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Hello All

What an amazing summer we've had. No need to go to the Med this year!

Not so good for the gardens but at least the lawns are now starting to recover with the recent rain.



I Googled September for inspiration for my Editorial and found the following 'Awareness Days' apparently fall in September, so take your pick and be aware!

World Alzheimers Month
International Vulture Awareness Day
Organic Produce Month
Blood Cancer Awareness Month
Urology Awareness Month
Oddfellows Friendship Month
Blue September (facing up to Prostate Cancer)
Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
CMT Awareness Month (you may need to look that one up!)

Make the most of the last bit of summer!

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We welcome all contributions to the content of the Newsletter, but please remember that the deadline date for the next issue is 8pm on the 15th of the month.

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Village Diary

September

Sat 1	Quiz Night in the Millennium Hall 7 for 7.30 in aid of Church
Sat 8	Gardeners Trip to Pashley Manor - see page 11
	Church Gift Day - see page 10
	Ride & Stride for Kent Churches - see page 23
Thurs 13	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Thurs 13	W.I. Meeting 7pm in the Village Hall
Sat 15	Produce Association Autumn Show
Fri 21, Sat 22, and Sun 23	Oliver performed by T E Players - see page 15
Tues 25	Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall
Thurs 27	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall

October

Fri 5	Oktoberfest at The Fox - see page 14
Thurs 11	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Thurs 11	W.I. Meeting 7pm in the Village Hall
Tues 23	Produce Association AGM 7.30-9pm in the Lower Hall
Thurs 25	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Tues 30	Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall

November

Tues 6	Parish Council Finance Committee in The Baptist Hall
Thurs 8	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Thurs 8	W.I. Meeting 7pm in the Village Hall
Sat 10	Newsletter WW1 Exhibition in the Village Hall followed by A Show in the evening
Thurs 22	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Tues 27	Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall

December

Thurs 6	Coffee Morning 10-11.30 in the Village Hall
Thurs 13	W.I. Meeting 7pm in the Village Hall

2019

January

Tues 29 Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall

February

Tues 26 Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall

March

Tues 26 Parish Council Meeting in The Baptist Hall

April

Tues 30 Annual Parish Meeting in The Baptist Hall

May

Tues 289 Parish Council AGM in The Baptist Hall

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Friday Club

Our July Fish and Chip Lunch was changed to sausage and chips at The Fox and playing skittles. This was enjoyed so much in June that we decided to have another go while the weather was good. BUT oh it rained, out of all the days of the week it rained on Friday, but we did not let it spoil our day and we still had a good turn out. Our Fish and Chip Lunch will be re- scheduled in October.

We return to the club on 7th September and look forward to arranging our activities up to December, so watch this space. In the meantime enjoy the remainder of the summer.

Yvonne



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**We will then have 2 special draws at Christmas and Easter when 3 prizes
will be**

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2nd prize £75

3rd prize - £50

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September Services, to which we warmly welcome you

At Temple Ewell our Sunday Club meets at 10.30am during term time, as advised

Priests for September

2nd Fr. Peter

9th Fr. Michael at Lydden 10am

16th Fr. Michael

23rd Fr. Michael

30th Fr. Peter Joint T/Ewell

The holiday is nearly over, and we now can start to think about Autumn and Winter. The weather can stay good for a while to remind us what a lovely summer it has been. When my granddaughter thanked me for allowing her to share our visit to Cornwall, I thought how good it is to show our gratitude for the things we appreciate.

There are lots of things we are very grateful for at our Church, and we try to express our thanks when we can. Jenny kindly arranged a lunch at The Fox for the retired priests who keep us going with services on Sunday, plus the occasional wedding, and christening.

