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Wed 3rd	7.30pm	Stock & Bradley Gardening Club	Bradley Village Hall
Wed 5th	10.30am - noon	"Drop in" for coffee and a chat	Parish Church
Sun 7th	7.30pm	'On The Box'	Village Hall
Tues 9th	7.30pm	Feckenham Forest History Society	Feckenham Village Hall
Thur 11th	7.30pm	Feckenham WI	Back Room Village Hall
Wed 17th	10.30am - noon	"Drop in" for coffee and a chat	Parish Church
Sun 21st	6.30pm	Carol Service	Parish Church
Wed 24th	4pm	Crib Service	Parish Church
Wed 24th	6.30pm	Carols round the Christmas Tree	The Square
Wed 24th	11pm	Midnight Eucharist	Parish Church
Thurs 25th	11am	Christmas Day Family Eucharist	Parish Church
Fri 26th	1.45pm	Boxing Day Walk	The Square
Sat 27th	7.30pm	FeckenOdeon	Village Hall
Mon 29th	7.30pm	FeckenOdeon	Village Hall

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What's On this month in STOCK & BRADLEY

- 3rd Gardening Club**
Touching Places
a talk by Rob Cole
Bradley Village Hall - 7.30pm
- 3rd Breakaway**
Christmas Lunch
- 6th Rush Farm**
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Readers and Intercessors



Sunday 7th

Advent 2

11-00am Sung Eucharist

Isaiah 40: vs. 1-11

2 Peter 3 : vs. 8-15a

Intercessions

Alistair Mcnaughton

Ann Matthews

Mark Wheatley

Sunday 14th

Advent 3

8-00am Holy Communion

1 Corinthians 4 : vs. 1-5

Peter Horsley

11-00am Family Service CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

Sunday 21st

Advent 4

6-30pm LESSONS AND CAROLS FOR CHRISTMAS

Tuesday 24th

Christmas Eve

4-00pm CRIB SERVICE

11-30pm MIDNIGHT EUCHARIST

Isaiah 9 : vs. 2-7

Intercessions

Jeff Matthews

Carol Onions

Wednesday 25th 11-00am CHRISTMAS FAMILY EUCHARIST

Christmas Day

X Box Sunday School

Will be held in Church on Sunday 7th December. All children will be warmly welcomed

Partners in Prayer

Ecumenical lay led service of prayer for the community, Wednesdays at 9.15am for 30 minutes in the Parish church. **All welcome.**

Feckenham Roman Catholic Church

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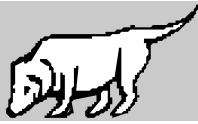


Mass is celebrated every Sunday at 10.15am in the Church

Fr. Anthony Rohan, The Presbytery, Redditch. Tel. 01527 63096

Local contact—Phyllis Mott, Feckenham. Tel. 01527 893898

Newshound



Comings and Goings in the Chute family

Many congratulations to Ed and Danielle Chute of the High Street who now have a second daughter born at the Alexandra Hospital on Monday November 3rd. The baby weighed 8lbs 10 oz and her name is Wren Louise. Her big sister Peggy is delighted with the new arrival, as are proud grandparents Marion and Peter Chute of Mill Lane.

After a farewell party, Tom Chute and Rhiannon Dyke left for Australia recently. They plan to travel for a while and eventually make their home there. They have already met up with ex Feckenhamster Spencer McCabe!

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to Alan and Geraldine Slater who moved into Vine cottage on the High Street in September. They lived in Salford Priors before coming to Feckenham and are now looking forward to enjoying and being part of the community here. Geraldine is a recently retired nurse, who still does the occasional shifts, and Alan retires next June. He is currently CEO of a Birmingham based trade association and was awarded the MBE during his career.

Between them they have three sons and two daughters and also five grandchildren.

Muffled bells in tribute to the fallen

The more observant among the large gathering at the village war memorial on Remembrance Sunday will have noticed that the church bells sounded different this year.

For the first time for many years the bells were muffled as a tribute to the Fallen. The application of the muffles involved considerable gymnastics and great bravery(!) on the part of Angela Fletcher and John Eaton who had to climb over the bell frame to access the bells in order to attach the leather muffles to the clappers. They also got filthy in the process! The resulting sound from the bells was impressive and added a suitably sonorous

note to the ceremony.

