

# The Villager

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The community newsletter for Mapledurwell,  
Up Nately, Newnham, Nately Scures & Greywell



## Community Policing News

I begin this month with an appeal for any information concerning an assault that took place in the woods at The Barracks, Newnham during the afternoon of Monday March 18th 2019. At this time a local female resident was taking her dog for a walk when she was struck by someone in the woods and who then verbally abused her. This is very unusual in our area and from the information that I have at this time I can reassure residents that there is no danger or threat to them in this area. I am aware that a lady with her dog was entering the woods as the young victim and her dog were leaving, I ask if that person could please give me a call direct. If anyone can assist with any information in relation to this incident I ask that you please give me a call direct. As always all calls treated in strictest confidence.

Also in Newnham overnight of March 8th and 9th a garage was broken into at a home in Newnham Road and two chainsaws were stolen. I ask if anyone saw anything suspicious to again give me a call direct. On the night of March 9th again in Newnham an electric gate to a house in Crown Lane was damaged, these two crimes may well be linked and it would suggest that someone untoward was in the village looking for outbuildings to break into and property to steal.

On a similar note on March 19th 2019 at 2.18am a number of men were seen walking on the road at Newnham Green towards the pub with torches whilst others were waiting at the crossroads behind the road closed signs at the end of Crown Lane. They all then disappeared quickly. Later at 3.29am, that morning two saloon cars were seen coming from Crown Lane going towards Old Basing. I ask if anyone has CCTV to just have a check and see if it has captured anything of a suspicious nature on the nights of March 8th / 9th and the 19th.

On a personal note may I thank all those who kindly have sent me congratulations regarding the award I received from the Hampshire High Sherriff after a nomination from the Candovers Parish Council. The award is gratefully appreciated, however, I believe that I have the best policing job in Hampshire and it is my local residents that continue to support me that allow me to provide as dedicated service as I can, equally we all pay our council tax and should have a decent policing service. Thank you for all your support and to my team of Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinators who do an excellent job, thank you also to those that attended the social gathering at the Candovers Club on Thursday the 21st, your attendance was gratefully appreciated.

Sincere wishes

*Andy*

**Andrew Reid, Local Constable**

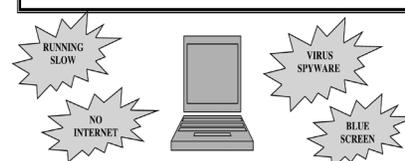
01256 389 050 Mob 07768 776 844 andrew.reid@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

## Diary dates

### April

- 2 St Mary's Holy Dusters, Maple, 10am
- 3 Messy Church, All Saints Odiham 3.15-4.30pm
- 6 Mozart Requiem, The Anvil
- 9 Greywell Cafe, Village Hall, 3pm-4pm
- 12 Up Nately Coffee Morning, 10-12 noon, Eastrop Cottage
- 13 Newnham Spring Litter Pick, 10.30am
- 13 Messy Church, St Nicholas, Newnham, 2-4pm
- 16 Mothers Union, St John's Church, Hook

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# Mapledurwell & Up Nately

## Up Nately Coffee Mornings

The next coffee gathering will take place on Friday 12th April, 10-12 noon, at Eastrop Cottage, call Liz on 762059. All the coffee ladies wish Daphne Kinsella a speedy recovery after her nasty fall in the garden, get well Daphne we miss you!



**Huge thanks** to the wonderful people who have helped to cut down trees and overhanging branches on the canal towpath, taking away the obstacle course!

## St Mary's church 'Holy Dusters'

Cleaning for this month will be on

**Tuesday 2nd April @ 10am**

Come and enjoy a natter while we dust.

All are welcome.

Suzie 0750 448 2838.

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on 474432

or check out the website at  
[www.mapledurwellvillagehall.com](http://www.mapledurwellvillagehall.com)

## Mapledurwell & Up Nately Parish Council

Next Parish Council meeting 15th May Parish Assembly and Parish Council AGM

Wednesday 15th May, 8pm, Village Hall. All residents of Mapledurwell, Up Nately and Andwell are warmly invited to attend.

The Assembly will be preceded by a short Parish Council Annual General Meeting in the Committee Room.

