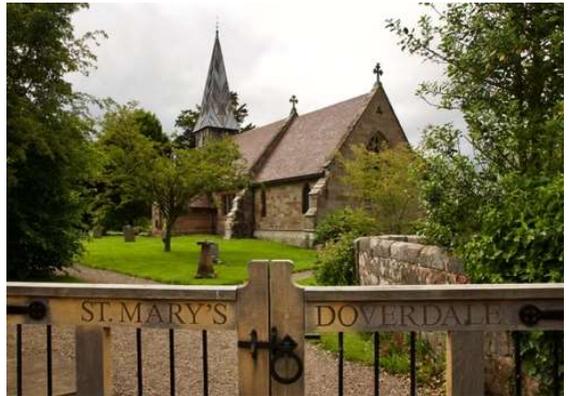


# Ombersley & Doverdale Parish Magazine

**July – August  
2022**



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## Seven Parishes Service Rota July/August 2022

July 3rd	9.00am	HC CW	Hampton Lovett
	10.00am	Sunday First	Hartlebury
	10.30am	HC CW	Elmbridge
	11.00am	HC CW	<b>Ombersley</b>
	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Doverdale
July 10th	9.00am	HC CW	Rushock
	10.00am	Family Service	<b>Ombersley</b>
	10.30am	Morning Prayer	Elmley Lovett
	11.00am	HC CW	Hartlebury
July 17th	9.00am	HC CW	Elmbridge
	10.00am	Morning Prayer	<b>Ombersley</b>
	10.00am	Morning Prayer	Hartlebury
	11.00am	HC BCP	Doverdale
	6.30pm	Evensong	Hampton Lovett
July 24th	9.00am	HC CBP	Elmley Lovett
	11.00am	HC CW	Hartlebury
July 31st	10.00am	<b>Benefice Service HC BCP</b>	<b>Doverdale</b>
August 7th	9.0am	HC CW	Hampton Lovett
	10.00am	Sunday First	Hartlebury
	11.00am	HC CW	<b>Ombersley</b>
	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Doverdale
	4.30pm	Pet Service	Rushock
August 14th	9.00am	HC CW	Rushock
	10.00am	Family Service	<b>Ombersley</b>
	10.30	Morning Prayer	Elmley Lovett
	11.00am	HC CW	Hartlebury
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	11.00am	HC BCP	Doverdale
	6.30pm	Evensong	Hampton Lovett
August 28th	9.00am	HC BCP	Elmley Lovett

	11.00am	HC BCP	<b>Ombersley</b>
September 4th	9.00am	HC CW	Hampton Lovett
	10.00am	Sunday First	Hartlebury
	10.30am	HC CW	Elmbridge
	11.00am	HC CW	<b>Ombersley</b>
	11.00am	Morning Payer	Doverdale

HC Holy Communion; CW Common Worship; BCP Book of Common Prayer

## Rector's Thoughts

*Reverend Stephen Winter  
Rector of St. Andrew's, Ombersley and St  
Mary's, Doverdale (and five other  
churches in the Benefice)*



I have just completed a remarkable weekend in which I attended **seven** different celebrations of the Queen's Jubilee (as well as taking a wedding and my usual Sunday services). I gladly recognise that I did not do the hard work for any single one of these events, and offer my warmest congratulations for each and every one of them, but if any of my readers attended more than I did then I will gladly applaud them. Please do let me know.

Now that I have successfully established my credentials as an inveterate party goer, and I confess to feeling a little nervous after writing some stern words about parties in another part of our national life (!), I would like to write about that experience. It was at the end of the weekend, just as I was leaving a delightful tea party in Elmbridge village hall, that it first struck me that this was probably a unique experience in my life and in the lives of all of us. And the word that lies at the heart of the experience is the word that I just used, and that is the word, delightful.

Now, as with many words that are used over much in our language, this word has lost meaning in modern times. We are as likely to describe a cake as delightful as we are a human being and, for all the charms of good baking, there is a difference. In the Latin roots of *delight* there are two words that form its deeper meaning. One is *dilectio* and the other is *diligere*. From one we also get our word, *delicious*

and from the other we get the word, *diligence*. And the two words are connected. Dorothy Day, a great American saint of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, used to speak of the duty of delight. Duty is a good word and a good practice. We have all been glad to honour our Queen who has done her duty to her country unstintingly throughout her long reign. But I prefer in this case to use the word, discipline and I think that in the connection between *dilectio* and *diligere* it is the word discipline that captures that connection the best of all. The art of life requires discipline. I say without reservation that it requires a spiritual discipline. And at the heart of it all is the discipline of delight.

It fell to the Prime Minister to read the lesson in the service that was held in St Paul's cathedral to celebrate the Jubilee that expresses this discipline wonderfully and many commentators have reflected upon Philippians 4.8 that was at the heart of the lesson. "Whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." But at the beginning of this passage are these words: "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice"! And surely this is what we have done in these days of the Jubilee celebrations when we have rejoiced in all that is excellent and worthy of praise among us as we have honoured our Queen who, day by day, has honoured such things among her people, smiling her thanks to us and saying well done to all who do good among us.

And we have had such fun in doing this! We have sung loudly and lustily, we have eaten and drunk with vigour of all kinds of excellent things. We have planted trees, done quizzes, produced excellent displays, painted faces and danced. And we have tidied up our own mess and no-one insulted the cleaners. No-one would even think of doing such a thing because we know that everyone is worthy of honour, respect and dignity, especially those who serve one another. Rightly, we feel a pride in our communities and I have felt great pride in having the privilege of being your parish priest.

And a lot of fun too!

Please send information and articles for publication in the September  
Parish Magazine by **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August**.

