

# **Stoneleigh & Ashow News**



**February 2016**

# DO NOT BE LIKE ME!

One thing I really don't like doing is filling in questionnaires. I never believe the forlorn but persuasive person who stops me in the middle of a busy street claiming it will only take two minutes. I politely enquire from anyone calling by phone if they realised that we have opted into the telephone preference system. My email box is already bursting so anything that looks like a survey is easily overlooked as I press on. Anything that still drops onto the doormat looking suspiciously like market research gets filed in the pile with other papers I haven't decided what to do with until it's too late.

So I ask myself: "why?" Why am I so averse to filling in questionnaires? Partly I think because I am a reflective type, and I will think deeply, even agonise, over which of the boxes I really agree with.



I will always see another angle, and would ask the questioner another question. On the rare occasions that I have actually put pen to paper to fill in a questionnaire, mine is the one which

is completely defaced – and my view certainly never fits completely in a box.

Then there's the section where they ask you to tell them a bit about yourself... well, we all know what that feels like! I mean, how ridiculous to start the age bracket there... when I'm so obviously still in my twenties as far as outlook and attitude go!!

So this month I am beginning with a plea. **DO NOT BE LIKE ME!**

Early this month Stoneleigh church is inviting you to fill out a questionnaire which will be delivered through your door and available in Stoneleigh church. We are asking you to consider the role of the church in the community and to add your voice and views. Whether you are already involved in the life of the church in any way or not, we value your opinion and your ideas and your criticism.

I hope this might be the start of a fruitful conversation that will empower us to be the vibrant church I believe we are called to be. Why? Because we really want to listen and to learn and to let that inform how we serve our community actively and effectively.

So, to all of you who do give time to filling out the questionnaire – thank you! For those who like me will want to deface the form and add lots more thoughts... go ahead, but why not also take us up on the offer which accompanies all the forms, and follow it up by a face to face conversation.

Looking forward to hearing from you!

God bless

**Reverend Sharon Goble**

Priest in Charge of Stoneleigh and Ashow.

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Also this month:

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February 10am at Stoneleigh church** we welcome Bishop John to our united service of Holy Communion where he will also be talking about the opening up of a welcome centre for Syrian Refugees in Offa House in Offchurch.



**At 11am in Stoneleigh Church on 14<sup>th</sup> February** we invite you to celebrate love on Valentine's Day. If you were married in Stoneleigh or Ashow churches, however long ago, and would like us to include a hymn or reading from your wedding service, please contact Sharon about it.



A COURSE FOR THE CHRISTIAN JOURNEY

A pilgrim course has been meeting in six-week bursts on **Tuesdays from 6 – 7:30 in**

**Stoneleigh Church.** The course describes itself as *“designed to help you discover the Christian way of life. It unpacks the basic message and teaching of the Christian faith, and also shows you how to pray and how to live like Jesus. It does this in a way that is reflective and conversational.”*

**On Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup>** from 6 – 7:30pm in Stoneleigh church we start another series of six weeks which will take us through **Lent**. All are invited to join in this next stage which will be exploring the creeds and explores the core of Christian belief in greater depth through the Nicene and Apostles Creeds. Its six sessions aim to equip participants with an understanding of these priceless resources for living the Christian life and for knowing God better. Please let Sarah know if you are hoping to come on [sarahjballinger@gmail.com](mailto:sarahjballinger@gmail.com)

A **new Pilgrim group** looking at what Christians believe using again the first book in the Pilgrim resources about Turning to Christ, exploring the heart of Christian belief through the six questions candidates are asked at baptism. This group will meet at the same time from **6 – 7:30pm in Ashow Club beginning 9<sup>th</sup> February**. This is really suitable for people who just want to explore what Christian faith is about, ask questions and listen to different views. Please let Sharon know if you are hoping to come (so she can buy enough pancakes for the first session!) – and if this time is no good for you but you’re still interested still let her know so we can shape another course around your availability!

