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SHAPWICK, PAMPHILL & COVGROVE



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Barry Johnson

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If we declare that Jesus is alive, then the Christian faith is more than just a study of the teachings of its founder; it is more than just a reflection on the inspiring example of a hero; it is an ongoing openness to encounter the risen Stranger. It is as a Stranger that Jesus meets Mary, Cleopas, and those fishing on the sea of Galilee.

What difference does Easter make?

Easter means we do not stop seeking to understand, respond to and follow the one who is living. It is to be surprised by Jesus again and again and again.

It creates the church. We are an Easter people in a Good Friday world.

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Rowan Williams, 'Happiness or Joy' in Choose Life: Christmas and Easter Sermons in Canterbury Cathedral (Bloomsbury, 2013), 199.

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12th	The Jim Cregan Acoustic Band
14th	Sherlock Holmes and The Sign of Four A radio play live on stage!
18th	The Doors :An Evening in Laurel Canyon
22nd	Focus (Rescheduled date)
23rd	Beautiful Crazy :The Luke Combs Collection
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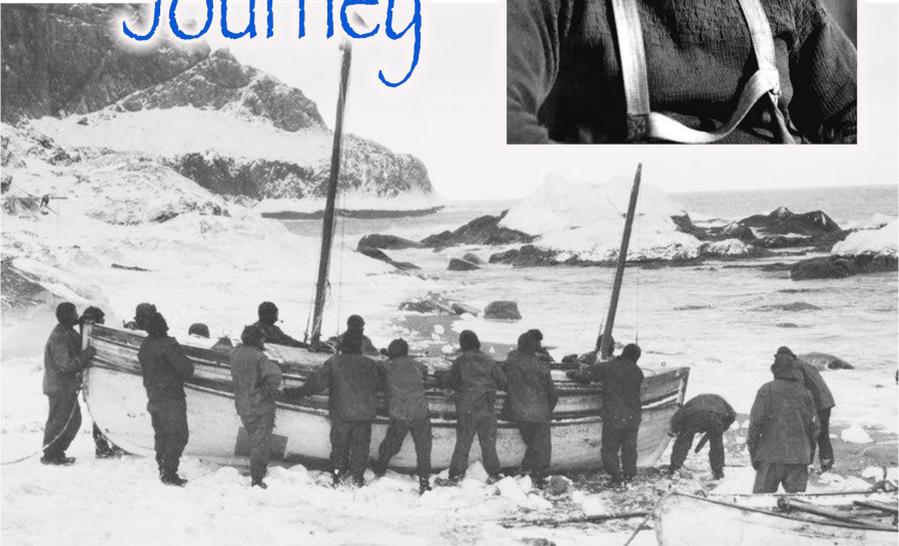
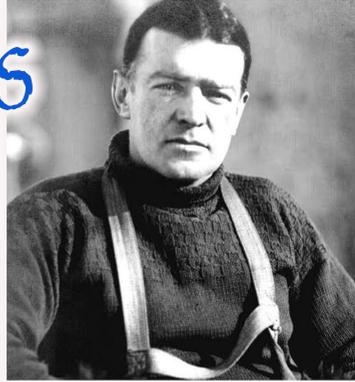
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Donation forms are available in church but if you would like more information, please speak to Katy (07815 610595) or Carol (07400 356901) or email us at nhaswell@stmarysprojectwelcome.org.uk

With every blessing,

The Reverend Jane Williams

English Usage: a personal view by Michael Evans

Word Games

Wordle is said to have started in 2021, but I remember playing a similar puzzle in comic books in the 1940s. You started with a 5 letter word of your own, and by guessing subsequent words with varying consonants and vowels, you came up with the 5 letter word in the mind of the setter, or you failed to do so after five attempts.

This was similar to Mastermind in the 1960s, when small pegs in holes were colour-coded to indicate whether they were the correct colour, in the right position or not in the word at all.

The current game Wordle, created by a Welsh software engineer, is played online. There are serious competitions as far as Scrabble, but I like friendly games, just comparing my results of those of friends.

It's interesting to see how language can be used for purposes other than to transmit information, and Wordle does so by challenging one's logical thinking.

Last month's anagrams

TRENCH COAT - TECHNOCRAT
I PROCURE HOTEL - HERCULE POIROT

This month's anagrams

ROMANS INSIST - how some diseases get around
REVISED ART - publicist or sponsor

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GOOD FRIDAY: 3rd April

- 2.00pm Good Friday Liturgy at St Mary's, Stur. Marshall
2.00pm Solemn Liturgy at St Stephen's, Kingston Lacy followed by
Bun Walk from Wimborne Minster and All Age Worship at 4.00pm

EASTER SUNDAY: 5th April

- 9.15am Easter Day Service at St Stephen's, Kingston Lacy
9.15am Sung Eucharist with Choir & Bishop Karen
at St. Mary's, Stur. Marshall

Sunday 12th: Easter 2

- 9.15am Holy Communion at St Stephen's, Kingston Lacy
9.15am Family Communion at St Mary's, Stur. Marshall