### Mapledurwell & Up Nately Parish Planning Applications

T/00131/19/TCA (validated 20 March) The Old School House, Greywell Road, Up Nately. One large Oak tree – light pruning works as advised by the Local Authority Tree Officer.

19/00149/LDEU (pending, validated 31 January) Nunnery House, Tunworth Road, Mapledurwell. Certificate of Lawfulness for the continued use of land as residential in relation to garden area, garage, drive, and area around the garage.

18/03675/FUL (pending, validated 24 January) Parrotts, Greywell Road, Mapledurwell. Change of use and extension of agricultural building to form one 2-bedroomed dwelling.

18/02435/FUL (granted 8th March (approved by Development Control Committee meeting of 6th March) Church Field, Land At OS Ref 468719 150901, St Marys Church Road, Mapledurwell. Change of use of land from agricultural to a dog exercise area, with associated parking and erection of a 1.8m high fence.

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All Saints Odiham  
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3:15 - 4:30  
&  
St. Nicholas, Newnham  
Saturday 13th April,  
2pm - 4pm



Songs  
Stories  
Snack  
Crafts

## Newnham & Nately Scures



### Newnham Clubroom is for hire

For hire from £15 per hour inclusive. Tables and chairs may be borrowed for use at your own venue for £3 and 50p per day respectively, hirer collects. Visit [newnhamclubroom.org.uk](http://newnhamclubroom.org.uk) or call 07435 782 122.

### NEWNHAM SPRING LITTER PICK

With Spring in the air I am reminded of our need for a litter pick, so I thought I would remind you all! Saturday 13th April at 10.30 is the date. Please put it in your diary and help make our village look great for Easter.

Matt Guy 01256 762 490

### Newnham & Nately Scures Parish Planning Applications

T/00124/19/TCA Cromwells The Barracks Newnham Hook Hampshire RG27 9NW. T1 Ash: reduce by approx 3m leaving a finished height of 12m and side growths of 2-4m east and west.

T/00109/19/TCA Cromwells The Barracks Newnham Hook Hampshire RG27 9NW. T1 Ash: crown reduce.

T/00098/19/TCA Brambles Newnham Road Newnham Hook Hampshire RG27 9AF. 1 Cherry tree, 1 Plum and 1 Apple tree: fell.

T/00095/19/TCA Bridleway Tylney Lane Newnham Hook Hampshire RG27 9AJ. T1 Oak: Crown reduction to a final height of 18m with 7m canopy spread to the East and 6m canopy spread to South.

19/00615/HSE Fairview Blackstocks Lane Nately Scures RG27 9PH. Extension to existing detached garage and provision of 2 dormer windows to existing garage roof.

### NORTH WARNBOROUGH & DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 23rd May in the North Warnborough Village Hall. Our Annual Plant Sale will start at 1:30 PM. Then, at 2:30 PM, we look forward to welcoming Kelvin Mason, who will talk about "Herbs".

The competitions will be:

1. A Vase of Roses.
2. An Arrangement from the Herbaceous Border.
3. A Bunch of Herbs.

Visitors are very welcome to join us. We are a friendly Club whose members share an enthusiasm for gardens and gardening.

For further information, please telephone 01252 843848

## Kidzone

By the time you read this, we'll be more than half way through Lent and you'll almost be able to taste the Easter eggs you're hoping to get on Easter Sunday! Did you decide to give something up this year – or even better, take something on? Changing habits is really hard, isn't it, so I hope you've been successful!

One of the best bits about Easter is all the traditional food we can enjoy – Easter eggs, hot cross buns – but have you ever heard of Simnel cake? A traditional fruit cake covered in marzipan with 11 small marzipan balls on top. These balls represent Jesus' disciples. "Hang on," I hear you say, "Jesus had 12 disciples!" True, but traditionally we leave off the one which represents Judas Iscariot. Do you remember why?

52 MAB ST: this is a great way to remember the names of Jesus' disciples! Come along to Messy Church this month, and I'll teach you the song!

