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Issue 497



Hello Everyone,

I would like to introduce our new officers for the new year. Our new treasurer is Peter Back, our New advertising Officer is Kevin Watts and our new distribution officer is Ian Paterson. A big thank you to you all for enabling the pump to continue.

We cannot forget the many, many years which both Nicola and Jane have put into the pump. We thank you both very much and wish you all the best for what you do next. Jane, enjoy the well earned rest from all those many deliveries.

Please note from our next issue February, the deadline will remain the same every month. It will always be on the 15th of the month, therefore avoids people missing the deadline.

Have a look on page 5 for what's on in December and January. If you would like your event here do send me an email or drop in to the visitors centre and leave information there.

Check out our new Hatherleigh Parish Pump Facebook page too for updates.

Remember that Hatherleigh Market is on every Tuesday, and coffee mornings continue in Old Schools, and in the Methodist Church 10 till 12pm.

Please continue to support all our local shops and businesses.

Keep Safe and Well & have a very Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

Donna Lewis

Editor

Where's Wally???

Can you find him hidden somewhere in the pump?

Last month yes I know he was on the front cover, but he was also on page 36

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Deadline for November Pump

Monday 15th January 2024

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2nd December	7.30 pm	-	Bell Ringers Bingo - Community Centre
6th December	2 - 7.00pm	-	Token Payment - Old Schools
5th December	7.00 pm	-	Council Meeting - Community Centre
8th December	6.00 - 8.00pm	-	Hatherleigh Primary School Christmas Fair
12th December	9.00am	-	Players Coffee Morning - Old Schools
16th December	7.30pm	-	Hatherleigh Silver Band Concert - Community Centre
17th December	6.30pm	-	Candlelit Carol Service - Hatherleigh Methodist Church
20th December	6.00pm	-	Elf Experience Evening - Community Centre
24th December	7.00pm	-	Christmas Carols in the Square with the Silver Band
9th January	7.00pm	-	Council Meeting - Community Centre

Hatherleigh Art Group

We meet on Wednesdays at 10.30am usually at 51 Market Street:

December & January Meetings: 6th visit to RHS Rosemoor Winter Sculpture trail, 13th at 51 Market Street please come with ideas for 2024 & Seasonal refreshments, (20th & 27th & Jan 3rd: no meetings.) January 10th: Annual lunch, 17th, 24th & 31st: meetings to be decided nearer the time.

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- care for nature - do not cause damage or disturbance

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Dog Fouling on Hatherleigh Moor

The law regarding land, open to the air to which the public are entitled or permitted to have access states that it is an offence to fail to carry sufficient means to clean up after your dog. And that it is an offence to fail to remove faeces from the land.

We hope everyone is keeping safe and well.

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The Pump Team

Church 50:50 shop

Thank you for your support. The Church 50:50 shop has now 'morphed' into an upstairs Charity Corner and current items include framed print 'Midland Trails' by B.J. Freeman, paintings, cabinets, tumblers & lots more.

DON'T stay on-line for ever: there's a **REAL** world out here but it needs **YOUR** support **NOW!**

This is more important than ever now that things are getting back to 'normal' & the Market development is still in progress so **PLEASE SHOP LOCAL!**

Parish Church Services December 2023

Sunday 3rd December *Advent Sunday*

9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Exbourne
9.30am	All Age Worship	Sue Gibson	Meeth
9.30am	Morning Prayer	Tania Haycock	Northlew
11.00am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh
6.00pm	Christingle	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh

Wednesday 6th December 7.00pm Samuel Jermain Concert Meeth

Sunday 10th December *2nd Sunday of Advent*

9.30am	Morning Prayer	Michael Winter	Jacobstowe
11.00am	Nativity Service	Sunday Club	Hatherleigh
11.00am	Morning Prayer	Michael Winter	Meeth
6.00pm	Carol Service	Leigh Winsbury	Northlew

Wednesday 13th December 7.00pm Carol Service Leigh Winsbury Jacobstowe

Sunday 17th December *3rd Sunday of Advent*

9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Northlew
9.30am	Morning Praise	Gwyn Thatcher	Meeth
11.00am	Family Service	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh
6.00pm	Nine Lessons & Carols	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh
6.30pm	Carol Service	Michael Winter	Exbourne
6.30 pm	Carol Service (joint) with Methodists		Northlew

