

North Tuddenham The Mardle



Soichi Watanabe: "We Are One in Jesus Our Lord"

A Parish Newsletter

April 2022

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April 2022 — CHURCH SERVICES

Easter Day Service 17th April 10:30 am

24th April 10:30 am—Holy Com-

Regrettably above Services still at Village Hall

For Sunday Services held at other parish churches within the Benefice, please ring Church Office or see Website : matvchurch.uk for times

AND- all of you with access to the Internet, do please join a service being held at 9.00—9.30 am each Friday morning specifically with St. Mary's and North Tuddenham parishioners in mind -

<https://tinyurl.com/matv-weekdays>

NO ACCESS to St. Mary's Church without specific permission

BIBLE QUOTATION: the Jesus Prayer
Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

Village News

Editor's Piece

The pain and misery which has been unfolding 1500 miles away in Ukraine has shocked us all. It defies belief that this could be happening in the 21st century. We pray for some sense and compassion in those key people negotiating for a peaceful end.

Thank you for those who contributed £120 to the Ukrainian Appeal last month which was sent to the D.E.C. via Mattishall Post Office.

Easter Booklet - Anyone who wishes to be included in the distribution list for the electronic version of the Easter Booklet to contact me, Jackie Crisp, at jackie.crisp@matvchurch.uk. Paper copies will be left at the Lodge and Dann's Shop.

Church Tower—as you read this, I hope that all the scaffolding has finally been removed. The tower should be standing proudly at the west end of the church looking as good as it did in 1380, if not better!

However there is still plenty of work to be done underground with piling, the foundations, pinning the buttresses and improving drainage. Recent forecasts suggest work may not now be complete until July.

Festival—despite the delays with tower reparations we still intend to run the Festival as planned with some minor modifications. The community expects nothing less.

This event is for the whole community to enjoy, so please book early. I'm sure you can find something of interest to attend during the 6th –8th May.

All the information you need, including how to book events can be found at

www.northtuddenhamfestival.org

Parish Council

Hello again!

A quick reminder about our upcoming Annual Meetings scheduled for May.

Firstly, like any other organisation or company, the Council needs to hold an annual meeting to carry out those things that only need doing once a year which include · Electing a Chairman · Electing a Vice-Chairman · Appointing committees · Appointing representatives to other bodies (e.g. the Village Hall Committee etc) and Reviewing policy documents such as Standing Orders & Financial Regulations.

Secondly, there is the requirement to hold an Annual Parish Meeting. This is, in legal terms, a quite separate body from the Council, but it is invariably the Council that arranges it. Its decisions are not binding on the Council, though a wise Council will normally want to take heed of what is said at the meeting! This meeting is open to all electors of the Parish, who have the right not only to attend but also to speak on any matter of local interest, unlike a Council meeting, where the public can only speak during the public participation item on the agenda.

This year both these meetings take place on Tuesday May 10th 2022 at North Tuddenham Village Hall – the Annual meeting of the Parish will commence at 6.45pm, and the format will be informal, beginning with the Chair speaking about the work done in the Parish over the preceding year, followed by your chance to vocalise anything you feel pertinent, or for local groups to show-case their own

Really hope to see some of you there for either meeting – come have you say!

With all best wishes

Vicky

Addendum re highways issues

The Parish Council has written to those responsible for the A47 to request a meeting with National Highways and Norfolk County Council to discuss unresolved issues especially rat-running during construction phase, potential increase in traffic noise and bus services.

50 mph signs all along Old Main Road now!

RECIPE FOR APRIL

CHOCOLATE BREAD & BUTTER PUDDING

Ingredients

9 slices, each 5mm thick, good quality white bread, 1 day old, taken from a large loaf; 150g dark chocolate with 75% cocoa solids; 425ml whipping cream; 4 tbsps dark rum; 110g caster sugar; 75g butter, a good pinch cinnamon and 3 large eggs. Double cream, well chilled.

You will also need a shallow ovenproof dish 18cm x 23cm base x 5cm deep, lightly buttered.

Method

Begin by removing the crusts from the slices of bread, which should leave you with approximately 10cm squares. So now cut each slice into 4 triangles. Next place the chocolate, whipping cream, rum, sugar, butter and cinnamon in a bowl set over a saucepan of barely simmering water, being careful not to let the bowl touch the water, then wait until the butter and chocolate have melted and the sugar has completely dissolved. Next remove the bowl from the heat and stir.

Now in a separate bowl, whisk the eggs. Pour the chocolate mixture over them and whisk again very thoroughly to blend them all together.

Then spoon about a 1cm layer of the chocolate mixture into the base of the dish and arrange half the bread triangles over the chocolate in overlapping rows. Now pour half the remaining chocolate mixture all over the bread as evenly as possible, then arrange the rest of the triangles over that, finishing off with a layer of chocolate. Use a fork to press the bread gently down so that it gets covered very evenly with the liquid as it cools.