## **STONELEIGH MALE VOICE CHOIR CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERTS**

Stoneleigh Male Voice Choir would like to thank all those people who attended our two concerts before Christmas at Stoneleigh Abbey. Once again the chapel at the Abbey was full and there were enjoyable evenings of songs and readings. A special thanks to Rev. Sharon Goble for her introductory talk and closing prayers, to the readers Janet Honnoraty and Liz Sykes and to soloist Mandy Morris.

The choir is delighted to announce that the retiring collection (including a donation from SMVC) raised £750 for the charity Helping Hands, based in Leamington Spa which helps homeless and needy people living in the area.



Geoff Mexson presenting Lianne Kirkman and Liz Chalaczkiewicz of Helping Hands with a cheque for £750

The Choir is proud to say that a total of £6534 was donated to good causes during 2015.

# Ashow Church News

Stephen and Kate and all the PCC would like to thank everyone who helped to make the Advent and Christmas Carol Services such a success again this year. We are very pleased to say the church was packed for these popular services. The music was organised by Susan Spencer and the Ashow Parish Singers were excellent on both occasions. The handbell ringers from Leek Wootton added to the musical accompaniment. Barbara Lewis provided lovely home-made mince pies at Advent and Peter Shrimpton prepared and heated the mulled wine after the service.

We had a presentation after the Advent service for the charity “Zoe’s Place”, who locally offer respite and palliative terminal care to babies and children from birth to 5 years and support their families. We are pleased to report that from the collections at the Advent and Christmas Carol Services, a donation of £341.75 plus Gift Aided envelopes has been sent to this charity.

This is a reminder that any donations to the church, which is a registered charity, can be gift aided by putting the money or cheque into one of the envelopes in the pews or by the door, and ensure that you fill in your address and sign it. We can claim an extra 25% back from the Inland Revenue. Last year this amounted to almost £2000.

As you will have noticed, we have recently bought some new Hymn Books- “Mission Praise”. These have cost us £5 each or £20 for the full music editions. Again we invite people to buy one perhaps in memory of a loved one, or for their own use, and if you decide to gift aid these please mark the envelope “Hymn Books” if the donation is for this purpose.

The church looked wonderful over Christmas with flower arrangements by Diana Holt and others, and we are grateful to all who helped decorate the candle poles, and Stoneleigh Estate managers who again generously donated the Christmas tree.

We are a small church, but we have a lot of excellent support. Philip Jones organises the Sidespersons' rota and readers, and Bob Burdett the hymns. Thanks also to our organists, Barbara Lewis, Peter Bernasconi, and Susan Spencer. Diana Holt organises the flower and cleaning rotas, and we would like to thank all those people who took part in these activities, and we would welcome any additional volunteers who wish to go on the cleaning, flowers or sidespersons' rotas. Neil Collett continues to wind the clock which has chimed in the village for numerous years. George Horton and Tony Gregory have kept the churchyard in very good trim. We are very grateful to the volunteers who open and close the church every day, and we know from what people have said or written in the visitors book how much the access to the church is appreciated.

Lastly, our vicar Sharon, continues to inspire us and we continue to be pleased to see her so well behaved children often in Ashow Church.

**Stephen Harvey**



**Saturday 27 February 2016 at 7.30 pm**  
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Concert venue:  
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CV32 4HN

## Stoneleigh WI Report

On 1st December forty villagers sat down to a traditional Christmas lunch in the Village Hall. The lunch was once again sponsored by the Stoneleigh Male Voice Choir, who also provided the after lunch entertainment. On Sunday 6th December Stoneleigh WI hosted the Leigh Group Christmas Celebration. Baginton, Hodgetts Lane, Kenilworth, Leek Wootton and Southbank WIs joined us for a programme of readings and carols. Music was provided by the Stoneleigh Hand Bell Ringers. Mulled wine, tea, coffee, mince pies and shortbread were served at the end of the meeting. On Monday 7th December the WI Christmas party took place in the Village Hall. In November and December the Craft Group made Christmas decorations which were on sale at the Village Lunch.

