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# Letter from St. Mary's Church

A July general election is a rare event, but we had one this year; the last July general election was in 1945! By the time most of you are reading this, the result will be known. Who would have predicted that we would be having a July election?

More predictable are the regular annual July events. For those of us who love tennis and classical music it is a great time of year, for Wimbledon begins this year on 1<sup>st</sup>. July and the BBC Proms on Friday 19<sup>th</sup>. We are in the heart of the cricket season. Then there is the additional excitement this year of the Euros. which draw to a close with the final on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>. and, of course, the Olympics which start at the end of the month on 26<sup>th</sup>. July.



When I was young, July was definitely my favourite month of the year, for that is when the school term ended, and the long summer holidays began. As soon as they started, off we went for the annual two weeks' stay with paternal grandparents who lived on the Pembrokeshire coast near Fishguard. Until I was about ten, I honestly thought that all my classmates in my Birmingham primary school had grandparents who lived by the sea as well! How naïve can you be? I now appreciate how privileged I was. The beauty of the Pembrokeshire coast is unsurpassable when the sun shines, and even when it doesn't, the ruggedness of the cliffs, the fabulous beaches and the shape of the coastline are enchanting. Not surprisingly, many people find they draw closer to God when they are in beautiful places, or when they experience the majesty of mountains, the power of the sea, the splendour of flowers in the garden, or the inspiration of music. What a wonderful world God has given us to enjoy, and what a wonderful opportunity summer holidays offer us to do just that.

July also marks the first full month in post for our new Priest-in-Charge, Rev. Mark Edwards. Fr Mark will be responsible for overseeing 3 parishes: Harlington, Tingrith and Westoning, which together form a 'benefice'. He is planning to introduce himself to the village in a special article in August's Contact so do look out for that. In the meantime, if you would like to meet him, why not come to one of our services which are held at St. Mary's every Sunday at 9.30 a.m.? There is a full list of services in this Contact.

Robert Johns

Reader, St. Mary's Church

# 38<sup>th</sup> Harlington Village Show

### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2024



### Please could any 2023 winners return their trophies by July 31st at the latest

The schedules should have been delivered along with your Contact Magazine this month, so please keep the booklet with the bright yellow cover. You'll need it to see what the classes are, plus the instructions for sizes, numbers and how to display your exhibits. If you need any help at all, contact us via <u>harlingtonvil-lageshow@gmail.com</u>.

The entry forms will be inside the schedule, and you just circle whichever class you're entering, then add your contact details and payment – it's still 20p per entry, but free for children. If a child is entering, please also give their age. Then deliver the form to any of the addresses on the reverse of the entry form *before 5pm* on Thursday  $22^{nd}$  August.

Come along to the Village Hall on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August, between 8.30am and 10.45am to display your exhibit, where Stewards will be on hand to help. The Show opens at 2pm in the afternoon when you can visit to see whether you've won a rosette or prize card. (Fingers crossed). And it's better NOT to assume your exhibit won't be good enough, because if you've been struggling, then it's certain other folk have as well. How many times have I heard these words from people who haven't entered?......"Mine are better than those".....yes, a lot!

We have to have about £1000 in our bank account each year to guarantee having enough income to run the next year's Show. So your support via entry fees, raffle and refreshments all count. For Show day itself, we'd love some extra help with setting up and clearing things away at the end. We set up the evening before, meeting on Friday  $23^{rd}$  August from 7.30pm at the Village Hall, then empty the hall from 4.15pm on Saturday. Contact us via harlingtonvillageshow@gmail.com if you can help in any way. Thank you for your support.

Tricia & the HVS Committee

"If the first of July be rainy weather,

It will rain, more or less, for four weeks together."

