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## EXCALIBUR MAGAZINE

**EDITOR - Rob Sage** *see opposite*

## From the Rectory

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This coming Sunday is All Saints' Day. Perhaps the first question that this raises is 'What is a saint?' For many of us the immediate answer will be to point to Jesus' first apostles and those who wrote the gospels. Do we not have a gospel according to Saint Mark, Saint Matthew, Saint Luke and Saint John? Or if we prefer to think of more contemporary examples of sainthood we may think of particularly prominent and extraordinary people such as Mother Teresa of Calcutta.

And yet in its original meaning a saint simply meant an everyday, ordinary believer just like you and I in every way, someone who is not remarkable in any way except for his or her faith in Christ. It is in this sense that the apostle Paul addresses the congregation at Philippi collectively as 'all the saints in Christ Jesus who are in Philippi' (Philippians 1: 1).

And perhaps this is a truth which is particularly relevant for us at the moment as we face a difficult winter ahead having already come through a very difficult six months and more. We and others may be feeling tired and may be wondering how much more we can take.

In such circumstances, it is easy for our patience with other people to run thin and for our speech to become embittered and angry. And yet there is another way if we remember that a



saint is just an ordinary person who has faith in Christ.

For the ordinary can become extraordinary if it is transformed by God's presence and power. The poet George Herbert puts it this way speaking about ordinary actions and lives transformed through faith,

Teach me, my God and King,  
In all things thee to see,  
And what I do in anything,  
To do it as for thee:

So we need to value ordinary, everyday Christian acts of kindness and positive speech where we find this in ourselves or in other people. These acts are not particularly newsworthy or memorable but All Saints' Day reminds us that they are important.

And sometimes they can indeed become newsworthy. We think, for instance, of Captain Tom planning the simple action of walking laps in his garden to raise money for charity. At the time no doubt he had no idea of the interest that this would

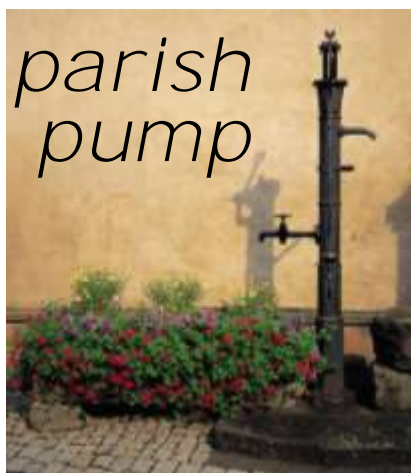
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generate or the amount of money that would be raised. And his actions have now inspired many other similar fundraising efforts.

So whoever we are, however old or young, our lives can make a difference. All Saints Day reminds us that we do not need extraordinary

gifts or publicity. But what we do need as Christians is, as George Herbert reminds us, to see God in all things and to have God at the heart of every action that we take.

*With my love and prayer,  
Tristan*



## ***Excalibur - Paper Copies***

The Church of England guidance against the hand delivery of parish magazines has changed and so we have taken the decision to resume hand delivery of Excalibur where our distributors are happy to do this.

There is still a slight risk of transmitting the virus as it can survive on paper for up to 24 hours. However we have taken steps to minimise this risk - the magazine is printed, stapled and folded by machine with the minimum of human contact and our distributors and anyone else handling the magazines have been asked to wear disposable gloves.

As with any other delivery, you should wash your hands after handling the magazine. And if you are concerned about the risk of transmission you can put the magazine aside for 24 hours before reading it.

Anyone not wanting to receive a paper copy of the magazine should contact the Parishes Office (details bottom of page 2) or your distributor.

An electronic version of Excalibur will still be placed on the Camelot Parishes website each month.

## ***Excalibur Deadline***

The next *Excalibur* is the double issue for **December and January**, so details of events in January as well as December need to be sent to the Parishes Office by Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November if you want them to be included in the December/January magazine.

## ***All Souls' Service***

This year our Benefice All Saints and All Souls Service will be held at 4.00pm at St Michael's, North Cadbury on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November. The service is a chance to remember and to give thanks for those people whom we have loved who have passed away.

During the service, there will be an opportunity to light a candle and place it on the altar as an act of remembrance.

## **Churches Open for Public Worship**

Details of the services of public worship taking place in Camelot during November can be found on pages 14 and 15. Please note that this is not quite the full rota of services that took place before the lockdown.