Tuesday 19th December

<u>7.00pm</u>	Carol Service	Leigh Winsbury	Meeth
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Sunday 24th December *4th Sunday of Advent*

9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Jacobstowe
11.00am	Morning Service	Lay Team	Hatherleigh
4.00pm	Crib Service	Michael Winter	Exbourne
4.00pm	Crib Service	Lay Team	Northlew
7.00pm	Carols in the Square		Hatherleigh
10.00pm	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Northlew
11.30pm	Midnight Communion	Leigh/Michael	Exbourne

Monday 25th December *Christmas Day*

9.30am	Joint Service with Methodists		Northlew
11.00am	Holy Communion – Group Service	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh

Sunday 31st December *Sunday after Christmas Day*

11.00am	Group Morning Service	Michael/Olive	Hatherleigh
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Parish Church Services January 2024

Sunday 7th January *First Sunday after Epiphany*

9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Exbourne
9.30am	All Age Worship	Sue Gibson	Meeth
9.30am	Morning Prayer	Tania Haycock	Northlew
11.00am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh

Wednesday 10th January

7.00pm	Celtic Praise	Leigh Winsbury	Jacobstowe
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Sunday 14th January - *2nd Sunday of Epiphany*

9.30am	Morning Prayer	Michael Winter	Jacobstowe
9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Northlew
11.00am	Morning Service	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh
11.00am	Morning Prayer	Michael Winter	Meeth

Sunday 21st January – *3rd Sunday of Epiphany*

9.30am	Plough Service with breakfast before	Leigh Winsbury	Northlew
9.30am	Morning Praise	Gwyn Thatcher	Meeth
11.00am	Morning Prayer	Gwyn Thatcher	Exbourne
11.00am	Family Service	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh
3.00pm	Plough Service	Leigh Winsbury	Jacobstowe
7.00pm	Prayer and Praise	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh

Sunday 28th January - *4th Sunday of Epiphany*

9.30am	Holy Communion	Leigh Winsbury	Jacobstowe
9.30am	Morning Prayer	Derek/Elvira Chivers	Northlew
11.00am	Morning Prayer	Michael Winter	Exbourne
11.00am	Morning Service	Lay Team	Hatherleigh
3.00pm	Plough Service	Leigh Winsbury	Meeth
6.00pm	Evensong (BCP)	Leigh Winsbury	Hatherleigh

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Hello again!



Well I'm writing here the week after carnival, and I can't tell you how flattered I am that the 'Jolly Boy's' sent us up so brilliantly this year. Everything we've been doing was there; the bells, the tower and the gym; thanks so much and well done! And a big thank you and well done to all the committee who make carnival happen each year, and all those who work so hard producing the amazing sights and sounds for us to enjoy. But now, turning from one celebration to another...

I wonder if you're one of those people who start doing Christmas in October? Personally I find it has more meaning for waiting until right near the time, though in my job, I need to prep early. Whichever you are, the celebrations and services of Christmas will soon be upon us.

Now, any baby is special and it's always a delight to welcome a new tiny human into the world, but in some of our school's sessions, we've been asking 'what's so special about this baby?' why all the fuss about Jesus, and why do we still celebrate this particular birth all these years after the event? For me, one of the clearest and most concise descriptions of Jesus' identity is written in the Bible, in Colossians chapter 1: I'd like to quote it here in full...

'He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by him, all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things were created by him and for him. He is before all things and in him all things hold together. And, he is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything he might have the supremacy. For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, and through him, to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace, through his blood, shed on the cross.'

That statement doesn't leave much out; Jesus is for all things and everything is for him. Why not come and find out what that could mean for you, here and now, at one of our many Christmas services this year? It could turn out to be your best present ever.

Wishing you a blessed and peaceful Christmas, Leigh.



THANK YOU!

On behalf of the organisations that hold fund raising events in Hatherleigh Square I would like to say a big 'thank you' to the small bunch of anti community killjoys that are attempting to stop events in the square.

You won't stop the events happening, all you have succeeded in achieving is organisations having to pay £60 per event to hire the square from West Devon District Council. I am sure the Organisations and charities involved really appreciate this amount being taken from their overall proceeds and would wish me to express their gratitude.

Robin Wonnacott

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Get Ready To Make Some Music



A vibrant new musical endeavour is coming to West Devon! If you play any instrument or if you love to sing this could be the opportunity you've been waiting for. Stand Sure Orchestra & Choirs are opening their doors in January 2024 and they're looking for you!

