

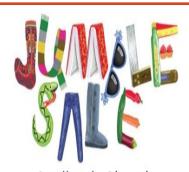


Theme: Forgiveness and Reconciliation

Come and join us we discuss all aspects of Forgiveness and Reconciliation

Groups will be meeting in St Alban's Community Room every Wednesday from the 4th March to the 1st April. Time- 8pm-9pm

All are Welcome



St Alban's Church

Jumble Sale

Saturday February 29th 2020 11-2pm We will be accepting donations from January, please leave in Church (10am-5pm)

Your Church is Open



St Alban's Church is open everyday from 10am until 5pm

You are always welcome

Songs of Praise with Breakfast

Come and join us on the first Sunday of the Month for a 9:45am breakfast

Followed by your favourite hymns



and songs chosen by you!











Father Lameck

Why do we celebrate Lent? Why do we start Lent with Ash Wednesday? Why is the colour of the season purple? Why does Lent last 40 days?

Lent is the season of the church year that follows the Epiphany Season. It is a time we set aside each year to remember the love of God that is poured out through Christ Jesus on the cross in His death; and His defeat of death, sin and Satan in Christ's death and resurrection that brings eternal life to you. This season has a penitential character, a solemn nature to it. This is to help us remember to be repentant and remind us of our sin and our mortality.

We begin Lent with Ash **Wednesday**, which falls this year on February 26th, as a day to help us to have a penitent mind throughout the season of Lent. This is why we have the imposition of Ashes as a reminder to us that in sin we will return to the dust from which we are (Genesis 3:19). While the imposition of ashes reminds us of our mortality and our sin, it also reminds us of Jesus' defeat of death and sin on the cross, and the atonement for our sin by His blood (Ephesians 1:7). As we feel the priest make the sign of the cross with the ash, we are also reminded of our baptism, as we were marked with the cross upon our forehead and upon our heart as one redeemed by Christ Jesus, who secured for us eternal redemption from sin and eternal life (Matthew 28:16-20; Hebrews 9:12).

This penitential character is also shown in the colour used during this season of the church year.

The colour purple is used by the church to remind us of the character of the season. The colour purple is used as a colour of penitence. This character is carried over in the words we use in worship as we will omit the alleluias until Easter. This is also shown in the length of the season.

Lent is 40 days long as a reminder of Christ's 40 days in the wilderness, and His defeat of temptation (Matthew 4). Here we are reminded that Jesus was also tempted and that He stood firm against Satan's temptations. This reminds us that He is our strength against all temptation in this life and our need for Christ's death on Good Friday. It also reminds us why we have a character of penance in the Season of Lent: we are in need of redemption from sin, death, and Satan.

As you begin Lent, remember God became sin for your sake by taking on our sinful flesh and dying on the cross to atone for our sin with His blood. In this defeat of death, sin and Satan by His own death, He freed you from them forever. Since He rose from death, you too shall be resurrected from death to Eternal Life, being made into the righteousness of God as you are justified and forgiven in Christ. This is why we celebrate the season of Lent, to prepare us to receive God's reconciliation in Christ Jesus on Easter as we celebrate Jesus' glorious resurrection and the free gift of God's Grace that brings us forgiveness, Salvation, and Life Everlasting.



The Churches of Tattenhall, Handley and Burwardsley Churches without Walls

Rector: Rev. Canon Lameck Mutete, The Rectory, Tattenhall 770245

Churchwardens Tattenhall George Richards

Handley Alex Park 771556

Christine Walley 771976

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Burwardsley

Jean Dutton 770379

Barbara Sculthorpe 770418

Deanery News

Our next Deanery Chapter meeting is at Tarpoley on 2nd March at Bunbury.

Pancake Races

Our annual pancake races will be taking place on Shrove Tuesday (25th) at 4pm. We will be racing in year groups and this year will be providing the pans and pancakes for your race so don't worry if you don't have one. Join us on Church Bank after school for some Pancake fun!

Lenten Course 2020

The course will run on Wednesdays **at 7:30pm from 4th March to 1st April**, usually in the Vault/ Community Room. Everyone is welcome, even if you cannot make all the sessions. We will be looking at how we as Christians can deal with the aftermath of serious conflict or damage in our lives and those around us.

