

# PEMBURY

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## CHAMPIONS

Congratulations to Pembury Cricket Club who won the Courier Cricket Shield on August 30th, beating the fancied Tonbridgian side in the final by six wickets, with two overs to spare.

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# VIEWPOINT

## IS THERE A NEED ?

During the summer parish councillors had the opportunity of reading a report prepared by Kent County Council, entitled "Provision of Rural Services".

The report is the result of more than a year's study by a group of county councillors who chose a number of villages in the county, spoke to residents and consulted officials about what they saw as the advantages and disadvantages of village life in an increasingly urban age and at a time of substantial cuts in public transport and in some services.

To be fair, most of the villages highlighted in the report are smaller and more remote from large centres of population than Pembury and many of their problems are not ours.

But one point emerged from the report which the Parish Council thought worthy of enquiry. This was the provision of a community car service. It is a mistake to think that everyone today has a car. But everyone, at some time or another, has need of transport more or less from door to door.

So the Parish Council would like to hear from those who would appreciate a car service which could undertake essential trips to doctors, dentists, hospitals and the like, or, in some cases, to go shopping. The council would also like to hear from those willing to be put on a roster of drivers willing to provide such a service. There is no question of providing a free service; merely one on a cost-only basis.

At the present time the council has taken no decision on whether or not to try to organise such a service in the village. All it wants to know at this stage is whether you think a community car service would fulfil a recognised need.

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### A SUPERMARKET FOR PEMBURY? *(continued from page 3)*

The general view among members was that if they consistently said "No" to any development, the site could remain derelict for a long time. So unanimously the council resolved to tell the Borough it acknowledged the need for a food store on the site, but on a smaller scale, combined with small shops with, possibly, offices above, as well as a building for community use.

The Pembury Society and Pembury Traders have already written to the Borough Council opposing Countryside Properties' application. Anyone who wishes to express a view to the Borough should note that the application's reference number is TW/81/0815.

# PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

## A SUPERMARKET FOR PEMBURY?

Parish Council planning committee chairman, Derek Hawes-Richards hit the nail on the head when he told members on September 7th that their decision on whether or not to oppose a supermarket on the site beside the Royal Oak was probably the most important they would take in their four years of office.

The Parish Council can only put its views to the Borough Council, which is the planning authority for the village. Those views, together with the opinions of organisations and individuals, are taken into consideration, but in the final analysis the Borough makes the decision.

The application considered on September 7th was from Countryside Properties Ltd., acting, it is believed, for Safeways. It was in outline only and showed, in general terms, a supermarket facing Beagles Wood Road, with parking for 116 cars, space for a small community building and a site, facing Henwood Green Road, which could be occupied by a health centre.

In 1974 planning permission was given for a small supermarket (4,000 square feet area), library, toilets, eight small shops and four flats. The scheme never went forward because the developer went into liquidation. The permission lapsed in 1979.

The site is at present in several ownerships (three separated strips belong to the Borough Council). Enquiries have revealed that no attempt has yet been made to "swop" these parcels of land so that, for instance, there would not be a site large enough for the health centre, even if there was money for it in the Area Health Authority's coffers, which there is not at present.

In considering its attitude the Parish Council was mindful that planning permission for a supermarket had been given in 1974 and that a principle once established is difficult to overthrow. But Countryside Properties, in an accompanying letter, indicated that the supermarket proposed would have an area of 9,300 square feet, more than twice that approved in 1974.

The Parish Council, therefore, took the view that Pembury did not need so large a supermarket. It had the chance of looking at a plan drawn up for the site after the 1974 developer went out of business. This showed a smaller supermarket with five shops and offices above and the opportunity of siting a clinic at the rear of the site. Members decided such a development was preferable to that submitted by Countryside Properties.

*(Continued on page 2)*

# **YOUR CLERK REPORTS .....**

In this report I would like to pay tribute to one of the lesser-known committees concerned with the well-being of the community -- Pembury Village Hall Management Committee.

