

# HADLOW NEWSLETTER

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## **Services in Church:**

### **Sundays:**

8.00 am – on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays – a traditional service of Holy Communion

10.00 am – Parish Eucharist – also audio streamed via Zoom: to receive the Zoom link please email [office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk)

### **Wednesdays:**

9.30 am Holy Communion

Although St Mary's does not currently have a vicar, we are still able to arrange weddings, baptisms and funerals. If you would like to discuss any of these – or arrange a visit, please email [office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk) or tel: 01732 850238.

**Coffee Pots & Tiny Tots:** Every Wednesday 10.30am – 12pm in St Mary's Church – including school holidays. All parents and carers with babies and toddler are welcome. Join in the fun: craft, nursery rhymes, singing, music & play. £1 per family includes coffee & biscuit for carers.

**Seniors' Coffee Mornings:** The first & third Fridays in the month, 10.30am to 12.30pm in church. All welcome.

**St Mary's Website** – [www.stmaryshadlow.org.uk](http://www.stmaryshadlow.org.uk)    **St Mary's Office Email:** [office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk)

**St Mary's Church Food Bank:** Open on the first and third Thursday of each month, If you are unable to attend in person, you can email the Church office [office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk) and a bag will be delivered to you at a convenient time. Details, including a list of what each bag contains, are on St Mary's Church website and the Parish Office website

**Café Plus:** Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 1-3pm in St Mary's Church. Come for crafts, good company and a cuppa.

## **HADLOW PLATINUM JUBILEE EVENTS**

**PROM & PIMMS** Friday 3 June at 7pm in St Mary's Church. A summer evening of great music with some well-known patriotic tunes to sing along to. Interval Pimms and refreshments. Bring a flag to wave.

**VILLAGE HALL DANCE** Saturday 4 June. 50s up to date on vinyl. A family affair. Optional period dress. Details to follow from Caroline, [carolineanderson@btinternet.com](mailto:carolineanderson@btinternet.com)

**CARNIVAL PROCESSION** Sunday 5 June AT NOON. From the heart of Hadlow, weaving up through Brookfields and Hope Avenue, ending up at Williams Field for **THE BIG JUBILEE LUNCH** from 12 to 3pm. We are looking for YOU. Join in in any capacity. You will be so welcome.

Please begin collecting your banners, balloons and costumes. We will leaflet houses on the route very soon, and hope for massive support and lots of noise. Please 'GEE UP' your neighbours.

**Sussex Jazz Kings** – Join us for an afternoon of New Orleans style jazz on the first Wednesday of every month at Hadlow Manor Hotel between 12 noon and 3.30pm. Entrance £8, hot food available.

**Concert by the Bacchus Wind Orchestra** – Sunday 22 May at 3.15pm in St Mary's Church. Come and enjoy a programme of classical tunes, music from shows and marches. Afternoon tea in the interval. Admission free but retiring collection in aid of St Mary's and band funds.

**Library opening times** Monday – closed    Tuesday – 9am-1pm & 2pm-5pm – book groups 10am 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> of the month.  
Wednesday – 10am-3pm – book group 10.30am 4<sup>th</sup> of the month  
Thursday – 9am-1pm and 2pm-5pm – 2pm every week Knit and Natter    Friday – closed    Saturday – 9am-1pm

**Hospital Car Service:** For transport to a hospital or medical appointment, contact Mike Harvey on 01732 851881

## Clubs Societies and Social

**Hadlow Historical Society:** Tues. May 24<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in St Mary's Upper Room when a talk on 'Hadlow - A Walk with Bill Cater Recollections from 1930-1950' by Roger Stanley will take place. New members and visitors welcome £2. Enquiries to Anne Hughes on 01732 850214 or [hadlow12@mail.com](mailto:hadlow12@mail.com)

**Hadlow Seniors Pop-in Club:** We meet every Thurs. in the OSH 10 am – noon. Refreshments and activities. We are a friendly group and new members are always welcome. Pat Large 850516 or Jenny Hopkins 852386

**Hadlow Flower Club:** Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 1.00pm for 1.30pm start in OSH. We welcome Robin White to our club who will give a floral demonstration entitled "Art the Flower, Life the Green Leaf". Visitors £6. For more information ring Shirley 01732 367173 or Mary 01732 851212.

