

HADLEIGH UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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The vision of Hadleigh URC is
to challenge the community to respond to God's love
as shown and taught by Jesus Christ.



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WORSHIP IN HADLEIGH

Services led by Revd. Jim Dalgleish unless otherwise noted)

Worship in March

Sun 7th 10.30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion

Sun 14th 10.30am All Age Worship for Mothering Sunday

Sun 21st 10.30am Morning Worship led by The Explorers

Sun 28th 10.30am Morning Worship for Palm Sunday

(A joint service with St Mary's and the Salvation Army)

3.30pm Worship at Friars Hall (ecumenical)

WEEKDAY MEETINGS

Tuesday 10 - 11.30 Pause for Prayer - Come in for Coffee

Thursday 9.45 am Toddler Group) Term time

10.00 am Refreshments) only

Monks Eleigh URC

Sun 14th 3pm Mr C Wright

Sun 28th 3pm Mr R Howson

No Prayer and Praise this month

Spring Clean

As part of your extra commitment during Lent, why not come along and help give the Church and other rooms in our building a spring clean on Saturday 27th March.

Many hands do indeed make light work.

Come along any time from 9 o'clock until 12 midday and help in the task.



Claire

FROM THE MANSE

What a Word!

In the beginning God commanded and the whole creation came into being. What a mighty word! What a big bang!

Two thousand years ago Jesus, God's Living Word, entered into history and the world has never been the same. What a mighty Word. What a wonderful Saviour.

Through the power of a word there has been both creation and new creation.

Jesus said, "I tell you the truth, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be condemned; he has crossed over from death to life." (John 5.24) It is a word of eternal life!

There is no reason to believe that what God has ordained from the beginning of time is any different today. The Word of God has always had the power to change lives. It always will have the power to change lives.

For this reason I would urge you during Lent to spend time everyday with God's word. Read your way through Marks' gospel and really take to heart the powerful word that Jesus spoke. By the word of God he brought healing to others and overcame death itself.

Take to heart the wonderful good news of the gospel – literally good message! Recognize what God has done for you in Jesus and celebrate that good word at Easter.

Then, armed with the gospel, the mighty word of God, go out into the world and share the good message, so that others may be healed.

Yours in Christ,

Jim.

Easter Celebrations

Every Easter we remember and praise God for the victory over death and sin won by Jesus Christ. Through his death on a cross and his rising again, he won forgiveness for our sins and he assures us of everlasting life. Why not come and join us as we remember and celebrate?

28th March – Palm Sunday

N.B. The Palm Sunday Procession will start from the mile stone on the High Street at **10.15am** and arrive at church soon after the start of the service, which begins at **10.30am**. We are joined at Hadleigh URC by friends from other churches in the town to remember Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

1st April – Maundy Thursday

At **7.30pm** we gather for a reflective service and, using readings and hymns, we recall the events of the Last Supper and the arrest in the garden of Gethsemane.

2nd April – Good Friday

At **10.45am** we meet with Christians from other churches in Hadleigh outside St Mary's Church for a procession of witness through the town. We finish around noon at the Salvation Army. For those unable to follow the procession a parallel service takes place in the Salvation Army.



Our friends at St Mary's church invite us at **2.00pm** to join with them for the Final Hour Meditation.

4th April – Easter Sunday

Meet at **6.15am** at the Babergh District Council car park, when we will walk to the top of Constitution Hill for an Easter sunrise service. This is the first opportunity of the day to give thanks for the risen Lord.

From **7.00am** until **8.00am** there will be a time of prayer at church. This hour is our contribution to the URC's national 24/7 prayer week. It starts on Palm Sunday and finishes on Easter Day.

At **8.00am** in church there is a meditative service, Good Friday to Easter, when we quietly reflect on Christ's death and resurrection.

This flows into an early Easter Communion service at **8.30am**, which is followed by an Easter Breakfast in the Ansell Centre. The breakfast will start about **9.00am**, but please arrive any time up to **9.15am** to ease the flow of breakfasts from the kitchen.

At **10.15am** Inspired will lead a time of Easter praise in church and this will flow into our **10.30am** Easter Celebration for all ages. As the family of God we will give thanks for the resurrection of Jesus and share in Holy Communion.