Its double function is to see that the Village Hall is used to its fullest extent and to act as guardian for all parishioners by ensuring that the building's fabric, facilities and general appearance are maintained to a good standard. This committee is a separate entity, entirely independent of the Parish Council, which is the owner of the Hall. Nevertheless there are strong links between the two bodies in their efforts to maintain the impetus of improvements to the structure of the Hall and the facilities offered to hirers.

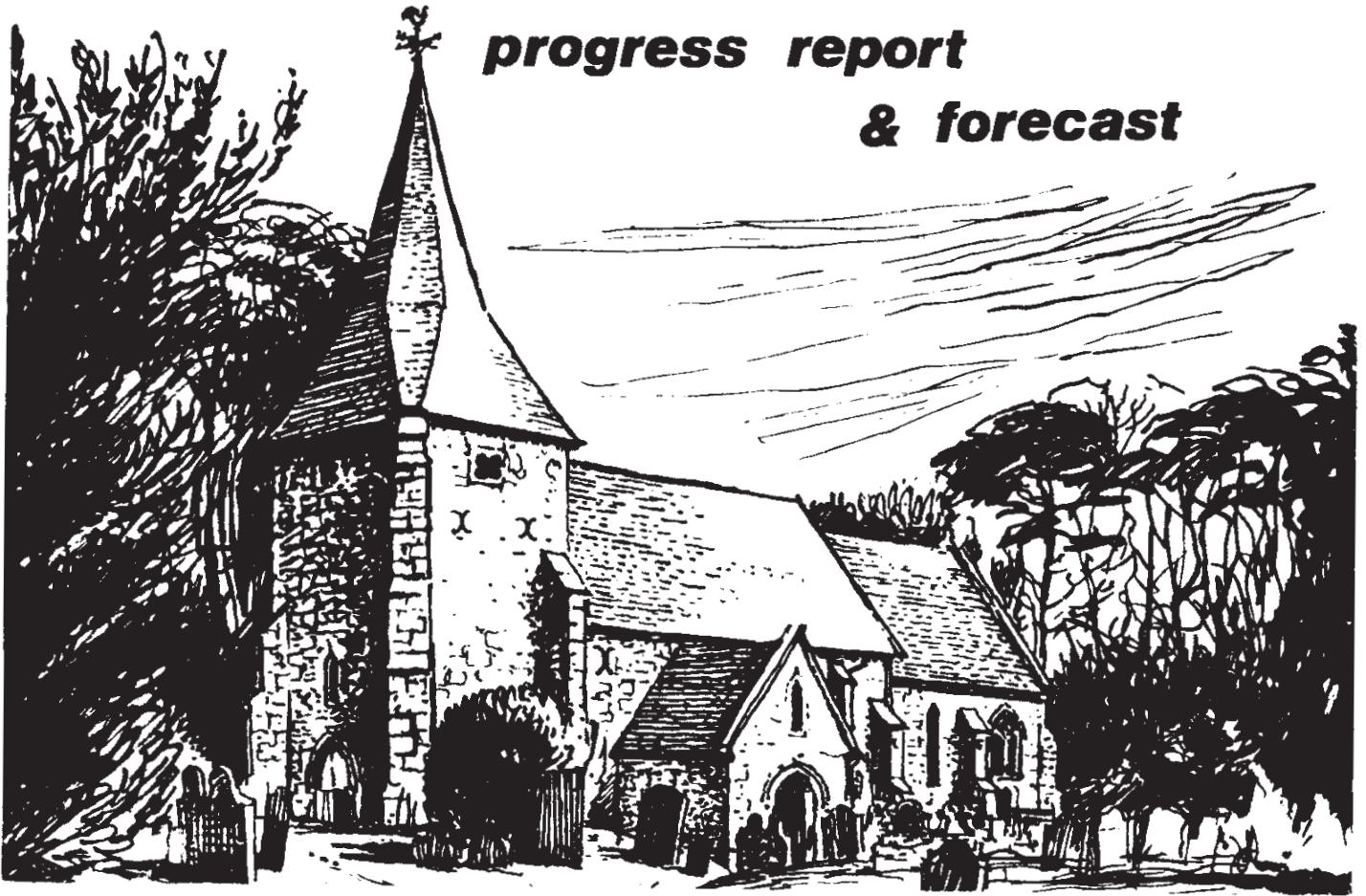
Two important events have happened recently regarding the Hall. Firstly, in accordance with the provisions of a new Trust Deed the Village Hall was designated a trust property for charitable purposes, which enables the acceptance of any gift or property for the benefit of the inhabitants of the parish. Secondly, the Deed set out new rules for the composition and running of the Management Committee.

