Ilchester, Northover, Limington, Podimore and Yeovilton

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July 18h 2021	Trinity 8
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Worship Matters Services **SMM** IIchester **St Mary Limington** St Peter **Podimore** July 18th 9.30am 11.15am 6.30pm Trinity 8 Morning Prayer **Holy Communion Evening Prayer** 11.15am July 25th 9.30m Trinity 9 **Holy Communion Holy Communion**

Readings

July 18th Trinity 8

Psalm 89.20-37; Ephesians 2. 11-22; Mark 6.30-34 and 53-56

July 25th Trinity 9

Psalm 14; Ephesians 3.14-21; John 6.1-21

CHURCH SERVICES IN AUGUST

August we see the usual one service a Sunday across the 5 parishes of the Benefice. Each will be Holy Communion and all are at 11.15am

We WILL BE SINGING AGAIN!

We CAN have refreshments and time for fellowship after the service once more.

Through August we will keep with Holy Communion distribution as we have for the past 5 months — in one kind only. We have many clinically vulnerable, those who work in Covid critical environments, in our church communities and no vaccine is 100%. So, until things settle further, and with such a rapid rate of infection at present we will look to be patient and care for the wider community as a first matter of course.

August 1st Podimore; 8th Limington; 15th Ilchester; 22nd Podimore; 29th Limington

Please still hand sanitize when coming into church.

Today's Psalm

Psalm 89.20-37

'I have found David my servant; with my holy oil have I anointed him.
'My hand shall hold him fast and my arm shall strengthen him.
'No enemy shall deceive him, nor any wicked person afflict him.
'I will strike down his foes before his face and beat down those that hate him.
'My truth also and my steadfast love shall be with him,
and in my name shall his head be exalted.

'I will set his dominion upon the sea and his right hand upon the rivers.

'He shall call to me, "You are my Father, my God, and the rock of my salvation;"

'And I will make him my firstborn, the most high above the kings of the earth.

'The love I have pledged to him will I keep for ever, and my covenant will stand fast with him.

'His seed also will I make to endure for ever and his throne as the days of heaven.

'But if his children forsake my law and cease to walk in my judgements,

'If they break my statutes and do not keep my commandments,

'I will punish their offences with a rod and their sin with scourges.

'But I will not take from him my steadfast love nor suffer my truth to fail.

'My covenant will I not break nor alter what has gone out of my lips.

'Once for all have I sworn by my holiness that I will not prove false to David.

'His seed shall endure for ever and his throne as the sun before me;

'It shall stand fast for ever as the moon, the enduring witness in the heavens.'

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

Prayer Matters!

For peace between the nations—for Syria, Myanmar, Ukraine, Iran, Yemen, Afghanistan, Israel, and Northern Ireland.

For folks in Germany, Belgium and Holland following the flooding this week. For people in the west of America and Canada with summer wildfires.

For the sick, for those waiting for operations and for the dying. For the ability of over-worked and stressed NHS staff, teachers get a good holiday this summer with their loved ones.

For the Vacancy in See group as they work towards a new Diocesan Bishop.

For Naomi and Gilbert; Charles and Megan; being married this month.

For the many local personnel on deployment with the UK's Queen Elizabeth carrier group. For their families at home, for parents, partners and children.

For ourselves, our families and nieghbours—nice or not so nice.