

**ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH  
AND  
PARISH MAGAZINE  
*NOVEMBER 2017***



**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- 30th Oct      **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**, 7.30 p.m., Village Hall
- 3rd Nov      **STORYTIME**, St. Michael's Church, 6.30 p.m.
- 9th          **COFFEE & CHAT**, St. Michael's Church, 2.00 p.m.
- 14th        **W.I. ANNUAL MEETING**, Village Hall, **7.00 p.m.**
- 25th        **CHRISTMAS MARKET**, 10.00 a.m. - 4.00 p.m.  
St. Chad's, Tushingham

Each issue  
25P

**Churchwardens:**

**Jane Lunt (662910)**

**Diana Thomas (663738)**

## NOVEMBER SERVICES

### ST. MICHAEL'S, MARBURY

5th	9.00 a.m. HC BCP ALL SAINTS		
	Readers &	Geraint Jones	1 John 3: 1-3
	Sidespersons:	Mary Jones	Matthew 5: 1-12
12th	10.45 a.m. REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY *		
	Readers &	Harry Paton-Smith	Mica 4: 1-5
	Sidespersons:	Tony Lewis	Romans 8: 31-39
19th	11.00 a.m. SW *		
	Readers &	Jean Gregg	1 Thess 5: 1-11
	Sidespersons:	A/P Hunter Johnston	Matthew 25: 14-30
26th	4.30 p.m. Evensong		
	Readers &	Steve Wood	Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24
	Sidespersons:	Tricia Harvey	Matthew 25: 31-46
3rd Dec	9.00 a.m. HC BCP		
	Readers:	Mary Vernon	Isaiah 64: 1-9
		Peter Thomas	Mark 13: 24-37
	Sidespersons:	Philip Bebbington	
		Peter Thomas	

Services marked \* will be lead by visiting clergy or lay readers.

### ST. CHAD'S TUSHINGHAM

5th	4.30 p.m. SW All Souls
12th	10.45 a.m.* REMEMBRANCE
19th	9.00 a.m. HC CW
26th	11.00 a.m. Family Service

### ST. MARY'S WHITEWELL

11.00 a.m. HC CW
10.45 a.m. REMEMBRANCE
11.00 a.m. Family Service
11.00 a.m. SW *

In all of life's business what a pleasure it is to take time out and walk...

Getting out and about in our green spaces has been proven to be a significant way of healing the body, the mind and the spirit.

As the leaves fall, so can our worries...

Walking by the canal side one early evening to find some peace and quiet I experienced real tranquillity - a duck or two on the water, the sound of a distant tractor, the bird's singing their final songs of the day encouraging the night to draw in...

As the sun began to set in the crimson sky I sat on the bench near the lock and as the peace flowed into my heart I recalled the words of a hymn written by John Greenleaf Whittier:

*Drop thy still dews of quietness  
Till all our strivings cease,  
Take from our souls the strain and stress  
And let our ordered lives confess  
The beauty of thy peace...*

"Peace I leave with you, my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid" said Jesus, The Everlasting Prince of Peace.

Our greatest need is peace, a life of wholeness, security and meaning - the world can offer only a vain hope of peace but the Spirit of God and the knowledge of his word brings an inner peace that surpasses all our understanding and is truly beautiful.

Yours,

Veronica. x

### FROM THE REGISTERS

Congratulations to

Mr and Mrs Dean and Jayne Bolas married October 13th

Mr and Mrs Alexander and Natasha Lunt married October 15th

## STORYTIME

Stories, song and prayers for 0 – 7yr olds

...dress code - pj's with our teddy bears....

...followed by hot chocolate, marshmallows & cookies....

**First Tuesday of every month, 6.30pm.**



### ADVANCE NOTICE



**Friday, 8th December**

Christmas Concert at St. Michael's - Farndon Brass Ensemble

This will be followed by a drink and mince pies

Tickets will be available — only £7.50

**Saturday, 25th November, 10am - 4pm**

Christmas Market at St. Chad's Tushingham



### Macmillan Coffee Morning



A big thank you to you all for joining in the fun and to everyone who kindly brought a cake, or two..... Thank you also to all those who helped me on the day, whether it was selling raffle tickets, serving drinks, washing up or anything else that was going on.