Following the annual general meeting early this year, the committee now consists of three elected members (the Parish Council's nominees) and five representative members who, as their name suggests, represent long-term hirers of the Hall. The members are Councillors A. E. Buck, A. Bromwich and B. D. Sands, Mr. G. Baxter (Pembury Horticultural Society), Mr. P. J. Brown (Pembury Youth Club), Mrs. K. E. Jury (Afternoon W.I.), Mrs. F. C. Miles (W.I. Market) and Mr. B. Reeves (Council House Tenants' Association), with Mr. R. W. Bigg as a co-opted member.

Mrs. Miles and Mrs. Jury were new members of the committee and in addition Mrs. Miles accepted straight away the post of Chairman. It is always a good sign to have new blood on any committee but this was tempered by the sad news that Mrs. Christine Russell and Mrs. Daisy Curd felt unable to accept nomination for a further term. For Mrs. Russell as Chairman and Mrs. Curd this ended an unbroken association with this committee stretching back to the late sixties. This was recognised by her colleagues who recently presented these ladies with gifts. I would like to take this opportunity of thanking them both not only on behalf of members of my Parish Council but, I'm sure, on behalf of all users of the Village Hall. No tribute would be complete to those managing the Hall without mention of the hard working and helpful manager—Mr. Ken Grainger.

As a postscript to this report I am glad to say that the committee has recently given its blessing to the next improvement to the Village Hall, which will benefit all users in the winter. A gas central heating system is to be installed.

# **The Friends of *PEMBURY PARISH CHURCH*** **progress report** **& forecast**



Dennis Ould writes: Since 1978 when the appeal to raise funds to restore the Parish Church was launched, £22,000 has been raised by public subscription and the response has been most encouraging and rewarding.

So what have we achieved since then? The roof, which was in danger of collapse, has been repaired and treated against future infestation, the flooring has been replaced, the central heating renewed, whilst the electrical re-wiring has been completed and the pews have been rebuilt. This is a heartening story and although the total cost is not quite clear, it is likely to be £35,000 of which the Friends will have contributed some £20,000, the balance coming from the Department of the Environment, Local Authorities and various charitable organisations.

What next? The church is now in a satisfactory state of repair as compared with 1978 but with a building of its age, deterioration is a continuing factor. We know the roof will have to be re-tiled and structural work done to the tower and we want to be able to meet these essential repairs as they arise. The longer they are left the more costly they become.

**HELP US TO KEEP OUR VILLAGE CHURCH IN GOOD ORDER, PLEASE, BY RENEWING YOUR SUBSCRIPTION OR BY MAKING A DONATION NOW.**

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D. J. Ould, 42 Lower Green Road, Pembury.

