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## GLOBAL WEEK OF PRAYER

1<sup>st</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> Sept 2025

**Fairwinds Café, 33 Church St, Falmouth, TR11 3DX**

Here is your invitation to join the international Global Week of Prayer. Please encourage all in your churches to sign up for the prayer slot at Fairwinds (below King Charles the Martyr Church) here:

<https://signup24-7prayer.com/signup/1441aa>.

It is such an exciting prayer initiative! Feel free to pass on the invitation to others who might be interested.

God bless you, Bridget Clemoes

**Draw near to God and He will draw near to you.  
James 4:8**

24-7 Prayer is an international, interdenominational movement of prayer, mission and justice; a non-stop prayer meeting that has continued for every minute of this century so far, in over half the countries on Earth.

From 1<sup>st</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> September there is an opportunity to pray with people across the world for the world, our nation, our town, our community, our family, ourselves, 24 hours a day for 7 days.

24-7 Prayer rooms ([www.24-7prayer.com](http://www.24-7prayer.com)) provide a space for people to connect with God in different ways through all their senses. The aim is to engage the whole heart and mind to connect with God through music, painting, writing or just being still.

We are meeting at the Fairwinds Café in Church Street, Falmouth, which is below King Charles the Martyr Church.

You can book your time slot – from half an hour to 1 hour or more, on your own or in groups, here: <https://signup24-7prayer.com/signup/1441aa>

More information: [www.ctcinfohub.org/wp-content/uploads/24-7-Prayer-1.pdf](http://www.ctcinfohub.org/wp-content/uploads/24-7-Prayer-1.pdf)



## THREADS THROUGH CREATION ART EXHIBITION

8<sup>th</sup> July – 20<sup>th</sup> August 2025

**Truro Cathedral, St Mary's St, Truro, TR1 2AF**

This is a spectacular display of textile art, one of the largest ever by a single artist!

Jacqui Parkinson spent three years making it, using eight million stitches on twelve huge (nearly 3m high) panels, re-imagining the first days of creation from the first pages of the Bible.

Jacqui has an international reputation for large scale work. Threads through Creation has been touring cathedrals and been seen by nearly a million visitors: this is the first and only chance to see it in Cornwall.

The twelve panels take you through the creation story 'day' by 'day' – starting with dramatic elemental designs, moving onto more and more elaborate images as the story takes you into the Garden of Eden. You'll find the intricate stitching and powerful designs fascinating, absorbing and uplifting, as the exhibition turns the black and white pages of the Bible into amazing colour and variety. Children love it too, with nearly a hundred creatures to spot!

[www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250708-threads-through-creation-art-exhibition-08-jul-20-aug-truro-cathedral/](http://www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250708-threads-through-creation-art-exhibition-08-jul-20-aug-truro-cathedral/)

[www.trurocathedral.org.uk/whats-on/threads-through-creation-art-exhibition-8725-8725/tue-8-jul-2025-10-00-am](http://www.trurocathedral.org.uk/whats-on/threads-through-creation-art-exhibition-8725-8725/tue-8-jul-2025-10-00-am)



*St Michael &  
All Angels,  
Penwerris*

## THE ELMORE QUARTET WITH JAMES GILBERT

**15th August, 7.30pm**

**St Michael and All Angels, Penwerris, Falmouth,  
TR11 2HX**

Listen to Mozart in the light, early 19th century church of St Michael and All Angels, Penwerris.

We are proud to host the Elmore Quartet with soloist James Gilbert on clarinet and to be part of the local Enys Chamber Music Festival.

The Elmore Quartet has been appearing regularly in concerts and workshops around Cornwall as the Musicability Foundation's first resident string quartet (<https://musicabilityfoundation.uk>).

You might have seen their violist, Inis Oirr Asano, touring around Cornwall with Alexia Daphne in their ensemble, the Clio Duo, including a concert at Enys House with Carrick Concerts.

