



As part of her theology degree, Hetty Kothari, a member of our Holyford Mission Community, is organizing a two-part project called 'Silence Speaks'. See below for details of Part One:

**'SILENCE SPEAKS'**

**WELCOME TO A SILENT SPACE FOR ALL FAITHS AND NONE**  
*Join us in silence, whatever your beliefs. Step aside from the hustle and bustle to sit in stillness for a while.*

On February 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019, and linked to Exeter Cathedral's 'Prayer and Spirituality Day'. In a tent near the main entrance to the Cathedral Anytime between 10a.m. - 3.30p.m. Entrance is free. Inspired by 'The Book of Joy' by The Dalai Lama & Desmond Tutu, who wrote:-

*'When we kept quiet we discovered that our hearts were kindred spirits.'*

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**Services this Sunday and next Sunday**

	<b>13<sup>th</sup> January</b>		<b>20<sup>th</sup> January</b>	
<b>Branscombe</b>	Morning Prayer	11.15 am	Holy Communion	11.15 am
<b>Colyford</b>	Evening Prayer	3.30 pm	Holy Communion	9.30 am
<b>Colyton</b>	Holy Communion	9.30 am	Holy Communion	8.00 am
			Breakfast, then	10.00 am
			Breakfast Service	10.30 am
			Epiphany Carols	6.30 pm
<b>Musbury</b>	Holy Communion	8.00 am	Village Praise	10.00 am
<b>Northleigh</b>	Evening Prayer	6.00 pm	No service	---
<b>Southleigh</b>	Morning Prayer	11.15 am	Holy Communion	11.15 am

**Readings for 20<sup>th</sup> January, Epiphany 3**

1 Corinthians 12.1-11, John 2.1-11, Psalm 36.5-10

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to the

**Holyford Mission Community**

praying, growing, and serving  
God and one another  
in



***Branscombe, Colyford, Colyton, Musbury,  
Northleigh and Southleigh***

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

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# Prayers and Readings for today, The Baptism of Christ

## Collects

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*(or)*

Heavenly Father, at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son: may we recognize him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

## Acts 8.14-17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

## Luke 3.15-17, 21-22

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.' Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

## Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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## Coming this week

**TODAY:** 4-6 Messy Church, Reece Strawbridge, **COLYTON**

Mon-Fri: 8.30 Morning Prayer at **COLYTON** (every week)

Tuesday: 9.30-11.30 St Andrew's Café SSB **COLYTON** (every week)

Wednesday: 10.00 Holy Communion at **COLYTON** (every week)

Wed 16 Jan: 10-12 Café St Michael, Coffee, cakes & chat, **COLYFORD**

## Coming soon

Sun 20 Jan: 6.30 Epiphany Carol Service, **COLYTON**

Tue 22 Jan: 6-7 Talk by Mike Hope: "Sharing the sacred and the profane", refreshments and Friends AGM (open to all), in church **MUSBURY**

Wed 23 Jan: 10.45 United prayers for healing, Lady Chapel, **COLYTON**

Thu 24 Jan: 1.15-2.45 Noah's Ark for babies & toddlers **COLYFORD** hall

Fri 25 Jan: 2.30 Bible study 3 Mil Lane **BRANSCOMBE**

Sun 27 Jan: 9.30 Mission Community Holy Communion **NORTHLEIGH**

**Colyton and Colyford 2019 Electoral Roll Revision:** If you are currently on the Church Electoral Roll please collect your renewal letter from the back of the church and return the completed forms to Rachel Mason before 1 April 2019. If you are not currently on the Roll, and wish to apply, please fill in blank forms also to be found there and return them.

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