**Hadlow Gardeners:** on **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April** for a talk by Gilly Halcrow on "The History of Food, Drink and Table Manners" 7:30 pm in OSH. Visitors welcome, contact Jenny Bubb 01732 365873 [jenny\\_bubb@hotmail.com](mailto:jenny_bubb@hotmail.com)

**Hadlow WI:** Tues 17<sup>th</sup> May. AGM followed by an early walk and ploughman's supper. Most meetings are held at Hadlow Village Hall. Visit our website for more info. <http://hadlowwi.co.uk>. Visitors and new members welcome.

### Hadlow Parish Council

The next **Parish Council Meeting** is the Annual meeting on May 9<sup>th</sup> at 19.30 in OSH Hadlow.

**Bulky Refuse Lorry:** Service Suspended until regular waste collections have been reestablished. If you have a bulky item to dispose of the TMBC have a paid service. [tmbc.gov.uk](http://tmbc.gov.uk)

We would like to welcome Ukrainian Refugees who are to be hosted in our Parish. Cllr Newman is organising a "get together" for our guests and we are therefore asking hosting families to contact the Parish Office.

May is **Dementia Awareness Month** in Hadlow Parish – please help us honour and show complete support to those living with dementia by decorating your houses, shops, gardens in blue throughout May.

**Picnic In The Park – Sun 5 June** Noon to 3pm at Williams Field. Join in the Parade from Pound House and journey up to Williams Field for a fun day for all the family including music, singing, bouncy castles, ice-cream van, beer tent, hog roast, cupcakes & refreshments and lots of good old fashioned rural games including "Throw the Wellie" Welcome to bring along your picnic and small gazebo to shelter from the sun! Posters with further information and facebook posts will be forthcoming. Other events have been arranged in the Parish so keep an eye out for details

Work is being carried out around the village by SGN installing new gas pipes. Roads will be closed and diversions in force for 11 months starting with Three Elm lane. Customer Service team on 0800 975 1818 or emailing [customer@sgn.co.uk](mailto:customer@sgn.co.uk) for information.

**Clerk:** [clerk@hadlowpc.co.uk](mailto:clerk@hadlowpc.co.uk) or 851878 For all your community information.

**Hadlow Parish Council official Twitter and Facebook** accounts to keep you updated. Share photos, news and stories at: [Twitter@HadlowParish](https://twitter.com/HadlowParish), [Facebook@HadlowParishCouncil](https://facebook.com/HadlowParishCouncil), Website [www.hadlowpc.co.uk](http://www.hadlowpc.co.uk).

**H.A.D.S. is Back**, oh yes it is! They will be putting on their Pantomime, the beloved tale of Aladdin. The society is looking forward to putting on a fabulous show after almost two years. Featuring dazzling costumes and songs this is a Panto not to be missed! Showtimes are Friday 29 April at 8pm, and Saturday 30 April at 3pm and 7pm. Tickets £7 Children, £9 Adults; OAPs £7 (Friday only). available from Hadlow Pharmacy and East Peckham Coffee and Wine bar.

**Hadlow Bowls Club** : Come and try outdoor bowling at the club in School Lane, even if you are only a beginner. Equipment can be supplied. It's a fun and healthy exercise. Contact Dave on 01732 852138 or Brian 01732 850013

**Walking Netball:** Walking Netball is a slowed down version of the more traditional game. It's for anyone who wants to exercise in a relaxed, supportive, fun, friendly way. It's for all abilities. Every Sat. morning 10.30-11.30am in term time at Marshall Gardens, Hadlow. New players and beginners welcome. For more info contact Shirley on 01732 382751 or [shirleyellis@yahoo.com](mailto:shirleyellis@yahoo.com)

**Deadline for the June Newsletter:** Fri May 20<sup>th</sup> 2022. Folding in the church 10am Thur. May 26<sup>th</sup>  
Send items to [newsletterhadlow@btinternet.com](mailto:newsletterhadlow@btinternet.com)