- John Ray, English Proverbs



# **Brain Tumour Research**



Brain Tumour Research

Funding the fight

### **Magical May**

What a month and what a race to June it has been; so busy pricking out and potting on. I



have really missed Elliot as for 2 Sundays I had commitments and then it was half term but thankfully Elliot was back on the first Sunday in June and we achieved lots of potting on and pricking out! I have had some late nights in the garden working until I can barely see; till 10.15 on one occasion! My patio has disappeared under a sea of seed and gravel trays and I have been on slug and snail patrol most evenings as they munch on my marigolds, cosmos, tops of sunflowers. I have lost count of the amount of times I have replaced marigold plants! But it has all been worth it, lots of kind folk have visited and chosen plants, pots or sundries from outside my house and this has resulted in the last 2 weeks of May raising £200 each week, Thank you! The total raised so far this year has now reached £969.94!

As well as the plants, I have received items from garages and sheds as kind folk clear out due moving house or spring cleaning. I have had some beautiful pots donated, size 6 wellies only worn twice, Qualcast lawn mower, fence panel trellis (sold), garden canes, wheelbarrow, spade and other tools, thanks to Tricia, Ian, John, Betty and Joan. So do visit if any of these items are of interest to you.

In July I will be joining forces with Harlington Lower School at their Summer Fayre on the 6th 11-2pm. I will take my plants so I hope to see you there. The following weekend, 14th, I will be putting up my gazebo on my front lawn and putting out bric a brac, tools, toys, games, books, cd's and dvd's, gardening items etc, there maybe some shortbread too if my friend Mary is able to carry out her plan! And thank you to Liz who has offered to help me. ALL proceeds will go to Brain Tumour Research.

I should also like to thank Jessie for clearing out her seed and gravel trays and Ian his tomato grow bag tray and large gravel tray; these are so useful to me as I use them for the plant display as they catch the rain water and when Elliot or I water conserves the water from the water butts. Thank you also to the many and varied plants that have been donated, I really could not do this without you all donating your plants and those making a donation to become their new owners!

Please put a date in your diaries for the 24th August and attend the Harlington village show. I will be attending with some of my plants and hopefully garden produce. I should like to thank the committee for inviting me and supporting the charity and my fundraising efforts. I hope I will see you at one of the village events please come and say hello.

Our thanks-Jane and Emma Barltrop and Alice Sulaj

# **Harlington Juniors FC**

Harlington Juniors FC u13's secured their fourth league title in a row. The team played 16 league games, winning 11, drawing 3 and losing only two games all season. The boys will find themselves playing in division 1 in September in the Beds youth Saturday league. Harlington Juniors FC u13's only needed 1 point in their last two fixtures to be crowned league champions again. They found themselves at home to Wixams, who have always given the team a hard fixture.



Wixams went 1 nil up. The nerves were showing, but the team battled all the way to the finish. A corner sent in by Jack Haselton was met with real venom when Benjamin Scharf headed into the net leaving the keeper no chance. The final whistle blew to start the celebrations. "It's a hell of an achievement to win 4 league titles on the trot," said Karlos the u13's Manager/coach. "I'm blessed to have such a talented squad."

"People take pictures of the Summer, just in case someone thought they had missed it, and to prove that it really existed."

- Ray Davies

### Poems

### The Computer's Swallowed Grandma

The computer's swallowed Grandma Yes, honestly, it's true She pressed *Control* and *Enter* And disappeared from view

It's devoured her completely The thought just makes me squirm Maybe she's caught a virus Or been eaten by a worm

I've searched through the recycle bin And files of every kind I've even used the internet But nothing did I find



In desperation I asked *Jeeves* My searches to refine The reply from him was negative Not a thing was found online

So, if inside your Inbox My Grandma you should see Please *Scan*, *Copy* and *Paste* her In an email back to me

(Original author unknown)

"Summer has set in with its usual severity."

