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Guilden Morden Parish Council meets in the Village Hall at 7.30pm on the third Monday of each month.

The meetings alternate between full and planning meetings. Members of the public are welcome to attend.

November 20<sup>th</sup> 2023 - Full Meeting.

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## Editorial

Christmas is well and truly on the horizon now, but don't forget it's Bonfire Night this weekend.

Hopefully the rain will stay away for a dry evening. Have a great month.

*Mike Allton - Editor*

Copy to the editor by 25<sup>th</sup> of the month please.



### Home-Start Christmas cards – exclusively designed by one of our supporters, Lois.

Cards are available at our office at Unit 6, Valley Farm, Station Road, Meldreth, SG8 6JP.

They are £3.95 for a pack of 10 cards, two designs, five of each.

If you call into our office, you can pay by cash, cheque or card or if you prefer, you can order online through our Home-Start shop.

<https://www.hspsc.org.uk/shop/>

## Guilden Morden Congregational Church Sharing Table

Did you know about the sharing table outside the Congregational Church? This table has been operating for quite a while now and has proved to be very successful. Our slogan is:

**‘Bring What You Can...Take What You Need.’**

We would be very grateful if you are able to donate food to the table. Equally, if you need to take products - please do so. Packets and tins are especially welcome. You can enter with discretion by the side gate, so no one needs to know you've been there.

# LET YOUR HEART SING

**Guilden Morden Congregational Church**

We have set up a

## Community Choir!

Songs to suit all tastes!

We meet every Monday at 7.00pm in the chapel.

Join now and be ready to sing some great Christmas tunes!

If you would be interested in joining, then please contact Amanda Kitley at

[ajgenieman@gmail.com](mailto:ajgenieman@gmail.com)

ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH STEEPLE MORDEN  
SATURDAY DECEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> AT 7.00PM

**'HALLELUJAH!'**



*Christmas Music Through The Ages For Choir, Organ And Audience*

PERFORMED BY THE

**NEW CAMBRIDGE SINGERS**

LICENSED BAR, INTERVAL CANAPES

RETIRING COLLECTION FOR UNHCR (disasters and emergency appeal)

*Tickets: adults £14, students/under 16 £6.00, are available from Steeple Morden Shop or on the door. For more information contact David McKee 01763 852380*

Organised by The Friends, on behalf of the PCC  
with all proceeds going to the running of the church

The Mordens WI are a small, friendly group of ladies meeting on the third Thursday of the month, usually in Guilden Morden Village Hall at 7.30 pm. We have a wide variety of activities to choose from and interesting speakers throughout the year.



**We will be making a miniature Christmas tree table decoration at our meeting on 16th November.**

If you would like to join us, or to know more about The Mordens WI, please contact Joyce on 01763 852087. Transport can be arranged.

THE MORDEN PLAYERS

present

A one-act play about memory,  
remembrance and hope



**PALS**

November 10 & 11

Steeple Morden  
Village Hall at 7:30pm

Tickets £6

purchase online at

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/themordenplayers](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/themordenplayers)  
or buy from Steeple Morden shop

CASH BAR



# Guilden Morden Congregational Church Diary

[www.guildenmordencongregationalchurch.com](http://www.guildenmordencongregationalchurch.com)

<b>Wed 1<sup>st</sup> Nov</b>	<b>09.00 to 11.00</b> Fun4Tots
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>10.30</b> Café style service. Come and join us for croissants and coffee in our relaxed style of worship. All welcome.
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>10.30</b> Men's Guild <b>19.00</b> Community Choir
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>14.00</b> COGS
<b>Wed 8<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>09.00 to 11.00</b> Fun4Tots
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>11.00</b> Joint service at Litlington
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>19.00</b> Community Choir
<b>Wed 15<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>09.00 to 11.00</b> Fun4Tots
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>10.30</b> Joint service at St Mary's
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>19.00</b> Community Choir
<b>Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov</b>	<b>09.00 to 11.00</b> Fun4Tots
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>10.30</b> Communion Service
<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>19.00</b> Community Choir
<b>Wed 29<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>09.00 to 11.00</b> Fun4Tots

#### Other group meetings:

Bridge Club	Mondays at 19.30
Knit and Natter	Alternate Tuesdays at 10.00
GG Film Club	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov at 19.00
Local History Group	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 15.00 SM Village Hall

Home group Zoom meetings Wednesdays 20.00  
Contact Emily for details [emilymwilkinson@doctors.org.uk](mailto:emilymwilkinson@doctors.org.uk)

Anyone wishing to book the rooms for social activities  
please contact Gerry Watkins 01763 852869

Caldecote Church Friends invite you to

## *Carols by Candlelight*

On Saturday, 9 December 2023 at 3.30 pm  
Caldecote, Hertfordshire SG7 5LD

Come and immerse yourself in more than 700 years  
of history

Celebrate Christmas with a traditional glass of mulled wine  
a mince pie and a sausage roll

Join us in singing traditional and well loved  
Christmas carols

Tickets £10 00 from

<https://www.wegotickets.com/event/598368>

Space limited - book early to avoid disappointment!

Free car park, disabled access



GUILDEN MORDEN CHURCH OF ENGLAND (VC)  
PRIMARY ACADEMY  
*TOGETHER WE WORK TO SUCCEED AND FLOURISH*

**ALLOW YOUR CHILD TO THRIVE**

# **OPEN DAY TOURS**

## **THURSDAY 16TH NOVEMBER 2023**



We are proud to offer a special environment in which to learn and grow, including:

- A heated swimming pool
- Specialist PE/ Dance teachers
- Forest School
- Excellent pastoral support
- Wraparound care
- Multisports, drama and holiday clubs
- Large playing field
- Onsite Pre-School

Take a  
virtual  
tour



### **Tour Times:**

- 9.30 - 10.00
- 11.30 - 12.00
- 1.30 - 2.00
- 2.30 - 3.00

Call 01763 852318 or email  
[office@guildenmorden.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@guildenmorden.cambs.sch.uk)  
to book onto a tour.