

**to love, follow, and serve Jesus**

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024**

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## Dates for your Diary...

- 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept: 9:30am-Harvest Festival Service at St Michael and All Angels, Pinhoe.  
11am-Harvest Festival Service at Hope Church.  
12 noon-Combined church 'Bring and Share' lunch in Pinhoe C of E School Hall.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Oct: 'Take4' Jazz Evening at St Michael and All Angels Church at 7:30pm.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov: Confirmation Service with Bishop James Grier.
- 10<sup>th</sup> Nov: 9:30am -10am Spoken Holy Communion Service at St Michael and All Angels, Pinhoe  
**10:30am Parish Remembrance Service at St Mary the Virgin, Poltimore.**  
11am Hope Church (arrangements to be advised)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov: Adrian's Birthday Celebration & Presentation - "What I Believe & Why".
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec: Christmas @ The Horsebox - mince pies, carols and coffee.
- 22-25 Dec: Christmas Services - dates to follow

### Harvest Festival - 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2024

We will be collecting donations for the Exeter Foodbank at both Harvest services. If you visit: [www.exeterfoodbank.co.uk](http://www.exeterfoodbank.co.uk) you will find a list of priority items that they will be most grateful to receive. A combined church 'Bring and Share' lunch is being held at Pinhoe C of E school at 12 noon. If you would like to bring something to share, either sweet or savoury, that will be brilliant. Coffee and fruit juices will be available. We look forward to welcoming you!

### Jazz Evening

We are delighted to welcome back  
**Take 4 Swinging Jazz Quartet**  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 7:30pm  
St Michael and All Angels Parish Church,  
Pinhoe EX4 9JF  
Wine and nibbles provided  
Retiring Collection for the Mission and Ministry  
of our Churches

### Adrian's Birthday Celebration & Presentation, Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov at 7pm

Adrian Hough will reach his 65<sup>th</sup> birthday in November and we are holding a special event at 7pm, on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov in Pinhoe C of E School Hall to mark the occasion. This will be a combination of a birthday party, with refreshments and a presentation.

Adrian has previously informed and entertained us with four presentations on: The History of Hymns and Religious Songs; Science and Theology; The Bible in One Evening; and Faith on a Plate - What We are told to Believe and Why. In this presentation - 'What I Believe and Why?', Adrian will share his personal views on Faith, Belief, Religion and Theology, including some observations on where he believes that the Church may have got things 'a bit wrong'.

There will be an opportunity to let us know that you will be attending but, for now, if you think that you might want to come along then please put the date in your diary and watch out for further details.

## Preparation for Confirmation

We are holding a Confirmation Service at St Michael and All Angels, Pinhoe on the 3<sup>rd</sup> November with the Bishop of Plymouth. If you were baptised as a child, but would now like to publicly confirm those promises for yourself then this is for you.

There will be six sessions in preparation for confirmation, beginning on the 18<sup>th</sup> September. Even if you are not sure, it is worth attending the sessions to see! If you are interested please speak to Wiz: [vicar@pinhope.co.uk](mailto:vicar@pinhope.co.uk)

### Isaiah 50:4-9a (NIV)

<sup>4</sup>The Sovereign LORD has given me a well-instructed tongue, to know the word that sustains the weary. He wakens me morning by morning, wakens my ear to listen like one being instructed.

<sup>5</sup>The Sovereign LORD has opened my ears; I have not been rebellious, I have not turned away.

<sup>6</sup>I offered my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who pulled out my beard; I did not hide my face from mocking and spitting. <sup>7</sup>Because the Sovereign LORD helps me, I will not be disgraced. Therefore have I set my face like flint, and I know I will not be put to shame. <sup>8</sup>He who vindicates me is near. Who then will bring charges against me? Let us face each other! Who is my accuser? Let him confront me! <sup>9</sup>It is the Sovereign LORD who helps me. Who will condemn me?

### Mark 8: 27-38 (NIV)

<sup>27</sup>Jesus and his disciples went on to the villages around Caesarea Philippi. On the way he asked them, "Who do people say I am?" <sup>28</sup>They replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." <sup>29</sup>"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Peter answered, "You are the Messiah." <sup>30</sup>Jesus warned them not to tell anyone about him. <sup>31</sup>He then began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and that he must be killed and after three days rise again. <sup>32</sup>He spoke plainly about this, and Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. <sup>33</sup>But when Jesus turned and looked at his disciples, he rebuked Peter. "Get behind me, Satan!" he said. "You do not have in mind the concerns of God, but merely human concerns." <sup>34</sup>Then he called the crowd to him along with his disciples and said: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. <sup>35</sup>For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me and for the gospel will save it. <sup>36</sup>What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul? <sup>37</sup>Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul? <sup>38</sup>If anyone is ashamed of me and my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of Man will be ashamed of them when he comes in his Father's glory with the holy angels."

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