At the meeting on 4th January Annaliese Jacques from the Hartshill Cookery School gave an entertaining and practical bread making demonstration. She showed us how to make ciabatta and focaccia bread using the same dough. As she talked through the method, she gave us lots of useful tips, including the best flour to use and the difference between using fresh and dried yeast. She also talked about her work at the cookery school and the Hartshill café, which specialises in afternoon teas.

The next Village Lunch will be on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February. The menu will include beef casserole. If you would like to book a place, please phone Rachel Gill on 024 76 414030. The February coffee morning will be on 16th February at the Village Club

On Monday 1st February Eugene Shellenberg will talk about the Ifakara Bakery Project which he and his wife, Margaret set up in Tanzania.

*Rachel Gill*



# The Music of Johann Sebastian Bach

Organ Recital by Ron Binnie

on

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March, 7.30pm



on the Nicholson organ of  
St Mary the Virgin, Stoneleigh

Tickets: £10 including a glass of wine and canapés

For Tickets or any more information contact

Stoneleigh Parish Office: 02476 415506

email: [admin@stoneleighchurch.co.uk](mailto:admin@stoneleighchurch.co.uk)

or Sarah Ballinger on: 02476 715256

email: [sarahjballinger@gmail.com](mailto:sarahjballinger@gmail.com)

All profits will go towards the Stoneleigh Church Fabric Fund

# Ancient and Modern

## Stoneleigh Community Orchard update

The 'Country folk' of the Radio 4 serial 'The Archers' went wassailing in the Ambridge orchard recently. This *waes hael* or *good health* ceremony is supposed to preserve the trees in the subsequent season. We haven't (yet) revived this tradition in the Stoneleigh community orchard; our first pressings of cider are regarded as too rare and precious to be slopped around on the ground, and the trees are not yet sturdy enough to stand even the tiniest 'Wassail Queen' being hoisted into their branches. But maybe nextyear.....are there any volunteers to wear leaves and carry flaming torches?

Ancient traditions are not absent from Stoneleigh however. As usual on Boxing Day the Coventry mummers wove their motley way round the village with the 'Stoneleigh Christmas play' featuring a good doctor who can cure everyone from a slain knight to a headless magpie. We are most grateful that the mummers chose to give the orchard group a generous £50 from their collection box. This will certainly help preserve the trees!

In our orchard, the winter activities have been more down to earth. In November some yellow rattle was sown. This is a native wildflower which suppresses the vitality of the grass and therefore promotes tree growth and diversity of other wildflowers.

The other main activity of this winter was the planting of 12 new cider apple trees (mostly Dabinett) Pete Freeman reports that the trees were obtained at a good price but had to be collected from Somerset. Rory O'Connor kindly lent his van and Rory and Pete had a long and quite challenging journey. The van is only 8ft long and the trees were 11 ft. This meant that progress up steep hills was particularly ...er...

interesting, and an ancient TomTom sent our doughty pair up a few more hills than was actually necessary.

Once the trees were safely in Stoneleigh several hardy volunteers turned out on 5th December to dig holes, plant, stake and protect the new trees. As it was one of the few really chilly December days, the bacon baps and hot coffee by Amanda Gibbs were much appreciated. We hope the new trees get off to a good start despite this atypical winter weather.

### **Marianne Puxley**

The Orchard group welcomes new members. The annual membership is £10 and can be paid to Pete Freeman (Chairman) 5 Church Lane Stoneleigh, [Pete.Freeman@swft.nhs.uk](mailto:Pete.Freeman@swft.nhs.uk) or Richard Hancox (Treasurer) [Richard.Hancox@emhighways.co.uk](mailto:Richard.Hancox@emhighways.co.uk).



The KNIT 2 TOGETHER GROUP will meet in future at the  
Village Club,

on alternate WEDNESDAYS to Bingo,

commencing on Wednesday 24th February 2016 at 7.30pm

All welcome to come along to chat and knit, help given if  
needed.