It is that time of year when we think about our Annual Gift Day. This is when we ask for your help with the maintenance of our building, so that it is always safe and available for those who may wish to use it for whatever reason. Due to a grant received from the All Churches Trust and support from our Parish Council and School, we have been able to install two more CCTV cameras. It is good when we are able to work together on a project such as security. We are always extremely grateful for the response that we receive at this Annual Appeal. This year it will be on the 8th September, and as usual our wardens will be on the seat by Lorna's from 9am to 12 noon, to answer any questions and thankfully receive your gifts. The letter concerning this will be enclosed with your Newsletter. We do thank them and the distributors for helping us to arrange this.

I hope that your holiday was a pleasant time and that you are now ready to think about events during the autumn months.

Peter Austen
(Churchwarden)

Church Fundraising

Thanks to Pam and Glen for providing the venue for a marvellous musical evening held in August. Also to Pam and Alison for supplying beautiful food to match the occasion. No-one can say we don't provide a variety of ways of enjoying ourselves!



Sunday Club

Sunday Club is so sorry to lose Margaret as one of the leaders. We hope she can now enjoy a more relaxed Sunday morning.

The Club will of course resume on 9th September and we have a variety of helpers with Jenny to provide basic knowledge of Christ's love for all. Children are welcome from 3 years and we go into Church for the latter part of the service.

More info on our August outing (still to take place at time of writing) will follow next month.



T E Produce Association

The Summer Show on Saturday 14th July held in the village hall was very well attended considering we were competing against the Football World Cup on TV and not many chaps would leave the house or pub to come and see us!

We will be visiting Pashley Manor and Gardens on the 8th September as a Club Outing.

We look forward to seeing you all at our Autumn Show on the 15th September.

Regards Trevor



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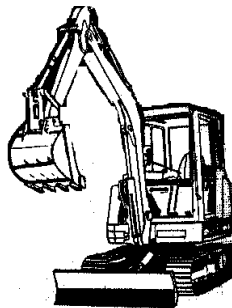
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Tickets will be on sale every Tuesday and Thursday in the Village Hall between 7pm and 8pm from the 21st August right up until show week, so come and get your tickets to make sure you don't miss out on a truly marvellous show.

Show dates are as follows:

Friday 21st August at 7pm.

Saturday 22nd August at 7pm.

Sunday 23rd August at 2pm.

We look forward to seeing you!

Holly

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Brownies

We went to Dover beach to do our Beach Paw Print Badge. We found some sand and put out footprint on it, found some seaweed and sticks and made a collage. Then Georgie and Brown Owl went and got us fish and chips to eat by the cafe. Then we found some pebbles, which we coloured and hid. We watched the waves on the sea and the birds and played games on the beach before we went home. We also took beach pictures for the Flower Show.

Charlotte

Four of us went to a Brownie K-Fest where there were lots of activities. We found a shelter to sit under as it was very sunny and we shared it with other Brownies. We went to see the Bug Man who had lots of cool insects - butterflies, millipedes and stick insects, which we could hold. We went insect hunting and found spiders, grasshoppers and caterpillars, it was fun and exciting. We then had a lunch of hot dog and chips and a drink in our shelter.

After that we went to the Arts and Crafts. I made a keyring elephant and a Girl Guiding badge. We toasted marshmallows over a campfire and had to be careful of other Brownies.

Then we went to have our faces painted with glitter and our hair dyed pink!

We went on the bouncy castle and to the Gift Shop and last, but not least, we had an ice cream. We had a really nice time.

Willow

We have also been up the hills looking at flowers etc. and the girls loved blowing bubbles and chasing them to see how far they went. And we found another Channel Rock. The Brownies have been busy making salt dough flowers and drawing on CDs for the Flower Show.

Our next activity will be a trip to Kingswood Activity Centre later this month.

Brown Owl





Letters to the Editor

We would like to hear from you. What do you want information on? Need help with something? Want to comment on a local issue? This is the place to do it! Send to the Editor - details on page 3

Dear Editor

As a regular Sunday morning worshipper at SS Peter and Paul, I have been aware on three or four occasions of unseen hands gracing our church with beautiful flower arrangements over the past three or four months. One gets to recognise the 'regular' arrangements - but all flower arrangements to me are rather like signatures and one recognises styles.

