

# HADLOW NEWSLETTER



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## Services in Church:

### Sundays:

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

**Wednesdays:** 9.30 am Holy Communion

**Morning Prayer.** Tuesday to Thursday at 9am.

**Corpus Christi Service** – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 12 noon.

**Pet Blessing Service** – Sun.2<sup>nd</sup> June at 10am. All pets and their humans welcome. A wonderful opportunity to thank God for the gift of animals, and especially our own furry, feathered or scaly friends. If there are larger animals who cannot come into the church, a short service will take place outside the church at 9:50am. Holy Communion will be at 9am.

St Mary's church is open every day between 10am and 3pm If you would like to arrange a wedding or baptism or if you would just like a chat, please contact Fr. Jim Horton: 01732 850238, email: [vicar@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:vicar@stmaryshadlow.org.uk)

### **D-Day 80 – The 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Normandy Landings.**

We will be holding a short service of remembrance and commemoration for those who gave their lives in Operation Overlord, on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June at 11am at the War Memorial in Hadlow Cemetery. Everyone is welcome, if you wish to lay a wreath, please inform Fr Jim by email: [vicar@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:vicar@stmaryshadlow.org.uk).

**Golden Green:** Our Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal Organiser will join Hadlow in laying a wreath on behalf of the Golden Green Association at the war memorial at 11am, after a short ceremony at 10am in the Mission Hall, Golden Green. 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)

### **Fr. Jim's June Quiz**

The June Quiz will be **one week later than usual** – on **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June**. Starts at 7.30pm in Church. Only £3 per person. Jackpot bigger than ever! Licensed bar, free nibbles. Teams of six, so come as a group or join in with others on the evening.

**Coffee Pots & Tiny Tots** Every Wed. 10.30am. All parents and carers with babies and toddlers are welcome. Craft, nursery rhymes, singing, music & play. £1 per family includes coffee for carers. Please bring drinks for the children in their own cups.

**Coffee Mornings for seniors:** Fri 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> June – and on the first and third Fridays in the month, 10.30am to 12pm in church.

**Tea at 3 for seniors:** No Tea at 3 in June as it's Fathers' Day.

**Café Plus:** 12<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm with a demonstration of lace making from an experienced crafter. Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. in St Mary's Church, 1-3pm for crafts (knitting, crochet & sewing), good company and a cuppa.

### **Recital: Voce Sacri Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 6.30pm in St Mary's Church**

Voce Sacri choir and organist Simon Roberts will be celebrating a golden era of late 19<sup>th</sup> century English music, including works by Vaughan Williams, Parry, Bridge and Stanford. Free entry, retiring collection. Interval refreshments

**Food Bank:** open EVERY WEEK on Thursdays from 10am to 11am. if you are unable to attend in person, you can email [foodbank@stmaryshadlow.org.uk](mailto:foodbank@stmaryshadlow.org.uk) . **Please remember to bring back your bags.**

**Hadlow Carers Together:** St Mary's Church 1.30-3.30 pm every 2nd Monday starting June 10th.

Meet other local people with a shared experience of caring for an ADULT in a supportive and confidential environment. Free refreshments provided. For enquiries please contact Sally at [HadlowCarersTogether@outlook.com](mailto:HadlowCarersTogether@outlook.com)

**Yoga :** Tues. 5:45pm-6:45pm in St Mary's Church upper room. Slow, gentle paced yoga suitable for all levels. £10 per class or £35 for a block of four; 15% off first order. To book visit: <https://www.happynatyoga.com> or email Natalie: [hello@happynatyoga.com](mailto:hello@happynatyoga.com)

**Hospital Car Service:** For transport to a hospital or medical appointment, contact Mike Harvey on 01732 851881 or 07464 548448

## Clubs Societies and Social

**Golden Green Summer Fete** is on Sunday 23rd June 1-3.30pm in Signpost Field (adjacent to playground), Three Elm Lane. All the traditional games and stalls, bar and BBQ. Join us for summer fun!

**Hadlow Historical Society:** Our season of talks ended with our AGM It has been a successful year, with great speakers, many visitors and new members. We shall be taking the Hadlow Community Bus to Faversham, and to Belmont House nearby later this summer. We are now finalizing our programme for the autumn and welcome enquiries. Patricia Richardson on 07876 102 572 or [patriciarichardson567@btinternet.com](mailto:patriciarichardson567@btinternet.com).