## Parish Register: St Andrew's Church

### Baptism

1 <sup>st</sup> May	Toby John Griffiths
29 <sup>th</sup> May	Benedict Mitchell

### Wedding

13 <sup>th</sup> May	Kate Voyce and William Hitchcock
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### Funeral

5 <sup>th</sup> May	Barbara Simpson
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### Interment of Ashes

12 <sup>th</sup> May	Pat Bayliss
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## Rota for St Andrew's Church

Date	Service	Sidesmen	Intercessor	Lector
July 3rd	HC	James & Meg Martineau	Robert Thornton	Fiona Davies
July 10th	FS	Lucinda & Annabel Kenny		
July 17th	MP	Robert Thornton, Tony Checketts	Angela Randle	Liz Hooper
August 7th	HC	Jenny Ransome	Anthony Hughes	Howard Robinson
August 14th	FS	Audrey & Geoff Axon		
August 21st	MP	Claire Gathercole, Robert Thornton	Andrew Horn	David Wood
August 28th	HC	James & Meg Martineau	Fiona Davies	Chris Day
Sept 4th	HC	Liz Hooper, Jenny Batelen	Claire Gathercole	Fiona Davies

### Holy Dusters:

July 1st	Marjorie Workman, Gail Filer, Liz Hooper
July 15th	Myra Cowdry, Pernilla Asplen
July 29th	Pernilla Asplen, Gail Filer, Majorie Workman
August 5th	Pernilla Asplen, Liz Hooper, Fiona Davies
August 19th	Myra Cowdry, Heather Barningham
Sept 2nd	Gail Filer, Majorie Workman, Heather Barningham

## Flowers:

	<b>Pedestal</b>	<b>Porch</b>
July 1 <sup>st</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup>	Mary Pritchard	Lynne Larnder
July 15 <sup>th</sup> & 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Rose Coulter	Heather Barningham
July 29 <sup>th</sup> & August 5 <sup>th</sup>	Margaret Packer: Wedding	
August 12 <sup>th</sup>	Jan Berry	Sue Arnold
August 26 <sup>th</sup>	Sue Hughes	Sue Arnold
September 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup>	Briony Serrell	Pat King

## St Andrew's News

www.st-andrews.church: [achurchnearyou.com](http://achurchnearyou.com)

Well...the flaming bit of June has yet to arrive!

We do hope you all managed to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee wherever you were. There was a lovely service on June 5th with some beautiful and inventive flower arrangements, and the scaffolding was a good framework for bunting and balloons! After the service some of us walked across the burial ground to the tree at the west end of the Memorial Garden, this area has now been dedicated for the scattering of ashes.

Unfortunately, on the Saturday night the heavens opened and made it impossible for the Jubilee celebrations to go ahead at the cricket ground, so a goodly group of us gathered in the churchyard (it was cold as well) and others had impromptu picnics 'at home'. We will look forward to a delayed event later in the year.

Earlier in May we had an excellent half-day workshop led by Rev Canon Sue Woan on 'Paul's travels around the Mediterranean', a fun and inter-active morning, and it was good to understand more about Paul and his letters than I have for decades!

There will be another full day workshop on October 15th at Sytchampton village Hall where we will 'Rompe through the old Testament'. Priority will be given to people in the Benefice so please let us know if you are interested.

It is very hard to miss the scaffolding in the church at present, but well worth a look inside, to how they have reached the top windows. We are on the last leg of this particular repair of the church. While Holywell Glass and the scaffolders are in place we have taken the opportunity to check and repair other stonework, the latest parts by the chimney on the North East corner.

On the weekend of September 17th and 18<sup>th</sup> we are having another Heritage Open Weekend when the Sandys Mausoleum will be open to the public, and on the evening of Friday 16<sup>th</sup>, Holywell Glass will give a talk on the work they have done and tell us how special this complete set of windows are.

As we have been busy with the Jubilee and the Fete in June, our service linking to 'Love your Burial Ground' will be later in the summer. There are booklets to borrow while walking around the burial ground on the big table at the back of the church, which help you find and identify plants and insects. There are also different apps you can add to your smart phone. The memorial garden is certainly changing now with good areas to find different things. We may well have a 'standing dead tree' by the time this magazine comes out, and we have reproduced the interesting article (with permission) by Terry Green of the 4 Square later in the magazine.

**Creative Coffee:** Between us we have made some bits and bobs which I hope some of you spotted at the Craft stall at the Fete, and enjoyed the book folding with Di. Our last meeting for the summer will be on July 14th at 2pm, then we will start again in September, date TBC.

We are hoping to have a chocolate making session with a short talk on essential oils. This will be £15 and a date is yet to be finalized. If you are interested please contact Fiona asap.

We are open to anyone so please drop in and say Hello. If you have ideas of crafts or projects or would like to try something, meet people or chat over coffee please come along. Fiona; 01905 621176

## Looking Forward

**On August 14<sup>th</sup>; 3pm onwards** we have a Very Special Talk and Tea - for A Diamond Wedding celebration!

Andrew Sobey who works for the Food and Agriculture Organisation will be our speaker and will tell us about the Planning, Rescue and Safety considerations after natural disasters, especially, tsunamis, earthquakes and volcanos. This will be followed by a **Cream tea and Prosecco** provided by Tim and Sheila Sobey.

There will be a £5 charge and money raised will be shared between War Child (<https://www.warchild.org.uk>) and St Andrew's Association.

Sheila and Tim would love to have all their family, and friends from across the Benefice present to help them celebrate. Fiona 621176: Liz 620827

## **Heritage Open Weekend: September 17th and 18<sup>th</sup>**

**with the Old Chancel open from Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Sept.**

As this was enjoyed by so many last year we are running it again!