I would like to thank these unseen hands for the pleasure and joy they leave us, all who worship at our local church.

I would be grateful if you could publish my thanks.

With thanks
A Worshipper!



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CHURCH DEMOLITION!

We heard a rumour in the village that the Baptist Church was being demolished. It is true that we have diggers taking up the concrete driveway and the rear church wall has been taken down. This is not for the purpose of demolition but for renovation! The place is a mess at present with dust everywhere and works which are incomplete. The church now a derelict shell with our services being held in the rear hall.

The aim of the alterations is to modernise the church building. The main entrance is to be bricked up, with a new entrance, from the driveway, facing London Road. The driveway therefore has to be lowered, to align with the entrance floor level. The present entrance area will become a vestry and the rear entrance will be widened for disabled access.

All of the internal wall boarding will be removed and the walls totally re-plastered. There will be a complete renovation which we hope will be completed by early October. If you would like to view the works in progress, this can be arranged by telephoning one of the numbers below.

We believe that "The Church" is made up of the people and not the building. What can happen to a building by way of renovation can also apply to "The People". We may be dirty, dowdy or desperately unhappy with the way we are.

The wonderful promise of Jesus Christ is that WE can be renewed by his spirit. (Titus ch.3 v.5)

We have a wonderful object lesson as we watch the renovation being carried out.

Our activities continue as usual:

Sunday Family Service: 10.30am

Monday Keep Fit: 7.30pm

Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer: 7pm

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County Councillor

KCC launches new select committee on loneliness and social isolation

Kent County Council's (KCC) Scrutiny Committee has established a Loneliness and Social Isolation Select Committee to identify ways it can support the county's older residents.

The committee will investigate the current services available and identify initiatives and strategies to prevent or reduce the impact on residents. The committee is cross-party and independent from the council's executive. It will gather information via several hearing sessions with relevant witnesses, off-site visits and the collection of written submissions from experts and interested stakeholders. Loneliness and social isolation are serious issues with wide-ranging consequences. Although loneliness can affect anybody, its mental and physical effects can be particularly detrimental for older people, as the health risks associated with it increase as people age.

It has been estimated that about 30,000 people in Kent alone suffer from acute loneliness. While we are aware that tackling this problem is not easy, we believe that more can be done to alleviate suffering and improve the lives of our older residents. The terms of reference were agreed at the committee's first formal meeting on July 23.

Loneliness and Social Isolation Select Committee – Terms of Reference

1. To put into context social isolation and loneliness, and to identify the groups of people who are particularly affected by social isolation and/or loneliness in Kent.
2. To investigate the impact of social isolation and loneliness on Kent's older residents.
3. To investigate the extent to which KCC's current service provision and partnership working is effective in dealing with social isolation and loneliness amongst older people in Kent.
4. To recommend initiatives and strategies to prevent or reduce the impact of social isolation and loneliness on Kent's older residents.

To help the committee gather as many views on this important issue as possible, KCC would welcome any written submissions about loneliness and social isolation. If you would like to send information for the committee to consider, please email select.committee@kent.gov.uk by midday on Monday, September 10, 2018.

Once all the information has been considered, the committee will develop a report that puts forward recommendations for improvement to be considered at a full county council meeting in early 2019.

This is a very important committee aimed at assisting the individual, the carers, the families to make an improvement in all their lives.

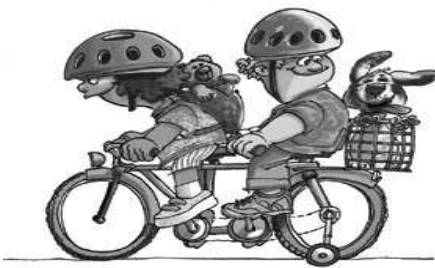
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Kent County Councillor, Dover West Ward

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In order to help these cats find the stress-free life they deserve, we need to find people with large outside space and shelter who would be willing to offer this as a home for a cat. This could be anything from a shed in a large garden to a barn in a farmyard and everything in between. If you have always wanted to have a cat but have allergies, then a cat seeking an alternative home would be perfect as they wouldn't want to come inside the house! All people would need to do is provide food, water and shelter and monitor the cat from a distance. Some of the cats looking for alternative homes would be quite happy to interact with people on their own terms, others would rather people kept their distance but would certainly help with pest control.