If there is no service in your church, you are welcome to attend another service in the Camelot Parishes but do check with the churchwardens beforehand (telephone numbers on page 2) as the need for social distancing means capacity in some churches is limited. More information about what to expect at church services under the current restrictions can be found under the Holton Section of Village View on page 20.

## **Churches Open for Private Prayer**

With more services taking place in our churches the arrangements for private prayer have changed. The arrangements for November (as far as they are known) are as follows:

**Holton Church** will be open from 11.00am to 12 noon on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.

**North Cadbury Church** is open from 2.30pm to 4.00pm on **Wednesdays**.

## **Cutting Edge Camelot**

Our electronic magazine, *Cutting Edge Camelot*, will continue for the time being as not everyone is able to attend services.

Past copies of *Cutting Edge Camelot* are available on the [Cutting Edge Camelot](#) page of the Camelot Parishes website.

If you would like to be included in the email list for *Cutting Edge Camelot*, please contact Rob Sage (details below) and give us your email address so that you can be added to the list.

## **Parishes Secretary/Office**

The Parishes Secretary is continuing to work from home and only coming into the Office as necessary. Please make contact by email or telephone if you need administrative help. Please use the e-mail at the bottom of page 2 or, if the Office is unmanned, ring 01749 850934 during office hours.

## **Adverts**

Please note many of the adverts in the magazine are unchanged from before the lockdown and so not all the services offered may be available under current restrictions.

### **DIFFERENT STYLES OF WORSHIP AT GALHAMPTON CHURCH**

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All welcome – come and see  
if you enjoy alternative ways  
to praise God.

## CAMELOT VOLUNTEER NETWORK

The following people have been co-ordinating volunteers in the different villages to help with shopping and delivering food and medical supplies to the elderly and vulnerable and to those who are forced to self-isolate and who are unable to shop for themselves: -

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If you have queries or your village does not appear to be covered could you please contact the overall co-ordinator, Keri Montague.

The clerk of North Cadbury and Yarlington Parish Council, Becky Carter, 240226, [parishclerk@northcadbury.org.uk](mailto:parishclerk@northcadbury.org.uk), has also offered to be a hub to co-ordinate any requests for assistance from residents within the Parish Council area.





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## From the Bishop

As a vicar one thing I really enjoyed, even though it seemed to come round rather quickly, was writing the letter for the parish magazine. I know that not all parishes are able to produce a parish magazine and some find a website is a better way to communicate with people, however, I do still appreciate reading them when I can. So I would like to express my thanks to all those involved in writing, editing and producing parish magazines. They are often still an effective way to share what we are doing in our churches and to share with others the good news of the gospel.

Recently I was reading one which had an article by someone recalling a visit made to the north west of the USA some 40 years ago. They spoke about the warmth of their welcome and the joy of being invited to preach in the church. What caught my eye, was that they remembered visiting Lake Wallowa where it is said: 'the air is so pure and the sky so clear that one can see the dawn of the day after tomorrow!' What a glorious expression. Of course, the truth is that we don't know what the future holds and at the moment things are challenging and uncertain for all of us and indeed for the world.

One night recently when I was in hospital, unable to sleep and waiting for the dawn to break, I found myself



### *One more step*

singing the words of 'One More Step Along the Way' I go which has the chorus: 'And it's from the old I travel to the new, Keep me travelling along with you'. Maybe as we look to the future, with the joys and challenges that it will bring, that should be our prayer – Lord help us to travel with you wherever you may be leading.

With my warmest greetings,

† Bishop Peter

## The Lord's Larder

Do you know anyone who is short of food? Are you, perhaps?

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# Bible Bite

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in  
Lk 8:40-56, Mt 9:18-26, Mk 5:21-43

Jairus, a town leader, had a 12 year old daughter who was ill and about to die. He came to Jesus and knelt at his feet...

Please come! If you touch her she will be healed.



Jesus went with him.

In the crowd was a woman who had been ill for 12 years.



If I touch his cloak I will be healed

Jesus felt power go out of him



Who touched me?

Jesus waited...



and the woman knew she had to tell him.

She knelt at Jesus' feet and told him everything



Go, daughter.. Your faith has healed you.



Then Jairus was told his daughter had just died.



But Jesus said



Don't be afraid, just believe and she will be healed.