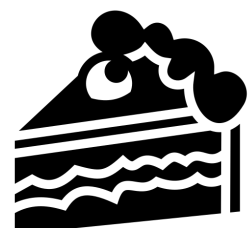
Thank you to Hannah, who worked tirelessly on the day preparing such beautiful arrangements of flowers for you to purchase—and you did, in droves, boosting the pot tremendously. The raffle winners were Julie, Di, Jill and Mary.

And finally, a big thank you to you all for showing such generosity on the day, and also to those of you who were unable to join us, but still donated to such a worthy cause.

You managed to raise a staggering £887.00.

I can't thank you enough.

Kathy Johnson



## TO THE WONDERFUL PEOPLE OF MARBURY:

Thank you so much for the generosity you have shown since I asked if you would be kind enough to offer sponsorship for my memory walk. Together we have raised over £350 to support the wonderful work of the Alzheimer's Society! This is enough to fund 9 days of research, an informative training session or 10 1:1 support sessions for a person with dementia!



I walked my memory walk with my cousins, around the stunning grounds of Cholmondeley Castle, on Saturday 7th October. The turn out was amazing! It was really special to be among so many people joining together to 'walk for a world without dementia'. Luckily the autumn rain held off until we'd all finished.

If anyone feels they would like to add to our fundraising, you can pay in online at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/MW17rebeccaiones2018> or speak to me (or Mum Margaret!).

I am truly overwhelmed at the kindness you have all shown,  
THANK YOU!

*Rebecca*



## CONGRATULATIONS!

**Michael and Christine Chapman**

celebrated their golden wedding this year.

They were married on the 5<sup>th</sup> August, 1967 at St. Michael's Church, Marbury, and are still living in the area at Norbury.



## VILLAGE HALL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

6th November  
2nd December

Quiz Night  
Christmas Party



Tickets for all events from Committee Members

### VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Clare Hollins (Chair)	01948 663783
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***It's YOUR VILLAGE HALL!***

Visit the web site: [www.marburyvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.marburyvillagehall.co.uk)



### **AUCTION OF PROMISES**

Thanks to the hard work and generosity of everyone involved the Auction, which was held on Friday, 29th September, raised a grand total of around £3,200! Thank You.



### **Coffee and Chat**

Coffee and Chat is on Thursday, 9th November, 2017  
in St Michael's Church  
at 2.00 p.m.

Come and meet together for fellowship, coffee and chat.  
We look forward to seeing you.

***Please note the day & time - Thursday at 2.00 p.m.***

## Useful phone numbers and contacts for residents

Vicarage	663758
Parish web-site	<a href="http://www.parishmag.org">www.parishmag.org</a>
Clerk to Parish Council	663750 (Geraint Jones)
Village Hall Bookings	664900 (Penny Allington)
<i>Doctors:</i>	
Bridgewater Practice	01948 662097
Wrenbury Surgery	01270 780210
Shropdoc	0333 222 66 55
Travel information	<a href="http://traveline.info">traveline.info</a>
Cheshire East Information	0300 123 5500
Mobile library	0300 123 5018 Every 3rd Thursday, afternoons
Citizens' Advice Bureau	0800 630 0762
Police, non-emergency	101
Police, emergency	999
Police Officer Nicky Berry	<a href="mailto:nicola.berry@cheshire.pnn.police.uk">nicola.berry@cheshire.pnn.police.uk</a>
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Nantwich Police Web Site	<a href="http://www.cheshire.police.uk">www.cheshire.police.uk</a>
To report litter	0300 123 5011
Environmental Health	0300 123 5015
Dog Warden	0300 123 5021
Social Care and Health	0300 123 5010
Potholes	0300 123 5020 <a href="http://www.cheshireeasthighways.org">www.cheshireeasthighways.org</a>

### **Defibrillators** are located at:

the phone box @ Ravensmoor x roads; The Black Bear, Whitchurch; The Civic Centre, Whitchurch; Sainsbury's, Whitchurch; Tesco, Whitchurch; Swimming Baths, Whitchurch.

If you have information which would be helpful to others please e-mail them to: ***[makinatmarbury@aol.com](mailto:makinatmarbury@aol.com)*** for inclusion in the next magazine.

News and articles with diary dates for  
**DECEMBER 2017 & JANUARY 2018 !!!**

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e-mail to: [makinatmarbury@aol.com](mailto:makinatmarbury@aol.com) by **15th NOVEMBER**  
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