The orchestra and choirs will be focussing on mostly contemporary music with strong rock and pop ties...though there will be some gentler "modern" music too. "There are plenty of classical groups out there, but not many 'rock orchestras/choirs' and whilst we're not solely doing rock we won't be singing or playing anything in a traditional classical sense. I'm hoping to reach a wider demographic of players and audience by putting the modern emphasis in place" says Chris J Anderson whose brainchild the project is.

They are welcoming anyone who has a passion and enthusiasm for making music with others. They advise being around grade 5 (or equivalent) on your instrument but this isn't mandatory...as long as you can read music. People who want to give singing a go don't need any experience of singing in a group - they just need to be keen.

They are looking for all the traditional orchestra instruments but would also love guitarists, drummers, percussionists, saxophonists...in fact they won't turn anyone away. "A lot of orchestras and bands will only have a certain number of instruments per section. As a classically trained musician I totally get that, however, I believe the music should be for everyone to enjoy making and if I end up with four electric guitars, five flutes, seven clarinets and a triangle, they'll be put to use! I'm able to write and orchestrate music for the musicians I have" stated Chris.

SSOCs began its life in Wiltshire where Chris fulfilled a near 30-year dream by starting his own orchestra and choir in 2021. After playing and singing for groups most of his adult life Chris decided to seize the opportunity during lockdown to put the necessary plans in place to start. A necessary relocation to Devon meant that the group had to fold. "It was heartbreaking. We were just gaining momentum and a good following. We had six really good concerts under our belts and there was so much more I wanted to do. Moving to Devon was never on the cards as I had some sort of a life established in Wiltshire, however, it just wasn't practical to stay there any more so I'm getting a fresh start in beautiful Devon."

The choirs will be split into three groups. Those in primary school, those in secondary school, and adults. The primary school aged choir will be for those 7 - 11, the secondary school choir will be 12 - 18. The adults will be 16 and over. If any older young people want to join the adult choir they'll be very welcome.

Each group will work on their own songs as well as big group numbers and they'll be performed at our termly concerts. The first concert in March will be hits from musical theatre, in Summer it'll be The Beatles. In Winter there'll be a Halloween Spooktacular, and a Christmas Crackers concert. The orchestra will meet on a Sunday from 11am - 1pm. The choirs will meet on a Thursday; 5 - 6:30pm for Primary, 6:30 - 8pm for Secondary and 8 - 10pm for Adults. All meetings will take place at the Hatherleigh Community Centre starting 7th January 2024.

A termly fee is payable to cover all the necessary costs; which weekly works out cheaper than a swimming session, or, if you prefer, a cup of coffee and slice of cake at your favourite cafe.

They'd love to hear from you so please do register your interest or ask any questions by emailing info@standsureorchestra.co.uk or find them on Facebook [@standsureorchestra](https://www.facebook.com/standsureorchestra).



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New school year at Hatherleigh Community Primary School

The term continues to be very busy with the half term break a distant memory.

Just after the break the children enjoyed a visit from the Dogs trust with an assembly for all children and workshops for Y3 - Y6. Y1 and Y2 travelled to Holsworthy college for a multi skills festival and the whole school took part in Diwali dance workshops which were kindly funded by the PTFA.

Ros, the Hatherleigh Town Crier came along to talk to the children and then judged the Junior Town Crier competition with a Y4 child being announced the winner and going on to represent the school at the Hatherleigh carnival.

In advance of Remembrance day on Saturday 11th November, the whole school came together on the Friday to remember those that had given their lives in the service of their country with a Remembrance assembly and two minutes silence.

The Carnival was a great day and it was lovely to see so many children and parents join in with the children's procession in the afternoon and on floats in the evening. The school was very pleased with being awarded second place for our crepe paper poppy display which was contributed to by every child in the school.

YR have had a visit from the Police as part of their work on People who help us and all children participated in Anti Bullying week including wearing odd socks to recognise and celebrate differences. This was then followed by Road safety awareness week which is particularly important now as the mornings and evenings are so much darker.

A spotty non-uniform day was enjoyed for Children in need with the children completing activities and learning all about the work of this charity.

As I write the school is having a week of open sessions inviting parents of children starting school in September 2024 and those new to the Hatherleigh area to visit school and see us in action.