**Hadlow Seniors Pop-in Club:** Thurs. 10-12 in OSH. Refreshments and Activities available. For info- Pat Large 850516 or Jenny Hopkins 852836

**Hadlow Gardeners:** Mon. 17<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30 pm in the OSH when **Jean Griffin** from the **BBC Radio Kent** gardening programme will be answering queries and telling us about "Tales from the Potting Shed". Visitors, new members and ailing plants welcome - £3. Contact Jenny Bubb - [jenny\\_bubb@hotmail.com](mailto:jenny_bubb@hotmail.com) 01732 365873

**Hadlow Community Allotment:** grow fruit and vegetables on land at Hadlow Primary School. We meet every Sat. am from 10am until 1pm. It's open to everyone, whether you are a skilled gardener or want to learn. Arrange a visit and find out more by contacting Steve on [wbrainstem@aol.com](mailto:wbrainstem@aol.com) or Siobhan on 07855 600336.

**Hadlow WI:** at OSH 7.30pm 24<sup>th</sup> June: there will be a talk called 'Not so shabby chic' by Viv Lawes, an art historian, curator, author and journalist with over 25 years' experience in the art market. New members and visitors are welcome

### Hadlow Parish Council

**Parish Council Meeting** – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024 at 7.30pm in the OSH.

**Community Breakfast:** Next one is in Sept. We are also pleased to confirm that the Community Breakfast has donated funds to the Hadlow Community Minibus Scheme - £100

**D-Day Commemoration** 6<sup>th</sup> June, the Parish Council will lay a wreath at the cemetery. More info from St Mary's Church

**TMBC** now have an active Anti-Social Behaviour Team. If you want to report any anti-social behaviour, please either call their Community Safety Partnership Team on 01732 844522 or email: [csp@tmbc.gov.uk](mailto:csp@tmbc.gov.uk)

**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)

**Move it or Lose it FABS Fitness Classes for the Over 60s** - Hadlow OSH, Tuesdays 10.30-11.30 & 12.00-1.00pm Fun and friendly exercise classes to improve your Balance, Confidence, Mobility, Flexibility, Strength & Independence - First Class Free - Booking Essential - Info [carol.welfare@moveitorloseit.co.uk](mailto:carol.welfare@moveitorloseit.co.uk) or call 07941345001

**Wiggle n Giggle** fun and easy dance class for all ages and abilities. HVH 2-3pm Mons, term time. Try it for a fiver!

**Keep Phytt:** Be Active – Feel Great! Exercise classes for older people every Friday at 9:30 in the Village Hall. £9 per class / £33 for a month. First class free. Contact Carole or Ian on 07700 173242 or [info@keepphytt.co.uk](mailto:info@keepphytt.co.uk) or visit our website [www.keepphytt.co.uk](http://www.keepphytt.co.uk).

**Free fitness style Yoga** every Thurs. at the OSH 1.30-2.30pm £8. Please bring a mat, all abilities welcome. For more info. contact Jayne Nutley 07941930771 email [nutley.jayne@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:nutley.jayne@yahoo.co.uk)

**Hadlow Table Tennis** Friendly group of over-fifties that meet for non-league games every Wed. 6.45pm-8.15pm at the HVH. Social occasion, £4, first evening is free. Info: Carol Hyams 07727 024433

**Walking Netball:** welcomes all ladies over the age of 35 years. With or without experience We meet outdoors at Hadlow Rural Community School. The school drive is on the left near the stables, on Sat.am between 10.30-11.30am (term time only) . £4 a session. For more info. contact Shirley on 07746476071 or email [shirleyellishost@yahoo.com](mailto:shirleyellishost@yahoo.com).

### From the Parish Registers

**Baptisms: we welcome into the family of the church:**

28<sup>th</sup> April: Oskar William James Holder; Isabelle Violet Ivy Hadlow

**Funerals: we extend our sympathy to the family and friends of:**

14<sup>th</sup> May- Jane Hibbs 16<sup>th</sup> May – Janet Jackson

**Deadline for the July/August Newsletter:** Fri. June 21st. Folding in the church 10am Thurs. June 27<sup>th</sup>  
Send items to [newsletterhadlow@btinternet.com](mailto:newsletterhadlow@btinternet.com).