The reward of offering a cat an alternative home? Restoring a cat's faith in humanity and allowing it to find happiness.

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Temple Ewell W.I.

We were pleased to welcome two visitors from our Australian link to our July meeting. They were in England for five weeks and were able to fit in a visit to us. Our speaker that evening was Christine whose subject was orchids. She is a judge for International and National Orchid Shows. She told us that orchids were introduced to the UK in 1818 from Rio de Janeiro. The rich and wealthy collected them and within two years William Calkey had the largest collection in England. We learnt about Phalaenopsis orchids, which are the most common species. We were shown how to tend our orchids including watering, positioning and the best temperature to encourage growth.

We are still celebrating our 100th birthday and to this effect we enjoyed a trip to Samphire Hoe and a Treasure Hunt in Kearsney Abbey. We also enjoyed what should have been a Garden Party at Joan's, but unfortunately it rained all day so we held it inside instead.

We have some spare seats on our trip to the London Eye and River Cruise, if you are interested contact Gloria 01304825732 /07876403690.

Our next meeting is on September 13th when our speaker will be talking about Dover Castle.

Village Concert 1918-2018 10th Nov for one night only

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The agenda and minutes are displayed on the Parish Council notice board by Southdown Stores and on the Council website. Should you wish to put anything on the notice board please contact either the Clerk or the Chairman.

Contact details for councillors are on the website:

www.templeewellpc.kentparishes.gov.co.uk

**Mrs. Jane Coulson-Wright, Temple Ewell Parish Council,
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**Does anyone know anything about the gentleman
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Thanks, Editor





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During 2017-18, we'll be planting a community orchard in Russell Gardens. This will be on the slope behind the tennis courts.

We'll also be looking for volunteers to help carry out visitor surveys.

Resources

We're talking to people about their memories of Kearsney Abbey and Russell Gardens. If you have any stories about the parks that you'd like to share, please get in touch.

We'd also love to see any historic photos of the parks that you have.

We are currently developing resources for schools.



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Templeside's 50th Birthday Party!

What a lovely afternoon we had having tea and cakes in the village hall, catching up with friends, neighbours, both young and old, to celebrate 50 years of residing in Temple Ewell. Nearly everyone came with photos and paper clippings, prompting lots of 'do you remember when?'

Templeside, along with Downhill & Temple Close was a new development and many of us were newlyweds when we moved in. Gradually with our children attending the local school, families to church, Mums and Dads joining and setting up various societies (and of course supporting the two local hostelrys) our community developed.

Thank you Alison for organising the event and to Branching Out for assisting with the teas etc. Everyone agreed that we are very privileged to live in this little corner of Kent.

Cindy





Remembering the end of World War 1 in November 2018 - Please can you help us?

Our November issue this year will be a special one to commemorate the end of War 1, which happened 100 years ago with the surrender of Germany on 11th November 1918.

We have two things planned that we would like your help with:

1. A special edition of the Newsletter with articles about the war and those who were affected by it.

Please send in anything that you think will be of interest.

Articles can be emailed to me at templeewellnews@gmail.com or posted to me at 13 Chilton Way, River, Dover CT17 0QB.

If you have information of any sort, but do not wish to write an article your self we are more than happy to visit you and take down details instead.

2. An exhibition of photos and memorabilia from the time of WW1 with soup lunch - a chance to have a look and a chat about the exhibits

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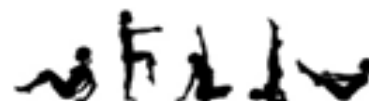
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