You will be made very welcome at any or all of these events. *Jim.*

Annual Church Meeting **and Ordinary Church Meeting**

These take place on 1st March, 7.30pm in the Community Room.

At the Annual Church Meeting we will elect Elders and Church Officers. We will also give thanks for all God is doing through his people at Hadleigh URC.

At our ordinary Church Meeting there is much important business to discuss.

Please try to be present at these meetings. Jim

Vision4Life – looking at challenging prayer!

Wednesday 17th March, 7.30pm

6 Raven Way

All welcome- – even if you haven't been before!

Contact **Milly** (827895) for details.

Jars of Grace

On 14th February many of us took home a label, to attach to a jar, to collect coins for our Commitment for Life Partners in Bangladesh. The suggestion is we should try to donate 1p for the 1st day, 2p for the 2nd ... all through Lent. The money will then be collected in after Easter.



Anyone is welcome to join this scheme. No need to have a labelled jar.

Photos



It would be good to keep our church family photo board up to date.

If you are new to the church or if you prefer a more recent photo of yourself, please give one to us or ask us to photograph you.

We'll also be going around and 'encouraging' you to join the happy band on the photo board.

Milly & Jim.

Encounter

with **Jesus** and each other

Encounter Quiet Day

Tuesday 30th March, 10.15 – 2.30pm

Hadleigh United Reformed Church

led by Revd Joyce Willis

Theme: **Our journey with Christ**

10.15am Pause for Prayer

10.30am Coffee

10.50am Talk: Where we have come from; what has formed us?

11.10am Task: Look at our journey of life, through quiet reflection, art or craftwork.

12.10pm Talk: Where are we now? Where are we with Christ?

12.30pm Lunch

1.15pm Task: Reflect on the day or add to the artwork.

2.00pm Talk: Our future journey – hopes and expectations?

2.15pm Worship: Draw the day to a close with prayer.

2.30pm Tea

Bring some lunch to share, look at books, read, pray, do some craft work, go for a walk etc. etc.

You are welcome to come for all or part of the day, but please do book beforehand. Further details or to book contact:

Joyce (823165), **Anita** (810057), **Milly** (827895).

A Churches Together in Hadleigh initiative.

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT 2010

(22nd February – 7th March)

What does the Bible say about fair trade?

“The fields of the poor may produce abundant food, but injustice sweeps it away.” (Proverbs 13, 23)

Jesus said, “He has sent me to bring good news to the poor.” (Luke 4, 18)

There are more references in the Bible to responding to the poor than about prayer, atonement or Jesus’ resurrection. And it is the poorest people in the world who are suffering most at the hands of unfair trade. So what might “good news” mean for them? The verse goes on to talk about liberation of captives, protecting the weak, and the coming of justice so that all can be included in God’s Kingdom. Fair trade has this aim at its heart – a just system which frees producers from exploitation, enabling them to lift themselves out of poverty.

The Big Swap

YOU can help the Fairtrade Foundation reach their target of 1,000,001 swaps!

By the time you receive this newsletter we will already be in the middle of Fairtrade Fortnight which runs from 22nd February to 7th March. However, it’s not too late to take part in the BIG SWAP. The idea is that as many people as possible swap their normal purchases for fairly traded products during this fortnight (and afterwards too of course!). Your usual bananas for Fairtrade bananas, your usual cotton socks for Fairtrade cotton socks, and your usual cuppa for a Fairtrade cuppa. Whenever you pop to the shops, you can use your wallet to make a stand.

We are fortunate to have the Co-op in Hadleigh which stocks a huge range of fairly traded products. As well as coffee, tea, sugar, chocolate and bananas you will be



surprised how many other fairly traded products are available. How about trying their delicious own brand ginger or chocolate cake?

When you do purchase fairly traded products then please let me know what you have bought and I will register it on the Fairtrade Foundation website. They are aiming for one million and one swaps – so please help to make the target. If any members of Sunday Club make a swap (or persuade family members to do so) they can earn Fairtrade stickers (if they show me the receipt!). There will be a prize for the person with the most stickers - a fair trade prize of course!

