

HADLOW NEWSLETTER

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| Mon | 9:00 Morning Prayer – St Mary's Church Mondays: 4:45 - 5:45 pm Junior Lyrical dance. Senior Lyrical dance 6:45 - 7:45 pm. School |
| Tues | 9:00 Morning Prayer - Church 9:30-10:00 Story Time - Library 10:00-12:30 Tania's Art Class – Maidstone Rd Tuesdays: 4:45 - 6:15pm Little Rascals (All Singing, Dancing & Acting fun club for Primary School ages). OSH |
| Wed | 9:30 Holy Communion - Church 10:30-12:00 Coffee Pots & Tiny Tots, 50p/family - Church Wednesdays: Footsteps, Senior ISTD Ballet & Pointe (experience required). OSH 19:00-21:00 Hadlow Seniors Table Tennis Club – Village Hall 19:30-21:00 Bell Ringing Practice - Church - learners welcome |
| Thur | 9:00 Morning Prayer - Church 9:30-10:30 Vicar's Surgery – Church 10:00-12:00 Senior Pop in Club – OSH – All 14:00-15:00 Knit & Natter – Library |
| Fri | 14:30 Over 50's dancercise Footsteps - OSH 19:15 Choir practice – Church |
| Sat | 8:30am onwards. Footsteps: ISTD Ballet, Tap, Musical Theatre sessions for all ages. OSH, Church & Hadlow primary. |
| Sun | 8:00 Holy Communion 10:00 Parish Eucharist – Crèche available Start Up for 2½-7 year olds) Upper Room 7 Up for 7-11 year olds and) term time Ys Up for 11-14 year olds) only Mass - St Peters RC Church – Maidstone Rd |

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Folding Date: Thursday 26 October
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Harvest Services – Sunday 1 October:

10am Harvest Service: we will also be welcoming Nicky Harvey, our curate who has just been ordained as Deacon.

11.30am Harvest Outside with East Peckham Silver Band. A short thanksgiving service outside church. Refreshments served afterwards inside. Come and see the beautiful Harvest displays by different groups from our community. We will also be presenting prizes to the winners of the Scarecrow Trail and prize draw.

Harvest Gifts will be donated to the Community Store House food bank in Paddock Wood. They welcome donations of dry goods eg pasta, tea, coffee, tinned food and biscuits etc. Please leave gifts before 1 October, either in church or at the vicarage.

St Mary's Sunday Clubs for children. Held in the Upper Room in term-time during the 10am main Sunday service: Start Up for 2½-7 year olds, 7 Up for 7-11 year olds and Ys Up for 11-14 year olds.

St Mary's Website – www.stmaryshadlow.org.uk Contributions to office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk

Hadlow Seniors Table Tennis. Every Wednesday 7pm to 9pm £2.00 per evening. First evening free. We are a non-league club, no experience necessary and very friendly. Give us a try.....! Hadlow Village Hall.

Kent Bucs won their first home game, congratulations. All home games are followed by Nicky's excellent home cooked food at the **Two Brewers**.

The **Village Hall** will hold its second **Craft Fair** on the 15 October, with a selection of handcrafted items. **Leonie** will be back with her painted boxes, **Wooden Len**, also natural products from **Essence of Light**. Stirling silver jewellery, scarves and a lot more. Please email if you would like a stall, we have a few left.

Grounds Maintenance Services – if you are interested in quoting for Parish Council grounds maintenance for the year started October 2018 then **please contact the parish office:** for further information.

Vicar's contact details If you would like a visit or arrange a wedding or baptism, please phone Revd Paul White on 01732 850238.

The Russian Choir concert on 8 October has been CANCELLED

November Newsletter Deadline: **Friday 20 October**

WOULD YOU ADAM AND EVE IT?

Thursday 19 October, 7.30pm in St Mary's Church A hilarious dash through Genesis and Exodus by two very funny men – **MIKED UP!!** Lots of laughs, floods, snakes and plagues. It has amazed audiences around the world. Tickets £10, £5 children (suitable for ages 10 and over). Interval licensed bar

Dates for your diary:

Tues 3 October 11am in the Library – Reading Group 1: 'Did You Ever Have A Family' by Bill Clegg

Wednesday 4 October 1.45pm **Hadlow Mothers Union**, Upper Room at St Mary's Church when it will be our members' afternoon.

Sunday 8 October The Russian Choir concert has been CANCELLED

Monday 9 October 201, 7:30pm **Hadlow Parish Council meeting:** at Golden Green Village Hall

Saturday 7 October **Hadlow Gardeners Society** – Autumn Social at 8pm in the Old School Hall.

Monday 9 October 12.45-2.30pm **Friends Together** Open to anyone who has been bereaved. Come along for a chat and make friends. Lunch is provided: St Mary's, Upper Room.

Tuesday 10 October **Hadlow Flower Club** Hadlow Old School Hall at 7.30pm for 8.00pm when we welcome ROBIN WHITE with a floral demonstration entitled "White Christmas". Come to our friendly Club and be entertained. For more information ring Shirley on 367173 or Mary on 851212.

Wednesday 11 October **Slimming World** – 7pm New Consultant at Hy-Arts: Sarah 07758 175655

Saturday 14 October 10am **Who Let the Dads Out?** For dads with their under 6 year olds – hot drinks and a bacon roll for dads and lots of toys, craft and fun for the kids.

9.15-10.15am **WEEE** collection Hadlow Village Hall car park.

10 to 11.30am **Borough Councillors Surgery** in the Choir Vestry, St Mary's Church.

Sunday 15 October – 11 - 4 **Craft Fair** Hadlow Village Hall, handcrafted gifts, tea, coffee and tea room.

Monday 16 October **Hadlow Gardeners Society** an evening talk on "Plant Heritage and the National Collections in Kent" at the OSH.

Tuesday 17 October 10-11am **Library Reading Group:** 'The Crow Trap' by Ann Cleves

Thursday 19 ~October 7.30pm 'Would You Adam & Eve It?' In church

Saturday 21 October **Market Stall** – 10am – 12 noon in aid of the Link to Hope shoebox scheme
9.15-10.15am **Bulky Refuse Lorry** Victoria Road, Golden Green (in cul-de-sac) 9.15-10.15am.

Tuesday 24 October 8pm **Hadlow Historical Society** 'Victorian & Edwardian Schooldays' by Peter Ewart. St Mary's Upper Room. £2 per meeting. New members welcome.

Friday 27 October – **Women's Night** – Two Brewers.

Saturday 28 October 9.15-10.15am **Bulky Refuse Lorry:** Hadlow Village Hall car park

THANK YOU to all who came and supported the **Scarecrow Trail**, and a very big THANK YOU to all who made the wonderful Scarecrows! It was a difficult choice but the winners that you voted for were: **1st Eric the Ecowarrior** by Rowan Class of Hadlow School; **2nd Shrek** by Hadlow Scouts and **3rd Monty Don and Nigel** by Hadlow Community Allotment. Mention should also be made of **Harry Potter and Voldemort** by the Neal Family; it came a very close fourth, losing out on 3rd place by just one vote! Well done all, well done and thank you to Kirsty Finch who organised it, and thank you to Hadlow College for sponsoring this very successful Scarecrow Trail.

From the Parish Registers

Weddings – we congratulate on their marriage:

24 August – Dannielle Cranmer & Andrew Moran; 9 September – Benjamin Appleby & Annabel Walker

16 September – William Machtus and Candice Bordeaux

Funeral – we extend our sympathy to the family and friends of:

25 September – Audrey Ruth Ferguson