The whole school is now looking forward to the run up to Christmas with thoughts rapidly turning to Christmas productions including a Nativity, Christmas play and Carol service.

As always, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone in the Hatherleigh school community; children, parents/carers, school staff and the governing board for all of their hard work and support.

Alan Monger Headteacher

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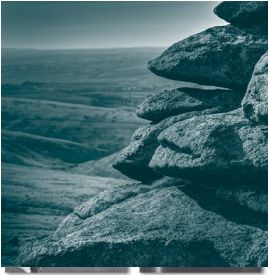
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Saturday 16 December Christmas Set Up
Sunday 17 December Christmas Flowers
Sunday 24 December Christmas Flowers
Sunday 31 December Christmas Flowers

I'd like to shine a light on Ashley Gill and the bell ringer teams. With grateful thanks and appreciation to Ashley who has once again donated the church Christmas Tree and the bell ringer teams who have stepped up again to set up the tree and decorate it. 2024

Sunday 07 January Mr. Croom
Sunday 14 January Mr. Croom
Sunday 21 January Mrs. Miles
Sunday 28 January Mrs. Miles
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The Night Sky December 2023

Nights in December and January are long and cold. It's a great time to observe the night sky. My favourite constellation to observe at this time of year is the constellation of Orion. Orion can be found towards the southern Horizon. The 3 belt stars of Orion make it easily recognisable. Below the 3 stars of Orion's belt you can see the Great Orion Nebula. To the naked eye it's a misty patch of light. It's about 1500 light years away. It's what's known as a Stella nursery. New stars are being born inside it. They are formed out of the hydrogen gas within the nebula.

Binoculars help resolve the nebula a little more. As the light has taken 1500 years to reach our eyes we are seeing the nebula as it was 1500 years ago! December 22nd marks the Winter solstice and the first day of Winter in the Northern Hemisphere. Nights will slowly start to get shorter from this point onwards.

December 12th New Moon

December 27th Full Moon

January 11th New Moon

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I hope to see as many of you as possible at the special events over the Christmas period; Christingle will be held on Sunday 3rd December at 6pm – this is a lovely family occasion. The Sunday Club's Nativity service is on the 10th December at 11 am. Our 9 lessons and carols service is on Sunday 17th December at 6pm.

I will be resuming work in the Churchyard on Tuesday mornings in the New Year. If you have time to help then, I would be very grateful of some company. Please get in touch and let me know if you can help in any way.

Wishing you all a very happy Christmas.

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A message from this year's Carnival President

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Carnival Committee for inviting me to be the Carnival President this year. I enjoyed the day from beginning to end and know how much energy, time and effort go into the organisation of such an incredible, unique event. I have never seen so many people line the streets of Hatherleigh and was so glad the weather treated us well. There were so many happy faces waving as I was driven through the town by my daughter – it was an absolute pleasure.



Parish Pump

The Pump relies heavily the advertising and on the donations we receive. The printing costs have increased significantly and so has the number of pages from everyone's submissions. We don't want to have to cap this, so we are asking if anyone who submits a regular item and would consider making a yearly donation to the pump or if anyone feels they would just like to make a one off donation, we would be very grateful as funds are now very limited.

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Hatherleigh Moor Management Committee.

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It is with regret that the Visitors Centre will be closing on 20th December.

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Hatherleigh History Society

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of a field*

What a busy year it has been for us with so many happenings to record and many archives to find for reference or historical items that have now been completed in digital form and or printed. With many documents or photographs held by the Society over the years since it was formed in September 1981 by the Rev. Norman Hillier and as Hatherleigh celebrated its millennium, there has been much we have discovered. We have held displays and exhibitions for the Coronation of King Charles III and had the very successful and busy "Pop-up-Museum" over a weekend in September and more recently an "Open Day" with the chance of looking through the ever popular scrapbooks from 1956 to 1982 by Tim Laing, plus Dennis Baters collection of photographs. At this present time Alan Beaman is making a collection of "History as it Happens" taken from the minutes of our meetings from 1981 to the present time which will be of great interest, it is surprising just how much has gone on in town during these 42 years.

Our History Society Facebook posts are still well received and we recently passed the 1,000 followers. We will be celebrating four years of making our archives available to see through this media in January 2024. There are Hatherleigh families right across the world who remember past events or discover photographs showing their history but there are very many local people who have been so helpful in naming people in the photographs and this is invaluable, please keep it up.