When they got to Jairus' house, it was filled with people mourning.



She is not dead, but asleep.

They laughed at Jesus. He sent them out of the house.



Little girl, get up!



At once she stood up!

Her parents were amazed.



Give her something to eat, and don't tell anyone what has happened.

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## INTERVIEW - Serving with the Force



*Andy Paget has been chaplain to the Avon and Somerset police for almost 25 years. He is also a pastor at Trinity Tabernacle, central Bristol.*

### **Why did you become a chaplain?**

I feel if we are not where people are, how can we be relevant? By being a chaplain people can see I am serving them unconditionally and that is my passion.

### **How do you support the police?**

We support all police staff and their families with any issue that is important to them. If there is a major incident we also head to the scene and offer support to officers on the ground and at times can be a bridge between the community and the police force.

### **How have recent events affected your role?**

I circulated a force-wide message assuring staff that we were still there for them and affirming how much we

value the work they do. That's important for them to hear. Police officers have to make decisions quickly, without the benefit of hindsight. When their actions are being reviewed, as they were recently following the Black Lives Matter protests in Bristol, we can affirm them in their role and be there for them.

### **Any advice for a potential chaplain?**

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## Plastic Bags

Single-use plastic bags are going to double in cost from 5p to 10p in all the shops from April 2021. The Government has said the measure is to further reduce the UK's plastic consumption.

George Eustice, the Environment Secretary, said: "We have all seen the devastating impact plastic bags have on the oceans and on precious marine life, which is why we are taking bold and ambitious actions to tackle this issue head on."

Apparently most of us bought just four single-use plastic bags from our supermarket in the last year, which is a drop of 95 per cent since the 5p charge was introduced five years ago.

The Department for Food, Environment and Rural Affairs reports that prior to 2015, most shoppers were buying 140 single-use bags a year.

But sadly, the coronavirus pandemic has disrupted the bigger war on plastics, with a huge rise in throwaway personal protective equipment, and a resurgence in single-use cups, cutlery and other items.

## Zoom, Zoom!

The pandemic is leaving a "lasting digital legacy", and changing the UK's internet habits and behaviour "indelibly". So says a recent Ofcom study.

Since March we have broken the four-hour barrier, which means that, on average, we spend more than a quarter of our waking hours each day online. That is up from three hours, 29 minutes this time last year.

Zoom has soared in popularity. Last December it reached 498,00 people in the UK; by April this had soared to 13 million in the UK.

**North Cadbury Village Hall**

Finally, after months of lockdown, we are opening up for a coffee morning starting with:

**Christmas Coffee Morning**  
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**Saturday 12th December 2020**  
**10.30 a.m.**  
**Coffee and Mince Pies**

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TikTok, which lets users share short videos set to pop music, had 5.4 million UK users in January; by April it had 12.9million users.

In February, 35 per cent of UK adults made a video call once a week. By April that had soared to 71 per cent. The largest increase has been among the over-65s, with now 61 per cent of them making weekly video calls.

Older people favour Zoom, in order to 'visit' their relatives and friends; while many teenagers have become addicted to TikTok and endless videos.

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*500 years ago, on 28<sup>th</sup> November 1520 the Portuguese navigator Ferdinand Magellan sailed into the South Pacific and named it the Pacific Ocean.*

*60 years ago, on 8<sup>th</sup> November 1960 John F Kennedy was elected as the 35<sup>th</sup> President of the USA.*

# Sunday Worship

**1<sup>st</sup> November**    ***All Saints' Day***    Gold or White  
 CAMELOT WORSHIP SUNDAY

9.00 am	Yarlington	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>ac, rw</i>
9.30 am	North Cheriton	<b>Morning Worship</b> (org)	<i>trs</i>
11.00 am	North Cadbury	<b>Group Communion</b> (CW org)	<i>trs rw</i>
4.00 pm	North Cadbury	<b>All Souls Service</b> (org)	<i>rw ac</i>

**READINGS**    Morning - Revelation 7: 9-17; 1 John 3: 1-3; Matthew 5: 1-12

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**8<sup>th</sup> November**    ***The Third Sunday before Advent***    Red or Green  
 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

