

## CHURCH SERVICES

### St Michael & All Angels, Lydbury North

Rev Stephanie Fountain (Priest in Charge) 01588 630324

3rd October	11am	CW Holy communion
10th October	6.30pm	Harvest Festival
17th October	11am	All Age Service
24th October	8am	BCP Holy communion
31st October	11am	Benefice Service Lydbury North

### St Walburga's Catholic Church, Plowden

Enquiries :-

Priest : Canon Jonathan Mitchell

01694 658091 : [stmilburga@gmail.com](mailto:stmilburga@gmail.com)

### Society of Friends

Quaker Meeting.

Grange Road Community Centre,

Bishop's Castle.

Enq. 01588 638187

On Sunday 12th September residents and friends of Lydbury North enjoyed a packed 'Funday' organised jointly by members of the PTA of Lydbury North School and the church PCC, co-ordinated by Emma Hockley. This was an opportunity for the community to have fun together safely in view of the continuing risks posed by Covid-19, and to celebrate the many acts of kindness and support that neighbours have given each other during the pandemic.

Following a noisy parade to the church there was the traditional village duck race and then food, fun and games, including pony rides and face-painting in the garden and car park behind the Powis Arms. Among the several stalls was one promoting some of the groups in the Village including the WI and the SWS Gardening Club.

Also on display was a large, decorated fruit cake made by Sara Randall, to celebrate 20 years of the shop's existence, and the winning photos submitted by local people for the Lydbury Shop Calendar. The calendar and Christmas cards designed by the school children will be going to print shortly, and will then be on sale in the shop.

Towards the end of the afternoon and into the early evening revellers enjoyed listening to Eddie P's Elvis Tribute.

Although the day was intended to be more about fun than fundraising, it raised £2,000, a sum rounded up by the generosity of Robin and Lucinda Parish, the owners of the Powis Arms, to be divided equally between the school and the church. A great day was had by all.

# Lydbury North Community Newsletter October 2021

distributed to:

Acton, Argoed, Brockton, Brunslow, Choulton, Church Moor, Edgton, Eyton, Golden Grove, Kempton, Llysty, Lower Down, Lydbury North, Lynchgate, Plowden, Totterton, Walcot (and places in between).

Copy for the November Newsletter to

Judith Bowen: Hawthorn House, Lydbury North. SY7 8AU  
[lydburynewsletter@outlook.com](mailto:lydburynewsletter@outlook.com)

Or text to 07847 123746

Press date : 15th of October

Village Shop : 01588 680501

[lydburynorthcs@gmail.com](mailto:lydburynorthcs@gmail.com) :

[www.lydburynorthvillageshop.co.uk](http://www.lydburynorthvillageshop.co.uk)

*Currently opening*

**Tuesday to Friday: 8.30am - 2pm**

**Monday & Saturday 8.30am - 1pm**

**Sunday: 9am - 11am**

Currently selling local fruit and vegetables donated by volunteers along with our normal range of groceries.

**Post Office**

Mobile Van every Wednesday 1pm - 2pm  
in the lay-by outside the shop

*There is an assumption that all events will take place as advertised - although we are all aware that things may change*

**Tuesday 5th Flicks in the Sticks.** 7.30pm. **Official Secrets** (cert 15, 112mins) A gripping true story of political conspiracy. As promised, for this whole season the entry price will be only £1 for adults and children. Numbers will be restricted so **advance booking is essential** - please call **Jackie** on **01588 680302** to reserve your tickets. Bar and ice creams will be available but no teas/coffees.

**Tuesday 12th Parish Council** meeting. 7.30pm. Public session for the first 15 minutes if required. If possible please advise the Parish Clerk of your interest and questions - lydburnynorthparishcouncil@gmail.com

**Thursday 14th Make, Do or Mend** - meeting on alternate Thursday mornings from 10 - 12 in Lydbury North Village Hall. Bring your own sewing, quilting, knitting...or mending AND please bring your own drink and snack. This is a drop-in session (£4 a time) but numbers are limited so please ring ahead to let Chris Russell know you are coming 01588 680545

**Friday 15th Wine club.** We are nearly at maximum numbers but if you would like to know more about this event call Keith on 680454 or email keithburton785@btinternet.com

**Thursday 21st Lydbury North W I** in the Village Hall. **Food for Gifts**, Cookery Demonstration with Lynne Andreae. All are welcome, £3.00 to include refreshments. WI meeting 7.15pm; presentation 7.45pm. Lydbury North Village Hall. For more information, contact 01588 680266

**Friday 22nd Quiz.** Teams of up to four but don't worry if you haven't got a team - we'll sort something out on the night. Fabulous prizes and Bar. Advance booking essential Please call 680302 or 680454 to book a table. A completely free special Village Hall Event. Doors open 7pm, 7.30pm start.

**Thursday 28th Make, Do or Mend** see Thursday 14th for details

### *Future Events*

**Tuesday 2nd November Flicks.** 7.30pm **Harriet** (cert 12A, 125 mins) - an extraordinary tale of escape from slavery and transformation into one of America's greatest heroines. Advance booking essential - phone 01588 680302 to reserve a seat

**Saturday 13th November** Live music with the amazing local band **Red Madog**, (check them out on Youtube). A completely free special Village Hall Event. Doors open 7.30pm. Advance booking essential contact 01588 580454 or 680302 to book a place.

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Whilst we have tried to ensure that information is accurate, if in doubt there are contact numbers to ring.

**Saturday 27th November** at 3pm. **'Storm Boy'** (cert PG, 99 mins). A film for all the family. FREE admission and COMPLIMENTARY ice-cream.

A beautiful, contemporary retelling of Colin Thiele's classic Australian tale. 'Storm Boy' lives a lonely life with his reclusive father on a desolate coastline, but when he forms a close bond with a pelican, Mr Percival, his life takes a new and unexpected turn. Starring Finn Little, Jai Courtney, Geoffrey Rush.

ADVANCE BOOKING ONLY, phone 01588 6890302 to reserve a seat. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

**Tuesday 7th December Flicks in the Sticks.** **The Personal History of David Copperfield** (cert PG, 119 mins). A fresh and distinctive take on Charles Dickens' semi-autobiographical masterpiece.

**Friday 10th December** the hugely popular **Christmas Miscellany** More details in November issue.

**Saturday 11th December Christmas Flower Themed Demonstration** by local florist Jane Pugh. Lydbury North Village Hall. More details next issue.

**Saturday 18th December** at 3pm. **'Maya and the Bee 3 - The golden Orb'** (Cert U, 88 mins). A film for all the family. FREE admission and COMPLIMENTARY ice-cream. **ADVANCE BOOKING ONLY.** Phone 01588 680302 to reserve a seat. Children must be accompanied by an adult

### **News from Lydbury North Community Shop**

Help us to keep providing an essential service to our community....**the shop desperately needs some new volunteers**, especially to work behind the counter. Recent retirements mean that we are struggling to cover all the shifts. If you have recently moved to the village, this is a great way of getting to know other people.

Full training is provided and you do not have to commit to a shift every week.

If you would like to find out more please contact Sara Randall :

sara@randallfulton.org or Sheridan Fegredo : sheridan.fegredo@gmail.com

Or leave your name and contact details with the volunteer in the shop.

The shop is currently selling seasonal fruit and vegetables donated from people's gardens and allotments. Fresh lettuces are still going strong.

#### **EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

**101** is the non-emergency number for the **Police** :

**105** is for reporting **Power Cuts** and advice during power cuts :

**111** is the **NHS non-emergency** number.

**112** is an emergency number which works the same as **999**. It is Europe wide.