Friday 16th pm:	Talk by Holywell Glass with refreshments
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> :	Chris Gait will lead a walk and talk at 10.30 am Afternoon Tea from 2-4pm, please book!
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> :	Talk and Tea at 3pm: Howard Robinson

The church and Old Chancel will be open all weekend with tea and coffee available. There will tickets for all talks. See the September Parish Magazine for more information.



### **CARING FOR GOD'S EARTH AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH**

On Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup> we welcomed Godfrey Armitage, and his wife, to our morning service. Godfrey came as a speaker from A Rocha – a Christian Environmental charity. He started by basing our need to care for the earth in the Bible – the psalm we had said, the reading from Hebrews and the famous first few verses of the Gospel of John – ‘In the beginning was the Word’. He then listed so many difficulties with our world– rising temperatures, flash floods, wildfires, rising atmospheric carbon dioxide, a biodiversity crisis, never mind the war in Ukraine.....and you wonder what on earth can we do? He outlined the church’s response – a commitment to net zero carbon by 2030 by the Church of England and to promote creation care and all aspects of environmental concern as a fundamental part of Christian discipleship.

So – how are we doing at St Andrew’s? We are signed up to the Eco Church Scheme – an online survey that supports us in exploring how to improve our eco credentials and gives many resources to help in this. We have greatly increased the focus given to this in our choice of hymns and prayers during worship. We are

changing the focus in the churchyard to encourage wildlife. Looking at our carbon footprint encourages us to seek different ways of improving the building in the short and long term. Members of the congregation are encouraged to look for ways to improve our lifestyles to be more sustainable.

Looking ahead – we will welcome another speaker (virtually) in August. This speaker will be from Tear Fund a Christian charity whose mission is ‘to go where the need is greatest’. Increasingly this is in parts of the world where climate change is already having an impact (sometimes devastatingly) on people’s lives and livelihoods.

### **PRAYING THE PARISH**

If you have a particular need or things to be grateful for, please let us know:

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[lay reader with pastoral responsibility for the Worcestershire Severn Parishes]



#### Areas for July:

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – Racks Lane, Chapel Lane, Longheadland

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Uphampton, Northampton, Lineholt, Malvern View, Abberley View

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Doverdale, St Mary’s Church, Sytchampton, Sytchampton School

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July – Flower arrangers and cleaners of our churches

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July - Parish Council

#### Areas for August:

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August – Lincomb, The Winnalls, Acton, Mount Pleasant

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August - Sandys Road, Wellington Road, The Hamptons

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August - Oakfield Road, Woodhall Lane/Close

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August – Churchwardens, vergers and sextons

The editors will publish information about any local 'not for profit' activities/clubs in the Parish Magazine. See editors’ details on page 3.

## Dead Wood

The term dead wood often refers to something (or possibly someone!) that has reached the end of its useful life and so is of no further value. In nature this is far from the truth. If left to rot naturally, dead wood offers a home to many different creatures. In the UK, up to a fifth of woodland species, many of which are nationally threatened, depend on dead or dying trees. For example, of the 771 scarce woodland invertebrate species listed for the UK, one in three require deadwood habitats. As trees start dying and break apart, their limbs, bark and dead leaves fall to the ground. Nature's recycling programme then starts with the growth of fungi, followed by a green and brown patchwork of lichen and moss. Different slugs, bugs and beetles start to colonise the flourishing new habitat, and eventually small mammals burrow into the dead wood and litter. These are the animals that are lower down the food chain that are essential to allow larger animals to survive and thrive. If we want to be able to see birds, they need bugs to feed on! If the dying trees are left standing, they effectively become apartment blocks, with different creatures occupying the various levels of its decaying trunk. Woodpeckers can open up large cavities, while insects and other creatures can move in and expand their living space.

These large holes offer homes for bats to roost. It can take decades for the dead wood to rot away entirely, and in that time, it will support many generations of woodland life. Even when the tree itself has decayed beyond recognition, the decomposed matter that is left behind enriches the soil, providing nutrients and energy to the entire woodland ecosystem. Unfortunately, due to ecological tidiness disorder which seems to afflict some individuals and indeed councils, there is a significant shortage of dead wood in woodlands and forests. Years of clearing and "tidying" these habitats with material being removed, without permission, for firewood has depleted this essential environment.

Years ago, landowners and managers removed dead wood because it was thought that dead branches and trunks could become a source of disease that could contaminate the entire woodland. We now know that dead wood is a vital component in maintaining biodiversity and so dead wood should be left to rot down naturally rather than to be scavenged for domestic heating. You can build a log pile in your garden as a wildlife habitat and let the wood rot down to provide a home for all sorts of invertebrates which will encourage even more animals to your garden. Silver birch is exceptionally good for this as it rots down easily but any wood will do. It may take a stretch of the imagination but the little creatures from your rotten wood may make their way up the food chain to help create a swallow or a hedgehog!

*Thanks to Terry Green of the Four Square magazine.*

## From the Archive

### Church Repairs; Snippets from the Vicar's letters

**June 1956:** Fete proceeds will augment the Church Fabric Fund, recently and generously established under the will of the late Dr J Howl Hughes\*. We hope to clean, restore and paint the interior of St. Andrew's Church this year. Already the architect is working out a colour scheme and preparing specifications.

**March 1957:** Tubular scaffolding is being erected throughout the Parish Church. The interior of the Church is repaired, lime-washed and restored. Owing to the magnitude of the task, the Church has to be closed for six to eight weeks.

**April 1957:** The grime of a century has been removed from all the walls, arches and ceilings. The vaulted ceilings are now gleaming white, with ribs picked out in blue. One is surprised at the new effect of light and colour.

**May 1957 after the re-opening:** I think I am right in saying that the general feeling among parishioners regarding the work done in the Church is one of great pleasure, appreciation and proud acceptance. There are a few, however, who cannot agree with the colour scheme, but obviously, we cannot please everyone. Perhaps – as somebody said to me – 'if they came to Church every Sunday they will get used to it'.