10.50am	Blackford	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>ca</i>
	Compton Pauncefoot	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>tb</i>
	Holton	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>ac</i>
	Maperton	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>rw</i>
	North Cadbury	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>trs</i>
	North Cheriton	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>gr</i>
	South Cadbury	<b>Remembrance Service</b> (org)	<i>ap</i>
	Yarlington	<b>Remembrance Service</b>	

*Churchwardens*

**READINGS**    Amos 5: 18-24; Matthew 25: 1-13 or readings for Remembrance

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**15<sup>th</sup> November**    ***The Second Sunday before Advent***    Red or Green

8.00 am	Bratton St Maur	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>trs ac</i>
9.30 am	Compton Pauncefoot	<b>Communion</b> (BCP org)	<i>rw</i>
	Blackford - <i>Service at Compton Pauncefoot</i>		
11.00 am	Maperton	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>trs</i>
	North Cadbury	<b>Sunday Worship</b>	<i>rw ac</i>
4.00 pm	Yarlington	<b>Evensong</b> (BCP org)	<i>trs</i>

**READINGS**    Morning - Isaiah 45: 1-7; 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10; Matthew 22: 15-22  
 Evening - Proverbs 4: 1-18; 1 John 3: 16—4:6

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**Holton, North Cheriton, North Cadbury  
 & Yarlington Churches**  
 have an **Audio Loop** for the hard of hearing

**Key:** CW = Common Worship,  
 BCP = Book of Common Prayer,  
 org = organ,  
 kb = keyboard, g = guitar.

**22<sup>nd</sup> November *Christ the King***

Red or White

**THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE ADVENT**

8.00 am	Blackford	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>trs</i>
9.30 am	Compton Pauncefoot	<b>Matins</b> (BCP org)	<i>gr</i>
	North Cheriton	<b>Communion</b> (CW org)	<i>rw</i>
	South Cadbury	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>ac</i>
11.00 am	North Cadbury	<b>Communion</b> (CW org)	<i>ac trs</i>
	Yarlington	<b>Sunday Worship</b> (kb)	<i>ap</i>
4.00 pm	Galhampton	<b>Evening Service</b> (piano)	<i>ac</i>
<b>READINGS</b>	Morning - <i>Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24; Ephesians 1: 15-23;</i> <i>Matthew 25: 31-46</i>		
	Evening - <i>2 Samuel 23: 1-7; Matthew 28: 16-20</i>		

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**29<sup>th</sup> November *Advent Sunday***

Purple

8.00 am	Blackford	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	<i>rw</i>
9.30 am	North Cheriton	<b>Family Service</b> (org)	<i>trs</i>
11.00 am	North Cadbury	<b>Morning Worship</b> (CW org)	<i>trs</i>
4.00 pm	Galhampton	<b>Evensong</b> (BCP piano)	<i>trs</i>
<b>READINGS</b>	<i>Isaiah 64: 1-9; 1 Corinthians 1: 3-9; Mark 13: 24-37</i>		

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**6<sup>th</sup> December *The Second Sunday of Advent***

Purple

**CAMELOT WORSHIP SUNDAY**

9.00 am	Yarlington	<b>Communion</b> (BCP)	
9.30 am	North Cheriton	<b>Camelot Morning Worship</b> (org)	
11.00 am	North Cadbury	<b>Group Communion</b> (CW org)	
4 - 6.00 pm	Bratton St Maur	<b>Private Prayer - St Nicholas' Day</b>	
<b>READINGS</b>	<i>Isaiah 40: 1-11; 2 Peter 3: 8-15a; Mark 1: 1-8</i>		

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**CLERGY**

<i>trs</i>	Revd Tristram Rae Smith
<i>ap</i>	Revd Alison Parris
<i>ac</i>	Revd Anna Creedon
<i>rw</i>	Revd Ron Wood

**READERS**

<i>gr</i>	George Renwick
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**LAY WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

<i>bs</i>	Belinda Salthouse
<i>ca</i>	Chris Akroyd
<i>hb</i>	Heather Beadles
<i>lg</i>	Lesley Gillingham
<i>tb</i>	Tony Beadles





## village view

### Blackford

#### BOOK CLUB

For details contact 01963 440754.