Swapping your usual stuff for Fairtrade stuff is a brilliantly small step to making the world a fairer place. It means that you get to show your support for developing world producers through what you buy. Two billion people - a third of humanity - survive on less than \$2 a day. Unfair trade rules keep them in poverty, but we can help to make their lives just a bit better by paying a fair price for the products we buy. So this Fairtrade Fortnight, look out for the fair trade symbol.

Jan

A Prayer

Tilt the scales,
O God of the mustard seed:
That the poor shall see
justice.

Share the feast,
O God of Eden's abundant
garden:
That each crop may fetch a
fair price.

Upset the tables,
O God of the upside-down
Kingdom:
That the least can benefit

from their trade.

Open our eyes,
O God of life in all its
fullness:
That we may learn to walk
the way of your son
tilting, sharing, upsetting this
world

Not satisfied
until the products we bring to
our table
Give a better deal, to all who
hunger for one.

In His name, Amen.

Visits of interest.

I have been asked consider running possibly two trips away this year.

One , to Bury St Edmunds , would be a half-day, mid-week outing sometime in the spring.

John Rose is getting in contact with the Bury Historical society, who would give us a conducted tour of the town, with particular consideration of the cathedral. We would travel to Bury by train (I will not arrange any transport that involves motor cars if a viable alternative is available).

The other would be day out to somewhere like Ely where we could possibly take a tour of the Cathedral. Although , as before, that would be for yourselves to decide. That trip would probably be on Saturday the 18th September, travelling by coach.

Please do let me know if you would be interested in either or both trips. I expect that the Bury trip will cost around £13.00 with a third off for anyone with a rail card, and a further reduction for a party of at least 10 people. I do not know how much the Historical Society might charge. The Ely trip would be somewhere between £10 and £15.

Ronnie

THURSDAY GROUP

The group will meet on the 4th March (Thursday) at 7.30 pm - the Community Room.

The speaker will be Simon Thompson (member of our Church) his subject will be 'Scenes behind an airport'

There will be time for questions as well as refreshments.

Any queries please phone Phil - 01473 827370



BITS and SMALLS

'Out and About'

Nigel leading worship at Sudbury URC on 21st March.

The Explorers are at Boxford Parish Church on 7th March

Remember the
Church Coop
Dividend number:
2295

George and Pauline Barnes would like to thank all at the URC for their prayers and support at a difficult time following the sudden death of their brother-in-law.

May God bless you all.

Flowers

If you would like to place flowers in church, don't forget to sign the rota in the Vestibule. If you don't feel able to do the flower arranging, then someone can be found to do that for you.

Jim.

Please could you let me have all items for the Apr 2009 Newsletter by **Sunday 14th Mar** (21st if emailed)? Email to phil@the-wells.net, post to 11 Jordayn Rise, Hadleigh or use the tray in the Church. Thanks, Phil (827878)

Prayer Page

PEOPLE FOR PRAYER

Those in residential care

Ruth Glead, Dorothy Double, Violet Hines, Peggy Crabtree

Those mourning the loss of loved ones

The family of Cynthia Wilkerson

For thanksgiving

Dorothy Double celebrated her 90th birthday on Friday 26th February.

For details of others who have asked for our prayers, please consult the blue prayer folder in church.

Prayer!

Don't forget there is a time of prayer from 10am until 10.20 before our worship each Sunday morning. It takes place in the corner room in the Ansell Centre and everyone is welcome. Just turn up and spend time with God praying for our worship.

It is the URC Vision4Life Year for Prayer and the national Church is organising a continuous time of prayer to cover Holy Week (Palm Sunday to Easter Day). Every church is encouraged to participate in the 1st hour on Palm Sunday, 12-1pm. Different churches in the URC are volunteering to pray for one hour during the following week. We have opted for the hour from 7.00am on Easter Sunday. This is the hour between our Sunrise Service and the 8.00am 'Good Friday to Easter' Meditation. The prayer time will take place in the prayer corner in church and all are welcome to come and join in. **Jim.**

*It's important to know that words don't move mountains.
Work, exacting work, moves mountains. - Danilo Dolci*

Prayer Points for March

For our Annual Church Meeting and Ordinary Church Meeting, which take place on the evening of 1st March. Please pray for vision for our way ahead.