Week1: 4th March: Where to start?

We introduce the course with an overview of some different views on forgiveness, with some ways of classifying how deep an injury might be, and questioning if all forgiveness is broadly similar or if there may be significant differences

Week 2: 11th March: "I am your brother."

Our extended example for this week is the Joseph Cycle in Genesis chapters 37-50. Hated by his brothers and thrown down a well, Joseph somehow rose through slavery and imprisonment to become prime minister of Egypt. When his brothers came to him years later begging for food, how would he react?

Week 3: 18th March. "As we forgive those who trespass against us."

We move on to the New Testament, with our main theme the Lord's Prayer: how Jesus taught his disciples and us to pray and to live, why we might need to remember daily our difficulties letting go of pain from our pasts and grudges against others, why we might struggle to believe ourselves forgiven. Does forgiveness by God or by other people differ?

Week 4: 25th March; How Forgiveness Differs from Justice or Arbitration Now we have looked at some biblical sources: forgiveness in the Joseph Cycle, the

Lord's Prayer, New Testament pastoral letters; we move on to modern day dilemmas of forgiveness. We then consider reconciliation on various levels and how it differs from justice or arbitration.

Week5: 1st April: Can we forgive ourselves.

A closer look at how we struggle with our past and even hate ourselves for the things that we did. Can we move from that cross road?

ST ALBAN'S CHURCH, TATTENHALL

SERVICES Sunday mornings 8.00am

and 10.30am

Wednesday 10.00am



Annual Parochial Church Meeting and Annual Parish Meeting — Sunday 29th March-after the service in church.

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (which elects the Churchwardens) and the Annual Parish Meeting (which elects the P.C.C. and hears reports from all church organisations e.t.c.) are open to all parishioners, but only those on the Electoral Roll are allowed to vote.

All parishioners are invited to attend, and if you would like your name to be added to the Electoral Roll please contact the Parish Secretary; Jack Raine on 01829 770976 on or before the $29^{\rm th}$ March.

Mothering Sunday

March 22nd is Mothering Sunday and there will be a Parish Communion at 10.30am.

Mothering Sunday is the fourth Sunday of Lent. Although it is often called Mothers' Day it has no connection with the American festival of that name. Traditionally, it was a day when children, mainly daughters, who had gone to work as domestic servants were given a day off to visit their mother and family. There will be a Communion Service at Tattenhall Church and parishioners from our sister churches are invited.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, HANDLEY

There are now only two services at All Saints Handley. On the first Sunday of each month, we have the **Family service at 09.15am** which has over the years become the ideal service for both adults and children. This service is designed to cater for all ages but at the same time paying



particular attention to children as in regards to the format and length of the service. If you live within the Handley area and you have children, please come and worship with us in a friendly family atmosphere on any 1st Sunday of the month. Please note that this is not a Communion service.

On the third Sunday, we have a **Communion Service at 9.15am** which will meet the needs of all those who are Communicants in the Church of England. There is always an organist to accompany our music on both the first and third Sundays. As for baptisms and weddings, please get in touch with the Rector or Churchwardens.

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, BURWARDSLEY

SERVICES

Patronal Festival Celebration - -A special thanks to all parishioners from our sister parishes who attended our Patronal Festival during the month of February.



Songs of Praise

On the second Sunday of every month, St John's The Divine offers you a wonderful spiritual experience of listening to your favourite hymns of praise. This service is open to all those who would like to just come and enjoy the hymns that takes then down memory lane to some event or people connected to their life. All are welcome. Just come and enjoy with the accompaniment of one of our best organist.

Thank you to everyone who helps to keep the church open. We are looking for volunteers who can help in anyway, to raise funds, join the legacy fund (a monthly contribution will be appreciated), maintenance work.

Please contact Jean Dutton 770379 Barbara Sculthorpe 770418 Jeanne Parsons 771227

Spring Tidy Up

We have had some lovely comments as to how beautifully the church and churchyard are kept. Looking to spring tidy up please can you remove any flowers or wreaths as soon as possible. To help to clean the church please contact Jeanne Parsons on 771227

Services for March

Songs of Praise 8th March

4.30pm



A little bit of Humour!