Thanks too to bell ringers Ron and Robin who also risked life and limb to retrieve the muffles before ringing practice on Tuesday evening.

Operation Christmas Child

Lin Preece

2014 APPEAL

This year, Feckenham has sent off 122 shoeboxes, plus £194-00p from our stall on Wake day, £57-95p sale of hats/toys plus £43-76p donation making a grand total of £295-71p. This money will go towards transportation costs. We have also sent lots and lots of beautiful hand knits, plus a huge bag of cuddly toys, isn't that fantastic!

Thank you all so much for your kindness and generosity! and thank you to the children of 'Feckenham First School' for your valued contributions, you are all such little stars!

Please continue to support this wonderful charity, as the poor children that 'Operation Christmas Child', reaches out to are in dire circumstances, they have little and in so many cases nothing at all at Christmas, that is so sad! You have given them so much, you have made them feel special, you have given them hope!

Our boxes are going to either the Ukraine or the Philippines this year.

On behalf of the children, I would like to wish you all a VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS, and thank you once again for giving so much happiness by showing you care.



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The Children's Society

Jo Warrilow



I am happy to report another very successful year and my first job must be to say a very big 'THANK YOU' to everyone concerned -

The HELPERS who make the 'Coffee Morning' possible and the SUPPORTERS all of whom helped to raise £618.50.

The BOX-HOLDERS who give so consistently and produced a further £810.26 - just £2 more than last year - amazing!!

We now look forward to welcoming Rosanne Boyce, our regional fund raising manager, who is coming to speak at our Christingle Service on Sunday, 14th December at 11am.

In the meantime boxes are always available. Please contact Jo Warrilow (Local secretary) 892059.

Feckenham Church Christingle Service

*Sunday
14th
December*

11am



A Lay led all age worship service for Christingle and speaker Roseann Boyce regional fundraising manager will talk about the work of The Children's Society



available after

Village Shop

The shop's theme of "something different" could be a useful thing for you this Christmas. Stuck for a present? There's a range of somewhat different gift ideas, with not enough space to do them justice here you would be better served popping down to the shop to take a look. There are a range of tree decorations, a particularly wonderful Stollen cake as well as other Christmas fare, and new local cakes, made in the village.

A seasonal mince pie and a cup of coffee await at the great price of £2.20.

On the new produce front, the much celebrated artisan bread, now comes in a sliced option. Also, a range of specialist local eggs (or so it says on the piece of paper I'm looking at) which includes Cotswold Legbar, Burford Brown, and Churchill. Can you tell the difference? Could be fun to find out.

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Thought for the month

Wyn Beynon

Dear Friends,

Most months I visit Rashwood Nursing Home between Wychbold and Droitwich. The garden hedge is the boundary between the two parishes. In my first parish I used to drive between Gelligaer and Gylfach Bargoed and on the way back I would not only have left my parish but also the Diocese, as the boundary between Llandaff and Newport ran, for half a mile or so, down the dotted white lines in the middle of the road! My last parish was tucked into a bulge of Bedfordshire that protruded into Cambridgeshire. In my first curacy which parish you were baptised in depended on whether you were born in the front bedroom or the back bedroom as the boundary went, in a straggly way, down the terrace in one village! I seem to have spent my life living on some kind of boundary or other.

Humans love clear boundaries, where things are obviously one thing or another. Religion, at its worst, loves boundaries, rules, regulations and making quite clear who is in and who is out. But real religion, James tells us in his letter, is to care for orphans and widows in their distress... meaning crossing social boundaries. Jesus was born where military and political boundaries met religious and racial ones, where many cultures and faiths jostled with each other. He crossed the boundaries, to welcome Samaritans, women or children, the untouchable lepers, and those who admitted they were broken.

Christmas means God crossing the boundary between heaven and earth as it served no purpose. The Christ Child is God's refusal to be enclosed just because it's convenient for us.

I say at the the Midnight Communion:

“Welcome all wonders in one sight, eternity shut in a span, summer in winter, day in night, heaven in earth and God in human.”

But us... what boundaries do we dare to cross in love?

A blessed, happy and boundary free Christmas and New Year to us all!