Lent groups continue during March. Pray that they will give us all a deeper understanding of our unity in Christ. As we each journey through Lent towards the glory of Easter, pray that we will draw closer to Jesus, our Lord

Hadleigh Youth Ministries working group decided to press forward with the plans to employ a Youthworker. We have set a challenging schedule. We meet again this month. Pray for encouragement through significant progress.

Our Mothering Sunday service on the 14th March is planned to draw people to hear about God's love. Charlotte Woodmore will be making her own profession of faith at that service. Please pray for her and for all those who come along.

The Eastern Synod meets on the 20th March. Pray for wisdom as they make decisions about the wider church.

Look forward with excitement to the glory of the Resurrection and ask God to keep the wonder of our faith burning in you.

*I have not the courage to search through books for beautiful prayers ... Unable either to say them all or choose between them, I do as a child would do who cannot read -- I say just what I want to say to God, quite simply, and [God] never fails to understand. - **Saint Thérèse of Lisieux***

Teach us to sit still ... And let my cry come unto Thee.

- T.S. Eliot, from his poem, "Ash Wednesday"

NEWS FROM THE ANSELL COMMUNITY CENTRE (ACC)

Wednesday Lunch Club



The ACC Committee is pleased to announce that, following the success of our Friday Luncheon Club, we will be organising a second lunch club to be held on the third Wednesday of the month. This will replace Ansell Snacks.

Like the original Ansell Luncheon Club which meets on the first Friday of the month, the Wednesday Lunch Club will be for members only and will provide a two course lunch + tea or coffee for £3. The purpose of the club is to provide a nutritious meal at a reasonable price where members can meet for friendship and conversation. There is no charge for membership but we do ask that members contact us if they CANNOT attend so that a meal is not cooked unnecessarily.

We are delighted that we have been able to organise the Community Bus to transport members who could not otherwise get to the Ansell Centre. This will cost an additional £1 per person.

The first two lunch clubs will be held on Wednesday 17th March and Wednesday 21st April. Members will be welcome to arrive any time between 12 noon and 12.30 pm.

If you would like to become a member then please phone Biddy on 822285 or Frances on 823719 and let them know of any special dietary requirements or if you require transport. Alternatively you may know of someone who would like to become a member. If so, then please mention the Club to them.

Thank you to everyone who has already agreed to help at the lunch club. However, it's not too late to get involved if you would like to volunteer! Just speak to Jan.

Hollywood in Hadleigh

Our film this month is “The Bank Job” on Friday 19th March at 7.30 pm. It’s the story of an audacious real crime bank hit on a room full of safe deposit boxes at a Baker Street branch. The boxes are worth millions in cash and jewellery but their real secret is a treasure trove of dark secrets. The film recreates London’s Soho in the early 1970s to perfection. Please note this film is category 15. As usual entrance costs £3 on the door and refreshments will be on sale during a suitable interval.

PRAYING USING THE FINGERS OF ONE HAND

THE THUMB first - Closest to me pray for family and friends.

THE FOREFINGER - Pointing direction - Those in authority over me during the day also church etc.

THE MIDDLE PROMINENT FINGER. Pray for the worlds heads of state, leaders and evangelists.

THE FOURTH FINGER. The weakest. Pray for the sick and those who minister to them. The disadvantaged. People without knowledge of Christ.

LITTLE FINGER.- Me, my problems hopes and opportunities *Sylvia*

Getting Ready for Mothering Sunday

all children (accompanied by a parent/carer) are invited to join in preparing posies for Mothering Sunday on

Saturday 13th March from 10.30am onwards
in the Community Room

There will be crafts and refreshments for all too!

More details from **Milly** (827895), **Michelle** (827757),
Michele (823634)

Guild Report

The Guild New Year Party which had been postponed due to bad weather was held on Tuesday January 26th in the Community Room. We enjoyed a variety of games and a quiz and a beautiful shared supper. Many thanks to all who contributed in any way to make such an enjoyable evening.

On Tuesday February 2nd we welcomed Wendy Morgan to the guild to hear about her holiday in New Zealand. Wendy had visited New Zealand before but was returning to combine visiting family and friends with a wonderful holiday. We saw some lovely photos and video of the countryside, the flora and fauna and the buildings in New Zealand. Wendy had also spent 5 days sailing on a tall ship and had undertaken a balloon flight amongst many other activities. Many thanks to Wendy for sharing her holiday with us and giving us a glimpse of life in New Zealand.