There will be no meeting in December, our next meeting will be on Saturday 20th January 2024, details to follow by emails to members and notices around town and on Facebook.

Happy Christmas and Good Wishes for 2024 from the History Society.

Monica Jones and Martin Hartnett.





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December looks to be a busy month with lots of Christmas music. We will be playing some carols at the late night shopping evening on Monday 4th December. We are practising hard for our Christmas Concert to be held on Saturday 16th December in the Community Centre at 7.30. Look out for posters for details. On Christmas Eve we will be in the square again and look forward to seeing you all.

January is a quieter month and we will be looking forward to the Regional Brass Band contest in Torquay which is being held on 9th March. We are in the 1st section and have some serious competition. The piece we are playing is called High Peak by Eric Ball. Hopefully we will be able to set a date for you to come and listen to a rehearsal.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for the support you have given us this year. We have really enjoyed entertaining you at our concerts in the square and at the Community Centre.

I wish you, on behalf of HSB a very Happy Christmas and a prosperous, healthy New Year....maybe your new year's resolution could be to take up playing a brass instrument and joining us?

Best wishes

Jane Fawcett
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Congratulations to the carnival, it was superb as usual!

The weather was reasonably kind to us and it stayed dry for the Town Crier Competition. This went well with fourteen taking part, slightly fewer than usual as it was 11th of the 11th. The results are:

1st Jackie Edwards - Kingstainton

2nd John Pitt - Plymouth

3rd David Turner - Tavistock

Best dressed crier was David Green -
Torbay

Best dressed couple Philip Grose -
Northcott Penzance

Best dressed consort Liz Ellis -
Dartmouth



Huge thank you to the Tally Ho for lunch, The George for teas, coffees and cakes, and of course the judges Jane the potter who made the little bells, Josie Lloyd , Andy Cox and Katie Dodds. Without their help this would not happen!! Bryony Herod Taylor who takes the most brilliant photos, we are so lucky. Scott Wheeler was a star putting out all the chairs and trophy's for me!

The Junior Town Criers were fantastic, young Harry Lewis delivering his cry which he wrote himself very well. I look forward to hearing him when his voice breaks. Not forgetting young Freya Simmons from school, she was marvellous and really listened to me. She has been invited to attend Ilminster with Harry next May. I will stop waffling now.

God Save the King!

Your Town Crier

Ros

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Hatherleigh Methodist Church



Hello everyone,

We hope you all enjoyed this year's carnival. Have you seen our window? It's been cleverly designed to change from a carnival celebration into a Christmas celebration – do watch out for the developments!

Sadly, on Friday 3rd November, a Thanksgiving service was held for the life of Alan Smallacombe. The service was led by Colin Smallacombe and the eulogy was read by Prof. Michael Winter. The chapel was absolutely packed, a real tribute for such a wonderful, true Devon man. Our thoughts and prayers are with Hazel and the family at this difficult time.

Hatherleigh Methodist Church is celebrating its 40th anniversary this December with special events on Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th. Everything begins at 12.00 on Saturday with a celebration lunch. Then on the Sunday we are holding a Songs of Praise to be led by Revd. Chris Jackson. On Sunday afternoon we will be holding an exhibition of photographs celebrating 40 years from 2.30 pm – 5.00 pm. Plus – take part in a 'Carol-a-thon'!

Our annual Toy Service will be different this year. We are giving lots of yummy Christmas food, including selection packs, Christmas puddings, nuts, dates etc. to the Holsworthy foodbank.

We are delighted this year to be hosting a United Christmas Eve service at 11.30 pm. with Revd. Chris Jackson.

December Dates for your Diary

Sunday 3rd at 11.00 a.m. The TOY SERVICE/Christmas Foods with Mrs. Bridget Down

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Sunday 17th at 6.30 p.m. CANDLELIT CAROL SERVICE complete with a NATIVITY and refreshments to follow.

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United Midnight Communion Service 11.30 p.m. with Revd. Chris Jackson

CHRISTMAS DAY - Family Service with Revd. Chris Jackson (don't forget to bring an interesting gift to show!)

Sunday 31st December – Special New Year's Eve service with Maggie Whitehouse.

