

HADLOW NEWSLETTER

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Services in Church:

Sundays

8.00 am – A traditional service of Holy Communion

10.00 am – Parish Eucharist – also live streamed via Zoom: to receive the Zoom link please email Rev'd Paul White pauljohnwhite@gmail.com or office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk

Wednesdays:

9.30 am Holy Communion

Messy Church Returns!

Sunday 12 September 3pm - 4.30pm. Theme: 'Saying thank you and the story of the ten lepers'. We can take a maximum of 12 families, so booking will be necessary. Please email: office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk

Seniors' Coffee Mornings

Usually the first and third Fridays in the month, 10.30am to 12.30pm in church. All welcome. However, please note that: in September, Seniors' Coffee Mornings will move to the second and fourth Fridays; ie the 10th and 24th

The church is open on Wednesday mornings between 10.30am and 12.30pm for private prayer and Food Bank.

If you would like to arrange a wedding or baptism or just a chat, please telephone Rev'd Paul White on 01732 850238.

St Mary's Website – www.stmaryshadlow.org.uk **St Mary's Office Email:** office@stmaryshadlow.org.uk

Opera Evening

Saturday 9 October in St Mary's Church. Featuring Soprano Rebecca Hooper. More information in October Newsletter

Hadlow Scarecrow Trail: 25th – 26th September

Fun for all the family! Come to St. Mary's Church, pick up a trail sheet and vote for your favourite scarecrow! If you'd like to make a Scarecrow, there is still time to take part. Please contact Kirsty on hadlow.scarecrowtrail@gmail.com. The event this year is being kindly sponsored by Hadlow Pharmacy.

KCC Borough Councillor: Sarah Hudson

For her full report on KCC matters please see our website hadlowpc.co.uk

Email address is sarah.hudson@kent.gov.uk. Please do not hesitate to contact her, if you need my help.

Hadlow Library: Is now open!

Tuesday 9am - 5pm (closed for lunch 1-2pm)

Wednesday 10am - 3pm

Thursday 9am – 5pm (closed for lunch 1-2pm)

Saturday 9am – 1pm

Kent Buccaneers Baseball Club: will be hosting a number of events at Williams Field, Hadlow over the September/October period.

11th/12th September - National Adult Playoffs

18th/19th September (TBC) - National Youth Playoffs

2nd/3rd October - Charity Tournament (raising money and awareness for Cardiac Risk in the Young - CRY)

Spectators are welcome for all events! We may have music and concession stands

Hospital Car Service:

If you need transport to a hospital or medical appointment, please contact Mike Harvey on 01732 851881 or 07464 54844

Clubs Societies and Social

Hadlow Historical Society: meet on Tuesday, September 28 at 8pm in St Mary's Church when Anne Hughes will talk on 'The Early Years of Hop Growing and the Tragic Accident at Hartlake Bridge' New members and visitors welcome. Enquiries to 01732 850214 or hadlow12@mail.com

Hadlow Seniors Pop-in Club: We look forward to welcoming our members for a happy social morning at last !! on Thurs 9th Sept. in the Old School Hall at 10am – noon. New members are always welcome. Enquiries to Pat Large 850516 or Jenny Hopkins 852386

Hadlow Gardeners:

Hadlow WI: Our Sept. meeting at the Village Hall will be a talk from Marion Regan from Hugh Lowe Farms on Strawberry Farming in Hadlow studying strawberries in lots of ways. Please come from 7.15 for a 7.30 start, visitors welcome. Please visit our website for more information <http://hadlowwi.co.uk>.

Hadlow Short Mat Bowls As from Wed. 22nd Sept 1.30-3.30 and Thurs. evening 23rd from 7.00, the club will re-open. New members always welcome. Just come along with some flat soled shoes. Contact Maurice on 07443654101 or Jean on 01732 852138 for more details. maurice.wong@btinternet.com. lsted.hadlow@hotmail.com

Hadlow Flower Club: will be meeting on Monday 6th Sept. at 1.30pm in Hadlow OSH. Our demonstrator will be Ellouise Hasler-Etott. We welcome back our members and anyone wishing to join our Club. Sorry no visitors due to present restrictions. Please bring your own refreshments.

Hadlow Ladies Badminton Group: Ladies that have played in the past will be very welcome to join our friendly group. We play in the Village Hall on Thurs. 1.30-3.30. We recommence after our COVID break on 2 Sept. Contact Joan 01732 359078

Hadlow Parish Council

The next **Parish Council Meeting** and is on September 13th at 19.30 in the OSH. The Agenda is available on our website.

Bulky Refuse Lorry: Service Suspended.

A successful fete at Golden Green and we wish to thank the Golden Green Association and team for all their hard work every year in putting together an enjoyable day for the community

Thank you to all those residents who have independently taken up the litter picking challenge and our doing a fabulous job in keeping our Parish clean

Speedwatch: this team does a sterling job of reminding people to watch their speed through the village, please consider joining them as numbers need to increase if we are to keep going.

Clerk: 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://www.facebook.com/HadlowParishCouncil), Website www.hadlowpc.co.uk.

TU3A: Come to our Open Afternoon on Wed. 6th Oct. from 2pm. Meet group leaders particularly if you are a new member. We would also love members to become group leaders. The more groups we have then the more activities we can offer the membership. Remember TU3A is run for the membership by the members. (We hope to be at the Angel Centre)

From the Parish Registers

Baptisms: We welcome into the family of the church:

4 July – Hugo Obo Ansell

22 August – Fraser Peter Fenton Campbell

Weddings: We congratulate on their marriage:

10 July – Joseph Francis Parsons and Emily Victoria Stubbs

30 July – Joy Abnett and Mark Nathan Stokes

Deadline for the Oct. Newsletter: Friday Sept 17th 2021. Send items to newsletterhadlow@btinternet.com