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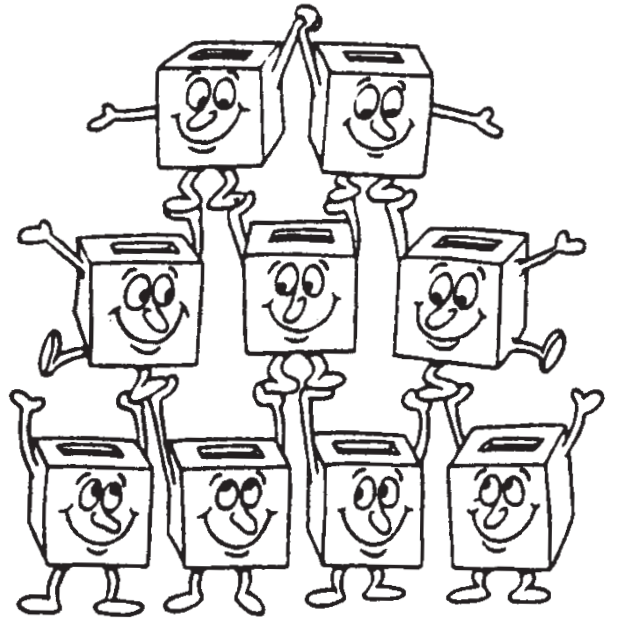
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# News from PEMBURY Chest

The Pembury Society has now formally agreed to hold in trust the sum of £250 from the Chest's assets to act as a starting fund for any new body which might wish to organise a village fete.

In a resolution passed on July 28th the Society decided to keep the money in a separate deposit account and not to release any of it until after a public meeting had been held to set up a Pembury Fete Committee, such a committee to be subject to the approval of both the Society and the Parish Council.



The committee of the Chest, which has now ceased to exist, is grateful to the Pembury Society for its public-spirited action. As this Newsletter goes to print there is some slight possibility that an organising body can be found to run a village fete.

The remaining cash assets of the Chest, amounting to £524.17, have been paid to the Parish Council's Village Hall account to be used towards the cost of providing an up-to-date heating system in the Hall.

## PEMBURY YOUTH CLUB

We meet every Wednesday (except the first Wednesday in each month) from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. in the Village Hall. The present session opened on September 9th. New members are welcome.

Special events from September to Christmas are:—

- Wednesday, 30th September — Ramble and barbecue
- Wednesday, 21st October — Sponsored Disco Dance-in  
(to raise money for club funds)
- Wednesday, 28th October — Evening trip to Hastings
- Friday, 27th November — Trip to Streatham Ice Rink
- Wednesday, 16th December — Christmas Disco Party

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# WHAT - another village survey

Yes, and this is an appeal to you to help this to go forward.

In 1975 the Parish Council conducted a survey as part of its village appraisal which resulted in the publication of the Pembury 2000 report, setting out the needs of the village, its aims for the future and the means by which these could be achieved.

Several of these aims have been achieved and the rest are kept under review. Part of the survey was conducted on a door-to-door basis and part by a questionnaire in the Newsletter.

In the last six years there have been many changes in the village and the two by-passes, which were hoped-for in 1975, have each been given starting dates.

With the full backing of the Parish Council the Pembury 2000 Action Committee, composed of some councillors and some parishioners, is undertaking a new survey. This will again take the form of house-to-house calls and the completion of a questionnaire, which you will find in the centre pages of this Newsletter.

The 2000 Action Committee is asking for local residents to come forward to help with this survey. Already some parishioners have offered their support but more are still needed. If you feel you could help by calling at houses in the village, please contact the 2000 Committee's chairman, Derek Hawes-Richards at 54 Hastings Road. Telephone: 2779.

But in any case, before the survey gets under way the committee would like you to complete the questionnaire and hand it in either to Pembury Newsagents in the High Street or Mr. Speaight's butcher's shop in Henwood Green Road.



# PEMBURY 2000

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Q.

A.

Does Pembury need any more new houses?

Do you favour the idea of a supermarket in the village?

Apart from a supermarket, what other kinds of shops would you like to see?

Would you like a health centre or a purpose-built clinic in Pembury?

What difference do you think the by-passes will make?

When the by-passes are built, some "fringe" land could be left. What should happen to it?

Do you want to see opportunities for more employment in Pembury?

Now that the Village Hall has been refurbished, what further improvements would you like to see there?