A Woman went to **á, Há...** the Post Office to buy stamps for her

Christmas cards.

"What Denomination?" Asked the clerk.

"Oh, my goodness! Have we come to this?" said the woman.
"Well give me 50 Anglicans and 50 Catholic!"



Soup & Pudding

Please join us for soup and pudding in St. Alban's Community Room on the first Friday of every month.

£3 12-2pm



WHERE CAN YOU COMBINE FOOD, FUN AND FITNESS?

ON AN ALLOTMENT!

Plots are now available at the Tattenhall Allotment Association site next to the telephone exchange.

If you've been looking for an opportunity to grow your own vegetables, meet new people, take a bit more exercise or simply spend more time outdoors, this could be for you.

Whether you're an experienced digger or a complete beginner, you'll find plenty of people who can offer help and advice.

- £42 per year for a full plot (10m x 6m) or
- £22 per year for a half plot

The Tattenhall Allotment Association is also looking for volunteer committee members.



For more information, please contact:

Mike Foster • Email: Mfostercfc@gmail.com

Tattenhall Croquet Club



RACE NIGHT

at

Tattenhall Recreation Club Saturday 28th March 7.30pm

Bar

Níbbles

Raffle 1st prize of two tickets for Tattersall's

Irish Bingo

Tickets £5.00 from:

Sheila Marsland 01829 772503 s.marsland503@btinternet.com



Heartstart and Defibrillator Training at The Studio, Tattenhall in 2020

British Heart Foundation "Heartstart" Training 2020

The Heartstart programme includes: assessing an unconscious patient, performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), dealing with choking, dealing with serious bleeding, helping someone who may be having a heart attack.

The next sessions are on Saturdays, 2-5pm on:

25 April; 5 September 2020

Defibrillator Training 2020

Tattenhall Community First Responders have funded wholly or in part the provision of a number of defibrillators in the locality, and everyone should know how to use them.

The next sessions are on Saturdays, 2-4.30pm on the following dates:

29 February; 4 July; 14 November 2020

The training is being delivered by

Tattenhall Community First Responders

at The Studio, Worley Court, Bolesworth Road, Tattenhall, CH3 9HW

To book a place, phone either: Lynn Owen on 01829 771895 or Rob Selby on 01829 770586

Cost: This training is provided free of charge - however donations to Tattenhall Community First Responders are gratefully received.

www.thestudiotattenhall.co.uk

TATTENHALL OVER FIFTIES (TOFS)

Chairman: Noel Atkinson 01829 770808

At the meeting on Thursday 6^{th} February members were entertained by Eric Newton who played his jazz clarinet and told the story of his various jobs and how he became a busker.

The meeting on Thursday 5th March will be a talk from financial advisers Illingworth Seddon.

The meeting on Thursday 2nd April will be the Easter Bingo which is open to anyone in the community. And if members have any items they could donate as prizes it would be appreciated.

TRAVEL WITH TOF'S in 2020

Depart from the Barbour Institute. All Welcome Cost £12 per trip

Thursday 21st MayAnglesey – Pringles & Treaddur Bay
Depart BI 9.00 am

Thursday 18th JuneMorecambe Bay / Carnforth
Depart BI 9.00 a

SATURDAY 4th July Stratford River Festival Depart BI 8.30 am

Thursday 20th August Llandudno Depart BI 9.30 am



The Opal Club, Tattenhall, would like to thank everyone who attended the Christmas Coffee

Morning in December and all those who contributed to the festivities. A special thanks must go to the Tattenhall Singers for the fabulous entertainment they provided, not only performing themselves but ensuring audience participation in the carols and especially in "The Twelve Days of Christmas". More than £450 was added to the Club funds to help pay for activities throughout the year.

The Club caters for men and women from Tattenhall and the surrounding area who enjoy the opportunity to get out of their own home and meet old friends and make new acquaintances. Volunteer drivers are available to transport people to the meetings. The club has a wide and varied programme of activities, both in the Barbour

Institute and 'out-and-about'. Our outings include an annual trip to Bolesworth Castle at the kind invitation of Mrs Diane Barbour, visits to Llandudno, National Trust gardens, local Garden Centres and trips on the canal. Members enjoy a hot two-course lunch in the middle of the day as well as midmorning tea and biscuits. Weekly activities are organized for the members, which include gentle Keep-fit exercise classes, talks from the Local History Society and musical activities. **New members are welcome.** If you, or somebody you know, wishes to find out more please contact Brenda Platt, Organiser Tel: 07851 104210 or by email at

brenda.platt@opalservices.org.uk.