Cover the dish and allow to stand at room temperature for 2 hours before transferring it to the fridge for 24 to 48 hours before cooking.

When you're ready to cook the pudding, pre-heat the oven to gas mark 4, 180°C. Remove the covering and bake in the oven on a high shelf for 30-35 minutes. Leave it to stand for 10 minutes before serving with well-chilled double cream poured over.

Absolutely yummy! Just ask my husband. Thank you, Delia!

Connie's Corner

The war in Ukraine.

Hello, I hope you are all doing ok. The war in Ukraine has shocked us all and is something people feel emotional about. As a younger person in society, I feel concerned on how a human being can purposefully kill thousands of innocent people. It completely destroys the idea that we stand for. Kindness. My thoughts and prayers go out to all those that have been affected from this awful situation.

However, there are some positives that we can talk about. Many people have been donating things to go to people who have suffered from the attack on Ukraine. **Please, if you can, donate something.** Things like tinned foods, nappies, warm clothing, blankets etc. Just one thing will improve the quality of life for people who have now crossed the border and fled Ukraine into Poland. If you would like to donate, I believe that many places in Dereham are taking donations to send to Poland.

Lastly, I just want to finish on a positive note. We will get through this and will continue to support Ukraine and its people. Remember, kindness will get you far in life.

Care for one another and you will do just fine.

Connie

KNOW YOUR VILLAGE

where were these photos taken?

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Tuddenham Tidy Up

Twenty villagers turned out for the 12th Annual Tuddenham Tidy-Up between Friday 11th and Sunday 20th March.



All roads and lanes in the parish were meticulously cleared of rubbish thrown out of the windows of passing vehicles by mindless drivers or dumped by thoughtless and selfish fly-tippers!

There were approximately 60 filled bags containing hundreds of cans, food packaging and plastic bottles. We picked up 6 tyres, a lavatory pan, a garden chair and an ironing board and, in a sign of the times, lots of discarded face-masks. Yuck!

Well done to all those considerate individuals who did their bit for the village and the environment!

Thank you Adrian for co-ordinating another successful campaign!

NORTH TUDDENHAM FESTIVAL 2022 !

Music Alive!

Friday 6th May at 19.00
St Mary's Church

An evening of great sounds & easy listening
is guaranteed. The acoustics are brilliant
and the atmosphere will be buzzing!

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Booking at

www.northtuddenhamfestival.org

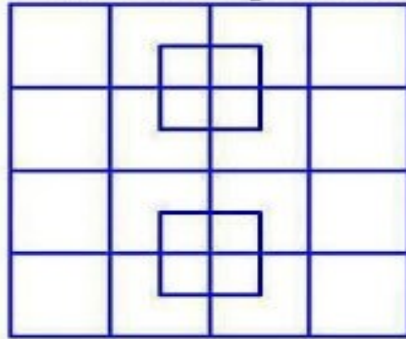


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MIND TEASERS

**How many squares
are in this picture?**



92% FAIL this simple test!

In the figure, you can see nine stars. What you have to do is connect all of them by using just four line and without lifting your hand i.e. in a continuous flow.

Can you find a method to achieve it?



Courtesy of www.BRiddles.com

Quiz Page

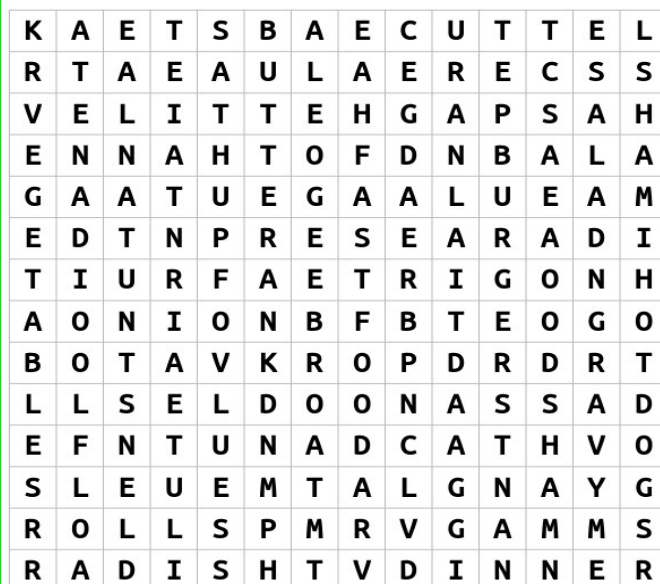
ANCIENT GREEKS

DIFFICULTY: HARD



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| 1. AEROPUS | 7. ETESIAS | 13. TYRIMMAS |
| 2. ALCETAS | 8. KARANUS | |
| 3. ALEXANDER | 9. KOINOS | |
| 4. ARCHELAUS | 10. ORESTES | |
| 5. ARGAEUS | 11. PHILIP | |
| 6. CRATERUS | 12. PTOLEMY | |