Wyn

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The FeckenOdeon Cinema Society



MAGNIFICENCE AT CHRISTMAS

It's become a tradition for the FeckenOdeon to show a movie that compliments the mellowness induced by a couple of days of good cheer. Bring along your Christmas guests...or just escape and come on your own. This Christmas it's a British picture made on a grand scale. It's been fully restored and we're proud to boast that this is the first time it's been seen in its full Todd AO glory on the giant screen for over 40 years.

In **"Those Magnificent Men in their Flying Machines"** a host of comic actors don period garb and climb aboard wondrously ramshackle aircraft in an international air race. The glorious photography (by Christopher Challis) is jaw droppingly magnificent, but the wonderfully British robustness of the whole wacky premise shines through. A colourful, jolly and comforting escape from the trials and tribulations of the Festive Season - the cinema bar will be open if you wish to continue the Yuletide mellowness.

Chocks away at **7.30pm on Saturday, 27th December.**



A LOCAL AFFAIR

An unexpected, but most welcome, addition to The FeckenOdeon programme - a special exclusive preview showing of a locally made feature film just before its London premiere.

"Folklore's Intimates" tells the story of Herbert Meakin, a young folk singer from Flint. He is drugged and awakes to find himself in military wear on his way to fight in a war. He has no idea what it's for and who he is supposed to be fighting. He soon learns that everyone else in his company are in exactly the same position.

The film has been 8 years in the making and stars Oobah Butler as the unfortunate Meakin. It's directed by Peter Butler and includes appearances by James and John Butler, Jamie Hubball, Harry Johnson, Ed Chute and many other Feckenham actors. The Butler brothers now head up the London based film making company "Little Balloon Films" and have arranged this special showing in association with The FeckenOdeon as a tribute to the people and place that made "Folklore's Intimates" possible.

"Folklore's Intimates" will be shown at **7.30pm on Monday, 29th December.** The film will be preceded by a short acoustic set by "My Grey Horse". (Note: the film has an 18 certificate - over 18s only).

Tickets for both shows are on sale at The Village Shop and The Rose & Crown. You can book by phone (through TicketSource) on 0333 666 3366 or online at www.fecknodeon.co.uk

Square Management Committee

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The Annual **Carols on The Square** event will be on **Christmas Eve at 6.30pm** - The ideal way to welcome the spirit of Yuletide.

However you choose to celebrate Christmas there's

no denying that a good warble of some traditional Christmas ditties with a whole crowd of friends, lubricated by some warming hot punch, fuelled by hot mince pies, is a great way to kick off Christmas proper. Batten down the hatches, hang up the stockings - we're here in Feckenham for the Festivities!

The great thing about this hour of conviviality is that it's all free - provided by The Square Management Committee as a way of thanking the village for its support and encouragement throughout the preceding year. There'll be no charge for anything - just a bucket collection in aid of the Air Ambulance. Come and join us!



Village Hall

Ian Bellion



MUSIC ON THE GO

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“**On the Box**” is at **Feckenham Village Hall on Sunday, 7th December at 7.30pm**
You can get tickets (£10) from *The Village Shop and The Rose & Crown*, by phone on 0833 666 3366 or online at www.ticketsource.co.uk/feckenham, or from any Village Hall Committee Member

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES

On **Saturday, 15th November** a glorious cornucopia of long forgotten attic treasures went on sale at the Village Hall’s Table Top Sale. An equally splendid £350 was raised for the Hall’s Improvement Fund - and it’s hoped that the stall holders all went away with a healthy profit.

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World War I Centenary Commemoration

Jeff Matthews



We thought it might be useful to update on the steady progress we are making on WWI Commemoration events. Much will depend upon the outcome of our bid for funds which is due to be placed before the awarding panel on 18th Dec.

In the meantime a committee of willing volunteers has formed, Ian Bellion, Kathy Gee, Elizabeth Atkins, John Eaton, Clare Furey and Jeff Matthews.

We are progressing a number of projects regardless of the funding.

- Creating a commemorative walk, that will honour the places in the village where those of the fallen lived. According to Richard Pearce's archive, there are nine within the immediate village environ. A walk will be produced on a leaflet that will be available early next year.
- An exhibition is in the Church, currently. A number of panels show the information we have on some of those who lost their lives.
- Of most interest we suspect be will the news that we have secured 25 of the ceramic poppies that formed part of the stunning and very moving installation at the Tower of London. These will feature in a display around the Church and the War Memorial, marking the Centenary of the date on which men lost their lives. The symbolism of us buying these that were once part of greater whole will not be lost on people.
- We have plans to invite villagers to share their very particular stories from their own families of those that served – indeed those that stayed behind. More of that in a future edition along with plans that can be firmed up once we know what funding we have available.