5 The 5 Js: John, James, James son of Apheus, Judas, Judas Iscariot

2 The 2 Ps: Peter and Philip

M for Matthew

A for Andrew

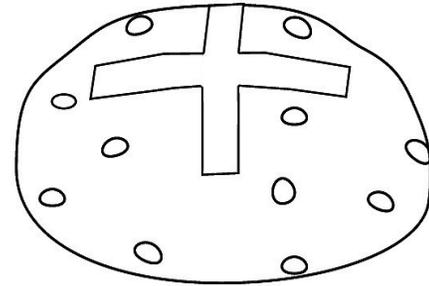
B for Bartholomew

S for Simon

T for Thomas

## HOT CROSS BUN RECIPE using a bread machine – super easy!

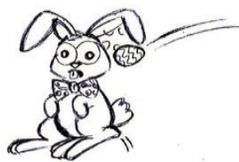
- 450g strong plain flour
- 1.5 tsp fast action dried yeast
- 200ml milk
- ½ tsp salt
- 1 tsp mixed spice (level)
- 75g caster sugar
- 50g butter, melted
- 1 medium egg
- 30g currants (more or less to taste)
- 30g mixed peel (or extra dried fruit), chopped



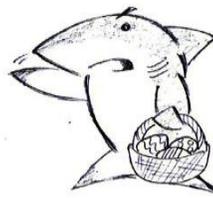
### Method:

- Add the ingredients in the order according to your manual (either wet or dry ingredients first)
- Use the dough setting and add the dried fruit at the raisin beep
- Divide the dough into 12 pieces and shape into buns
- Set the buns well apart on the prepared trays
- Leave them in a warm place until doubled in size
- Make two cuts on the top of each bun to form a cross
- Bake just above the centre of the oven (200 / Gas Mark 6) for 15-20 minutes
- Glaze with a mixture of water and icing sugar.
- ENJOY!

What do you get if you call a rabbit names?



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A hot cross bunny!!

*Art by  
30/03/10*

# Greywell



## VILLAGE HALL

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## St Mary's Greywell April highlights

4th April Lent Lunch  
with Deborah Glover.

Good Friday  
2pm Walk of Witness

Easter Day  
11am Family Service.  
Come and Celebrate with us.  
There will be eggs!

## Parish Planning Applications

**19/00637/HOU** Church Cottage The Street Greywell Hook RG29 1DA. Proposed re roofing of existing dwelling and associated works including rafter repairs and replacement of barge boards.

**19/00639/PREAPP** Old Wharf House Hook Road Greywell Hook Hampshire RG29 1BT. Traditional oak framed extension to provide a new family kitchen/living space and some minor internal alterations.

**19/00638/LBC** Church Cottage The Street Greywell Hook RG29 1DA. Proposed re roofing of existing dwelling and associated works including rafter repairs and replacement of barge boards.

**18/00765/FUL** Dairy Complex White Lane Greywell Hook RG29 1TL. Partial demolition and conversion of existing agricultural buildings to provide a day health spa facility. Creation of secondary access road, provision of car parking, landscaping and planting.

**19/00317/CA GC005840 Ash** - Street Record Deptford Lane Greywell Hook Hampshire. Remove deadwood over 50mm diameter - Plus crown lift to clear all infrastructure by 2m GC005841 Ash - Damaging fence - Fell, leaving stump just above ground level GC005842 Plum - Growing in phone lines - Fell, leaving stump just above ground level GC005843 Sycamore - Crown lift - lift to clear infrastructure by 2m GC005844 Group Various - Crown lift over footpath to 2.5m - Lift whole group along fence line site side only GC005845 Group Various - Crown lift - Lift whole group site side only to 2.5m.

## GREYWELL CAFE

Tuesday, 9 April between 3pm  
and 4pm.

Tea or coffee, and biscuits will be provided for a small charge of £1 per person, any profit going to Village Hall funds.

Should anyone require transport to the Hall, I am sure we will be able to arrange it.

Libbie (702978) and  
Jackie (702859)

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## Mothers' UNION

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### North Hampshire Downs Mother's Union

Our meeting on Tuesday April 16th will be somewhat different to our usual meetings, as we have been invited to join members of the congregation in St John's Church, Hook for their Seder meal. This is the traditional Jewish meal held at the beginning of the Passover Festival, and was the meal that Jesus and his disciples shared before Jesus' trial and crucifixion. As well as sharing a range of symbolic foods, the evening will include a retelling of the story of the flight of the Israelites from Pharaoh and the Egyptians. It will be wonderful preparation for us in Holy Week as we prepare for Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

If you want to find out more about our branch or the Mothers' Union more generally, please contact our Branch Leader, Sue Murphy on 01252 845011.