#### NOVEMBER SERVICES

##### AT ST MICHAEL'S

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service (org)  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 9.30am at Compton Pauncefoot  
Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 8.00am Communion (BCP)  
Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 8.00am Communion (BCP)

### Bratton Seymour (Bratton St Maur)

#### NOVEMBER SERVICES

##### AT ST NICHOLAS'

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 8.00am Communion (BCP)

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#### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November – REMEMBRANCE SERVICE AT ST MARY'S, COMPTON PAUNCEFOOT at 10.50am.**

This will not be a joint service with Blackford as in previous years, as legal social distancing would be impossible.

It will be helpful to have some advance warning of numbers to plan seating. Please mention this to Tony Beadles, or email [tonybeadles@me.com](mailto:tonybeadles@me.com) or ring 01963 440461.

#### NOVEMBER SERVICES AT ST MARY'S

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service (org)  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 9.30am Communion (BCP org)  
Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.30am Matins (BCP org)

### Galhampton

#### VILLAGE HALL

The village hall is open again and is Covid-19 compliant with procedures in place to minimise risk and ensure that all relevant regulations and guidance are followed. A limited number of events are already being run (see below) and we are open to enquiries for bookings for other events. Please note that, to be considered, bookings must be fully compliant with our Covid-19 secure requirements.

#### YOGA

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## MODERN LINE DANCING

There will be two taster sessions in the village hall for a possible new session of modern line dancing, the first on **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November** from 2.00pm – 3.00pm and the second on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November** from 10.00am to 11.00am. Booking is essential – please contact Julie Dyer at [soulfuldovlinedancing@hotmail.com](mailto:soulfuldovlinedancing@hotmail.com).

## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Following popular demand, the Christmas Raffle is being run again this year, albeit in a different format. All households in Galhampton will have tickets posted through their doors to purchase if they wish, along with requests for Christmas goodies to make up the hampers. Hopefully this will bring a bit of festive cheer in these strange times.

## 2021 CALENDAR

Thank you to everyone who submitted photos for the calendar, your entries were much appreciated. The final choice has now been made and the calendar will be on sale very soon. If you wish to order a copy or copies please contact Fiona Hooper via [f.hoopers50@gmail.com](mailto:f.hoopers50@gmail.com) or 07816 428587. The price is the same as last year at £8 each. Ideal for Christmas presents!

## BONFIRE NIGHT

Please note that, as previously announced, there will be no village bonfire and fireworks this year due to the Covid-19 situation.

# Local Contacts

## CIVIL PARISHES

### Compton Pauncefoot & Blackford

CHAIRMAN	Jane Monk	440666
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### North Cadbury & Yarlington

CLERK	Rebecca Carter	240226
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### South Cadbury

CLERK	Carole Burnett	441142
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## UNIFORMED ORGANISATIONS

RAINBOWS	Tracey Watson	440059
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BROWNIES	Tracey Watson	440059
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GUIDES	Joy Cross	350936
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## OTHER ORGANISATIONS

### Blackford

READING ROOM	see advert on page 9
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### Galhampton

VILLAGE HALL	enquiries	07534 919195
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### Holton

VILLAGE HALL	Lisa Prior	34821
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### North Cadbury

ALLOTMENTS	Sam Davey	441382
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BRIDGE CLUB	Nicola Wilson	440642
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FRIENDS OF ST MICHAEL'S	Donal O'Neill	441623
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### GARDENING CLUB

	Heather Keys-Toyer	441657
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SCHOOL	Lisa Thompson	440420
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TENNIS CLUB	Steve Ingram	440125
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TODDLERS	Helen Wooldridge	440801
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VILLAGE HALL	Marion Whitmore	440911
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WOMEN'S GROUP	Pauline Moylan	440775
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### North Cheriton

VILLAGE HALL	Ron Perry	406355
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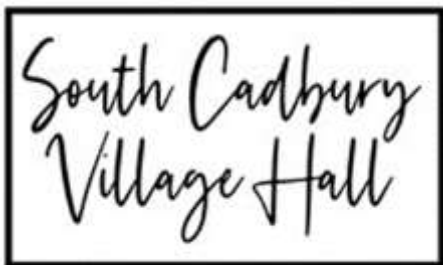
WI	Veronica Goodenough	33255
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VILLAGE HALL	Sam Davey	441382
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*To update the information on the above list, please contact the Parishes Office.*



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## VILLAGE HALL BOOKING

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## NOVEMBER SERVICES AT GALHAMPTON CHURCH

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Sunday Worship  
at North Cadbury Church

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 4.00pm Evening Service  
(piano)

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 4.00pm Evensong (BCP piano)

## Holton

### CHURCH SERVICES

For the time being we aim to hold a socially distanced service on the second Sunday of each month, continuing with our Remembrance Sunday Service on November 8<sup>th</sup> at 10.50am. Further services will be advertised on the church noticeboard and In Excalibur Magazine.