**May-June 1969:** Dry rot discovered in the main Nave Roof and Chancel Roof. By June, reported that the Chancel Vaulting has been saved by the ingenuity of Mr Frank Baylis. Few realise that it was touch and go whether the ceiling fell in. One false move or the dropping of a tool, and the Chancel ceiling would have been down.

\*See article later in this issue about Dr JH Hughes.

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## **Ombersley and Doverdale Parish Council**

Our clerk John Jordan has now decided that the time has come for him to retire in the very near future.

Finding someone to step into his shoes has been a very difficult process, but we are delighted to welcome Anne Scadding.

As part of Anne's induction, she is currently undergoing formal parish clerk training as well as working with all councillors with specific responsibilities. Anne is also working very closely with John to gather as much knowledge as possible and finding her way around the Parish.

Anne can be contacted by phone on 07731 929910 or [clerk@odpc.co.uk](mailto:clerk@odpc.co.uk)

### **The Memorial Field Rejuvenation Project**

The project to renovate the Memorial Field in Ombersley has now been completed with access for all. The majority of the work has been funded by grants specifically allocated for this purpose.

Many thanks must be given to the local, specialist companies and contractors who took pride in the work that they undertook to complete the project.

#### **Hedges**

The hedges have been reduced in height and width, thereby opening up the whole area. This has made the field more visible from the Main Road and hence more secure. Thanks go to Topcut for this work.

#### **New Gates and Pillars**

The new cobbled entrance to the field and two small stone walls, which have been built to secure the entrance to the field and complement the pillars, were constructed by Rural Garden Services and GM Groundworks.

Two sandstone pillars, which at one time belonged to the Ombersley Court Estate, but had been lying in a field for many years were generously donated by Bill and Sue Arnold and restored and positioned by Stonemasons of Worcester. The gates that are a replica of the gates between Ombersley Court land and Saint Andrew's churchyard were sponsored by Ombersley Conservation Trust as a memorial to the Sandys family. Thanks go to David Halford of Dudley for his excellent craftsmanship.

#### **Fencing**

The new fencing around the Memorial Hall car park and children's playground was installed by B&L Fencing of Stoke Prior.

## **Trees**

Nine trees were sourced from Frank Matthews of Tenbury and planted in October 2021. Each tree was generously sponsored, some by local residents (three in memory of loved ones), one by the local cycling group 'Ombobikes' and one by the Lord Sandys charity. All the trees were registered under the 'Queen's Canopy' as part of the recent Platinum Jubilee commemorations.

## **Benches and Picnic Tables**

The bench seating was sourced from Earth Anchors Ltd., and fitted by Rural Garden Services and GM Groundworks. We are grateful to the individuals and groups who kindly sponsored these. The picnic benches, again largely funded by donations, have been installed for the village to commemorate the Platinum Jubilee.

## **Disabled Ramp & Pathways**

Ombersley Memorial Hall sponsored the ramp for everyone's easy access. For the Breendon stone pathway with cobbled edging incorporating a dropped kerb giving disabled access to the field, thanks go to Jonathan Grimshaw of Rural Garden Services and George Stallard-Pearson of GM Groundworks for completing the work in such a friendly and professional manner with residents' safety a priority.

Finally, a very big thankyou goes to all the residents that have given their time to opening up the Memorial Field for everyone.

## **Ombersley Church & School Fete 2022**

Yes, it RAINED on Fete Day!! BUT... nothing daunted, armed with brollie: in surprisingly good humour, people poured through the gates at the str of one to enjoy the Fete for the first time in two years!

Hot tea and wonderful cakes in the Tea Tent proved a great draw as did top-quality hot foods from the barbecue and the samosa stall. Sadly, the wyaipoie Dancers from Ombersley School were unable to perform in the wet, but otherwise children seemed to completely ignore the rain and had a great time playing on the arena and enjoying the games and activities. The Dog Show saw a few moments of sunshine and was great fun! All in all, it was a Fete full of Community Spirit and, although numbers were down, a little over £6,000 was raised in support of church and school and the two chosen charities, the DEC Ukraine fund and the Bonterre young people's education centre at Top Barn. Thank you to everyone who helped in any and many ways, and to all those who came along despite the less-than-favourable weather (!) and made it a remarkably happy and successful event.





## UKRAINE UPDATE from SUN (Support Ukraine Network)



As I write this in time for the magazine deadline, we are holding a Hosts, Volunteers and Guests meeting at the Church this evening. Chris Day will be reporting that Wychavon are recruiting a Liaison Officer, from the Ukrainian community, to help co-ordinate activities. Wychavon Leisure have offered free off-peak access to the Lido for all guests, and so far over 100 guests have been welcomed into our Wychavon community.

More refugees are coming – and Sue Johns would appreciate any more offers of hosting – [sue@kingsway-house.co.uk](mailto:sue@kingsway-house.co.uk) or 07989 863276 for more info. Sue would like to express her appreciation of all the work the volunteers are doing – little jobs, but they all add up to a massively welcoming experience for our Ukrainian guests, who have had enough trauma to last a lifetime.

Yurii now has a bike (courtesy of Peter Jeynes), and has had superb personal taxi transport service for his basketball and other activities (new volunteers for this transport job needed for July, please). Contact Sue Johns to offer help. It's only 10 mins away from Ombersley twice a week.

Another guest who arrived on 10th May is Ania – staying with Eileen Taylor. Ania worked as an adult English teacher in Ukraine, in her home town of Kryzyi Rih in the South East of the country. On her arrival at Worcester Parkway she was met by her hosts carrying a huge bunch of flowers in the Ukraine colours of blue and yellow. Ania tells me she used to watch Downton Abbey and The Crown at her home in Ukraine, and when she arrived in Ombersley, felt immediately at home because it is 'just like the movies!'. She had never visited an English-speaking country before - and must have had a very good teacher because she has hardly a trace of an accent.

