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HARTFIELD • COLEMAN'S HATCH • COWDEN

Sunday 22nd November

YOUR WEEKLY UPDATE, KEEPING YOU UP TO DATE ACROSS OUR PARISHES

Worship this Sunday

Sunday 22nd November

The Sunday Next Before Advent

St Mary's Hartfield

9.30am Morning Worship

Lead and Preacher: Matt Marriott & Rachel Reid

St Mary Magdalene's, Cowden

10.30am Morning Worship

Lead and Preacher: Rev Stephen Hills

3.30pm Forest Church

(see flyer in "News from the 3 churches")

Holy Trinity Coleman's Hatch

11am Holy Communion

Lead and Preacher: Rev Nigel Hinton

News from the 3 churches

Pastoral Care

At all 3 churches we are committed to providing pastoral care. During the interregnum this continues to be important. Please contact Stephen Hills (hills.rectory@yahoo.co.uk or 01342 643069 or 07896 971723) if you are in the Cowden parish, otherwise Lisa Gibbs-Murray (admsmht@gmail.com or 07927 939116) if either you or someone you know would like a visit by a member of the church or perhaps you or they are unable to get to church for communion and would like to receive home communion.

Advent

Although still in November, the First Sunday of Advent is on 29th November. See details of services in the churches' diaries.

Watch out for next week's newsletter where we will be our launching Advent and Christmas services and events. In the meantime, there are flyers on various noticeboards.

Boreholes Fundraising

Firstly, congratulations and thanks to all who have contributed to the huge total raised so far!

In addition, there are a number of other sponsored events being organised. Some highlights…

Noah and Isaac have raised over £400 so far from their three-legged adventure

Our Connect crew have completed a sponsored bike ride whilst dressed up along a water theme. There is still time to sponsor them! Details on how much they have raised to follow.

If you have any ideas for fund raising please contact Lisa Gibbs-Murray on admsmht@gmail.com or Rachel.

Forest Church

See below for the details of the upcoming November Forest Church held in Cowden.



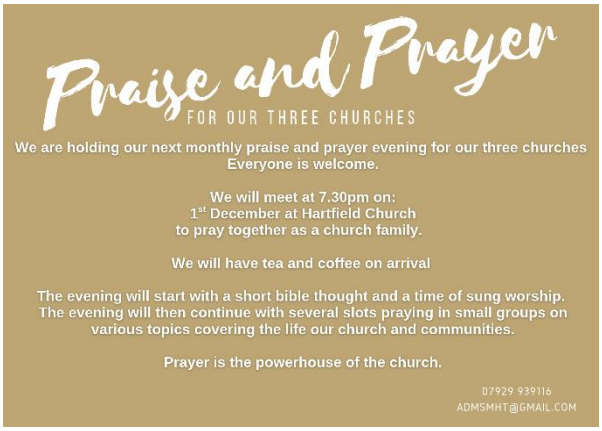
Trinity Talks – "Welshness"

The next Trinity Talk is in Trinity Hall on **20th November from 6pm (refreshments from 5.45pm)**. See details below:



Praise and Prayer

The next Praise and Prayer will be in **Hartfield Church on 1st December at 7.30pm**.



InSpires Suppers

Andrea and Rob McGlew are kindly hosting an "InSpires supper" for 6 people on 28th November. They will be serving a luxury 3 course menu with extras. Drinks on arrival, 2 bottles of wine from their cellar (guests are welcome to bring more) and soft drinks, tea and coffee; any allergies/dietary requirements will be considered. If you would like to attend, tickets are £25 per person; please contact Lisa Gibbs-Murray on admsmht@gmail.com, stating any allergies or dietary requirements, there may still be spaces.

Rev Stephen and Elizabeth Hills are kindly hosting a supper for 8 people at The Rectory in Cowden on Thursday 26th November at 7pm. Tickets are £12.50 per head, please contact Lisa Gibbs-Murray on admsmht@gmail.com, stating any allergies or dietary requirements, tickets will be sold on a first come first served basis.

If anyone else is interested in helping by hosting a supper for 6-8 people please let Lisa Gibbs-Murray know via admsmht@gmail.com or on 07927 939116. (see flyer below)



Holy Trinity's Diary

(all events held at Coleman's Church unless otherwise stated)

Friday 20th November at 6pm
Trinity Talks – Welshness with Sheila van Maurik and Grahan Evans at Trinity Hall. (see flyer in "News from the 3 churches")

Thursday 26th November
9.30am-12pm Trinity Café at Trinity Hall
Serving hot chocolate, coffee, tea & cake.

Sunday 29th November
The First Sunday of Advent
11am Matins with Advent Reflections
Lead and Preacher: Donna Dewar

Save the Dates (everyone welcome):
Tuesday 1st December at 7.30pm
Praise and Prayer at Hartfield Church
Friday 18th December at 6.30pm
Live Nativity in Hartfield Village

St Mary Magdalene's Diary

(all events held at Cowden Church unless otherwise stated)

Friday 20th November
10am-12pm Cowden Community Café
at Cowden Village Hall

Sunday 29th November
The First Sunday of Advent
10.30am Morning Worship
Lead and Preacher: Rev Stephen Hills

Save the Dates (everyone welcome):
Friday 20th November at 6pm
Trinity Talks – Welshness with Sheila van Maurik and Graham Evans at Trinity Hall (see flyer above)
Tuesday 1st December at 7.30pm
Praise and Prayer at Hartfield Church
Friday 18th December at 6.30pm
Live Nativity in Hartfield Village

St Mary's Hartfield's Diary

(all events held at Hartfield Church unless otherwise stated)

Thursday 19th November
5pm-6.15pm Connect
at Hartfield Village Hall. Youths aged **10+**. Games, food, and fun!

Monday 23rd November
9.15am-10.45am – Little Stars
Parent and toddler group with tea & coffee

Sunday 29th November
The First Sunday of Advent
9.30am Holy Communion Quiet Service
Lead and Preacher: Rev Nigel Hinton

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Friday 20th November at 6pm
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Sunday 22nd November at 3.30pm
Forest Church at Cowden Church (see flyer above)
Tuesday 1st December at 7.30pm
Praise and Prayer at Hartfield Church
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For further details on anything in this update and all that is going on in the three churches please visit our websites: hartfieldchurch.org; colemanshatchchurch.org; St Mary Magdalene at achurchnearyou. Alternatively speak to Lisa Gibbs-Murray on 07927 939116 or admsmht@gmail.com or Rev Stephen Hills on 07896 971723 or hills.rectory@yahoo.co.uk or Matt Marriott if it regarding youth groups on 07582 054880 or studio4.121@outlook.com