- Samuel Taylor Coleridge

"What has happened to summer, That's what I want to know. Is she on a vacation -Who knows where did she go? Tell, what was she wearing; A zephyr breeze and rosebud Or grass and wild berry? Could she be honeymooning With spring or early fall Or has she gone so far away She'll not return at all? "

- Dorothy Ardelle Merriam, One July Summer



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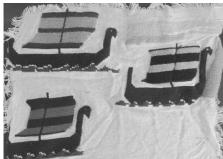
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### **Crafternoon Tea** *plus* **Remembrance Wreaths**

On holiday last week (first week of June), we went to the New Forest Visitor Centre. Part of their display consisted of a "tapestry" of the history of the Forest,



which dates from about 1076 – before the Doomesday Book, but just as creditable to William the Conqueror. It was planned as part of the 900<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Forest, and was fascinating, and beautiful, but not photographical, being behind glass, and not very well lit, presumably to stop the colours from fading. I use the word tapestry, because that's what the Centre calls it, but tapestry it is not. Some of it is half

*This is tapestry – but not that tapestry!* cross stitch appliqued to the backing fabric, some of it is stuffed appliqued felt, and some just flat appliqued fabric. Have you tried to illustrate anything by craft – and yes, some members of Crafternoon Tea have. It might be crochet, or embroidery – or even tapestry!

Crafternoon Tea meets fortnightly on Monday afternoons, between 2 and 4 pm, at the Methodist Church on Sundon Road. There are likely to be all sorts of crafts on the go, and we are happy to share what skills we have with others. We have materials, tools and magazines available, some always on the premises, and some which can be brought in if required, so let me know if there is something you are likely to want.

Our July meetings will be  $1^{st}$ ,  $15^{th}$  and  $29^{th}$ .  $29^{th}$  July will be an **in-person only** meeting but  $1^{st}$  and 15th will be on Zoom as well as in person, and refreshments will be served at each meeting.

# Contact: Tina Salmon (<u>christinasalmon60@gmail.com</u>), 874481, website: <u>https://cliveandtina.co.uk</u>

### **Remembrance Wreaths**

The poppy wreathes have now been removed from the War Memorial, and have been placed under the Roll of Honour in St Mary's.

In September they will be re-purposed at the Crafternoon Tea group to make more poppy trails, which will be placed throughout the village in October and November. If you would like to join us, look out for dates in Contact nearer the time.

Dawn Gilbert and Margaret Wade (07770 946497).

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### Dunstable Downs Service plus Baby & Me



On the 7th July, all the local Methodist churches are gathering together on Dunstable Downs for an open air service, followed by picnicking together. The service starts at 11 am. Anyone

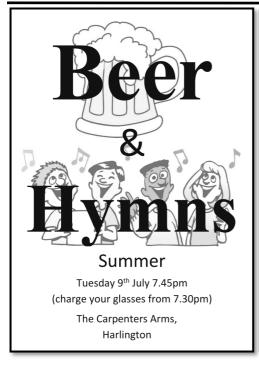
who wants to join us is welcome. We have some chairs, but bring your own if yours is more comfortable. If you are a National Trust member, parking is free. If you need a lift, have a word and we'll see who's going.

### Baby & Me



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## Beer & Hymns, Car Park, Ramblers Wellbeing



### Harlington Village Car Park LOCKED OVERNIGHT

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# Harlington Ramblers Wellbeing Walks

The Harlington walks happen every Friday morning and start from the Village Hall Car Park at 10.30am. They are a great way to stay fit, enjoy the village, and meet fellow residents. It is almost impossible not to feel good when we're walking outdoors – it's a natural moodbooster and a tonic for mind and body.

Whether you used to enjoy walking but have lost your fitness or want to get started to improve your wellness, we're all in it together.



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# **Harlington Lower School**



#### **Choir event**

The choirs at both Harlington Lower and Sundon Lower Schools have both enjoyed

performing at the Hub and Spoke Café and at



the Bright Hour meeting at the Methodist



Church. Thank you to both the café and the Bright Hour for hosting us and to all the

community members who came to support us!