Both Yurii and Ania are looking for jobs so that they can earn their own money – please consider if you know anyone who could employ them. Yurii is looking for a summer job when he is not at school, ideally in a café/pub/restaurant waiting tables. His English is excellent, and I did give him a full cup of tea to carry when I met him and he didn't spill a drop!

I hope to meet more guests over the coming weeks, and will report their stories and opinions of their new (temporary) lives in Ombersley. Please contact me if you would like to be added to the Email Volunteer List when the hosts need some help e.g. to invite their guests for a meal, or a day out, or to take them to job interviews etc. I will email everyone to ask who can help.

Thanks from the SUN – Jill Angell – [jill@angellassociates.com](mailto:jill@angellassociates.com) – 01905 621889

## Dr John Howl Hughes

In 2020 the Ombersley Parochial Church Council agreed to use funds from a bequest made by Dr JH Hughes, who died in 1915, towards the repair and restoration of the church windows which is now ongoing. The investment from this bequest realised £43,508 in January 2020. Who was the generous benefactor? I've used online information from Ancestry.co.uk and the National Newspaper Archive to try to answer this question.

John Howl Hughes (his mother's maiden name was Howl) was born in Darlaston, Staffordshire, in December 1837. He trained as a doctor in Birmingham and London. In 1860 he married Elizabeth Horton at Sedgeley. His first job was the post of Assistant Medical Officer at the County Lunatic Asylum in Morpeth, Northumberland. From 1867 to 1871 he was living in Gosforth, near Whitehaven in Cumberland, then travelled for a time to different parts of England.

In September 1873, the *Worcester Journal* reported that Mr John Howl Hughes had been appointed medical officer and public vaccinator for the Ombersley district of the Droitwich Union. Between 1874 and 1894 his address was Albert Villa, Ombersley. Albert Villa, Holt Fleet Road, is now called Cubbold House.



*Gravestone in St Andrew's Churchyard*

In  
Loving Memory of  
**JOHN HOWL HUGHES**  
FOR MANY YEARS PHYSICIAN AND  
SURGEON IN THIS PARISH  
WHO FELL ASLEEP SEP. 5. 1915.  
AGED 77 YEARS.  
*"NEARER TO GOD TO THEE."*  
ALSO OF ELIZABETH  
WIFE OF THE ABOVE  
WHO FELL ASLEEP NOV. 22. 1920  
AGED 81 YEARS.  
*"PEACE PERFECT PEACE"*

During his twenty-year period at Albert Villa, Dr Hughes' name appears many times in the Worcestershire press in connection with evidence given to inquests. In 1887, the *Worcester Journal* reported that Dr Hughes had 'recently obtained a Government grant (for the 6<sup>th</sup> time) for the efficient performance of public vaccination in the Ombersley district of the Droitwich Union'. Vaccination against smallpox before the age of three months was compulsory at the time.

In 1875, Dr Hughes was the victim of the theft of a hen and nine eggs from his ground. As the accused, Thomas Green, labourer, is reported to have said to the police sergeant apprehending him: 'I saw the hen come out to feed, and that is how it was'. Green was committed for 14 days with hard labour.

Dr Hughes also took part in many local social activities. From the appearance of his name at different events, he seems to have been a Freemason and a Conservative. He was medical officer to the Ombersley New Friendly Society and regularly attended Easter Vestry Meetings.

In June 1894, Dr Hughes' resignation was reported to the Droitwich Board of Guardians. His duties were said to have been discharged satisfactorily. He had applied for a post of Medical Officer at the Southwell Union. Southwell is in Nottinghamshire around Newark. His application was successful and the Local Government Board approved his appointment at a salary of £28 a year, about £3,260 in current values; he also would receive 10s 6d for each midwifery case. He may have bought the practice of a long-established Newark doctor.

His name appears in the Newark press several times in connection with inquests and court cases, and events in aid of good causes up to June 1895. However, for unknown reasons, his move seems not to have been a success. In 1896 and 1897 he was living and practising in Worcester, and the local press reveals his various social activities in the City and his attendance at the Easter Vestry Meeting at St Peter's Worcester in 1896.

This stay was also brief. Now retired, from 1898 until his death in September 1915 he lived in Langham House, Ombersley (now Raymond House on Holt Fleet Road). He was survived by his wife Elizabeth. They had been childless. Elizabeth's niece Miranda Allport was living with them at the 1901 and 1911 Censuses. On her death in October 1955 Dr Hughes' estate funds were finally divided equally between the Vicar and Churchwardens of the Church of St Andrew Ombersley and The Trustees of The Royal Orphanage Wolverhampton. This is the source of the money which now, over a hundred years after the death of John Howl Hughes, is partially financing the restoration of the Church windows.

Dr Hughes had three older sisters. During the years around 1876 and 1891-2 two of these sisters – Miriam and Maria – were in Ombersley as well as their brother. The story of the three siblings proves a fascinating account of relations between Darlaston and Ombersley, and Philadelphia USA.

See next month's thrilling episode!

Pat Niner, Ombersley History Group



## Sytchampton Green Carpet Bowls Club



If you are just sitting at home on Monday night, saying "nothing interesting to watch on TV". Why not come along and have a go at playing short mat bowls? You have nothing to lose, but a lot to gain. We are looking for new members to join us. No experience necessary, bowls can be provided. It's a great way of doing gentle exercise with a relaxed friendly group. We are all about having a good time, plus, the 1st two sessions are free; after that it costs only £3 a week with refreshments included. If you are interested, come along and have a go. We meet every Monday at 7.30pm - 9.30pm at Sytchampton Village Hall. Contact Anne on 07714091633 after 6pm or just turn up and have a look for yourself.

