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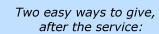
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For more information about ways to help with the finances of the church, for instance:

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Please speak to our treasurer, Juliet Edwards, or one of our churchwardens.



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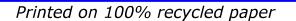


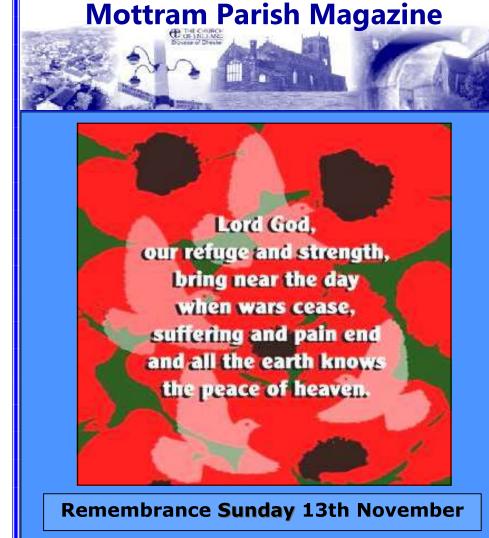
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Our Parish Safeguarding Coordinator is:

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If you are worried about a particular person or situation in connection with any church activity, ring Claire, or you can use a safe email address to report it; this email is checked daily, and can be accessed only by Claire. Contact: safemottram@gmail.com





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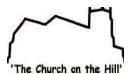


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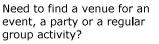
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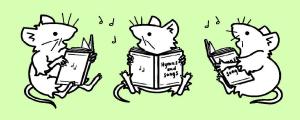
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#### Not to be taken seriously...



...just not quite so sure about the wording...



#### The poppies of Remembrance

In late 1914, WW1 erupted across Northern France and Flanders. Great swathes of previously green fields and forests were blasted and bombed,

leaving them bleak and barren, with seemingly every living thing destroyed.

Then in Spring 1915, something beautiful began to come out of the destruction. Tens of thousands of bright red Flanders poppies began to appear across the endless vistas of mud. These resilient little flowers had flourished in the middle of so much chaos and destruction, because their seeds grow when exposed to sunlight, through disturbance to soil.

We all know that these endless fields of cheerful poppies, growing in the midst of such misery and destruction, were what inspired the Canadian doctor, Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, to write the now famous poem 'In Flanders Fields'.

It was McCrae's poem which inspired American academic Moina Michael to adopt the poppy in memory of those who had fallen in the war. She got it adopted as an official symbol of Remembrance across the United States, and worked with others who were doing the same in Canada, Australia, and the UK.

A French woman, Anna Guérin who was in the UK in 1921, caught the same vision, and planned to sell the poppies in London. There she met Earl Haig, the founder of the Royal British Legion, who was persuaded to adopt the poppy as its emblem in the UK.

The Royal British Legion ordered nine million poppies and sold them on 11 November that year. Since then, the red poppy has been a symbol of Remembrance, of support for the Armed Forces community, and of hope for a future of peace.

Betty, Sue and I have just been on a special Cursillo (pronounced kur-see-o) weekend. This has prompted me to try and promote Cursillo in our Church.

For those who don't know about Cursillo, it is run under the British Anglican Cursillo Council. It is a lay led Christian movement of like-minded people who are wanting to develop their faith.

Cursillo originated in Spain and the name Cursillo means short course. The weekend is usually 3 days, (although a 2 day weekend is being considered for those who work and can't get a Friday off) Thursday to Sunday, and consists of 15 short talks, 5 meditations and the Eucharist each day and is held at either Wistaston Hall, Crewe, or Foxhill, Frodsham.

After the actual weekend there are follow ups, that consist of Group Reunions where three or four people meet up to discuss their faith. These are held regularly on a monthly basis or whenever the groups choose. Chester Diocese hold two or three get-togethers, which are known as Ultreyas. These are held at different Churches in the Diocese and all Cursillistas are invited to attend. The Ultreyas, another Spanish word which means onwards and upwards, are usually from 10am to 4pm and include a bring and share lunch and finish with the Eucharist.