Sunday 19th: Easter 3

- 9.15am Café Church at St Mary's, Stur Marshall
9.15am Holy Communion at St Bartholomew's, Shapwick

Sunday 26th: Easter 4

- 9.15am Family Communion at St Mary's, Stur Marshall
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St Mary's, Sturminster Marshall



WEE ALBION NOTEBOOK

A friend and neighbour, Steve Tansey, died recently. He was diagnosed with prostate cancer almost four years ago. Unfortunately the discovery came too late as the cancer had spread to his bones. He received treatment and care, and continued determinedly to live his life, but he knew the condition would overtake him eventually. Two other friends were diagnosed similarly. Fortunately, theirs was found in time to have their prostates removed, and both are now well. Advances are being made all the time. Steve's cancer prompted me to get checked - despite having no symptoms. A simple blood test indicated that I might have it. A few tests later it was confirmed - but with no need for surgery yet.

Prostate cancer affects about 1-in-8 men in the UK, mostly among the over-50s. The frequency is greater and often from a younger age among those of black ethnicity. It is the only major cancer without a mass screening programme. Men have to request a check, but it is simple to do, simple to get and well worthwhile. Steve would have told you that.

Steve never lost his passion for walking, travel, books, learning, philosophy and poetry. A favourite poem was *The Wasteland* by T.S. Eliot, from which these lines are taken:

*Who is the third who walks always beside you?
When I count, there are only you and I together
But when I look ahead up the white road
There is always another one walking beside you
Gliding wrapt in a brown mantle, hooded
I do not know whether a man or a woman
—But who is that on the other side of you?*

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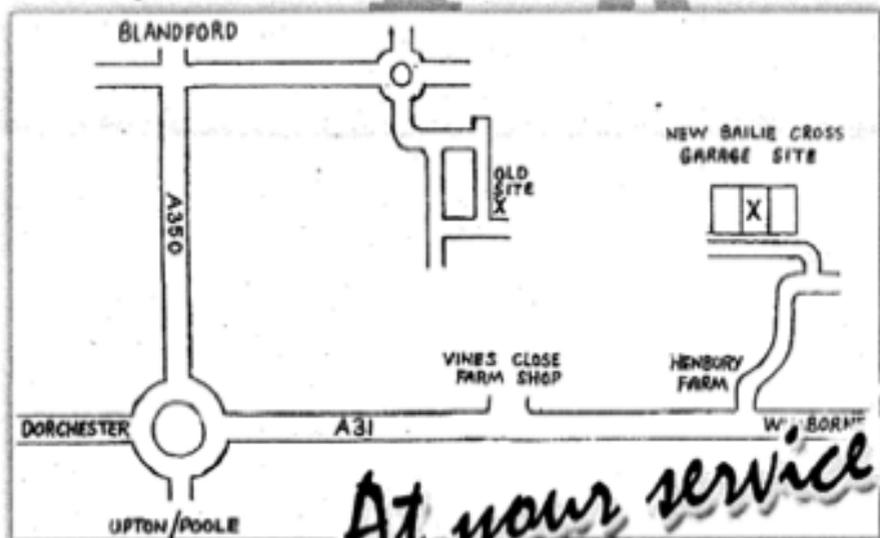
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I will report on the Litter Pick and the Flooding Resilience Open Evening in next month's Jottings. We have had a very positive response to the Grow at Home Scheme so thank you to those of you who have got in touch. We gave out the seed starter packs to those who registered at the Litter Pick.

The Maypole is going to be replaced, for the Maypole Dancing on the first Bank Holiday Monday in May. We have agreed the purchase of a replacement seat for the WI Seat at the end of Millmoor which had sadly rotted beyond repair. We are still trying to sort out funding for a defibrillator at Jubilee Cross, and the Community Asset Transfer of Charborough Way Green is progressing.

We are delighted to welcome Cllr Jeffery Croucher to the Parish Council following his co-options. The Council is now back up to full membership, and we look forward to his contribution to parish matters.

This is an early reminder that the Annual Open Meeting will be taking place on Thursday 21st May at 7.30pm at the Memorial Hall. Please put the date in your diary and come along and let the Parish Council know of any concerns you may have. I will confirm next month who the speakers will be.

Forward Date: Wessex Water will be holding a community outreach session on Monday 29th June in Wimborne Library. This is an opportunity where you can discuss any problems you have with supply, billing waste water etc.

Recent Plans:

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This is especially important this year, as our window to make the urgent changes we need to address the climate crisis is getting smaller. The theme of this year's Earth Month is “Invest in Our Planet” — creating a “partnership for the planet” that accounts for all people, and holds businesses and governments responsible.

Ideas to celebrate Earth Month include:

- Watching documentaries which bring important environmental issues to the forefront of our minds.
- Volunteering to help people with their gardens, allotments or with food distribution in food banks etc.
- Join a village ‘litter pick’ or just bring a bag along on your next dog walk to pick up rubbish. Cleaning up litter in your community is a small but mighty way to volunteer in the service of the planet.
- Sometimes a “zero waste” lifestyle can seem really out of reach, but even a few small changes can make a big difference. Recycle or reuse as much as you can, shop secondhand, or coordinate a clothing swap with your friends.
- Last but not least, spend time in the great outdoors as you celebrate this big, blue beauty we call Mother Earth. This is a great way to mitigate some climate anxiety, renew your sense of wonder and hope for the world, and honour the planet in all its glory.