**Ombersley**  
History Group

**Can you contribute to an archive  
about Ombersley's history?**

Does anyone have a copy of "The Story of Ombersley Church" by T. White produced in c. 1953?

David Collier is assembling an archive of information, booklets and photographs of "Old" Ombersley. David is willing to purchase any old postcards, either individually or as collections.

[drdcollier@gmail.com](mailto:drdcollier@gmail.com)

A monthly update from Ombersley Medical Centre



In May 2022 there have been:

- 1,324 Face to Face appointments with clinicians (GPs, Nurses and Pharmacists)
- 1,117 telephone consultations
- 11,067 medications issued
- 1,842 letters regarding patient care requiring action
- 8,640 test results reviewed and actioned



You can now book routine face to face appointments with a GP. Telephone consultations will still be available and there will be less of a wait for these.

Appointments can be booked by:

- Online access
- Visiting reception
- Calling the surgery on 01905 622900
- Using the "Contact Us" option on our website – available 24/7

You can also request test results, fit notes, prescriptions and other admin requests using the "Contact Us" option.



## Ombersley Women's League (OWL)

**Thursday 7th July  
7 for 7:30pm at Ombersley Memorial Hall**

Please join us for a fascinating evening with Donna who will present:

***How the brain works and how knowing  
this can let you live your best life***

Donna is a Registered Nurse with her main focus on Hypnotherapy and Psychotherapy.

*Marie and Ann. We look forward to seeing you all there*



## Ombersley Gardening Club



We hope you all enjoyed a wonderful bank holiday in your gardens celebrating the Queen's Jubilee. A few dates for members and new members to pop in your diaries for July and August.

On July 21st we have Adrian James coming to talk to us about Folklore and more. As usual this will be at the Memorial Hall at 7.30pm.

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> July for 1.45 we have a self-drive visit to Morton Hall Gardens near Redditch. The cost of this trip is £15 to include a guided tour followed by afternoon tea in the Orangery.

The Summer Show will be on 6<sup>th</sup> August at the Memorial Hall with exhibits and stalls. If you would like a stall, the cost is £5 and please bring your own table. To book a space please contact Briony on 01905 620846. It promises to be a fantastic day.

Last but not least Ombersley Gardening Club would like to send their congratulations to Monty Don for receiving an award from the RHS. The Victoria Medal of Honour. The highest honour to receive in horticulture, Well done Monty! Happy Gardening!

### **Summer Show: Saturday August 6<sup>th</sup>**

There are many classes to enter from flowers and vegetables to cakes, preserves and handicrafts and many more.

Entries can be brought along to the hall on the morning of the 6<sup>th</sup> from 9.00 until 10.50am. Judging will then take place and the hall will be open again for the afternoon from 2.15pm when we hope to be able to serve refreshments.

Schedules with all information can be picked up from Jukes store in Ombersley. Entries can be from either members or non-members.

## Tea and Coffee Shop at Ombersley Memorial Hall



Tuesday 5th July, 2-4 pm  
Thursday 28th July, 2-4 pm

Tuesday 9th August, 2-4 pm  
Thursday 25th August, 2-4 pm

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### Ombersley & Doverdale Tennis Club Public Court Hire

Did you know that even if you are not a member at the Club you can still book a court to play? It only costs £7 per hour for up to four people. If you'd like to hire a court, please visit our website:

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/omersleydoverdaltennisclub>

Click on 'booking' and follow the process for booking and payment to receive your code to access the courts. During the hours of darkness, the floodlights are programmed to automatically come on if a court is booked and an extra charge of £2 per half hour will be added to your booking. N.B. Bookings are for a **maximum** of 4 people.

## Ombersley: Hymn tune by WH Gladstone

William Henry Gladstone (1840-1892) was the eldest son of the Prime Minister William (Ewert) Gladstone. He was an MP (Liberal Party) for 20 years including five for East Worcestershire (elected 1880). He was a singer and organist and wrote various pieces of church music including the hymn tune 'Ombersley'.

What was his connection with Ombersley?

During the time he was the MP for East Worcestershire, Ombersley would have been in his Constituency, which covered a large area from Tewkesbury in the south to Tenbury Wells in the north-west. Maybe he visited Lord Sandys at Ombersley Court?

We do know that he stayed at Hanbury Hall as a guest of Mr Vernon, where he was robbed, the trial being reported in Berrows Journal dated 5<sup>th</sup> January 1881.

### ***Jewel Robbery at Hanbury***

*Frederick Donald, gunmaker and Hannah Donald, his wife, were charged with having, on the 19<sup>th</sup> August, at Hanbury Hall, stolen three gold shirt-studs, one diamond scarf pin, and one gold Albert watch chain, the property of Mr William Henry Gladstone, MP.*

*Mr H F Vernon, said he resided at Hanbury Hall. On 19<sup>th</sup> August Mr Gladstone was stopping with him, and had his valet, named Roberts. He occupied rooms in the north-west corner of the house. In the course of the evening, he heard from Mr Gladstone that he had lost some jewellery.... He (Mr Vernon) knew the female prisoner. She was engaged as a nurse to nurse in the parish. She was engaged in 1879. Her orders were to go to the Hall every morning at 10.30 to receive instructions..... After the robbery was announced she had notice to leave, and she then wrote asking why she was suspected. .... A witness told her that the police had been informed that she was seen to enter that house on the evening in question by a policeman on duty.....*

*The jury acquitted the male prisoner, but returned a verdict of "Guilty" against the female. She was sentenced to eighteen months' hard labour.*

'Ombersley' was played by the handbell ringers prior to the Jubilee Service on 5<sup>th</sup> June. Many hymn words can be sung to 'Ombersley', because it is composed in LM, (Long Metre). A well-known hymn sung to it is 'Jesus shall reign, where're the sun, doth his successive journey run'.