March Programme

- 2 Malaysia with slides - Peter Fox
- 9 Solomon's Temple - John Cunningham
- 16 No meeting
- 23 AGM = Bring and buy
- 30 Holy Week Devotional led by Miss Gill Taylor

Meetings at 7.30 pm on Tuesday evenings in the Community Room unless otherwise stated.

Yet even now, says the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; rend your hearts and not your clothing. Return to the Lord, your God, [who] is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relents from punishing.

- Joel 2:12-13

Lent Study Groups – Continue in March

It is not too late to join in. The course is entitled:

‘When I survey Christ’s Cross and ours.’

Meetings are in the Salvation Army Hall at 7.30pm on Wednesdays and 12 noon on Thursdays, when the Wednesday evening material is repeated. Here are the dates, titles and leaders for each session:-

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Leader</u>
3 & 4 Mar.	Into Great Silence	Sue Lambert/Eric Fisher
10 & 11 Mar.	The Child on the Cross	Jim Dalgleish
17 & 18 Mar.	Outside a City Wall	Martin Thrower
24 & 25 Mar.	Touching the Rock	Greg Frost

Each session will start will start by listening to a CD of a conversation about the topic.

For Thursday lunchtime sessions, please bring a packed lunch, if you wish (drinks provided). The CD will be started at 12 prompt to allow sufficient time for discussion afterwards. Please, therefore, arrive and sort out drinks and lunch in good time for a prompt start at 12 noon.

For more information, please get in touch. Otherwise just turn up and why not bring a friend? **Jim.**

Mothering Sunday

An all age service including songs, dance, cake and celebrating being a family on

Sunday 14th March, 10.30am

During the service the ladies will receive the posies that have been made and afterwards there will be refreshments for all.

All welcome

COFFEE MORNING
SATURDAY 20TH MARCH
10.00am--12noon
for raising funds for the
Samaritan's Purse

CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX PROJECT

Being involved in this project is a way in which we as a church & individuals can reach out to children living in difficult circumstances & bring God's love to them.

The monies raised from this coffee morning will be used carefully, to help provide items to go into the shoeboxes, i.e. toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, flannels, scarves, hats, gloves, small toys, notebooks, pencils.

Offers of help & items to raise funds on the cake & bring & buy stall will be gratefully received.

Please come along, enjoy coffee, tea & friendship whilst making a difference to God's children's.

Please note we may be in the Ansell Centre or the Community room.

Also please can you hold in your prayers the meeting at Great Wenham Farm on Friday March 12th, where the change of venue for our local sorting area of the boxes will be discussed.

Thank you, with Christian blessings, from Doreen & Hilary

Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; our God is merciful.
The Lord protects the simple;
when I was brought low, the Lord saved me.
Return, O my soul, to your rest,
for the Lord has dealt bountifully with you. - **Psalm 116:5-7**

"Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb." Mark 16:2.

Easter Day Sunrise Service at Hadleigh

Meet at 6.15am (sunrise is 6.26am on 4th April) in the Babergh DC Council Office Car Park in Corks Lane, to walk to the hills overlooking Hadleigh.

To worship God, to give thanks for Jesus' love shown at Easter and to pray for our community.

Please join us.

Please invite friends from other churches to join with us.

Vision4Life 24/7 Prayer

URC Week of Continuous Prayer

Praying for the Community and Those Around us.

Easter Day 7am to 8am in our Church

This is an initiative of the United Reformed Church nationally, that throughout Holy Week there will be continuous prayer offered by our denomination for the Community and for those around us. The Explorers have taken the initiative and our slot is for an hour from 7am on Easter Morning.

It will be in our Church, please consider joining us at this significant event.

A happy marriage is the union of two forgivers. - Ruth Bell Graham, poet, philanthropist, and wife of Billy

FAIR TRADE BANANAS

Some have commented that Fair Trade bananas only come in pre-packs of six, which they find too many to buy at a time. Actually I find that they can be kept in a cool place in one of those green bags specially for keeping fruit and vegetables, (obtainable from Partridges), for at least a week. (Though personally I do not find it difficult to eat six a week.) They are excellent food and a good source of vitamin B. Have you tried peanut butter and banana sandwiches? My regular standby snack.