The WWI Commemoration Group

Feckenham C. of E. First School

Sharon Simpson

The children returned from their half term break on 3rd November and many had taken part in trick or treat fun around their neighborhoods including Feckenham village. It was lovely to see so many getting into the spirit(!) with many homes welcoming the children with treats and Halloween displays on their doorsteps and very scary costumes!

School staged its annual Open Day on Thursday, 6th November 2014 with morning and afternoon sessions to welcome prospective children and their parents/families to our community. Many of the visitors commented on what a wonderful job our Year 4 pupils did showing them around and remarked on how beautiful their manners were!

The Operation Christmas child appeal for shoe boxes closed on Monday 10th November 2014 and it was pleasing to see that the children had taken the time and effort to think of others less fortunate than themselves with lots of brightly coloured boxes filled and ready for collection.

During last term, the children spent time considering the value of respect in our society. Following on from this, some children from school attended the 100 year commemoration of the start of World War One at church on Sunday, 9th November 2014. Poppy wreaths made by members of the schools community group and small wooden crosses were laid on the village war memorial followed by a wonderful service conducted by Rev Crellin.

Members of the school's fundraising team (the Friends of Feckenham School) are busy planning and preparing for the schools Christmas fayre which is to be held on Friday, 28th November from 5.30-7.30 p.m.

The fayre will be packed full of the usual stalls and activities with a wonderful grotto where children can meet Santa Claus himself and share their Christmas wishes! All are very welcome to attend!

With warmest wishes from all at school!
Sharon Simpson (Community Governor)

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Stock & Bradley Gardening Club

Rob Cole

The next Club meeting - Wednesday 3rd December 2014 at 7:30pm will commence with the AGM, and will be followed by a talk by Rob Cole entitled 'Personal Touches' which will show how gardeners personalise their gardens, particularly by the use of ornament, but in many other ways, too.

The theme for the monthly competition is 'Brown', a very apt theme for this time of year. To take part, just bring along an exhibit for judging by one of our members. Remember that this is NOT a flower arranging competition, and that a single stem can be a winner. Every entry will win a point, and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be awarded additional points. The member with the most number of points during the year up to and including this month's meeting will be awarded a prize of a year's subscription to the Gardening Club. The winner will be announced at the end of the meeting.

Annual subscriptions for 2015 become due on 1st January, and can be paid at this December meeting. The full programme of 2015 events, visits, and talks will be issued upon renewal.

The following Club meeting - Wednesday 21st January 2015 at 7:30pm is the Annual Dinner at the Flyford Arms, and pre-booking and payment is essential. There will be menus and booking forms available at the December meeting for those who haven't booked already, so remember to come prepared! Bookings can also be made at other times by contacting Dinny Pynsent on 01527 821355 or Jan Bates on 01386 792414.



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Our December Meeting is on Thursday **11th December at 7.30pm** in the Village Hall Back Room. Ron Galivan will be talking to us about Christmas in wartime. We shall also have festive food - not limited by rations - provided by the committee and be entertained by our handbell ringing group. For a bit of fun we thought it would be different to come wearing a hat, as ladies usually wore one during the first and second world wars. You can add festive trimmings if you wish! Visitors are very welcome, £3.50.

Neighbourhood Development Plan

THE FIRST STEP

You should all by now have received a leaflet describing the purpose of the Neighbourhood Development Plan and the processes involved. If you haven't (they've been sent to every address in the Parish) there's one enclosed with this edition of Feckenham News - and you can follow the progress of the Plan on feckenham.com.

GIVE US A HAND

As we go to press members of the volunteer working group are attending briefings to ensure that they ask the right questions and ensure that everyone has a chance to put forward their point of view. This is an enormous task and the group will need assistance. You may not want to attend meetings or get involved in the organisation but there are many other ways you can help to make this project a success. Please contact us to find out how you can help! You can contact the Chair of the Working Party, Alan Jones, on 893463 or Marion Chute (Secretary) on 892285 for further information or e-mail viewsfndpwp@feckenham.com.