For more information contact Marian on 02476 417055

## Stoneleigh Church Building Update

You may well be reading this after attending the information meeting held in church on 31 January. If you weren't able to attend, this is a brief update. We felt it was important that everyone has an opportunity to find out about what is happening in their church and building. Sharon has already explained in her message that as part of the second stage submission to the Heritage Lottery Fund we are required to consult with the community.

This has been a long process which we are hoping is now coming to a conclusion. Back in 2011, when my father was still treasurer, we were turned down for a grant by English Heritage, as it was known at the time, because our repairs were not seen as urgent. Three years later, November 2014, we submitted another application to the renamed Heritage Lottery Fund and were granted permission to carry on to the second stage. Eighteen months later we are now moving into the final stage of the second submission which has to be in by the 18 March.

A team made up from the PCC, villagers and various professionals has been working to fulfil the strict requirements of Heritage Lottery Fund applications. This has not been an easy process as they have so many conditions to fulfil and everything has to be presented in the correct format; this alone was alien to most of us and it has been a steep learning curve! We have been very fortunate to have Niki Molyneux, who lives in the parish, as member of the PCC. This is her area of expertise and she has been invaluable in particular to the community aspect of the application.

If the next stage in the application is successful and we get awarded the full grant we plan to begin repair work on the building at the beginning of August. There is still a shortfall of £80,000 if we are to get all the work done at the same time. Applications and letters are currently being sent to other grant giving organisations.

Whilst the repairs, which will take a number of months, are taking place we have been advised that there will be limited access to the building. We are exploring various options within the village where we can hold our Sunday services.

Thank you to everyone who has helped us so far. There have been so many of you who have contributed in so many ways. We really appreciate everything you do and value all your comments. There are exciting and challenging times ahead for us all!

**Sarah Ballinger, Churchwarden**

**Stoneleigh Male Voice Choir**  
**Present**  
**AN EVENING OF COMEDY AND SONG**



at  
Stoneleigh Village Hall  
on

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2016 at 7.30 pm  
Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2016 at 7.30 pm  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2016 at 5.00 pm

Tickets **£20** including a two course meal are  
available from Phil Jones 01926 853511.  
(Bring your own drinks and glasses.)



Preview night  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm.  
Tickets **£5** including tea/coffee  
and biscuits.  
**Free** for Stoneleigh Pensioners.  
Contact: Phil Jones

## **“The Heart of Stoneleigh” Defibrillator**



Donations from Stoneleigh United Charities and the Male Voice Choir took us over the line and gave us a buffer for unforeseen expenses. As with all the donations, I am extremely grateful for those. Unfortunately, an unexpected expense has arisen sooner than we would have wished.

The phone box door is badly twisted and is letting in cold and rain. Repair will cost at least £250.00 and a replacement door at least £950.00.

It is hoped that the Parish Council, which owns the phone box, will meet the cost of those repairs, so that the defibrillator can be installed.

On a brighter note, we have a potential Community First Responder (CFR) but we need more volunteers for the basic CPR and defibrillator training. The generosity of donations has been excellent. Can it be matched by more people giving just a little time to do the training?

I look forward to hearing from you. Please contact me on 07785 284482 or at [dae@MediationandArbitration.co.uk](mailto:dae@MediationandArbitration.co.uk).

*David Ellwood*

## HS2 UPDATE

HS2 has remained in the news throughout the holiday period, not least given the comparatively small amounts of money being allocated for flood defences compared with the many £billions for HS2.

StAG (in particular yours truly) has had to spend a good deal of time preparing our challenge to the claims made by HS2 Ltd that we had no particular right to challenge statements made in documentation about the route and its implications for our area. The challenge was heard by the Select Committee in the House of Commons on HS2 on 5 January and I was accompanied by Cllrs Mackenzie and Fryer representing the Joint Parish Council's petition at the same afternoon session. It was an interesting session in that many of the people heard raised the same concerns over congestion on busy road networks during construction, but to no avail.