To make:

CRUMBLY BANANA FINGERS

9 Oz. Margarine
9 Oz Demerara Sugar
12 Oz Self Raising Flour
6 Oz Porridge Oats
3 Bananas, Mashed
2 Oz Sultanas
1 Oz Caster Sugar

Cream together Demerara sugar and marg.

Add flour and oats, stir until mixture forms rough breadcrumbs.

Sprinkle half mixture over the base of a greased sandwich tin, lightly press down.

Spread the banana over the base and top with the remaining crumb mixture, level the surface.

Bake for 20-30 minutes at Mark 6 - 200c.

Allow to cool, then sprinkle with caster sugar.

Cut into fingers

Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. - **Ephesians 4:29**

Membership

If you are a regular worshipper at Hadleigh URC and are committed to the life of this local church, but have not become a Member, then please consider taking this step.

It is a great encouragement to everyone to know all those who have made a declaration of their commitment to the worship and witness of our church.

Please get in touch with me for more information. *Jim.*

What do you think about TV & Internet over a drink?

Is the prevalence of TV and Internet, not to mention social networking sites, making it harder for many people to interact socially? What has happened to good conversation and debate? Are they really in danger of extinction?

This is an informal discussion group for men, who want to talk about important issues. Come and enjoy a drink and air your 'Pints of View'! We don't expect to have all the answers, but we do enjoy learning from the different insights that we each bring.

Simply turn up to see what is going on.

Next meeting:

8.00pm Wednesday 24th March
The George Public House (back room)

All welcome!

For more information, contact **Jim** (827895).

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY IN MARCH

Mon 1st 1-3pm Banner Making, 6 Raven Way
7.30pm Annual Church Meeting, Community Rm

Tues 2nd 10-11.30 Come in for Coffee, Community Rm
10.15am Prayer Service, Church

Wed 3rd 7.30pm Film Discussion Group, Sideways,
Station Road
7.30pm Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army

Thu 4th 9.45am Toddler Group, Community Room
12 noon Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army
7.30pm Thursday Group, Community Room

Sat 6th 2-4pm Scrabble, Community Room

Sun 7th 7.00pm Inspired, Church

Mon 8th 8.00pm Badminton, Ansell Centre

Tues 9th 10-11.30 Come in for Coffee, Community Rm
10.15am Prayer Service, Church

Wed 10th 7.30pm Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army

Thur 11th 9.45am Toddler Group, Community Room
12 noon Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army

Sat 13th 10.30-12 Children's Flower Prep, Comm Room
2-4pm Scrabble, Community Room
3.00pm Hadleighlujah Chorus Practice, Ansell C

Mon 15th 8.00pm Badminton, Ansell Centre

Tues 16th 10-11.30 Come in for Coffee, Community Rm
10.15am Healing Prayer Service, Church
3.00pm Church Plans Group, 21 Fullers Close

Wed 17th 7.30pm Vision4Life, 6 Raven Way
7.30pm Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army
7.30pm Hadleigh Youth Ministry, Minister's Vestry

Thur 18th 9.45am Toddler Group, Community Room

12 noon Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army

Sat 20th 10-4pm Eastern Synod, Bishops Stortford
2-4pm Scrabble, Community Room

Sun 21st 7.00pm Inspired, Church

Mon 22nd 8.00pm Badminton, Ansell Centre

Tues 23rd 10-11.30 Come in for Coffee, Community Rm
10.15am Prayer Service, Church
12 noon Lunch Study Group, 16 Weavers Close

Wed 24th 2.00pm Bible Study, Whatfield Salv'n Army
7.30pm Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army
8.00pm What do you think?, The George

Thur 25th 9.45am Toddler Group, Community Room
12 noon Churches Together Lent Group, Salv Army

Sat 27th 2-4pm Scrabble, Community Room
3.00pm Hadleighlujah Chorus Practice, Ansell C

Mon 29th 8.00pm Badminton, Ansell Centre

Tues 30th 10-11.30 Come in for Coffee, Community Rm
10.15am Prayer Service, Church
10.15am Encounter Quiet Day, Church

Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things." - Mark 8:31-38

Justice: once that word is uttered, where will it all end? ...
Where can that lead but to laying down our arms?

- J.M. Coetzee

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