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The
Feckenham
Christmas
Card

We wish you a
MERRY
CHRISTMAS

Doug & Ann Curtis
of "Moors Lane" wish our friends &
neighbours a joyful Christmas &
a peaceful New Year.

A merry Christmas and
a happy New Year to my friends,
neighbours & shoppers
Margaret Matthews

Season's Greetings from Malvern
to all our Feckenham friends
Ann and Bob

Best Wishes for a
Happy Christmas and New Year
to our friends and neighbours.
Ivor, Jenny & Oli

John & Elizabeth Nixon
Wish all their Feckenham friends
a happy Christmas
and a healthy New Year

The Fishers
Wish all their friends and
neighbours a merry Christmas and
a happy and healthy New Year

A Happy Christmas
and best Wishes for the New Year
to all friends and neighbours
Cyril & Jo

Muriel and Walter Richards
Wish all their friends and neigh-
bours a very Happy Christmas
and a peaceful New Year.

Wishing all my friends in
Feckenham a very happy Christmas
and New Year
from ***Roy Collins of Malvern***

Happy Christmas. To family &
friends a prosperous New Year,
health & happiness, ***Brian, Eileen,
Norah & brother George XX***

Steve and Chris Fletcher
wish all our friends and
neighbours in Feckenham
a happy and peaceful Christmas

Wishing you all a Very Happy
Festive Season. I thank everyone
for kindness shown to me since
John passed away. ***Jane Bird***

Christmas greetings
to all their friends in Feckenham
Carol & Pat Onions

Best wishes for a Happy Christmas
and a Prosperous New Year to all
their friends and neighbours
John and Antonia

Vivien & Ian Hunter

wish all their friends in and around
Feckenham a Happy Christmas and
a Peaceful New Year

To our friends,
Have a Cracking Christmas and a
Fizzing New Year. Love
John, Dulci & the Morris Minors

With every good wish for
Christmas and the New Year
to all our friends and neighbours
Ann, Jeff, Emma & Thea

Mark & Barbara Wheatley
wish everyone
a joyful Christmas
and a happy & healthy New Year

David & Sue Checkley
Wish all their friends and
neighbours a merry Christmas
and a happy, healthy 2015

A very happy Christmas
and New Year
to all our friends and neighbours
Michael and Phyllis Mott

Wishing you all a very
Happy Christmas & New Year
Lizzie Hunter

Happy Christmas
and a peaceful New Year
to all our friends and neighbours.
Angela & Richard, Joy & Eric

Best wishes for Christmas
& New Year to my friends
at Berrow Hill and in Feckenham
from ***Mary Wilkes***

Merry Christmas
and a Happy New Year
from ***Mary, Roderick, Duncan,
James & Becky Smith***

A happy and peaceful Christmas
and New Year
to all our friends and neighbours.
love from ***Marg Kings & family***

Best wishes for
A Happy Christmas
and a fun filled New Year
Jan & Alan

Happy Christmas
one and all love
Kathy G.

Christmas Greetings
to everyone
Lew Howe-Bennett

Happy Christmas to all our friends
and neighbours and good wishes
for a healthy and happy 2015.

Jeremy and Pam Lincoln-Lewis

Wishing you every blessing
this Christmas

Tricia & Tony Mortimer

Best Wishes for Christmas
and the New Year
love from

The Bristows

Shirley & Geoff

wish all our friends and neighbours
a very happy Christmas
and a prosperous New Year

John & Pam Eaton & family
wish all our friends and neighbours
a Wonderful Christmas
and a very Happy New Year.

A very happy Christmas & New Year
to all our friends in Feckenham
with best wishes from

Andrea and Rhys

Merry Christmas & Happy 2015!!
to all our friends in &
around Feckenham.

Malcolm, Vanda and family X

Jill and David Rowe

wish neighbours and friends a
merry Christmas
and a happy, healthy New Year.

A very happy Christmas
and best wishes for 2015 to all our
friends and neighbours

Oliver and Jane

Wishing all our friends and
neighbours a happy Christmas and
prosperous New Year

Amanda and Bob

A very happy Christmas
and New Year to everyone,
especially my fellow choristers.

Patricia and Peter Collins

Every blessing for Christmas
and the New Year to all our
friends and neighbours from

James & Sue Barrett

This year's card.

"Carols on The Square" - Photo by Arthur Hind

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