I am afraid to report that our challenges were also not successful, and we have not been given leave to appear before the Select Committee again to present the community's concerns over this project. Our case has however been presented to the Select Committee by our MP, Jeremy Wright, Warwick County Council and Warwick District Council, but it is always good to have a very specific locality representing their concerns.

Our concerns ranged from the lack of appropriate mitigation against noise, to the disruption to Stoneleigh Park, and to the impact on the A46, B4115, A452 from the construction works. Warwickshire County Council are pursuing their own agenda to construct a roundabout on the A46/ C32 Stoneleigh Road junction, but to bring this forward so that it is in place before HS2 construction works start. Whether this is achievable is to be seen, and I have to urge caution here. There is some work to be done on construction traffic routes to and from the proposed compound area.

It may be premature to say too much until further information is available, but if anybody would like to know more in due course, then please contact me and we will see if further updates can be made available. If there is more to say then we will of course use these pages in future editions.

Martin Smith  
for the Stoneleigh Action Group.

## **Stoneleigh History Society**

Our Christmas Social was enjoyed by one and all, and we are now looking forward to Shirley Ball's talk on her memories of Stoneleigh people, to be held in the village hall on February 6<sup>th</sup>. (see elsewhere in this edition)

Our next "official" history society meeting will be on Tuesday February 23rd at 7.30pm in the village hall. Our programme of talks for the whole year has variety and interest for all, and our first one of the season is no exception: moving slightly outside our borders, we shall hear the story of the Earlsdon Fountain – a restoration project which has been close to the heart of one of our members, Avril Newey, for 30 years! The talk will be given by Peter Walters, well known for his journalism and books on Coventry's history. Everyone is very welcome.

The churchyard project is taking up a great deal of some members' time, and we are always happy to receive offers of help. Please contact Lisa Reay (02476 697037) if you would like to be of assistance in any way. Finally, apologies for the inadequacies of the history society website, which was hacked at Christmas – it is taking a while to restore!

**Sheila Woolf**



Courtesy of the Coventry Telegraph



## **Stoneleigh Village Club**

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and a very Happy New Year! It was a busy time at the club over the festive season and it was especially lovely to see so many neighbours, friends and their families come together to celebrate New Years Eve.  
A good time was enjoyed by all.

We have a number of events in the club in February:

Tuesday 9th February - Pancake night at 6.30pm (Pancakes with various toppings for £1.00 and a Pancake race with prizes! Enter if you dare!)

Saturday 13th February - The Church Quiz night at 7.30pm (Come along, enjoy the quiz and have a drink)

Friday 26th February - Fish n Chip night at 7.00pm (Please order your fish 'n' chips with Jimmy at the bar and stay later to watch the Rugby)

We are also looking forward to the SIX NATIONS RUGBY which starts in February. The club will be open for the six nation games in February which includes:

Saturday 6th SCOTLAND V ENGLAND at 4.50pm

Saturday 13th WALES V SCOTLAND at 4.50pm

Friday 26th WALES V FRANCE

Saturday 27th ENGLAND V IRELAND

Early notification of the Cricket Club quiz on March 12th - Keep the date!

We are also in discussion about an event for St Patricks night and, perhaps the Cheltenham Cup. WATCH THIS SPACE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

Look forward to seeing you all at SVC  
Ann Lowe & the SVC Committee

# PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

JANUARY

FAST NEWS FROM THE P.C.

- Cllr W Redford produced the results of the survey of the Vehicle Count and Speed Summary for Stoneleigh village which was taken from 12<sup>th</sup> November until the 1<sup>st</sup> December. This now needs to be analysed. An electronic copy is being requested from Warwickshire County Council
- There still seems to be confusion whether or not the land around the Gateway site is in or out of Green Belt. Cllr M Doody who attended the Parish Council meeting as Chair of Warwick District Council is to liaise with Ms Tracy Darke and ask her to send us a written report.
- Donations received to date for the Defibrillator for Stoneleigh has reached £1,550.

