

## CHURCH SERVICES

### St Michael & All Angels, Lydbury North

Rev Stephanie Fountain (Priest in Charge) 01588 630324

Sunday 6th November	11.00am	Holy communion
Sunday 13th November	10.45am	Remembrance Sunday (with Edgton)
Sunday 20th November	11.00 am	Morning Prayer
Sunday 27th November	9.30 am	Advent BCP Holy Communion at Edgton (with Lydbury North).

### **Brockton Chapel**

6th November 10.30am Joint service at Bishop's Castle Methodist Church  
Rev. Shalome MacNeill Cooper

All other weeks are at Brockton Chapel

13th November 6pm Service and discussion

20th November 3.30pm Messy church for all ages Crafts, Service and food

27th November 6pm Service and discussion

Coffee (other drinks available!) every Monday 10.30am

Contact: Knights 01588 680285, chapelhouse@uwclub.net

### 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

For **Remembrance Day** this year we will be making a community wall of poppies to display in the church. We would love everyone to join in and help us build the display by making, knitting, sticking, drawing - anything you would like to use to make your poppies. Poppies will then be attached to a large net and draped down the wall as you enter the church. Please spread the word and start your projects now, the more poppies we receive the better it will look. A box will be placed in the church for you to place your completed poppies in.

### 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.

# Lydbury North Community Newsletter November 2022

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 December 2022/January 2023 Newsletter  
Press date : 15th of November 2022

to Judith Bowen: Hawthorn House, Lydbury North. SY7 8AU

[lydburynewsletter@outlook.com](mailto:lydburynewsletter@outlook.com)

Or text to 07847 123746

**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**

Full range of groceries, including Mawley Milk, Hopesay Farm honey, Marlon's Meals, Clun Farm eggs and Dairy Dreams ice cream

### **Post Office**

Mobile Van every Wednesday 1.00 - 2.00 pm  
in the lay-by outside the shop

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

## Advance Notices - December

**Tuesday 1st November Flicks in the Sticks.** 7.30pm Lydbury North Village Hall. **Operation Mincemeat** (cert 12. 128 mins). A unique, bizarre and seductive blend of high-level espionage and ingenious fiction. Tense, romantic, thrilling, unexpectedly funny and endlessly surprising, it tells a richly human story of the soldiers we seldom see, who fight a different kind of war in shadows and deception, haunted by the knowledge that certainty and guarantee of success are nowhere to be found. Starring Colin Firth, Matthew Macfayden, Penelope Wilton. Admission £4, U16s £2.50. Bar, ice cream available.

**Thursday 3rd Community Coffee Morning.** 10.30 am. Lydbury North Parish Church. All very welcome, free of charge but donations very welcome.

**Thursday 3rd Make, Do or Mend.** Lydbury North Village Hall 10.00 till 12.00. Bring your sewing, knitting, patchwork or whatever else you like to work with, along with a drink & snack and enjoy a creative morning in friendly company. Cost £4 per session. We are keen to recruit new members, if you would like to know more, call Chris Russell on 01588 680545.

**Friday 4th Wine Club.** 7.30pm Lydbury North Village Hall; Alix from Tanners will be getting us in the Christmas mood with some lovely wines for the festive season. Tickets will be £10 and if you'd like to come along call Keith on 01588 680454. As ever this is sure to be a really enjoyable evening.

**Wednesday 9th Parish Council Meeting** 7.30pm, Lydbury North Village Hall. Where possible please send questions and points to be raised in advance to the parish clerk. E mail lydburynorthclerk@gmail.com.

**Thursday 17th Make, Do or Mend.** Lydbury North Village Hall - see Thursday 3rd for more details.

**Thursday 17th Lydbury North W I Meeting. AGM Meeting** starts at 7.00pm Members will also discuss the WI Resolutions for 2023 and share highlights of 2022. For more details ring 01588 680266 /01588 680226

**Wednesday 23rd SWS Gardening Club,** 7.30pm Lydbury North Village Hall. The Monster, "The Mountain and The Monkey" a talk by garden historian and gardener Andrew Wyton; looking at three gardens and gardeners who Andrew describes as "having more than a hint of the eccentric about them". Free to members, £5 for visitors. anniefrost@icloud.com or www.gardeningshropshire

**Wednesday 30th Festive Floral Workshop** 6pm Walcot Hall Ballroom, with Tammy from Wild Bunch Flowers. Expert grower and florist Tammy will guide you through making your own wreath using natural and sustainable methods. Tickets from www.walcothallevents.com.

**Saturday 3rd December Walcot Hall Christmas Market.** Soak up the festive atmosphere as you browse a wide range of food, gifts and decorations from local artisan producers. Plus get the chance to meet Father Christmas. More information [www.walcothall.com](http://www.walcothall.com)

**Saturday 3rd December Caz's Christmas Quingo** to help raise funds for the Motor Neurone Disease Association. Like Quizzes but feel they lack the fun element of luck? Then try Quingo - quizzing never got so lucky. Lydbury North Village Hall, 7.30 start doors and bar open at 7pm. £5 a head, teams of up to 6. Raffle and whisky roll of course, plus free mince pies. Phone Caz on 01588 680450 to book your table, or with any kind offers of prizes (or mince pies).

**Tuesday 6th December Flicks in the Sticks.** 7.30pm Lydbury North Village Hall. **West Side Story (2021).** Cert 12; 1.frpm49 mins. A Stephen Spielberg adaptation of the 1957 musical. Starring Ansel Elgort, Rachel Zegler, Ariana DeBose. Admission £4, U16s £2.50. Bar, ice cream available.

**Friday 9th December** 7.30pm **Christmas Miscellany** the annual show at Lydbury North Village Hall performed by local people. If you would like to do a turn e.g. song, reading, poem, play an instrument, tell a story perform a sketch etc, please contact Tim Weaver - Email [tim@squeezebox.plus.com](mailto:tim@squeezebox.plus.com). Tel 01588 680691.

### A warm hub - for free!

As winter sets in and fuel costs go through the roof, we thought it might be helpful to open up the meeting room at the Village Hall on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons between 2 and 6pm as a nice warm space to just relax in for a couple of hours, maybe read a book, have chat, let the kids do their homework (they must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times) or even to work if you normally work from home.

The heating will be on, loos will be open, there is WiFi and hopefully a place to make a hot drink too. There will be **no charge** for any of this so if you are interested call Jackie On 680302 or Keith on 680454 to let them know, or simply turn up to give it a try.

The meeting room will be open for the first Warm Hub on Tuesday Nov. 8th from 2.00 - 6.00pm and Thursday Nov. 10th **only** from 5.30 -7.30pm and thereafter every Tuesday and Thursday after that through the winter, subject to demand. This will be reviewed at the end of November and if it is not being used at all then we will only be able to open after that if you make a booking by calling the phone numbers above.

If anyone would be prepared to help with this project, please let us know. Perhaps you could join a rota to open up and close the hall, sit in the meeting room for a natter or provide some tea/coffee/biscuits etc for hot drinks. This is a **community initiative for the benefit of the community**, not exclusively a Village Hall event, and we will need volunteers to help make it happen.