If anyone is interested to know more about this movement, please have a word with one of us, or alternatively join us at a Group Reunion. We will be delighted to tell you when our next one is.

There are leaflets and information at the back of Church to tell you about Cursillo, or google Chester Diocese and you will find lots of information about us.

Kath Higgins

#### **Registers and Records**



Baptisms
Sunday 16 October
Bertie Alan
Atkinson



### Funerals and Interments of ashes

Tuesday 4 October 2022 Beryl Gregory

Thursday 6 October
John Tector

Sunday 9 October Bertha Davey

Sunday 30 October Jill Lightfoot



#### Flying The Flag



Wednesday 9 November 2022 Birthday memories of Ann Whitehead

Friday 11 - Sunday 13 November The Union Flag in memory of all those who made the final sacrifice

Sunday 27 November The saltire in loving memory of Janette & Humphrey Baxter

Wednesday 30 November
The saltire on St Andrew's Day.

**Contacts** for arranging baptisms, thanksgivings, weddings, blessings and funerals can be found inside the front cover.

Flying the flag -contact Tony on 01457 765350 or email flag@mottramparish.org.uk

#### **Family History**

We can help you with family history enquiries if you have an ancestor buried here. To contact our family history expert Bill Jubb, email familyhistory@mottramparish.org.uk

#### Let's Pray

#### Parish Prayer Rota November 2022

Month by month, we invite you to pray with us for all the residents of the parish, asking for God's blessing or healing touch wherever it is needed.

Love your neighbour as vourself'

Stringer Avenue
Stringer Close
Stringer Way
Chain Bar Lane
Chain Bar Way
Ashworth Lane
Day Grove
Abbey Gardens
Longdale Gardens
Gray Close



Our regular prayer group's next fortnightly 'virtual' meetings are 7th and 21st of November.

Let us know what's on your mind, for yourself, those you love, or for the world. Reply to our regular Facebook post or eNews bulletins, and we'll include it in our prayers.

You can also ask for personal prayer, in complete confidence. Send your request to Tony Kershaw by email, Whatsapp, phone, text or Messenger.

tonykershaw @mottramparish.org.uk tel. 01457 765350

We don't always get the answer we expect or want, but it's always good to share with God.

#### **Church Open**

Fridays 9:30-11:30am

The Church is open most weeks for visitors and private prayer

## **Advent Song**

Lift up your heads
Prepare for the Promised One
The Promised One
of Patriarchs,
Hope-light of Israel
Shining through the dark

#### For those who have died

Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted,

either by death or life:

hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy:

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### NOTICE BOARD

**Community Groups and Charities**You can make use of our notice boards - it's free!

Contact the magazine editor - details inside the front cover.

Deadline for the December issue is Monday 21 November.

The magazine should be in church and online by Sunday 27 Nov.





# Mowam Graft Group

Meets every fortnight at the vicarage 30a Broadbottom Road

Whatever craft you do, you're welcome. Wednesdays 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>d</sup> November 1-3pm

Why not come and make gifts for sale at the Christmas Fair?

To Bethlehem and beyond.

years

#### **NOTICES** (CONTINUED)

#### **Walking with the Walkers**

Saturday 12 November 10:30am at the church gates.

Welcome to all - not just churchgoers!

**Dovestone Reservoir** 

Followed by planning meeting back at Church.

A moderate walk led by Tony and Chris 07729 866803

As usual - please come prepared for all weathers with suitable footwear, and bring a packed lunch. We meet at the church gates, and car share, so can offer a lift for non-drivers.

We collect a voluntary donation of £1 per person per walk for the benefit of an agreed charity - Glossop Mountain Rescue in 2022.



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# **Church Services (2)**



A short church service around the village with our friends from Hope Community Church

Balmoral 3:00pm Lowry Court 3:45pm William Ford 4:30pm

October 23rd, November 27th,
December 18th

# St Barnabas, Hattersley

#### **Every Wednesday** 10.30am

Holy Communion - a joint service with our friends and neighbours at St Barnabas Church, Hattersley Road East, Hattersley, SK14 3EQ.