Are there sufficient pre-school and nursery school facilities?

What further amenities would you like to see in the village?

Is there any aspect of village life you dislike?

Are there any danger spots in Pembury, in your opinion?

**return to**

**▣ Pembury Newsagents High Street or Mr. Speaight's shop in Henwood Green Road.**

# PEMBURY

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# CRICKET CLUB'S TRIUMPH

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Good fielding and steady batting when it mattered brought Pembury Cricket Club an unexpectedly easy victory in the Courier Cricket Shield final on the Higher Ground, Tunbridge Wells on August 30th.

Their opponents, Tonbridgians, included one or two "big names" in local cricket but their top scorer, Graeme Cowdrey, totalled only 16 and only one other batsman reached double figures. Possibly their most dangerous batsman, Mike Bushby, was brilliantly run out by Dennis Cole and an inspired spell of bowling by Ron Perryman—whose 3 for 11 won him the Man of the Match Award—effectively put a stop to any resistance from the middle order batsmen.

At the end of their 16 overs Tonbridgians were all out for 54, a tribute to Pembury's steady bowling and the fact that their ground fielding was excellent and that they held their catches.

After a slowish start, Pembury's prospects of winning were greatly enhanced by Ray Kemp, batting at number three. By the time he was lbw for 19, the village was nearly home and dry. In the 14th over they reached 58 with six wickets outstanding.

At the close skipper Colin Barden received the Shield from Courier Editorial Director Frank Chapman, whose wife, Joan, presented Ron Perryman with the Man of the Match award.

Parish Council Chairman, Mrs. Sarah Clarke, and a number of councillors watched Pembury's victory.



# 'NOSTALGIA'

My dictionary defines "nostalgia" as "home-sickness as a disease", writes Richard Miles. Perhaps "Pembury Memories" might be a more suitable heading for memories of heavy horses drinking from the Marjorie Polley drinking trough on the Green, or humans drinking from the metal cup chained to the trough's end.

Other memories are of walking through the meadows behind the Glebe, Knights Place and Knights Ridge; swimming in the pool at Woodsgate; visiting the Haunted House to try to find the reputed underground passage to the Camden; or visiting the old churchyard with a box of matches to try to see the remains of Ann West. Then there was the September sight and "reek" of hops from the oast houses and the chance of meeting cattle and sheep being driven to market along main roads.

Is the fact that these sights and experiences can no longer be enjoyed a sign of Progress? And will the two promised by-passes, with the consequent loss and disturbance of wild life, also be classed as village progress? Perhaps my dictionary definition of nostalgia was correct . . .

*(It is a sign of the speed with which Pembury has grown and modern life has changed that these memories listed above are not those of the oldest inhabitant, but of a man who was a schoolboy during the last war. I am sure many residents must have memories of places and experiences in Pembury that have vanished. Why not share these with our readers by sending them to "Memories" c/o the Newsletter. The address is on page 12 — Ed.).*

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There is a local history course, starting in the Public Library on 2nd October, organised by the Workers' Educational Association, which ran a successful short course on local history in the spring.

The Do-It-Yourself part of the title refers to the emphasis that will be given to the study of local records, when those taking the course will have the opportunity of studying and working from material held in the Kent County Archives in Maidstone.

When Queen Victoria came to the throne a village like Pembury was governed by a vestry drawn from the local community. It had to cope with many problems and it is hoped that study of their records will show how successful they were and how Victorian Pembury developed.

The tutor for the course will again be Patricia Knowlden and the meetings will be held at the Library in Lower Green Road on Friday mornings from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. The course will run initially for 10 weeks and the fee will be £10. Concessionary fees are available on request.

Anyone interested in joining can either enrol at the first meeting on 2nd October or write to Mrs. Carole Mills, 44b Woodbury Park Road, Tunbridge Wells for full details of the course and an enrolment form.