The Club is run by a team of volunteers. We need more volunteers to spread the workload, both as drivers and helpers. No experience is necessary. If you are interested, please drop in at one of the Club sessions, or contact Brenda Platt.

Is there enough to do for young People in Tattenhall?

Come and join the Tattenhall YOUTH Council

What improvements do you want to see in Tattenhall for young people?



Do you want your voice heard in our local community?

- ...voicing the views of young people about the current and future issues facing the village?
- ...leading and running projects for the young people of Tattenhall
- ...learning about how decisions are made at local level and being involved in village activities? (It looks great on a University/college/job application form)

You may be interested in volunteering for the new and exciting **Tattenhall Youth Council**. Meetings will be approximately every two months where you can have your say about the community and the developments that you want to see.

If you are aged between 10 – 18 yrs old and interested,
please contact the Clerk on <u>tattenhallpc@outlook.com</u>
or contact Louise Gibson (Cllr) on <u>lmgibson1979@icloud.com</u>

by 1st March 2020



TATTENHALL and DISTRICT PARISH COUNCIL

tattenhallpc.co.uk



Parish Clerk: Ann Wright, 62 Well Street, Malpas, SY14 8QH Telephone: 01948 861035 Email: tattenhallpc@outlook.com

Participation, the issue of insufficient introduced dropped curbs around the village was responsible raised. These are installed by CW&C and members agreeing to clean up after the Parish Council has discussed this their dogs. A survey in December 2019 issue with the Highways team, who will be installing additional ones over several compared to December 2018. years due to budget constraints.

the village where overhang pavements. These should be Barbour Square at 11am. Please reported to CW&C at

www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/ residents/contact-us/report-it/hedges.

Sandstone Scouts had asked if there were any suitable projects that they could help with for their Community and Environment badges. Andrew Hull of Tattenhall Wildlife Group said there were plans to plant 400 trees and he would in May. contact the Scouts with the details.

several incidences on Rocky Lane when it was difficult to pass larger lorries and Nominations for the Village Cup, which asked if suitable signage could be will be presented at the meeting, will be installed to prevent these vehicles using requested shortly. this road. It was agreed that the Council although this road had previously been will be on display at the meeting. identified as the main route into the Youth Council - we would like to hear village from the South.

list of its key priorities at the meeting they want in the village. If you would and Councillors were allocated to lead like to get involved, please email the the various areas.

A meeting had been held with the All residents are welcome to attend tenants of the Parish Council allotments in Gatesheath and the Council had number of hens. interested in joining the waiting list for Barbour Institute. an allotment should contact the Clerk. Councillor Andy Scarratt

At the February meeting, during Public The Green Dog Walkers Scheme was in 2019 to promote doa with ownership showed an 80% reduction in dog mess

An Easter dog walk along the It was reported that there were areas Millennium Mile will take place on hedges **Saturday** 4th April starting come along with your dogs - you don't need to be members of the Scheme to join in. An Easter Egg Hunt (for children, not the dogs!) would also be included on the walk.

> The Parish Council had been successful in obtaining a grant of £900 from the National Lottery for the VE celebrations

The Annual Parish Meeting will be A resident reported that there had been held in the Barbour Institute at 7.30pm on Monday May Plans maintenance and improvement of the raise this issue with CW&C Spinney are being developed and these

from anyone aged 10 to 16 who would The Parish Council reviewed the latest like to have their voice heard on what Clerk at tattenhallpc@outlook.com.

Parish Council meetings and can raise any issue in the 15-minute Public agreed to several changes requested by Participation section at the start of the the tenants, including the keeping of a meeting. Meetings are held on the first Anyone Monday of the month at 7.30pm in the



Tom Atherton, the National Membership Secretary of the National Sweet Pea Society is coming to the Tattenhall Gardening society to give a talk on growing these wonderful annual flowers. These are not the sort of peas you eat but those lovely flowers which once you have picked a bunch to bring indoors fill your head with the most delicious fragrance! They come in all sort of colours, except yellow and orange, and can have a long flowering season, You can grow them in your borders or your veg patch for picking!