If anyone has any more information about WH Gladstone's connection with Ombersley, please contact the editors.

# Ombersley Endowed First School and Pre-School



## Early Years

Pre school have been looking forward to their end of year trip to Top Barn Farm. Reception children had a lovely trip to The Cotswold Wildlife Park. They enjoyed seeing lots of different animals and even got to go on a train ride around the animal park. They finished the year with a topic all about the seaside.

## Key stage One

Year One enjoyed learning all about lots of different animals in their Paws, Claws and Whiskers topic.

Year 2 learnt more about The British Isles during their topic about Katie Morag. They enjoyed a lovely afternoon playing cricket with other schools at Ombersley Cricket Club.

Year 1 and 2 are looking forward to their End of Year trip to Warwick Castle.

## Key stage Two

Year 4 children have enjoyed their topic 'From Bean to Bar', and have learnt all about chocolate. They have enjoyed reading the story of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. They are all looking forward to moving on to their next school. We will really miss them all, but wish them well on their exciting new adventure.

Year 3 have been learning and performing poetry. They have been planning and making healthy lunches.

## Scooters

Scooters club will be upon for 4 weeks during the summer holidays. They have lots of amazing and fun filled activities planned.

## Church and School Fete

It was lovely to be part of the village fete again this year, where there were lots of wonderful stalls and activities. The year 4 children were disappointed that Maypole Dancing had to be cancelled because of the rain!

## End of Year activities

The whole school are looking forward to lots of fun activities to finish off the school year. These include; Sports Day, Year 4's got Talent, Leavers' assembly, Leavers' Party and much more. We hope everyone has a wonderful summer break and we look forward to welcoming everyone back in September.

# Sytchampton Endowed Primary School



## School Development:

We strive continuously to develop and improve the school for our pupils. We felt that this would be a good time to share some of the improvements and changes that we have made over the past couple of years:

- Creation of clear vision and rationale for the Curriculum, with Curriculum Drivers and Cultural Capital at the heart
- Creation of Subject Learning Pathways for Foundation Subjects (based upon Threshold Concepts and Schema Building) and clear progression documents
- Development of clear progression guidance for Literacy and Maths
- Introduction of The Write Stuff programme for Writing
- Introduction of White Rose programme for Maths
- Introduction of new Handwriting and Spelling programmes raising standards and ensuring progression and consistency across the school
- Introduction of a new, consistent, validated Phonics Scheme (Phonics Shed)
- Development of love of reading (Including the early development of a school library, reading loft in Reception, book vending machine and rewards for reading, reading assemblies, buddy reading, reading Sheds for the playground)
- Development and training of subject leads (Science, Computing, PE) and CPD
- Development of SEND leadership and provision, including the introduction of an online system to monitor the effectiveness of SEND provision
- Trauma Informed Schools Lead
- SEND Professional Development for all staff in a range of areas
- Development of highly effective safeguarding practices and leadership (Including the introduction of an online reporting systems, stringent monitoring and reporting to governors)
- Establishment of a Senior Mental Health Lead, Wellbeing Lead, Wellbeing Champions, Emotional Literacy Support Assistant
- Development of effective Online Learning Offer (Seesaw)
- Creation of a range of new school policies
- New school vision and values developed with the school community and embedded
- New PSHE/RSE Curriculum introduced across the school after consultation with stakeholders

- Development of indoor Early Years Learning Environment to ensure that learning areas are clear and a love of Reading is encouraged

### **Portacabin Update:**

We are still doing everything within our power to replace the portacabin classrooms!

On Tuesday 17th May, we met with the Local Authority and sent them all of the details with regard to the CIF Bid and the situation the school is in. This was then discussed at a further meeting the Local Authority Lead for sufficiency and planning. They reviewed our bid and have confirmed that we have provided a strong case for the replacement of the temporary building. They meet regularly with representatives from the Department for Education and the School Rebuilding Programme and raised the concerns regarding the poor condition of the portacabins. A DFE officer has offered to look into what has happened with our CIF bids.

The Local Authority also suggested that the school submit a request under the School Rebuilding Programme as an Exceptional Case which we have done. This is currently 'under consideration' and the outcome will be announced in the Autumn. Only 50 school projects will be selected under this scheme nationally.

The Local Authority have also stated that they no longer receive a School Condition Allocation for Voluntary Aided schools. VA schools have to apply under the Condition Improvement Fund as we have tried for 2 years. Due to the financial position of the school, the Trust are unlikely to be considered for the Urgent Capital Support (UCS) loan and the school is not permitted to take out any other loans without the permission of the Secretary of State. It is highly unlikely that this request would be granted. The Lloyds Trust does not have the funds to be able to support a rebuild as it is only a small trust with limited income.

We have sought a number of quotes from companies who install modular buildings, thinking that this may be more viable financially. and could be funded by the money raised by the PTA. The cheapest quote thus far is £170,000 for a two-classroom building, but this does not include removal of the current structure, hire of equipment, electrics and plumbing. The most expensive quote was £490,000. Our next steps, therefore, will be the following:

- Await the outcome of the School Rebuilding Programme request (we don't know when this will be)
- Meet with our property consultants to see if there is any way we can reconfigure the spaces in our main building to accommodate all pupils. This meeting is scheduled for the 21st June.