# Church Notices

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## Mid-Week Holy Communion

We next meet in the warm and welcoming home of Lady Nell at The Dower House in Greywell on Tuesday 16 April at 11 am. We have a traditional service, with a chance to discuss the gospel reading, to offer our own prayers and then to enjoy coffee, cake and conversation before we go home! We'd love you to join us – and if you would like to hear more about it, or would like a lift, please contact Rev Linda Scard.

## Diary dates in April:

24th April - – Annual Parochial Church Meeting at Mapledurwell and Up Nately Village Hall at 8pm.

## Church Services

### April 7th

|         |                      |                                      |
|---------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 8.00am  | Holy Communion (BCP) | Newnham (on behalf of Nately Scares) |
| 9.30am  | Holy Communion (CW)  | Mapledurwell                         |
| 11.00am | Morning Service      | Greywell                             |

### April 14th (Palm Sunday)

|         |                                |                              |
|---------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 10.15am | Walk with donkey from          | St. Swithun's, Nately Scares |
| 11.00am | United Parish Family Communion | Newnham                      |

### April 18th (Maundy Thursday)

|        |                                 |        |
|--------|---------------------------------|--------|
| 7.30pm | Benefice Holy Communion Service | Odiham |
|--------|---------------------------------|--------|

### April 19th (Good Friday)

|         |                    |           |
|---------|--------------------|-----------|
| 11.00am | Hymns & Reflection | Up Nately |
| 2.00pm  | Walk of Witness    | Greywell  |

### April 21st (Easter Day)

|         |                      |                                      |
|---------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 8.00am  | Holy Communion (BCP) | Newnham (on behalf of Nately Scares) |
| 9.30am  | Family Communion     | Mapledurwell                         |
| 11.00am | Family Service       | Greywell                             |
| 11.00am | Family Communion     | Up Nately                            |
| 11.00am | Family Service       | Newnham                              |

### April 28th

|         |                      |           |
|---------|----------------------|-----------|
| 8.30am  | Holy Communion (BCP) | Newnham   |
| 9.30am  | Family Service       | Up Nately |
| 11.00am | Holy Communion (CW)  | Greywell  |

## Special Church Services

**April 14th** – Palm Sunday - There will be a United Family Communion service at Newnham at 11.00 preceded by a walk with donkey at 10.45 am.

**April 18th** – Maundy Thursday - As always, we worship with our sister churches across the Benefice with a service of Holy Communion at All Saints' Odiham at 7.30pm. A very good way to begin the Easter weekend.

**April 19th – Good Friday** - We offer two quite different services for this most sombre and holy day of the church year. At 11.00am at St. Stephen's, Up Nately, there is a service of hymns and reflective talks, while at 2.00pm we shall be making a Walk of Witness in Greywell. We meet by the waterworks on Deptford Lane and end with a prayer and reflection in the church.

**April 21st – Easter Day** - Each of our churches has a service to celebrate Easter. (Nately Scares' service will be held at Newnham). Do join us!

## Special Notices

**St. Swithun's Nately Scares** – good news that the ceiling repairs will commence on 1st April and we therefore hope that the church will re-open by the end of May. We will be planning a huge service of celebration on that joyous day, which will also mark the restoration of St Swithun's bells.

**Electoral Roll** – This has to be completely renewed every 6 years and 2019 is renewal year! To continue to be included on the Electoral Roll or to be added, please complete a new form which can be obtained from the churchwardens.

**APCM** – On Wednesday 24th April we have our Annual Parochial Church Meeting in Mapledurwell and Up Nately Village Hall at 8 pm. All those who are on the electoral roll of, or feel connected to, one of the churches in the United Parish are invited and encouraged to attend. We will review the previous year in the life of our churches and look forward to what is to come in the next twelve months. This is your opportunity to contribute to conversations which shape the ministry and mission of the United Parish and to elect PCC members who represent your views in meetings and at key decision-making moments.