# **Christmas**

 Our 9 lessons and carols service is traditionally held, here on the Sunday before Christmas, however, due to the World Cup final being held on that day, churches have been advised to move this service to another day. This service will now be held on the 11<sup>th</sup> December.



## **Church Services (1)**



All these services are at St Michael's, Mottram unless otherwise stated.

Sunday 6 Nov.

8.30am

10.30am

3rd before Advent
Early Communion
Worship for All

Sunday 13 Nov. 2nd before Advent Remembrance Sunday

8.30am Early Communion

10.30am St Michael's, Mottram

Worship for All with Act of Remembrance.

10.30am **Broadbottom** 

The parade will leave the Community Centre, Lower Market St. Broadbottom at 10.30am. Act of Remembrance at the Broadbottom War Memorial 10.45am.

Sunday 20 Nov. Next before Advent

**Christ the King** 

8.30am Early Communion 10.30am Worship for All

with Communion and Prayer Ministry

**Sunday 27 Nov.** Advent Sunday 8.30am Early Communion

10.30am Worship for All with Communion

**Sunday 4 Dec.** 2nd in Advent 8.30am Early Communion

10.30am Worship for All with Communion

Evening (Time to be announced)

Remembering our loved ones at Christmas. This will replace our annual memorial service which used to be held in October. Names to be read out - contact Juliet.

Visitors who regularly take communion in their home church are welcome to join us at the table.

#### **MORE NOTICES**

#### **Spotlight Meals**

Provides hot meals for the homeless in Greater Manchester and for local families in crisis due to loss of income. For more information and how to help - ring Christine Brandreth.

The next collection of frozen meals will be: Sunday 13 November - 10.00am at the church gates.

Please let Christine Brandreth know nearer the time if you are going to bring any - ring 01457 238268.



Thank you to everyone who contributes.



First Steps Baby & Toddler Group meets on Mondays 1.30 - 3.00pm Mottram Community Centre Church Brow, Mottram, Hyde, SK14 6JJ

For more information contact Pat Hall on 01457 861827 or Pat Hall and Charmian Wilby at www.mottramparish.org.uk/intouch/contact/pat or just turn up on the day!

(No meetings during school holidays)

#### **OUR GAS PRICES HAVE INCREASED FOURFOLD!**

Even with our good deal via the Parish Buying Scheme, this is a huge increase. This autumn, we will be putting the church heating on as late as possible. As the weather gets colder, the heating will go on, but for shorter periods.

Please bear with us and dress appropriately.

We would like to have a stock of blankets, to help vulnerable people, or visitors unaware of the situation. Can you help by bringing any spares to church? Please give them to the churchwardens, and they'll make them available.



# Saturday 26 November Mottram Community Centre 11.00am - 4.00pm

(Doors open 9.00am to allow stall-holders to set up)

#### **Stalls** Body care **Books** Bottle Cake

Polly & Catherine Pam & Joan Jean & Shirley Sandra & Dorothy Crafts Jewellery Val

Charmian

Knittina &

Cheryl Charles Sewing Fraser & Mum Name the Teddy Raffle Chris Kershaw Refreshments Jean Russell Margaret &

Tombola Brenda

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Used & New Sue & Bob Woodburning Cait (for info.) What's in the box David Russell

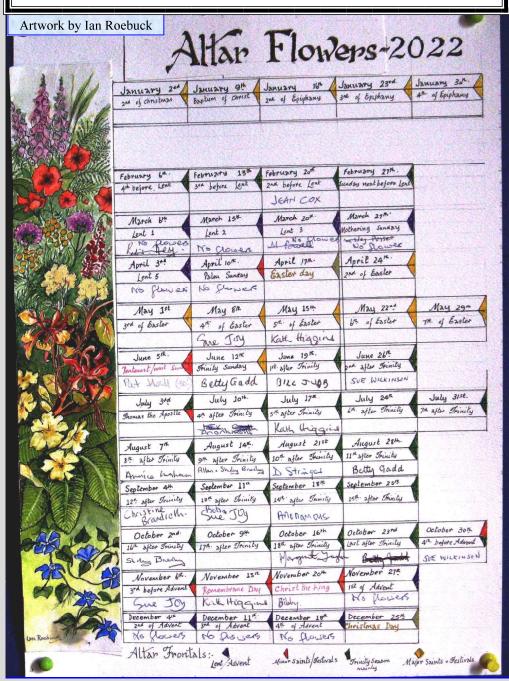
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#### **Donations for** stalls would be appreciated.

