## SERVICES IN OUR BENEFICE FOR MAY/JUNE

### **SUNDAY 18 MAY**

### **EASTER 5 (Fourth after Easter)**

Acts 11:1-18 Revelation 21:1-6, John 13:31-35

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	Informal Service	(LWL)
St Levan	09.30	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas
St Sennen	11.00	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas

### **SUNDAY 25 MAY**

### **EASTER 6 (Fifth after Easter)**

Acts 16:9-15, Revelation 21:10, 22-27, 22:1-5, John 14:23-29 or John 5:1-9

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas
St Levan	09.30	Eucharist	The Revd Michael Searle
St Sennen	11.00	Service of the Word	(LWL)

### **THURSDAY 29 MAY**

### **ASCENSION DAY**

### **THE REVD ADAM THOMAS**

**BENEFICE SERVICE** **08.30** **LAND'S END SIGNPOST** (Followed by breakfast at the Hotel.)

### **SUNDAY 1 JUNE**

### **EASTER 7 (Sunday after Ascension Day)**

Acts 16:16-34, Revelation 22: 12-14, 16-17, 20-21, John 7:20-26

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	Service of the Word	(LWL)
St Levan	09.30	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas
St Sennen	11.00	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas

### **St Buryan**

### **6.30 pm CHORAL EVENSONG**

### **The Revd Adam Thomas**

Isaiah 44:1-8, Ephesians 4:7-16

### **SUNDAY 8 JUNE**

### **PENTECOST (WHIT SUNDAY)**

Acts 2:1-21 or Geneis 11:1-9, Romans 8:14-17, John 14:8-17 (25-27)

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	Service of the Word	(LWL)
St Levan	09.30	Eucharist	The Revd Michael Searle
St Sennen	11.00	Service of the Word	(LWL)

### **SUNDAY 15 JUNE**

### **TRINITY SUNDAY (Father's Day)**

Proverbs 1-4, 22-31, Romans 5:1-5, John 16:12-15

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	INFORMAL SERVICE	(LWL)
St Levan	09.30	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas
St Sennen	11.00	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas

### **SUNDAY 22 JUNE**

### **TRINITY 1**

Isaiah 65:1-9, Galatians 3:23-end, Luke 8:26-39

St Buryan	<b>0930</b>	Eucharist	The Revd Adam Thomas
St Levan	09.30	Service of the Word	(LWL)
St Sennen	11.00	Service of the Word	(LWL)

### **SUNDAY 29 JUNE**

### **TRINITY 2**

1Kings 19:15-16, 19-end, Galatians 5:1, 13-25, Luke 9:51-end

**FIFTH SUNDAY BENEFICE SERVICE ST SENNEN 10.00 THE REVD ADAM THOMAS**