In addition to two of the greatest English works for String Quartet the Elmore Quartet is teaming up with award winning clarinettist, James Gilbert, to perform Mozart's much loved Clarinet Quintet.

Tickets can be purchased here:  
[www.enyschambermusicfestival.co.uk/elmore-concert](http://www.enyschambermusicfestival.co.uk/elmore-concert)



[www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250815-the-elmore-quartet-with-james-gilbert-15-aug-730pm-falmouth/](http://www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250815-the-elmore-quartet-with-james-gilbert-15-aug-730pm-falmouth/)



## HEALING CLINIC

20<sup>th</sup> August/monthly, 10.30am – 1pm

Penryn Town Hall or Temperance Hall

Healing prayer for any sickness, physical or emotional pain. Here is a list of future dates:

- 20/8/2025 Temperance Hall
- 06/09/2025 Town Hall
- 04/10/2025 Town Hall
- 01/11/2025 Town Hall
- 06/12/2025 Temperance Hall

[www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250503-healing-clinic-3-may-monthly-penryn/](http://www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250503-healing-clinic-3-may-monthly-penryn/)



## A NIGHT OF HOPE

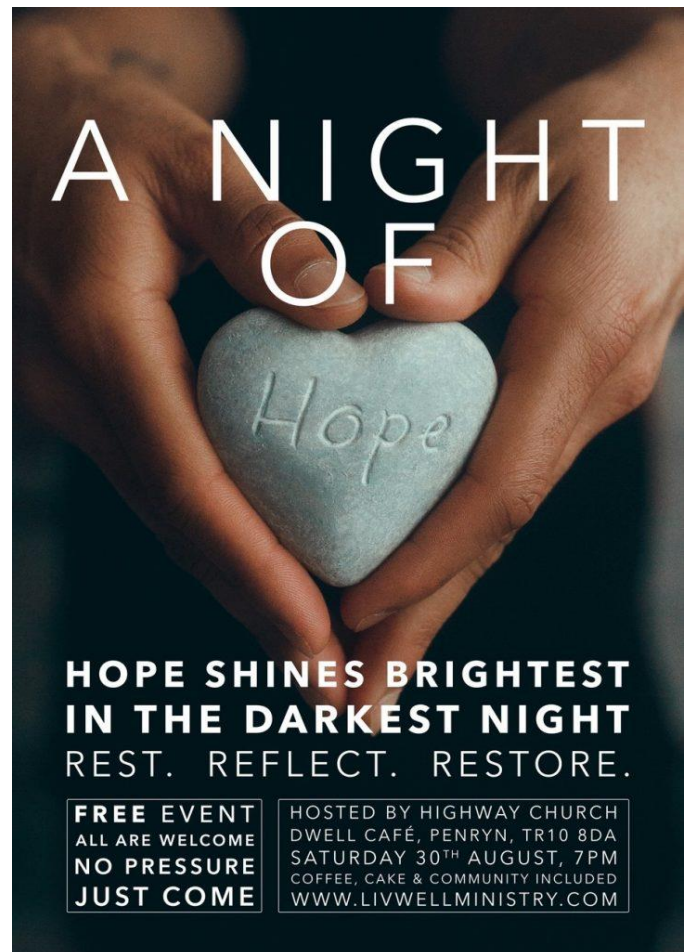
30<sup>th</sup> August 2025, 7-9pm

Highway Church, Highway House, The Old School, Church Rd, Penryn, TR10 8DA

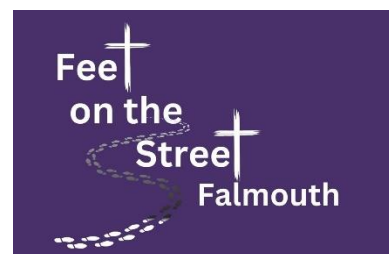
A Night of Hope will be held at Highway Church in Penryn on the 30<sup>th</sup> August, 7-9pm.

You're invited to an evening of reflection, healing, and peace at A Night of Hope — a special gathering for anyone seeking light in the middle of life's hardest moments.