January Dates for Your Diary

Sunday 7th January at 11.00 a.m. Welcome in the New Year with Prof. Michael Winter

Sunday 14th January 11.00 am. All Age Worship with Mrs. Ruth James

Sunday 21st January at 11.00 a.m. with Mr. Barry Searle

Sunday 28th January at 4.00 p.m. All age worship (0 – 99 club!) With the Sunday Club Please remember, you are all very welcome to join us at any event!

Don't forget - Tuesday coffee mornings are held every week from 10.00 a.m. – 12.00 midday Home-made cakes and pies for sale each week!

May you have the gift of faith, the blessing of hope, and the peace of His love at Christmas and throughout the New Year.

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I was talking to someone the other day and they were lamenting the fact that 2023 was yet another year when they hadn't got their act together in September to make their own Christmas Cake and Christmas Pudding; both of which things need time to mature. If you have also left it too late for those seasonal labours of love but you want to make a Christmas treat that will fill the house with the lovely smell of spices, dried fruits and marzipan then Christmas Swirls are a great one to try.

You will need:

A straight-sided roasting tin, greased and lined with paper

The zest and juice of an orange

4 tbsp of spirit such as Cointreau, Brandy, Whisky

170g of dried mixed fruit. Use the basic dried mix or add some chopped apricots, cranberries or anything else you fancy

Soak the fruit in the juice and alcohol for a good while and leave until your dough is made.

550g of strong white bread flour, 2 tsp easy bake yeast, 90g caster sugar, 1/2 tsp cinnamon

1/2 tsp nutmeg, 1 large egg, 250ml warm milk, pinch of salt, About 60g of nuts. You can use pistachio, almond, walnut, pecan. Break them up into smallish pieces, 250g-300g block of golden marzipan, a little melted butter, Icing sugar to mix with your left over juice and alcohol to make a drizzle

If you have a bread maker then chuck all the dough ingredients in a normal dough cycle or by hand follow the breadmaking instructions on the flour packet.

However you have made the dough, turn out onto a floured surface when ready and roll out until it is about 70cm x 20 cm. Now think "Swiss Roll" method. Drain your fruit and spread evenly over the dough, sprinkle your nuts evenly too. Make a long thin sausage of marzipan and place it along the long side nearest you and roll the whole thing up so the marzipan is right in the middle.

Cut your roll into 12 even pieces and line them up in your baking tray cut side down so they are just or nearly touching. Cover in cling film and leave for 40-50 mins in a warm place to rise (a good trick is to put your tray on a hot water bottle if you don't have a warm place).

When risen, bake in a pre-heated oven at 180 degrees for about 15-20 minutes dependant on your oven.

Brush the hot swirls with a little melted butter. Mix some / all of your soaking liquid with some icing sugar to make a thick drizzle to pour over the top.



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HATHERLEIGH TOWN COUNCIL



Notes from the Council Meeting held on Tuesday 14th November 2023. The next council meeting will be a special meeting to discuss the Market Development to be held on Tuesday 28th November 2023 at 7pm, and the next full Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 5th December 2023 at 7pm in the Community Centre.

For more information see our website

www.hatherleightcouncil.org/

Your 8 Councillors are Mark Reddaway (Chair/Mayor), Rachel Laycock (Deputy), Deb Laing-Trengove, Kay Walters, Donna Lewis, Graham Alford, Richard Burrow, Sadie Harrison.

There were 2 Councillor vacancies. Angela Capon and Clare Kemp put their names forward and were duly co-opted on to the Council.

What a wonderful weekend, first Hatherleigh Carnival was as spectacular as always and then the Remembrance Day parade and service. Thank you to our wonderful Silver Band for all you do and Reverend Leigh for a moving service. Thank you to the Carnival Committee and all the helpers who made this event such a great success. I know they will give their own thanks elsewhere in this pump but HTC would like to add their thanks and to thank all our Residents who make Hatherleigh such a wonderful place to live.

We have had some news from Devon CC Highways Department about a 20mph zone through Town, but we still need volunteers to join a speed watch group to provide evidence that a 20mph zone is needed. If you would like to volunteer please put your name forward.

The mosaic in the Bus shelter has been repaired and we are awaiting a dry spell to paint the shelter to finish the refurbishment.

Following our letter to the Hatherleigh GP Practice listing patients concerns we have received a response. We have invited the newly appointed Practice Manager to come to a meeting to set out the improvements that the Practice are planning. We understand a new telephone system will be in operation from December.