We will also open the church on the fourth Sunday of each month for private prayer from 11.00am to 12 noon. Volunteers will be on hand to ensure social distancing. The church will remain closed at all other times.

Socially distanced seating has been mapped out within the church. It would, however, be appreciated if you could let the churchwardens Mark and Carol Seymour know in advance if you are intending to come to the Remembrance Sunday service by phoning 01963 33680 or emailing [carol@seymoursfarm.net](mailto:carol@seymoursfarm.net). This is so that we have an idea of numbers and, if necessary, can take action to avoid any possible problems arising through potential lack of socially distanced capacity.

The wearing of face coverings is mandatory inside the church, unless you have a specific exemption. The officiant and anyone else speaking in public (for instance, doing a reading) are allowed to remove their face covering in order to improve their audibility.

Service sheets will be produced which are not reusable for a subsequent service. Please take these service sheets away with you.

We are not at this stage of the easing of restrictions permitted to have congregational singing. We may use pre-recorded music or hymns and you can follow the words on your service sheet.

The collection plate cannot be shared round during the service but will be placed by the door for use on the way out. Please do not touch the plate. We do, of course, very much appreciate your generosity and would encourage you, if possible, to give by electronic means at this present time

## NOVEMBER SERVICES AT ST NICHOLAS

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service (music)

## Maperton

### NOVEMBER SERVICES AT ST PETER & ST PAUL'S

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
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Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Communion (BCP)

## North Cadbury

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- And there is another food donation box at the junction of **Cary Road and The Close**.

## VILLAGE WALKS

Sadly, whilst the current health crisis is upon us, we shall not be holding further walks as a group. Please continue to walk the paths as individuals and keep the growth around them in check! Thank you.

[susan@brookcottage-somerset.co.uk](mailto:susan@brookcottage-somerset.co.uk)

## NORTH CADBURY VILLAGE HALL

Finally, after months of lockdown, we are opening up for a coffee morning starting with a Christmas Coffee Morning and 200 Club Prize Draw (Cash prizes - £100, £50, £20 and £10) on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 10.30am. Coffee and mince pies available. We will have socially distanced tables for 6 people and table service. Please wear your masks until you sit down and then just enjoy. Everybody is welcome.

## CAMELOT PLAYERS

As previously stated we are unable to present a pantomime on stage at the hall this year due to restrictions set by COVID-19. We are pleased to announce that in it's place we will be presenting a production of Cinderella online, filmed socially distanced and set very much in 2020, you will see all your favourite characters from the classic tale battle the pandemic as well as try and make it to the masked ball.

This free pantomime will be shown in four parts starting on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 7.30pm with the remaining parts following on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm and Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> at 2pm and 7.30pm, on our facebook group @Camelotplayersuk and on our website <http://www.camelotplayers.wixsite.com/productions>.

In addition to this brand new show we will have our advent calender event starting on the 1<sup>st</sup> of December, celebrating the music from our previous pantomimes. The 25 songs will be available to watch up until the 6<sup>th</sup> January 2021 so make sure to keep visiting our facebook page and website so you don't miss out.

## NORTH CADBURY WOMEN'S GROUP

The North Cadbury Women's Group meetings have been cancelled until further notice. For more information on the Group please contact Pauline Moylan on 440775 or [pmoylan1@gmail.com](mailto:pmoylan1@gmail.com)

## PRIVATE PRAYER IN

### ST MICHAEL'S

North Cadbury Church will be open for private prayer on Wednesday afternoons in October from 2.30pm until 4.00pm.

## NOVEMBER SERVICES AT

### ST MICHAEL'S

Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup>	11.00am	Group Communion (CW org)
	4.00pm	All Souls Service (org)
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup>	10.50am	Remembrance Service (org)
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Sunday Worship
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	11.00am	Communion (CW org)
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup>	11.00pm	Morning Worship (org)

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## North Cheriton

### NOVEMBER SERVICES AT

#### ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> 10.30am Morning Worship  
(CW org)

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service (org)

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.30am Communion (CW org)

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> 9.30am Family Service (org)

## South Cadbury

### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

There will be a Remembrance Sunday service at South Cadbury Church at 10.50am on the morning of Sunday November 8<sup>th</sup>.