#### **Get Caught Reading!**

We recently held a 'Get Caught Reading'



#### New Geography books in the library

We are very excited to have some new books in the library, purchased with money raised by

staff and pupils had to enter a photo of them reading in an unusual place. We loved seeing the entries!



competition where



the FRIENDS of Harlington Lower School and rewards gained from our Book Fayre earlier in the year. We are looking forward to reading these new books!

### Harlington Lower School Summer Fair



Win some amazing prizes in our raffle!

\* Meal for 4 and a bottle of wine at The Carpenters Arms \*
\* Claire Livingstone Family Photoshoot \*
\* Bletchley Park Family Season Ticket \* Family visit to The Hub \*
\* Wrest Park Family Day Pass \*
and many more!

# Flit Vale Wildlife Group plus HVH 100 Club



### Wildlife walks & talks

### July 27th Saturday, Nation Trust car park (LU6 2GY), 10.00am Butterfly Walk\* at Whipsnade Downs with Dr Wilf Powell

This site is a wonderful area for butterflies. We hope to see several species and will also look for other invertebrates as well as birds and wildflowers. Park in the National Trust car park and meet by the entrance to the Visitor Centre. There is a parking fee of  $\pounds 3.50$  but if you are a National Trust member bring your card along to register for free parking. There are toilets and a café on site.

\*£4.00 per adult

Booking for outdoor Flit Vale events is essential, as places are limited. Please contact Ann by email: <u>flitvale.info@gmail.com</u> or Phone (leave a message or text if you prefer) 075801 78889 to reserve your place.

We have no activity planned for August.

The Wildlife Trust for Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Northamptonshire Registered charity number: 1000412 www.wildlifebcn.org Flit Vale Local Group www.flitvale.org.uk

## Harlington Village Hall 100 Club

The winner of the 100 club for May was No. 98 belonging to Gwen Gray of Lincoln Way.

If you wish to be part of the 100 Club and have the chance to win £50, please contact me at: <u>hvhtreasurer@btinternet.com</u>. The money raised each month helps to fund the upkeep of the Village Hall.

Dave Thew, Treasurer, HVH Management Committee

"The summer looks out from her brazen tower, through the flashing bars of July."

- Francis Thompson

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### **Messy Church News**



As our May Messy Church was just before Pentecost this was our theme. Pentecost is when the church celebrates the coming of the Hoy Spirit, and is also seen as the Birthday of the church. It is associated with tongues of fire and a noise like a rushing wind, and also with Peter preaching to



crowds and 3,000 people coming to accept Jesus. So we made windmills,

"flames", Pentecost plates (blowing red and yellow paint) and a big cake and some gift decorations.

In our next Messy Church, at 4 pm on 20th July, we will be thinking about summer and holidays as we break up for the summer..

For those who don't know, from 4 pm we have activities, including painting, cooking, model making or similar, then at 4.45 pm we go into our celebration, with stories, songs and some more activities. While we're doing that, someone else is setting out tea, which we have from 5.30 pm to 6 pm.

We have a Zoom link for those who can't get to the chapel, and livestream the celebration to YouTube, which also provides a recording. Don't forget, while children need an adult, Messy Church is not just for children. If you find that making things helps with the Bible stories, Messy Church may be for you. Clive

# LIFE Church plus Animal Edge



Sunday services at 10.30 am in The Parish Rooms

### All Welcome

### JULY

- 7th Carol Gibbs
- $14th \ \ Word \ Sunday$
- 21st Café Church with visiting Farm-Animal Edge
- 28th Social at Chris & John's

Wednesday 7.15pm Prayer meeting on Zoom.

For more information check us out on our website.

You can also contact us through our website if you have any prayer requests or would like to talk to someone

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Life Church Harlington

SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY 10.30 – 12.00 BURY ORCHARD BEHIND THE PARISH HALL GET HANDS ON WITH FARMYARD FRIENDS

FROM



Refreshments in Parish Hall

# **Methodist Church**

We meet in person in the church and, for morning services, also have people join on Zoom, or view the service on YouTube. Everyone is welcome.