The objects of the Society are to disseminate knowledge of Sweet Peas (Lathyrus odoratus) and other

Lathyrus species, to encourage, improve and extend the cultivation of these flowers by means of scientific trials, the holding of exhibitions and displays, by publication and other activities. Their website is Http://sweetpeas.org.uk for more information.

The Gardening Society holds its meeting on March 11th, in the Barbour Institute at 7.30 for 7.45.

Members entrance is free, Guest are always welcome at £3.00. For further information on the Gardening Society contact Jen Benefield on 01829770692"

TATTENHALL BRIDGE CLUB

New members welcome!

A friendly introduction to club
bridge

You do not need a partner just
come along —
we have a host system.

We meet at 7 p.m. every Friday in the Barbour Institute, High Street, Tattenhall, CH3 9PX

Interested?
Contact Val Meeks :Email Val_Meeks@Yahoo.co.uk
or phone 01829 770781

LINK ROOM NEEDS VOLUNTEERS - Can YOU help?

The Link Room at the Park School was developed using money given to the community by CWaC to make use of the old swimming pool building. It is used by the school during the day and should be available to hire to community users in the evenings and at weekends—but—volunteers are needed to join the organising committee to make this happen. There could be a Youth Club too, but again, this depends on volunteers running it.

There would be support from the Parish Council and from the school for anyone who could help. Perhaps parents of the children likely to benefit from the activities could come forward. Anyone interested should contact the Parish Clerk on

tattenhallpc@outlook.com.



Tattenhall's Village Hall

High Street Tattenhall Chester CH3 9PX





www.barbourinstitute.co.uk

BOOKS, CD and DVD SALE

Sunday 1st March
10am—3.00pm
Donations welcome
10am –12 midday Sat
29th Feb



Sunday 5th April 2020
2-4pm Entrance 50p
Donations welcome 9.3011.30am, morning of sale,
thank you.
(No books or videos
please)

200 CLUB

The winners of the February

draw were

£50 number 63

£25 number 24

f15 number 1



Tattenhall W I will be meeting at 7..30 pm on Wednesday 18th March in the main hall of the Barbour Institute.

The talk by Rupert Adams is on Cheshire Butterflies and Moths. Do come along and learn all about these beautiful insects and how to attract them to our gardens.

We offer a free taster visit and would love to welcome you to our friendly group. Our monthly activities include - a walk (to include lunch) book club, crafts, scrabble, coffee (health) -

NEWLY STARTING - dining event. For further information ring Ruth on 01829 770762.

West Cheshire Rural



Come and join us for the next meeting of West Cheshire Rural U3A on **Thursday 19th March** at the Barbour Institute in Tattenhall.

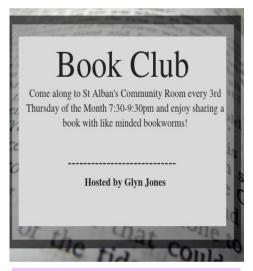
Stories behind the Beatles Songs – Barry P Humphreys



Date for your Diary

On Thursday 21st May, 2020 we will celebrate our 10th birthday at an open day. Members, old and new, and visitors are invited to come along to mark this milestone

Refreshments from 2.00pm.
For further information on membership and forthcoming events please contact either Hilary Scarratt 01829 770516 or Hilary@Scarratt.com or visit our website u3asites.org.uk/west-cheshire



TATTENHALL and FARNDON SURGERIES

The Surgeries will be closed for half a day on 25th March and 28th April.

They will re-open at 8.00am the following day.

In cases of emergency, please ring 01829 771588.

Cheshire Constabulary

HOMEWATCH



Dear Residents

Many of you would have heard that there was a report of the stabbing of a Milkman in the early hours last month in the neighbouring village of Tarporley We understand that two suspect males have been identified from a neighbouring village and investigations are presently on going.

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village and investigations are presently on going.

There were reports of a man cold calling selling fish from a vehicle. He allegedly left white markings on the gate entrances on leaving some properties.