Types of Food



- ONION
- PORK
- BURGERS
- FAST FOOD
- RADISH
- MACARONI
- LETTUCE
- VEGETABLES
- NOODLES
- BREAD
- CEREAL
- HAM
- FRUIT
- TUNA
- SALAD
- SPAGHETTI
- BUTTER
- ROLLS
- TV DINNER
- HOTDOGS
- STEAK
- GRAVY

2nd ELSING TRACTOR RUN

Elsing Village Centre (NR20 3EA)

Sunday April 24th 2022

Setting off around 10.00 am



The tractors will follow a set route through North Tuddenham to the Swan Inn, Mattishall and return to Elsing via Welborne during the afternoon.

Refreshments available at the Village Hall

Come and enjoy the fun!

Organised by Elsing Heritage Society in aid of society funds

Acorn Hut Farm Shop & Plant Centre

No. 1 Watercress Lane, (off Mill Road) Mattishall, NR20 3RJ

Wed – Sat 10am – 4pm, Sun 10am – 2pm

Tel: 07885 666868 or 07885 663926

Email: theacornhutfarmshop@gmail.com

New for 2022 The Squirrels Rest Café / Takeaway

We stock locally sourced Norfolk Artisan produce from around the County. Fresh fruit & vegetables from local suppliers, delivered daily.

We have range of fresh meats & frozen fish.

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As spring arrives, we will have a good selection of summer bedding, hanging baskets, patio & pot plants, hanging basket plants, shrubs, ornamental trees, pots, compost & grow bags.

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The Acorn Hut Farm Shop & Plant Centre

www.acornhutfarmshop.co.uk

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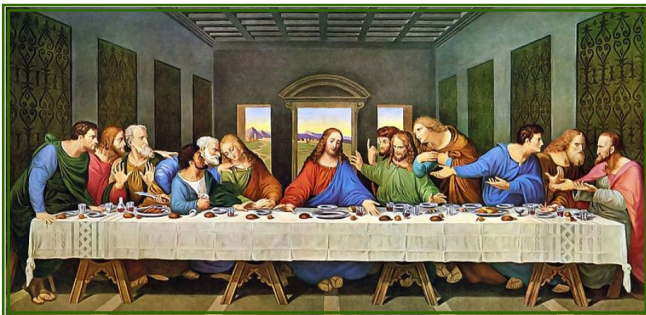
THE LAST SUPPER

The last Supper is the final meal that, in the Gospel accounts, Jesus shared with his apostles in Jerusalem before his crucifixion. The Last Supper is commemorated by Christians especially on Maundy Thursday. The Last Supper provides the scriptural basis for the Eucharist, also known as "Holy Communion" or "The Lord's Supper".

The First Epistle to the Corinthians contains the earliest known mention of the Last Supper. The canonical gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John state that the Last Supper took place in the week of Passover, days after Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, and shortly before Jesus was crucified. During the meal Jesus predicts his betrayal by one of the apostles present, and foretells that before the next morning, Peter will thrice deny knowing him.

Also included is the account of the institution of the Eucharist in which Jesus takes bread, breaks it and gives it to others, saying "This is my body given to you" (the apostles are not explicitly mentioned in the account in First Corinthians). The Gospel of John does not include this episode, but tells of Jesus washing the feet of the apostles, giving the new commandment "to love one another as I have loved you", and has a detailed farewell discourse by Jesus, calling the apostles who follow his teachings "friends and not servants", as he prepares them for his departure.

Wikipedia





APRIL 2022— VILLAGE EVENTS

ALL below held @ Village Hall unless otherwise stated

- 5th Windmill Quilters 7.00 p.m. Contact Jenny Smith **01362 422051**
- 6th First Aid Evening
- 11th Mid-Norfolk Guild of Spinners & Weavers 7.00—9.00p.m.
- 13th Windmill Quilters 10.00-3.00 p.m. Contact Jenny Smith
- 13th First Aid Evening
- 17th **EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE 10:30am**
- 19th Windmill Quilters 7.00 p.m. Contact Jenny Smith
- 23rd Mid-Norfolk Guild of Spinners & Weavers 1.30—3.30 p.m.
- 27th Windmill Quilters 10.00-3.00 p.m. Contact Jenny Smith
- 28th The Gardeners 7.30 p.m.—£1.50 p.p. to include refreshments.
D. Riches **01603 880458** — ALL warmly welcomed.

Sincere thanks to Christine Mobbs for vital Village Hall information

THE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Bake an Easter cake . See Facebook

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EASTER BLESSINGS