There will be tea, coffee and cake!



[www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250830-a-night-of-hope-30th-aug-7-9pm-penryn/](http://www.ctcinfohub.org/events/250830-a-night-of-hope-30th-aug-7-9pm-penryn/)



## FEET ON THE STREET - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Since we got back out on the streets in September 2024, Feet on the Street have made a real impact and contribution to our community. We have shared the love of God with so many people and helped to provide support, care and a listening ear every Saturday night in Falmouth. We have been overwhelmed with appreciation from the people we encounter, they are so grateful for what we do. But, we cannot continue this valuable work without more volunteers! Please consider whether you could give up one Saturday a month to join our team. Come out as an observer first to see if it's for you. We have two shifts available,



9.00pm to 11.15pm and 11pm to 3am. Please email us if you are interested in finding out more – [feetonthestreetfalmouth@gmail.com](mailto:feetonthestreetfalmouth@gmail.com) or go to our website to sign up now! [www.feetonthestreetfalmouth.org](http://www.feetonthestreetfalmouth.org).

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Dear Friends,

We hope this message finds you well. As always, we deeply appreciate your unwavering support for our community.

Sadly we continue to see a steady increase in people needing emergency food parcels.

**Challenging Times:** Due to the current economic situation, we have a lot more clients, many of whom are working and still finding it hard to make ends meet.

**Our Response:** To address this urgent need, we continue to purchase essential items ourselves. **The average weekly food shop costs us £450 a week (roughly £1800 a month)**, so this is not a sustainable solution. We rely on the generosity of our community to keep our food bank operational, therefore we would ask that you can spread the word on our behalf, which we would really appreciate.

**How You Can Help:** Every small contribution makes a significant difference. If you can spare a little extra, it will go a long way in supporting those who rely on our service. **We are extremely short of the following supplies at the moment:**

- Tinned fruit
- Pasta Sauce jars
- Sugar
- Tinned meat
- Semi skimmed long life milk
- Tuna
- Meat soup/ Veg soup
- Coffee

- Tinned potatoes
- Tinned hot dogs
- Tinned meatballs
- Bottles of squash
- Cans of 'pop' e.g. coca cola, lemonade etc (we give out individual cans for the single boxes)
- Tinned tomatoes
- Baked beans
- Essential toiletries, particularly deodorant

#### **Local Drop-Off Points for donations:**

If you'd like to donate in person, please visit any of the following drop-off locations:

- Penryn & Falmouth Foodbank (Mons: 10am-1pm and Thurs: 1pm-4pm)
- Asda (In-Store Purchases Only)
- Tesco Metro (In-Store Purchases Only)
- Natural Store, Falmouth
- Co-op, Boslowick, Falmouth
- Superdrug, Falmouth
- Poundland, Falmouth

**Online Shopping:** For those who prefer online shopping or are able to contribute a little more, we can also accept food deliveries directly. If you place an order please do notify us, that way we can ensure we have volunteers on hand to accept the delivery at **Penryn & Falmouth Foodbank:**

- Mondays: 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM
- Thursdays: 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Our address: **Highway Community Centre, Church Road, Penryn TR10 8DA**

Please select a delivery during these hours only and let us know if an order is placed to ensure we are in to accept the delivery.

**Financial Donations:** Visit our website at Penryn and Falmouth Foodbank to make a secure online donation:

<https://penrynfalmouth.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-money/>

**Follow us on Facebook:** We update the Penryn & Falmouth Foodbank page every week, so don't miss our exciting updates!

[www.facebook.com/penrynfalmouthfoodbank/?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/penrynfalmouthfoodbank/?locale=en_GB)

**Spread the Word:** Share our mission with friends and family. Every voice counts! **Your kindness and compassion make a real impact in the lives of our clients. Thank you for being part of our community's support network.**

Warm regards

Joy

Penryn & Falmouth Foodbank – Project

Coordinator

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