Hatherleigh Market: You will have seen that the Friends of Hatherleigh Market, with local support and support from Devon County Council, West Devon Borough Council and Hatherleigh Town council are trying to set up a Community Benefit Society to apply for grants to buy the market outright for the benefit of the town. The group aims to raise £100,000 in pledges as 10% match funding from residents and traders. To this end leaflets offering you the chance to contribute to this scheme have been delivered and a public consultation meeting planned for 25th November at Hatherleigh Community

Centre. A separate initiative is being set up to raise up to £200,000 to equip the market via crowdfunding and grant funding to fit out the building to make it weatherproof and fit for purpose as a trading and community space for all weather use. The Public meeting will have been held by the time this pump is published. Please keep watch for updates on the Hatherleigh Building Community Facebook page, and the Hatherleigh Town Council website.

The cracking and damage to the skate park was noted, cordoned off and notices posted for the safety of users. Sadly, these were all removed. We are awaiting quotes for the repairs to be completed.

A huge thank you to Moor Management Committee again for a very generous cheque to make up the not inconsiderable shortfall to complete the planned scheme of works to Island Park and the Toddler Park. This includes a new zip wire, new gates for the toddler park and new benches.

We are awaiting information regarding who owns Millennium Corner before works can be carried out to improve it.

Salt bins have been refilled around Town ready for the winter period.

Dog fouling continues to affect areas of the Moor and we ask all dog owners to please clean up after their pets. To this end WDBC have now agreed to site a poo bin on the Moor. Dog owners PLEASE use it.

WDBC will suspend the car park charge after 3pm on Thursdays & Fridays during December.

4th December – Please join us for the switching on of the Christmas lights by our Carnival Queen during the Late Night shopping and Craft Fair Evening.

Christmas Eve – Please join us, Reverend Leigh and the Silver Band in the square for Christmas Carols, Minced Pies and Mulled Cider.

Space is short here. A full account of meetings is available in the minutes on the Town Council website and notice board in Millennium Corner.

Correspondence to the Council should be addressed to the Clerk and for inclusion at a meeting be received 4 days prior to the meeting date. Correspondence received after that date will be considered at the following meeting.

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Exbourne, Sampford Courtenay & Jacobstowe WI

The latest meeting was held in Exbourne village hall on Tuesday October 10th, when the president welcomed everyone and Jerusalem was sung. The speaker was Nancy Passmore who did some splendid flower arrangements with the title 'Mists and Mellow Fruitfulness'. She was thanked by Cherry Chidwick and the arrangements were raffled off for the members. After tea the business was dealt with.

Final arrangements were made for the Soup and Puds event on October 28th. The next walk is to be in Winkleigh Woods on Friday October 27th. A team has been formed for the Federation Quiz Heats on January 27th. A Coffee Morning has been arranged for April 13th 2024 in Exbourne village hall.

Flower of the Month ended up with 5 winners. They were Sally Kenealy, Gillian Townsend Green, Margaret Rook, Ethel Nancekivell and Vera Collings. The winner of the competition, which was for an arrangement in a teacup using seed heads, was won by Sally Kenealy.

The next meeting is in Exbourne Village Hall on Tuesday November 14 at 2.30pm.

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The latest meeting of the Exbourne Local History group took place on Tuesday November 22. The speaker was Robert Hesketh who spoke about Devon's Railway Heritage. He spoke about the history of railways in Devon, including the two mainlines, lines that had closed, cliff railways, heritage railways and the cycle tracks on the closed lines. The talk was illustrated with 130 plus photographs. Richard was thanked by Michael Brady.

There is no meeting in December. The next meeting is on Tuesday January 16 when the speaker will be Dave Weeks talking about Memories from the Past. This will be recollections of carnivals and other events which happened in the village in the 1950's and 1960's.

Northlew St Thomas of Canterbury Church and Friends of St Thomas'

Do you remember Maisie Jordan and her lovely school dinners?

Maisie was the cook at Northlew School during the 1970's, she was almost like an extra Gran to the children - who, although obviously knocking on in years now, can still remember her (and the pink custard!). Maisie used to pay the youngsters to pick blackberries which, she preserved for their winter puds. She recently passed away, aged 96. It's quite possible that she's now busy making pies for the Angels!

Thank you for your kindness to the Northlew children Maisie.



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DECEMBER SERVICES FOR YOUR DIARY

A lovely month coming up as we lead up to that very special time of Christmas, St Mary's welcome all to their Services throughout the year but we would love to see even more folk joining us at this time.