Beeston – Property broken into, window smashed copper piping taken.

Beeston – Wild Boar Hotel business

Beeston – Wild Boar Hotel business property broken into, cash taken.

 Any anti Social Behaviour can be reported to jonathan.hurst@cheshire.pnn.police.uk at Dragon Hall/ 101CRIMESTOPPERS on 0800 555 111 /or through your Council, e-mail

ASBUnitChesterandRuralWest@cheshire westandchester.gov.uk

- Electrostatic HomeWatch window stickers are now available please see the Drop In info below. If your existing HW sticker requires replacing or you are a new member and would like one please get in touch.
- Police Surgeries are an opportunity for residents to meet local officers and report any concerns or issues they might have. Please come and say hello.
- Dragon Hall Police Station

For dates and locations ring 101. The Police <u>always welcome</u> your call on 101. Let them make the decision on its urgency and method of dealing with your concern. If you aren't sure about a suspicious situation you can always call HomeWatch 771641 for

advice, or you can call anonymously to CRIMESTOPPERS on 0800 555

Rural officer contact details.

PC Stephen Gardner
Please call 101, If you wish to email Steve his address is
stephen.gardner@cheshire.pnn.police.uk

FREE UV marker pens and Homewatch window stickers are available on request at the **'Drop In' at the Barbour Institute**, one for each person attending. This is held every Tuesday 10am - 12noon and all are welcome so come along for a chat and sort out the world's problems with endless cuppas and biscuits for £1 per person, along with security advice thrown in for free.

With your free FREE UV marker pens all that is required is that you mark your valued items with your house Name or number and Postcode.

Sometimes items are stolen and discarded like photos that are of no value to the thief but of great sentimental value to you.

Think about it, what have you got to lose. If you would like to be included in our email HomeWatch updates contact list, send your details to graham@gmarsden.co.uk together with your address and phone number in case of e-mails bouncing back.

Graham Marsden 01829 771641

POLICE CONTACT NUMBERS
EMERGENCY calls ONLY:
Ring 999
INCIDENT calls: Ring 101

Crimestoppers: 0800 555 111

VILLAGE DIARY

FEBRUARY			
29th	St. Albans Jumble Sale	Church	11-2.00pm
29th	Defibrillator Training	The Studio	2-4.30pm
MARCH			
1st	BI Book Sale	Barbour Institute	10-3.00pm
2nd	Parish Council Meeting	Barbour Institute	7.30pm
5th	TOFs Meeting	Barbour Insitute	2.00pm
8th	TMS Gala Concert	St. Albans	6.30pm
11th	Gardening Society	Barbour Institute	7.45pm
13th	PARISH NEWS DEADLINE		
18th	WI Meeting	Barbour Institute	7.30pm
19th	U3A Meeting	Barbour Institute	2.00pm
25th	Film@Barbour	Barbour Institute	8.00pm
28th	Race Night	Recreation Club	7.30pm



Special Gala Concert

Sunday, March 8th 2020 at St. Alban's Parish Church Tattenhall at 6.30pm

This evening is a special 'extra' concert to fundraise to help pay for the new staging that TMS bought last year. The new staging is lighter and provides a very safe platform to extend the Chancel to create a performance stage. Laura Jellicoe has invited her friends from the Hallé and these include Paul Janes, piano, Simon Turner, cello and Catherine Handley, flute and we are promised a few surprise quests tool

Handley, flute and we are promised a few surprise guests too!
To quote Laura ... "some of the most beautiful Chamber Music written, to be played for and amongst friends.... solos, quartets and everything in between"

... a delightful evening to look forward to.

Doors open at 5.45pm and admission is £10 (under 18 year olds are always free) Tickets are on sale from Monday, 17th February at Tattenhall Post Office and Tattenhall News or you can pay on the door. If you have any questions or would like more information about the Society or this concert please get in touch.

Anne McGrath Tel: 01829 770932 / mcgrath.prickleygreen@btopenworld.com



To report an incident or if you have a suggestion for a neighbourhood priority, you can contact the policing team by telephone on 101 or by speaking directly to your local Police Community Support Officer.





www.cheshire.police.uk/priorities

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