### JULY preachers are:

$7^{\text{th}}$	11 am	Circuit Open Air Service on Dunstable	
		Downs	
$14^{\text{th}}$	10 am	Worship Group	
21 <sup>st</sup>	10 am	Rev. Claudia Lupi. This service includes Holy Communion	
$28^{\text{th}}$	10 am	To be arranged	
If you want to join us on Zoom, the Zoom link is normally sent out the day			

If you want to join us on Zoom, the Zoom link is normally sent out the day before. Email me, clivedsalmon@aol.com, or phone 874481 to be added to the Zoom email list, or if you would like our printed service emailed to you.

**COFFEE MORNING** 27th July, from 10 am to 12 noon, in the hall. Proceeds to our project which this year is Brain Tumour Research

### **BRIGHT HOUR FELLOWSHIP**

The Bright Hour Fellowship meets every Thursday afternoon at 2.45pm at the Methodist church Hall. Members have the opportunity to hear from a variety of invited speakers, share in the company of others and enjoy a nice cup of tea.

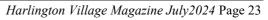
So why not join us? New members are always made very welcome. No need to book ahead, just come along! We look forward to seeing you soon.

Speakers for July:

- 4<sup>th</sup> Stephen Turner Playing organ/Piano in the Church
- 11<sup>th</sup> Garden Party at David & Sandra's
- 18<sup>th</sup> Visit to Ashridge House Gardens
- 25<sup>th</sup> Claudia to speak to us

### **ROOM BOOKINGS**

Contact Trevor Caveney if you are interested in booking any of our Halls, Rooms or the Church. The Halls are suitable for meetings, groups, clubs and particularly good for children's parties. Reasonable prices. Tel 01525 754527 or <u>hmc.bookings@ntlworld.com</u>







# St Mary's Churchwarden

# St Mary's Church



**Churchyard:** Arriving at church one day, I heard a <u>very</u> loud chorus of young birds squeaking. Further investigation revealed that one nest box had become detached at the top and was hanging with the entrance hole facing downwards. The problem was solved with a long piece of rope around the box and tree, and a parent then went in with food. We're really hoping the chicks survived to fledge. By the way, how did the egg cross the road?.....It scrambled across!

<u>Harlington Manor Tours</u>: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 1pm. Places are limited to 10 people for each tour. Reserve a ticket at £12 via <u>tri-</u>

<u>cia.murphy5@ntlworld.com</u>. Tea/ coffee and home made cake afterwards in the church. Proceeds to the Church Restoration Fund.

<u>Strawberry Tea at Lower East End Farm:</u> Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm. Free entry, donations appreciated. Enjoy a strawberry tea, (or bring a picnic), live music and children's games. Come and meet all the animals and walk around the gardens. Proceeds to the Restoration Fund.

*Family Messy Breakfast*: July's free fun session is on **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>** from 9am to 10.15am in the Parish Hall. Continental breakfast, crafts and story, led by Rebecca. All welcome.

For service and event information, either check Contact, the noticeboard outside church or our website: www.harlingtonchurch.org. If you'd like to speak to someone about a life event or for prayer, please contact revmarkedwards@outlook.com, or our Lay Reader, robert@harlingtonchurch.org. You can also contact myself or fellow Churchwarden Neil.

Best wishes, Tricia Churchwarden

"The linden, in the fervours of July, Hums with a louder concert. When the wind Sweeps the broad forest in its summer prime, As when some master-hand exulting sweeps The keys of some great organ, ye give forth The music of the woodland depths, a hymn Of gladness and of thanks."

- William Cullen Bryant, Among the Trees

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### St. Mary's Church Services

Everyone is welcome to attend Sunday services in our beautiful village church. This is the first full month when we will have services led by our new Priest-in-Charge, Rev. Mark Edwards.