## *Meetings*

The February Ordinary Council Meeting will be held at Ashow Village Club, Ashow on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2016 at 7.00 p.m.

## *Vacancy Parish Councillor - Stoneleigh Ward*

There is a vacancy for a Parish Council at Stoneleigh Ward following the resignation of Cllr Mrs Sue Crofts. If you are interested then please contact either the Chairman Cllr R Hancox, 07770 826310 or email [Richard.hancox@kier.co.uk](mailto:Richard.hancox@kier.co.uk) or myself on 01926 491482 or email [maddisonsgandpa@fsmail.net](mailto:maddisonsgandpa@fsmail.net). Closing date for applications is Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the Parish Council to thank Sue for her hard work, dedication and integrity she has given whilst serving as a Councillor. I am pleased to say that she will still be the Parish Council's representative on the Dame Alice Leigh's Almshouse Charity.

### ***Neighbourhood Plan***

It would be good to have some more residents in both Ashow and Stoneleigh involved in the Neighbourhood Plan. If you are interested then please contact either Cllr R Hancox or myself.

### **Pat Maddison - Parish Clerk**

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Saturday 6th February 2016

at

Stoneleigh Village Hall

7.30pm

£10.00 including a ploughman's supper and  
pudding

Please bring your own drinks

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and  
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please contact Revd Sharon Goble

For any other matter,  
please contact the Parish Administrator:

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**ADVANCE NOTICE - put this date in your diaries**  
**Celebration of the Queen's 90th Birthday**  
**Sunday 12th June 2016**

It is hoped to hold a Big Birthday Tea Party for Stoneleigh Village at the Village Hall on the above date as part of the weekend celebrations.

A working group is being set up to plan this event, with representatives from the different village organisations. Ideas welcomed and volunteer helpers are needed please to make this a great day for our village.

If you would like to help, please contact Mandy email: [agibbs@goinglean.co.uk](mailto:agibbs@goinglean.co.uk)  
 or Nora tel.02476 415405 / email: [blagburn@talktalk.net](mailto:blagburn@talktalk.net)

# Stoneleigh Residents Past & Present

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Some of you may be aware that the Stoneleigh History Society's project and display for 2016 is continuing with the wonderful Memorial Inscriptions of the Stoneleigh Churchyard that the Stoneleigh WI put together 35 years ago. The History Society is trying to add to that with the birth marriage and burial records that are now available online, as well as taking photographs of the headstones. It is surprising how many have altered in the last 35 years, whether it be the addition of names or deterioration of the stone, so the work carried out by the WI has proved invaluable. We are also trying to put together a synopsis for each person in the churchyard.

Are you able to help with this project? It could just be providing a photo of the person, sharing fond or funny memories, newspaper cuttings or Stoneleigh magazine articles. Where they lived, what their occupation was - anything no matter how small could help us immensely. There are unmarked graves too; do you know anything about those?

If you do think you could help or would like to be involved please contact me on 024 7669 7037 or by email [lisareay@btinternet.com](mailto:lisareay@btinternet.com)

Lisa Reay



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THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY, ASHOW  
and  
ST MARY THE VIRGIN, STONELEIGH**

***SERVICES FOR FEBRUARY 2016***

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>      10.00 a.m. United Holy Communion at Stoneleigh  
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>      **Ash Wednesday**  
                    10.30 a.m. Holy Communion at Stoneleigh  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>      9.30 a.m. Holy Communion at Ashow  
                    11.00 a.m. All Age Worship at Stoneleigh  
Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>      9.30 a.m. Holy Communion at Ashow  
                    11.00 a.m. Fellowship Holy Communion at Stoneleigh  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>      10.30 a.m. Holy Communion at Stoneleigh  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup>      9.30 a.m. Village Service at Ashow  
                    11.00 a.m. Sung Holy Communion at Stoneleigh

***From the registers***

***Funerals***

*Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December- Dr Peter Brown- Thanksgiving Service*

***Baptisms***

*Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Harry Robert Hunt*

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