Should you require further information please ring

Dorothy 07498291812 0161 900 8639

or Sandra 0798 7624637



**FLOWER ROTA** 

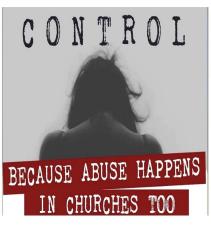
#### **Dates for your Diary**

Raising awareness of abuse within church families.

In response to research by Coventry University And women's charity Restored, A challenging play presented by PRESS RED

Wednesday 23rd November Mottram Parish Church, At 7.30pm Tickets available from ticketsource

Many thanks to \*\* action for supporting this project



**Mottram Parish** Church

Wednesday 23rd Nov. 7:30pm.

Admission free

**Donations** welcome

Research by Coventry University, in partnership with charity 'Restored,' studying the C of E, reveals that 42.2% of churchgoers admit experiencing at least one abusive act in a previous relationship, with 1 in 4 experiencing an act of abuse within their current relationship. However, only 2 in 7 churchgoers consider their church adequately equipped to deal with disclosure of domestic abuse.

In response to the research, Press Red, who exist to raise awareness of violence against women, commissioned 'Control,' a theatre piece designed to help the church recognise warning signs, consider biases and assumptions, and provide signposting for professional support.

This live theatre experience demonstrates the collapse of a relationship in the face of one man's controlling behaviour, misogynistic beliefs and abusive tactics. The performance provides a challenging insight into the cycle of abuse employed in a Christian marriage exploring the attitudes, beliefs and culture which support the behaviours.

It has been delivered to New Scotland Yard, the Home Office, Tearfund and other gender justice forums and conferences, community groups and churches. Audiences have included police officers, lawyers, survivors, perpetrators, artists, politicians, church leaders, congregations and the wider general public.

This newly revised version, recently premiering at a Manchester University and Cliff College colloquium, has an additional focus on spiritual abuse, exploring how misuse of scripture can help create a culture where coercive control can exist.

Actor and writer Matt Britton, has over 25 years of theatre industry experience, including previously working as an applied dramatist practitioner with perpetrators of domestic violence in probation group settings.

Actor Emily Lawson has worked professionally in theatre for over 15 years, from fringe theatre and independent films to musicals.

**Saturday 12 November Barn Dance** at the **Magdalene Centre Broadbottom** 

Tickets £7.50 (children free)

Tickets available in church soon.

Please bring your own picnic and drink.



**Saturday 26 November Mottram Community Centre Church Brow** 

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## **Saturday 19 November** 10am - 2pm **Christmas** Wreath making day



Learn how to gather greenery from the churchyard without harming the trees.

Create beautiful wreaths to be sold at the Christmas Fair. If anyone has any unwanted plastic baubles or other weatherproof decorations that they would be happy to donate, please bring them into church.





#### A Place of Welcome

A weekly 'Drop in' afternoon at **Mottram Community Centre, Church Brow** 



Where people can come in for a couple of hours to a warm building, and share a hot drink and some simple food during the cold winter months. Starts Wednesday 9th November 2:00-4:30pm



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#### **Telephone**

Nursery Mobile 07594640487 (08.30 - 14.00)

**Email** longdendalepreschool@yahoo.co.uk

#### **Church News (1)**



#### **Christmas Shoebox Appeal**

A simple shoebox gift packed with love and fuelled by prayer bringing Good News and great joy to children around the world.

#### Deadline 13 November

Visit the display in the south aisle or see Margaret Taylor for more information





#### Winter fuel crisis

We would like to have a stock of blankets for those who need them in church.

Can you help by bringing any spares to church? Please give them to the churchwardens, and they'll make them available



Our Children's Sunday Group is back every Sunday morning (during the 10.30am service) for children aged 4 - 11.

If you're between 4 and 11 years old come and join us - you'll be very welcome!

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