## THE PARISH OF ST. MARY, DOVERDALE

CHURCHWARDEN:	Mr. R. Coppini	Tel: 620963
LICENSED LAY READER:	Mr. Richard Jeynes	Tel: 620441
TREASURER:	Mr. D. Hawkins	Tel: 620059
SECRETARY PCC:	Mr. G. Crow	Tel: 772850
Sidesmen:	Mrs V. Harris, Mr. C. Harris, Mr G. Crow, Mrs S. Crow, Mr J. Chapman, Mrs A. Chapman, Mrs W. Hawkins	
Organists:	Mrs L. Moyse	

### CHURCH CLEANING ROTA:

JULY:- Sue Crow, Wendy Hawkins

August:- Alison Best, Sue Rees

### FLOWER ROTA:

July/August:- Jean Dowty

### PARISH REGISTER

Interment of Ashes In Churchyard:	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Robert John May
	June 10 <sup>th</sup>	Anita Jane Mannion

### SERVICES

Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 3 <sup>rd</sup> after Trinity	11.00 a.m. MP (BCP)	Lectors: Mr. R. Coppini, Mrs. A. Chapman Sidesperson: Mr. J. Chapman Readings: Isa.66(10-14) & Luke 10(1-11) & (16-20)
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 5 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity	11.00 a.m. HC(BCP)	Lector: Mrs. V. Harris Sidesperson: Mr. C. Harris Readings: Gen.18 (1-10a) & Gospel: Luke 10 (38-end)

Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup> July 7 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity 5 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY	10.00a.m. Joint Benefice Service at Doverdale Holy Communion	Lector: Mr. D. Hawkins Sidespeople: Mr. G. Crow & Mrs. S. Crow Readings: Eccles.1 (2) & (12-14) & Eccles.2 (18-23).Gospel: Luke 12 (13-21)
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> August 8 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity	11.00a.m. MP (BCP)	Lector: Mrs. V. Harris, Mr. J. Chapman Sidesperson: Mr. C. Harris Readings: Gen.15 (1-6) & Luke 12 (32-40)
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> August 10 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity	11.00a.m. HC-BCP	Lector: Mrs. S. Crow Sidesperson: Mr. G. Crow Readings: Isa. 58 (9b-end). Gospel: Luke 13(10-17)
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 12 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity	11.00a.m. MP (BCP)	Lectors: Mr. R. Coppini, Mr. D. Hawkins Sidesperson: Mrs. A. Chapman Readings: Deut. 30 (15-end) & Luke 14 (25-33)
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> September 14 <sup>th</sup> after Trinity	11.00a.m. HC (BCP)	Lectors: Mrs. V. Harris Sidesperson: Mr. C. Harris Readings: Amos 8 (4-7). Gospel: Luke 16 (1-13)

### PEW POINTS: ROGATION

Warm, sunny weather prevailed on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May when churches in the Benefice celebrated the festival of Rogation.

The origin of the festival is steeped in history; the word “Rogation” coming from the Latin verb ROGARE - to ask. Traditionally, it is the day when the church offers prayers for God’s blessing on the fruits of the earth and on the labours of those who produce our food. It provides a wonderful opportunity for us to be mindful of our dependence on local farmers and producers and also mindful of our responsibility to the environment.

Our service at St. Mary’s was held at 11.00a.m. and 21 people assembled to join in the traditional walk along the lanes. The service commenced in the Church

with a greeting and a small address by Lay Reader, Richard Jeynes, after which, the congregation filed out of the church whilst singing the well-known hymn "All People that on earth do dwell". The first stop was at a cornfield and further stops were made along the way for an appropriate prayer and hymn. Our final destination, Doverdale Mill, was an idyllic spot to bless the water in Doverdale Brook. Thank you, once again, to Mike and Sandie Smart for their hospitality. After returning to the churchyard, the last reading was heard before progressing back into the Church whilst singing the final hymn "Through all the changing scenes of life". The service concluded with the Lord's Prayer and the Vicar's final blessing.

Welcome refreshments were then served. Thank you to the ladies who provided the coffee and biscuits and especial thanks to Geoff and Sue Crow for printing the sheets and organizing the readers.

### **DIARY DATE**

MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JULY: PCC MEETING AT 7.00p.m. in Ombersley Church Narthex.

### **ST. MARY'S JUBILEE WEEK-END SERVICE**

The service held on Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup> paid tribute to Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth 11, for reaching the remarkable milestone of 70 years on the throne.

Lay Reader, Richard Jeynes, led the service and appropriate readings and hymns had been chosen to mark the event.

Many thanks to Jean Dowty for decorating the church so beautifully and to Ann and John Chapman for reading the lessons. Coffee and biscuits were served afterwards, thanks to Judy Seymour and Wendy Hawkins.

A lovely service with time for reflection on the pageantry and celebrations that had taken place over the past days, marking such an historic event in the history of our Nation.

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5th JULY in the Narthex at Ombersley Church. Tea and coffee available.  
All welcome.

## Advertisers 2022 Electronic List

A & E Carers – private ear syringing – 07958 360247  
AJ's Window Cleaning Services – windows, gutters etc. – 07809 730085  
AS Locks & Services – 01905 726671 / 07956 371673  
AY Services – general maintenance – 01905 759151 / 07876 308058  
All-inc-Cars – taxi service – 01905 826261 / 07739 109590  
Andy Johnson – chimney sweep – 01886 821933 / 07798 790913  
Andy Pritchard – painter and decorator – 01886 889001 / 07973 783240  
Bedwardine Funeral Services – 01905 748811  
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Oldfields of Ombersley – country/equestrian – 01905 622295  
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Ombersley Golf Club – 01905 620747 (restaurant 01905 620621)  
Ombersley Memorial Hall – 07936 467390  
Ovengleamers – oven cleaning – 01562 702883  
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Steve George of Ombersley – landscaping etc. – 01905 621427 / 07745 597050  
Studio Smith Architects – 01905 622373 / 07921 623709  
Sytchampton Community Centre – 01905 620943  
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Whitleng Gardens – tea rooms/gardens – 01299 250669  
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