

## Holy Matrimony



6<sup>th</sup> April *Oliver James Carter and Rachel Crawford Williams*

## In Peace



- 21<sup>st</sup> March *Margaret Goddard*
- 22<sup>nd</sup> March *John Harvey*
- 17<sup>th</sup> April *Neville Collins*
- 19<sup>th</sup> April *Patricia Frayling*
- 20<sup>th</sup> April *Brenda Jones*

### Urgent - St John's Hall Bookings Administrator

- ✓ Do you have 4 hours a week spare?
- ✓ Are you a 'people' person?
- ✓ Are you handy on the phone and on an owned computer?
- ✓ Are you competent on Word and Excel?
- ✓ Are you able to get to St John's Hall quickly if required?

If so we would like you to join the Team running St John's Hall (with the Treasurer and the Manager)

*Honorarium of £1,000 pa paid monthly*

Call Tony James (01992 551967)  
or Rev Jo Loveridge (01992 584899)

## Coffee Morning

Please come and join us on



Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May  
10am to 12noon



Coffee, biscuits and fellowship

39 Fordwich Rise, Hertford

Proceeds to the AFIA MU project  
(Away From It All holidays for under-privileged families)



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## Summer begins at St Leonard's

Our Summer Festival programme begins on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> and Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> of June, with performances of 'A Sleep of Prisoners', by Christopher Fry, performed by 'A Cat called Mouse' productions. They will also be at the Quaker House where they performed last year to good reviews. The play was written to be performed in churches and depicts 4 prisoners of war locked in a church in enemy territory where personal & general conflicts become ever more explosive.

Entry is free of charge, with a suggested retiring donation of £5 per ticket. Performances begin at 7.30pm. Refreshments will be served.

Then, on June 9<sup>th</sup>, a complete change of mood, with the Royal Academy String

Quintet performing their programme, including the sublime Quintet in C major by Schubert, considered by many music scholars to be one of the greatest chamber music compositions ever written.

Tickets £12, £10 for Friends of St Leonard's. Interval refreshments included.

Please book your tickets for both events with Wendy Broome, 01992 551798, or [wendy.broome318@btinternet.com](mailto:wendy.broome318@btinternet.com).

## Comedian goes the distance for Miles for Macmillan

It's that time of year again when the 3rd largest cancer charity – Macmillan Cancer Support is asking people to tie up their walking boots and join one of our walks. The Bishop's Stortford walk takes place on Sunday 20th May and you can choose from three routes, 5, 10 or 15 miles.



Hertfordshire based comedian John Mann is supporting the walk this year and has signed up for the 5 mile route along with his family and dog Ted. John says of Miles for Macmillan *"I am proud to be associated with Macmillan Cancer Support and urge as many people as possible to take part in this great event. Merely by taking an enjoyable walk through the lovely Bishop's Stortford countryside and river Stort you can raise much needed funds for an cause that WILL affect someone close to you."*

Macmillan's ambition is to reach and improve the lives of everyone affected by cancer and to inspire millions of others to do the same. 1 in 3 people will be told they have cancer at some point in their lives. There are currently 2 million people living with cancer in the UK and this is predicted to reach 4 million by 2030. Sadly we all know somebody who has been affected. By choosing to support Macmillan and taking part in a walk you will be helping people who need it most.

To register to take part and receive a fundraising pack call 0300 1000 200 or log on to [www.macmillan.org.uk/walking](http://www.macmillan.org.uk/walking). If you would like to be volunteer to help at the walk then please do get in touch.

Miles for Macmillan is a national walking event in partnership with Boots. We're hoping to raise over £1.8m through Miles for Macmillan this year so whatever distance you can manage, every penny you raise will help improve the lives of people affected by cancer.

Alternatively if you can't take part in the Bishop's Stortford walk then why not sign up for one of our other Miles for Macmillan walks or organise your own with friends and family.

## Herford Team Events

### May

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengoe
- 5<sup>th</sup> "Child Based" Coffee Morning – St Andrew's
- 10<sup>th</sup> Hertford Town Council meeting with Team PCCs 7.00 pm – Hertford Castle
- 12<sup>th</sup> Christian Aid Walk
- 17<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengoe  
Team Ascension Day Service 8.00 pm  
– St Mary's, Hertingfordbury
- 19<sup>th</sup> Coffee Morning & Plant Sale – All Saints
- 27<sup>th</sup> Team Pentecost Service (The Very Revd Dr Jeffrey John) 10am – All Saints
- 31<sup>st</sup> Beer, Curry & Quiz Night for Men, White Horse, Castle Street 8.00 pm – St Andrew's

## June

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Celebrating the Diamond Jubilee – St Andrew's
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Lunch to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee – All Saints  
Queen's Diamond Jubilee Service  
3pm (Hertford Castle Grounds)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 16<sup>th</sup> Charity Fete – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 21<sup>st</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 24<sup>th</sup> Open Churches Day
- 30<sup>th</sup> Auction of Promises – All Saints

## July

- 5<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 7<sup>th</sup> Olympic Fun – St Andrew's
- 8<sup>th</sup> Parish Barbecue – All Saints
- 19<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 27<sup>th</sup> Opening of Olympic Games Bell  
Ringing 8am – St Andrew's

## August

- 4<sup>th</sup> Simple Coffee Morning & Book Sale –  
St Andrew's

## September

- 1<sup>st</sup> Churchyard Market & "Green" Event
- 6<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo  
Wednesday Group Coffee Morning –  
St Andrew's
- 8<sup>th</sup> Coffee Morning – All Saints  
Bike & Hike
- 20<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 29<sup>th</sup> Diocesan Spirituality Day – All Saints

## October

- 4<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 6<sup>th</sup> Coffee Morning – St Andrew's  
Harvest Supper – All Saints  
Quiz Night – St Andrew's
- 18<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo

## November

- 1<sup>st</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Coffee Morning & Sale of Charity  
Christmas Cards – St Andrew's
- 15<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo

## December

- 1<sup>st</sup> Festival of Cribs, Carols & Candles – St Andrew's
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Festival of Cribs, Carols & Candles – St Andrew's
- 6<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo
- 8<sup>th</sup> Christmas Bazaar – All Saints
- 20<sup>th</sup> Charity Cafe – Holy Trinity, Bengo



**Calling all men...  
Beer, Curry & Quiz  
Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> May 8pm  
Upstairs at The White Horse,  
Castle Street.**

To book contact Alan  
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