**Explore: theology** - Following on from the Autumn School of Theology, Reverend Helen O'Sullivan and Peter Moore, Licensed Lay Minister are running a group for people who would like to delve deeper into the Scriptures and theology. For more information, please email Helen on nhdbupcurate@gmail.com.

The sessions are every other Tuesday afternoon from 2 – 3.30 pm at the Chaplaincy Centre, RAF Odiham, RG29 1QT (enter the RAF Station, take the first right and the Centre is on your right with plenty of parking outside). The theme for the sessions is: Sunday School Stories you think you know. We will uncover the surprises in well-known stories and texts. In April the sessions are: Tuesday 2nd April: 1 Cor. 13 Love is.....?

Tuesday 16th April: Revelation, A message for the End of Time or for Now?



## Letter from Revd Simon Butler

In about 1630 Rembrandt painted a picture called The Entombment. It is a striking picture of the entombment of Jesus that captures the hopelessness, grief and desolation of what many thought would be the end of Jesus of Nazareth.

In the picture Rembrandt manages something extraordinary as he uses golden flashes to portray dazzling bursts of light emanating from Jesus body. The only light in the picture comes from Christ, Rembrandt shows no other source.

Looking at the picture the way in which the light appears draws our minds back to paintings of the nativity scene. As the infant Jesus shone in the crib, so here, the adult Jesus shines in the tomb.

The painting attempts to depict the scene on Easter Saturday and in it we see the darkness of Good Friday and the joy of Easter Day. Darkness and light. Despair and hope. Rembrandt seems to have captured perfectly the opening lines of John's Gospel "the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it".

But a painting, a little like the Gospels themselves, can only go so far. Nothing, no account or picture could ever capture the full magnitude of the events surrounding Easter. But nonetheless we're given a window through which to look and see that in Jesus, in the cold tomb, life overcame death, the darkness was chased away by the glorious light of God, and new life can be found.

The Easter story is in one sense really that simple. That having died for the Sin of the world, Christ is raised in Victory, conquering sin and death, and proclaiming the offer of forgiveness and new life to all who will trust in him.

The first Easter marked a new beginning for Jesus' early followers. In response to the bewildering events they found themselves looking back at events in the distant past with fresh eyes that now made sense of the present. They looked to the future too with a renewed sense of hope and faith.

I wonder if this Easter might be for us a similar sort of turning point? A time when we might see afresh or even for the first time, the wonder of Jesus resurrection and allow it to heal our past and transform our future.

Over the Easter weekend all of our Churches will be re-telling the Easter story. Inviting us once again, not just to look but to see the risen Christ. And then, having seen, we are invited to embrace the new life that Jesus offers and encounter the living Christ in the here and now.

"The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it"

### Lent lunches

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| 4th April  | Greywell, Deborah Glover,<br>email: gloverdm@outlook.com                               |
| 11th April | Up Nately, The Lodge, Juliet Wauchope<br>01256 768 800,<br>email: jpwauchope@gmail.com |
| 12th April | Nately Scures, the Y Knot<br>contact: monica.wardrop@outlook.com<br>07702 096810       |

All at 12.30

### Bishop of Winchester's Lent Lecture 2019

This year's lectures will be held on Wednesday 10th April 2019 at Christ Church Winchester. Lucy Peppiatt, Principal of the Westminster Theological Centre and a Licensed Lay Minister in the Church of England, will be speaking on 'The Spirit and the Kingdom of God'. As before, there will be a programme of lectures and discussions during the day (morning and afternoon), with an extra session in the evening for those unable to attend during the day. Further information, including a full brochure and booking details, will be available soon. All are welcome to attend.

### Food Bank Camrose Centre, Basingstoke

Throughout the year our churches support our local Food Bank in Basingstoke, but during Lent and Advent the food we collect goes instead to the Camrose Centre, also in Basingstoke. The Camrose Centre is a drop-in centre primarily aimed to help homeless and vulnerable people, although it is open to all. The Centre offers its clients breakfast and a hot lunch, table tennis & games, advice on housing, employment, drugs and alcohol issues, telephone and computer facilities to assist with job applications, etc. and training in a variety of topics. If you'd like to contribute, please leave your donation in the clear plastic boxes at the back of each church.

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