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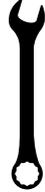
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Kingston Lacy's cherry trees have been cheering us all up at the moment. The first blossom was showing from early March, and as we move through into April (provided there aren't too many storms!) the later flowering trees come into their own. The trees planted five years ago are now showing well, and with meadow underplanting of primroses and fritilleries coming through as well, the Japanese Garden is well worth a stroll on a sunny day.



Our Easter field will be closing on Sunday 12 April, so there's still time for you to join in the different activities – challenge a child or a grandparent to toss the carrot or race the rabbit! Trails cost just £3.50 and there's a chocolate egg to collect at the end.

Our house & collections staff are well into the spring cleaning routine, and you can find out more at a series of spring clean talks (13-19 April). If you've ever wondered what it takes to care for this amazing collection, book yourself on to one of the talks – they're free (normal admission applies), and will include different attitudes to conservation, care of historic books and problems posed by light.

Speaking of light, this month also sees new lighting in the Entrance Hall and Dining Room. It's long been a complaint from visitors that the fabulous art at Kingston Lacy is difficult to see because we have to keep light levels low to protect the collection, and we've been working on addressing this issue for some time. It's not easy when working with historic buildings and historic electrics – the flexible track lighting used in art galleries obviously isn't an option, and any new lighting needs to be discreet so as not to distract from the beautiful interiors. In the Dining Room, the new lighting has been installed around the chandelier, which involved taking up floorboards in the room above to check the weight bearing capability. Drop into the house on your next visit and see what you think!



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Watch out there's a new President about! Trisha Lewis our speaker strode in and took over the meeting 1970's style. She came dressed for the part in clothes typical of the era including some rather fetching hats and crocheted shawls. We were transported back to a time of industrial unrest, economic crisis and significant cultural shifts. It was also a time of major social change, glamour fashion and the fight for women's liberation. The WI was there throughout it all and Trisha delivered a comical President's address peppered with references to the social atmosphere of 1970s Britain. She had also brought along some interesting memorabilia including women's magazines from the time. It was certainly something different and her uproarious presentation in the style of Joyce Grenfell raised lots of laughs.

Our next meeting is on Thursday 16th April at The Old School starting at 7.30pm. This will be our Annual Meeting followed by a joyful and uplifting Sing Together led by Caroline Pugh.

We are always delighted to welcome new members and you don't need to be a resident in Sturminster Marshall to be able to attend.

For more information about SMEWI, please contact Christine Rainsford on 01258 857413 or visit our website www.sturminstermarshalleveningwi.weebly.com

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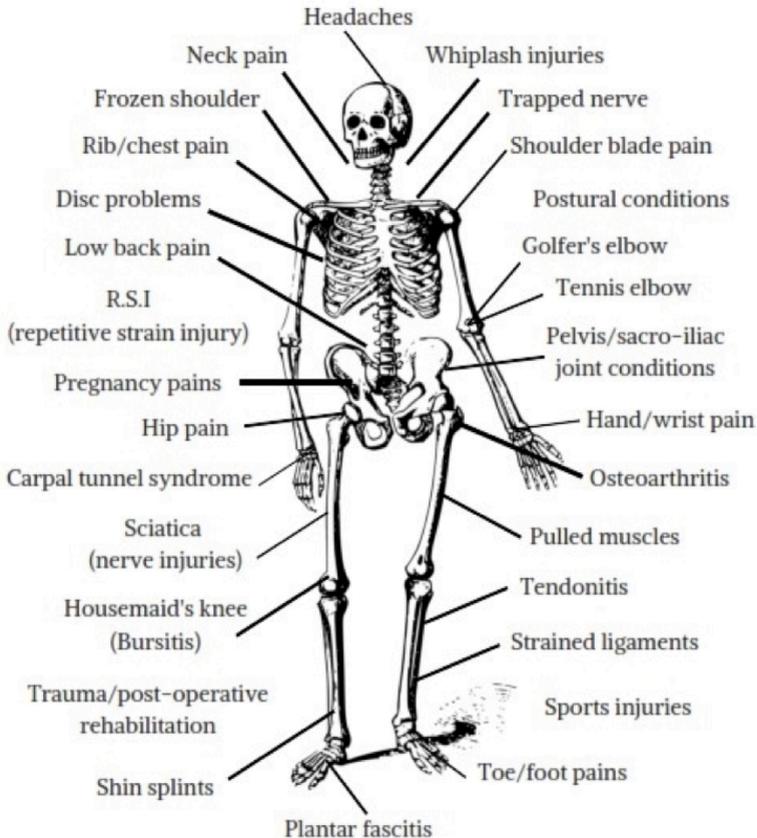
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Is infectious – pure delight!

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Of music, toil and strife
Their diligence commendable
In this strangest way of life

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JRL — May 2020

A Date for Your Diary

**St Mary's Church APCM is at 6.00pm on Wednesday
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