



HINTON ST MARY THE MOSAIC.

June 2015



GARDENS OPEN PLANT STALL



(Saturday 13th June and Sunday 14th June)

This year as well as the usual perennials, shrubs, annuals etc. we would also be very grateful for donations of the following:

Indoor Plants
Unwanted Gardening Books
Ceramic and Terracotta Pots.

It would be very helpful if all plants could be clearly labelled (preferably with a plant stick rather than a sticky label which may peel off in the rain!) with the name of the plant, colour of flower if any and approximate height.

Please take all donations to the Tithe Barn either on Friday 12th June between 1.00 and 5.00pm or Saturday 13th June before 10.30am. as everything has to be sorted and priced and leave outside the Tithe Barn to the left of the front door. If donating gardening books, please ensure they are in carrier bags just in case of rain.

If anyone has large pots or shrubs they wish to donate but are unable to transport them, please call either Anthea (471 896) or Pauline (471 843) and we will try to arrange collection.

In the meantime if you have any queries, please do not hesitate to call us and we look forward to seeing you on Gardens Open Weekend.

Many thanks, Anthea and Pauline.

OPEN GARDENS 2015 13 - 14 JUNE

HELP PLEASE

Cakes, Scones and Jams for the Teas

As usual we need lots of cakes and scones, so we would really appreciate any help any one of you could give us – it would be really kind if you could let me know (tel. 472263) if you could make either of the above, and how many – it helps so much with the daily planning !

If you could also just let us know if any of your cakes / scones contain nuts, that would also be helpful.

Helpers to serve the Teas / Washing Up

We need more helpers, please, for both days but especially Sunday – even if you can spare just an hour, it would be very much appreciated – and it is actually quite fun !

Tombola Prizes

Please deliver these to me at Laurel House, Veals Lane, during the week of 8th June, or to The Tithe Barn on the morning of Saturday 13th June.

Books

This year we are having a book stall, so any contributions would be gratefully received – either at my house or at the Tithe Barn on the Saturday morning.

Plants

Please deliver these to the Tithe Barn on Friday 12th in the afternoon, 1.00pm - 5.00pm or on Saturday morning before 10.30 a.m.

Collectables

Please deliver these to Janet Bolton at The Cottage, Veals Lane, during the week of 8th June.

Fabric, Wool or Haberdashery

Any of the above would be very welcome – please deliver to me during the week of 8th June, or to Rachel Wheeler at The Carpenters on the main road.

NB: if it helps, we can always arrange collection for any of the above – please let me know.

AS THIS IS A VILLAGE EVENT, ANY HELP WOULD BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED

MONDAY 15TH JUNE - EVENING

Mrs Pitt Rivers has kindly agreed to open the Manor Gardens again for anyone from the village who will not have had a chance during the weekend to enjoy wandering around any of the village gardens – I hope that many other gardens will also be open that evening for everyone to enjoy.

Thank you in advance for your help !

Susie Burbidge: 472 263

Curates Corner

There are some puzzling images of God in the Bible. This one from Malachi is no exception:

“He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver.”

When working with silver a silversmith holds a piece of silver over a fire and lets it heat up. In refining silver one needs to hold the silver in the middle of the fire where the flames are hottest so as to burn away all the impurities.

According to Malachi this hotspot is where God holds us.

Silversmiths have to sit in front of the fire the whole time the silver is being refined because if the silver is left just a fraction too long in the fire it is destroyed. I once asked a silversmith how he knows when silver is fully refined. He smiled and said it was easy: when he saw his image in it.

Christians believe that humans are made in the image of God, that the very being of God is somehow stamped in our selves. We can feel furthest from God when we are suffering or in pain. Malachi makes the point that it is when we are feeling the heat of the fire that God is sitting with us, watching us until he can see his image in us. Through the process the silver is/we are not destroyed but refined.

Rev'd Lydia

I have been asked if I would approach you to ask if you could possibly put a link on your site for the Catholics in Hinton St Mary to help them find their local church and times of services.

We would be most grateful.

The site's address is: www.marnhullandgillinghamrc.org.uk

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