3rd December. - Holy Communion at 9.30 am to be taken by Rev. L. Winsbury

10th December. No Service at St. Mary's, but a chance to join with the Methodist Chapel at 11am.

17th December. United Carol Service at 6.30 pm, this a a truly Traditional Carol Service where you can sing your heart out and listening to the Christmas Story, lead by Dr. M. Winter.

24th December - you have a choice of Services!!

4pm. Crib Service. - A fun and gentle Service suitable for all the family - with Children especially catered for - The Christmas Story in miniature, taken by Dr. M. Winter and his helpers, do come along with the family if you can on Christmas Eve for a calming and reflective start before the great day arrives!

11.30 pm. Midnight Holy Communion A Service of Holy Communion to take us up to the birth of Christ - a truly meaningful and special time to come together in the name of Christ.

31 st December. A Group Service at 11am to be lead by Dr. M Winter and Ms. O. Bush at Hatherleigh.

St. Mary's Church wish everyone a wonderful time over the Christmas period. - our door is open all year round to welcome you; quiet prayer on your own or join us in Services, may Peace; Faith; Hope; Love; Gentleness; Charity and Good Health be with you all for 2024.

JANUARY SERVICES

7th January 9.30 am. Holy Communion lead by Rev. L. Winsbury

14th January. No Service at St Mary's, but a 9.30 am M.P. at Jacobstowe or 11am at the Methodist Chapel.

21st January 11.00 am. Morning Prayer to be lead by M. G. Thatcher

28th January 11.00 am. Morning Prayer to be lead by Dr. M. Winter.



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The long dark evenings are upon us but we have much to look forward to in the coming weeks, with all the various activities taking place in the run up to Christmas.

The Christmas Fayre – the Concerts and Carol Services and a time of great rejoicing in the Church calendar celebrating the birth of our Saviour.

HARVEST FESTIVAL:- was a great success in bringing so many together to celebrate God's bounteous harvest. Grateful belated thanks to all who decorated the Church so beautifully, set up the hall and provided the supper and items for the Auction etc. also to Derek who acted as our auctioneer once again. THANK YOU.

CHURCH BOOKSTALL. We now have a large selection of books available in the Church to borrow or swap – please feel free to pause at your leisure – the church is open daily between 10am and 4pm during the winter months.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

WEDNESDAY 6th DECEMBER @ 7pm in the Church our SAMUEL JERMAN CONCERT with BARBARA GRIGGS PLAYING THE HARP and entertaining us with some interesting folk stories. Do come along and join us for an interesting and entertaining evening. Refreshments and hot mulled cider will be served after the concert.

CAROL SERVICE:-

Tuesday 19th December at 7pm.

Always a very special service of carols and readings. This year led by Exbourne Choir. Hot mulled wine and refreshments will be served after the service.

We very much look forward to welcoming you there.

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE PROVIDED FLOWERS FOR THE ALTER Etc. THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED IN KEEPING THE CHURCH LOOKING LOVED AND WELCOMING.

Flower Rota.

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7th January - 14th January. - Carolyn.

21st January - 28th January. - Beryl.

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Dates for Your Diary

- Wednesday 13th & 27th December 2023, 10th & 24th January 2024: Micro-Library 3pm. A selection of books from the Devon Library Service is available to borrow or just come along for tea and a chat.
- Friday 1st December: Fun Sociable Skittles Night 7pm. Come along to the Village Hall for a fun evening of skittles. Never played before? – here's your chance to have a go. Suitable for all the family. Cost (to include a slice of pizza and soft drinks): £5 for adults, £2 for under 16s, £10 for a family ticket. Bring your own alcohol. Please book in advance so we know how many pizzas we need - email Ian St John at ianstjohn100@gmail.com.
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Information about our events is also posted on the Exbourne Village Hall Facebook group.

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Sunday 10th Dec – Iddesleigh 10am Communion
Wednesday 13th Dec – Dolton 7pm Carol Service
Friday 15th Dec – Iddesleigh 6.30pm Carol Service
Sunday 17th Dec – Monkehampton 6.30pm Carol Service
Tuesday 19th Dec – Dowland 6.30pm Carol Service
Sunday 24th Dec – Dowland 10am Morning Prayer
Dolton 4pm Christingle Service
Dolton 11.30pm Midnight Communion
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