### SOUTH CADBURY VILLAGE HALL

In March, a new committee was formed to run the hall and playing fields. We've found new sources of funding and have been overwhelmed with the enthusiastic support of our villagers. Our first major project has been the renovation of the hall. We've used local contractors to install a brand new floor, replace tired lighting with modern, dimmable LED lights and then redecorate the inside from top to bottom. We will update the playground in November, thanks to generous donations from individuals, businesses and a neighbouring village.

We are open again for hire and, subject to the new regulations, look forward to welcoming back local clubs and classes. For bookings or enquiries, email [SCVillageHall@gmail.com](mailto:SCVillageHall@gmail.com) or call Sam on 01963 441382.

### SOUTH CADBURY VILLAGE CAFE

We opened our Village Café for a second time earlier in October, attended again by

over 30 people – all outdoors, safely in groups of six or less. Together, both events have raised hundreds of pounds for SCVH funds and we send thanks to those who baked cakes, donated prizes for the raffle or came along and enjoyed some good company.

At our next event on 14<sup>th</sup> November, as we expect the weather will be much colder, we're going to try something different. Instead of coffee and cakes, we'll be selling Bacon Rolls for £2 each, on a "call & collect" basis. To avoid too much queuing, please call Sam with your order and reserve a 15 minute slot for collection – and remember to bring a carrier bag.

We'll be open from 8.30 – 10.00am, so you can buy as many rolls as you like and take them home for a family breakfast!

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### **SOUTH CADBURY 150 CLUB**

Our new 150 Club had its second draw earlier in October and we congratulate the winners who were: Mary Tovey, who won the first prize of £50; Harold Miles, who won the second prize of £30; Amanda Pash, who won the third prize of £20 and Hilda Connolly, who won the fourth prize, also £20.

The next draw will take place before Christmas, with an increased prize fund of £225! If you haven't bought shares in the 150 Club, and would like to, please make sure you do so before December. As we're halfway through our financial year, the cost of each share is just £5 from [SCVillageHall@gmail.com](mailto:SCVillageHall@gmail.com).

### **NOVEMBER SERVICES AT**

#### **ST THOMAS À BECKET**

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service (org)

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.30am Communion (BCP)

## **Yarlington**

### **NOVEMBER SERVICES AT ST MARY'S**

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> 9.00am Communion (BCP)

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.50am Remembrance  
Service

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Evensong (BCP org)

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 11.00am Sunday Worship (kb)

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*The finest test of character is seen  
in the amount and the power  
of gratitude we have.*

– Milo Gates

# **Bible Readings**

## **NOVEMBER**

1<sup>st</sup> - All Saints' Day  
Revelation 7: 9-17

2<sup>nd</sup> - Luke 14: 12-14

3<sup>rd</sup> - Luke 14: 15-24

4<sup>th</sup> - Luke 14: 25-33

5<sup>th</sup> - Luke 15: 1-10

6<sup>th</sup> - Luke 16: 1-8

7<sup>th</sup> - Luke 16: 9-15

8<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday before Advent  
*Remembrance Sunday*

1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18

9<sup>th</sup> - Luke 17: 1-6

10<sup>th</sup> - Luke 17: 7-10

11<sup>th</sup> - Luke 17: 11-19

12<sup>th</sup> - Luke 17: 20-25

13<sup>th</sup> - Luke 17: 26-37

14<sup>th</sup> - Luke 18: 1-8

15<sup>th</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Advent  
1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11

16<sup>th</sup> - Luke 18: 35-43

17<sup>th</sup> - Luke 19: 1-10

18<sup>th</sup> - Luke 19: 11-28

19<sup>th</sup> - Luke 19: 41-44

20<sup>th</sup> - Luke 19: 45-48

21<sup>st</sup> - Luke 20: 27-40

22<sup>nd</sup> - Christ the King  
Ephesians 1: 15-23

23<sup>rd</sup> - Luke 21: 1-4

24<sup>th</sup> - Luke 21: 5-11

25<sup>th</sup> - Luke 21: 12-19

26<sup>th</sup> - Luke 21: 20-28

27<sup>th</sup> - Luke 21: 29-33

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