

# KCM NEWSLETTER

FALMOUTH PARISH CHURCH OF KING CHARLES THE MARTYR

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## **We are all one in Christ.**

Dear All,

At evensong at KCM Church we have been reflecting on St. Paul's first letter to the Church at Corinth. It is easy to think that things were all rosy in the early church but Paul's letter makes it clear that the leaders of the church faced many issues and problems.

One of the issues Paul mentions in his first chapter of Corinthians is factions and divisions in the church. The people were arguing amongst themselves and forming different parties with those who shared their outlook and views. In vs 12 Paul says that some identified with Apollos, others favoured Cephas, others belonged to the Christ party.

Paul reminds them of the need for unity in the church. vs 10 he says "there should be no divisions among you." He says "you should be united in the same mind and the same purpose." In chapter 12 of his letter Paul talks about the "body of Christ". Vs 27 "Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it." Each member of the church has a different part to play in the mission of God. All of the spiritual gifts are given by the grace of God for the upbuilding of the church and allocated as the Holy Spirit chooses. No one person has all of the gifts - we need one another.

The challenge from St Paul is for all church members to fully respect and love one another. There will be different views on issues and this is healthy. The important thing is to allow for diversity and to value each and every member of the church. For we are all members of the body of Christ, called to worship God and share his love with others. We need to support one another, pray for each other and encourage members of the church as we journey on in faith.

Yours sincerely,

Stephen

Rev'd Stephen Tudgey

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**June 2019 Services****Sunday 2nd June: Sunday after Ascension Day**

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.30 am Sung Eucharist

6.00 pm Choral Evensong

**Thursday 6th June**

9.30 am Charlie's Angels: babies/toddlers

10.30 am Holy Communion

11.30am KCM Prayer Group

**Sunday 9th June: Pentecost**

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.30 am Sung Eucharist

6.00 pm Sung Evensong

**Thursday 13th June**

9.30 am Charlie's Angels babies/toddlers

10.30 am Holy Communion

11.30 am KCM Prayer Group

**Sunday 16th June: Sea Shanty**

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.30 am Sea Shanty Service

6.00 pm **NO** evensong at KCM - Churches Together Service at New Street**Thursday 20th June**

9.30 am Charlie's Angels babies/toddlers

10.30 am Holy Communion

11.30 am KCM Prayer Group

**Sunday 24th June: First Sunday after Trinity**

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.30 am Sung Eucharist

6.00 pm Choral Evensong

**Thursday 27th June**

9.30 am Charlie's Angels babies/toddlers

10.30 am Holy Communion

11.30 am KCM Prayer Group

**Sunday 30th June: Second Sunday after Trinity**

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.30 am Sung Matins

5.00 pm Concert

6.00 pm **NO** evensong at KCM**KCM Summer Concert Series**

Saturday 1st June, Noon, John Keys, organ

Saturday 8th June, Noon, Kenwyn String Quartet

Saturday 15th June, Noon, MacQuarrie and Toms

Saturday 22nd June, Noon, Cornish American Song Institute

**Additional Concert Dates: Cornish American Song Institute**

Sunday 23rd June, 4pm, Flute and Piano

Wednesday 26th June 7.30pm

Thursday 27th June, 7.30pm

Friday 28th June, 7.30pm One Act Opera

Sunday 30th June, Cornish American Song Institute and local singers perform a concert of music (inc Mozart).

**Sea Shanty Festival**There will be a **concert** in the Church on Friday **14th June from 7.00pm.**

7pm: Back Beach Boyz

7.30pm Sloop Groggy Dogs

8pm Red River Singers

On **Sunday 16th June** please join us at the **10.30am** Sea Shanty Service when we will be joined by The Molgoggers and Les Marins de Aber.

There will be music before, after and during the service from these groups.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER INFORMATION**  
**Churches Together in Cornwall Pentecost Service****Thy Kingdom Come Beacon Event at**Gwennap Pit on **Sunday 9th June.**

Service at 3pm, Special Praise from 2.30pm.

**Equip 4 Evangelism****Falmouth and Penryn Churches Mission Hub****12th - 15th June 2019****Local congregations joining together to share the gospel in creative ways.**

10am - 1pm at KCM from 12th - 14th June

10am - 1pm on 15th venue to be confirmed

Please come and join in the Churches Together service in the **New Street Church on Sunday 16th June at 4pm.** This will replace evensong at KCM on that day.

