

Social Events for the Halas Parish

August

Thursday 27th 2.00pm-3.30pm St John's Blessed Stitches

Bring your knitting/crochet/stitching projects and sit and natter with a cuppa. Donations to the work of the church welcome.

September

Monday 14th, 21st, 28th St Johns 1.30pm – 3.00pm Sunbeams and Songs

A free Stay and Play group for pre-schoolers and their parents/carers. Creative play, singing, stories, refreshments and company.

Tuesday 1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th 9.30am – 11am St Peter's, Lapal Stay and Play

£3.00 for first child, £1 every subsequent child and £1 for babies under 1. Children must be supervised by parent or carer. Refreshments, hot and cold drinks included.

Thursdays 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th 2.00pm-3.30pm St John's Blessed Stitches

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Friday 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th 9.30am- 11.30am St Peter's Cradley, St Peter's Tots

A group for parents, carers and children who are not at school yet every Friday in term time. Time to play, chat and socialise. £1.50 per session per child includes drink and toast.

Saturday 5th 2.30pm-3.30pm S. Margarets Free and Fascinating talk

40 years ago, Andrea trained as a nurse at the Corbett Hospital. When she retired from nursing, she started researching John Corbett and the history of the hospital. She shares her findings in this fascinating talk about such an important part of our local community. There will be free refreshments, and it is free entry and chance to chat afterwards. Donations are very welcome

Saturday 12th St Johns Heritage Tours

John Billingham walk & talk 2.30pm Tickets to be booked in advance £10 adults £5 children Family ticket £15. Max 12 people so advance booking is essential with payment. Please contact stjohnsvents@halasteam.org.uk or phone Claire on 07729 396061. Refreshments will be served in church following the walk. Should demand be high for this an alternative date will be arranged in September and a waiting list will be held.

Saturday 19th 2.00pm S Margaret's Coffee Afternoon in aid of Cancer Research

Coffee, cake and chatter, all are welcome from the Halas Parish and beyond, please bring a friend.

Saturday 19th 2.30pm - 3.45pm St Peter's, Cradley, Free Concert

An afternoon with a composer..... Andy Quin is a virtuoso improvising concert pianist and organist. He has performed internationally and made numerous tv appearances and

radio broadcasts. Andy will treat us to improvisations on well-known film and TV themes, musicals, 'Great American songbook' and much more playing both the organ and piano. Live video projection of Andy at the organ on the big screen. FREE entry with retiring collection to St Peter's Community Vision Project

Friday 18 7pm – Fish and Chip Supper at St Kenelm's Romsley Church Hall

please contact revchris@halasteam.org.uk for more information and booking.

Saturday 19th 6pm – Bingo Night with Raffel at St Peter's Lapal Church Hall

£5 per ticket (under 16s free) please contact evafield@yahoo.com to confirm your booking.

Friday 25th St Peter's, Cradley, Harvest

Supper More details to follow.

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Nigel Metcalf: Crumbs! A History of Our Favourite Teatime Treat.

Retired librarian and records manager, Nigel serves us an irresistible talk showcasing the history of the biscuit and major biscuit producers as well as of individual biscuits. He also considers when a biscuit is not a biscuit. Refreshments will of course be biscuits. Free entrance but donations appreciated

Saturday 3rd St Peter's, Lapal Harvest Pudding Club