July's services are:

### Sundays

- 7<sup>th</sup> 8 am Book of Common Prayer Service 9.30 am Holy Communion
- 14<sup>th</sup> 9.00 am Messy Breakfast in Parish Hall 9.30 am Holy Communion
- 21st 9.30 am Holy Communion
- 28th 9.30 am Holy Communion

### Wednesdays

Every Wednesday 10 am Holy Communion or Morning Prayer

### Other times

The church can be made available for private prayer by arrangement, please contact one of the church wardens, Tricia Murphy <u>tricia.murphy5@ntlworld.com</u> or Neil Walter <u>walterfamily@btinternet.com</u>, or the Church Reader Dr. Robert Johns <u>robert@harlingtonchurch.org</u>. Alternatively email <u>admin@harlingtonchurch.org</u>

For personal enquiries, for requests for prayer, or for enquiries about baptisms, weddings or funerals please contact Fr. Mark Edwards <u>revmarked-wards@outlook.com</u> 07305 822186 or Dr. Robert Johns <u>rob-ert@harlingtonchurch.org</u> 01525 873214.

### Further information and useful links

The church noticeboard is kept regularly up-to-date as it the church website which is at <u>https://www.harlingtonchurch.org</u>

The church Facebook page is: www.facebook.com/stmarysharlington/

We are on A Church Near You at <u>https://www.achurchnearyou.com/</u> <u>church/7667/</u>

Remember that we are here for you.

Fr Mark Edwards, Dr Robert Johns (Reader), Tricia Murphy and Neil Walter (Church Wardens)





Don't waste your precious time on cleaning.

Let us do it for you.

No mess, no stress!

**Contact Dagmara** 

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### Village Diary plus Wednesday Coffee Mornings

#### July

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1 <sup>st</sup> Crafternoon T	ea Metho	dist Church Hall 2 – 4 pm (plus Zoom)
2 <sup>nd</sup> Flittabus	Station	n Road bus stop 9.15 am
4 <sup>th</sup> Manor Tour	Harlin	gton Manor 1 pm
6 <sup>th</sup> Summer Fair	Harlin	gton Lower School 11 am – 2 pm
7 <sup>th</sup> Open Air Serv	vice Dunst	able Downs 11 am
9 <sup>th</sup> Beer and Hym	ins Carpe	nters Arms 7.45 pm
14 <sup>th</sup> Messy Breakf	ast Parish	Hall 9 am
14 <sup>th</sup> Country Fayre	e Kimbo	olton Castle 11 am – 5 pm
14 <sup>th</sup> Strawberry Te	ea East E	nd Stables 2 pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Crafternoon T	ea Metho	dist Church Hall 2 – 4 pm (plus Zoom)
16 <sup>th</sup> Manor Tour	Harlin	gton Manor 1 pm
18 <sup>th</sup> Baby and Me	drop-in Parish	Rooms 10 – 11.30 am
20 <sup>th</sup> Messy Church	n Metho	dist Church and Halls 4 – 6 pm
21 <sup>st</sup> Animal Edge	Bury (	Drchard 10.30 am
27 <sup>th</sup> Butterfly walk	x Whips	nade Downs 10 am
27 <sup>th</sup> Coffee Mornin	ng Metho	dist Church Hall 10 am to 12 noon
29 <sup>th</sup> Crafternoon T	ea Metho	dist Church Hall 2 – 4 pm
August		-

#### August 6<sup>th</sup> Flittabus

Station Road bus stop 9.15 am

Don't forget the regular weekly things like the Wednesday Coffee Mornings and Friday Ramblers Wellbeing Walks that aren't shown here.

You can send things just to be entered here.

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### Wednesday Coffee Mornings and Games



If you would like to join us for coffee/tea, a chat or a game of table tennis we would love to see you. We meet every Wednesday in the Parish Hall from 10 am until 12 o'clock. The Games Group section have begun playing table tennis again and you are very

welcome to join us. We also

have a small snooker table, and if anyone would like to come perhaps to play different indoor games eg chess, card games or Scrabble, please do come along any Wednesday morning to see us and have a chat. Doreen Gatward and Valerie Bates.