## IN BRIEF



Soft ground prevented Andrews' Fair from operating on the Recreation Ground as planned on July 9th to 11th. The Parish Council had given its permission, but when the first heavy vehicle started to sink through the surface shortly after entering the field, the proprietor decided to pull out to avoid getting bogged down and damaging the ground.

Four commemorative trees growing in and around the Village Green have no indication as to why they were planted. To ensure that future generations know what we were doing in Pembury during the seventies, the Parish Council's Finance Committee is to consider the provision of plaques to place by the trees. Three of the trees on the Green commemorate King George V's Silver Jubilee in 1935, our Queen's Silver Jubilee in 1977 and the By-Pass Campaign. The fourth tree, in the grounds of Camden Court, was planted to mark the Queen Mother's eightieth birthday.

Susanna Brownsdon, 15-year-old daughter of Parish Councillor John Brownsdon and his wife, Carol, set a new British record for the women's 100 metres breast stroke when she finished second in the event at the European Championships at Split, Yugoslavia on September 8th. Last year Susanna was one of the youngest-ever competitors at the Moscow Olympics.

With the formation of a second Cub Scout pack in Pembury, the two packs have now been given names. The Penn pack (Akela Christine Arnold) meets on Thursday and the Sturgeon pack (Akela Mike Cartwright) meets on Mondays. The waiting list for both packs is held by Tony Berry, 85 Hastings Road.

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# FOR YOUR DIARY

- OCT. 1 Afternoon W.I. — How the Pyramids were built and Upper Egypt — Mrs. B. Horsfall — V. Hall 2.30 p.m.  
 2 Evening W.I. — Colourmaid — Competition for Hallowe'en mask.  
 3 Footpath Walkers' walk — Start Stonecourt Lane turning 2.15 p.m.  
 5 Pembury Players — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 6 Darby & Joan Club — R.C. Hall 2 p.m.  
 11 Footpath Walkers' clearance party — meet Camden 10.30 a.m.  
 12 Horticultural Society — Floral Art Group — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 16 Pembury Players — Dance to Cyril Mapley & His Music — V. Hall 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 19 Parish Council — Highways, Planning, Public Relations — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 20 Darby & Joan Club — Sale of Work — R.C. Hall 2.30 p.m.  
 28 Afternoon & Evening W.I.'s — Half-yearly Council meeting, Chatham.  
 29 Hort. Socy. — Illustrated talk by Mr. G. S. Joy, subject to be announced — V. Hall  
 31 Footpath Walkers' clearance party — meet Camden 2.15 p.m. 8 p.m.
- NOV. 2 Parish Council meeting — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 3 Darby & Joan Club — R.C. Hall 2 p.m.  
 5 Afternoon W.I. — A.G.M. — V. Hall 2.30 p.m.  
 6 Evening W.I. — A.G.M. — Competition for home-made bookmark.  
 7 Footpath Walkers' Walk — Start from Camden 2.15 p.m.  
 9 Hort. Socy. — Floral Art Group — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 13 Pembury Players — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 16 Parish Council — Amenities, Planning, Finance — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 17 Darby & Joan Club — R.C. Hall 2 p.m.  
 26 Hort. Socy. — Illustrated talk by Mr. W. Murray on  
 The West Coast of Scotland — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 30 Parish Council — Highways, Planning, Public Relations  
 — V. Hall 8 p.m.
- DEC. 1 Darby & Joan Club — R.C. Hall 2 p.m.  
 3 Afternoon W.I. — Christmas Party and competition  
 for artificial flower — V. Hall 2.30 p.m.  
 4 Evening W.I. — A Taste of Wine by Unwins Ltd.,  
 and American supper  
 5 Footpath Walkers' walk — starts Bo-Peep corner 2.15 p.m.  
 7 Pembury Players — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 14 Parish Council meeting — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 14 Hort. Socy. — Floral Art Group — V. Hall 8 p.m.  
 15 Darby & Joan Club — Christmas Party — R.C. Hall  
 2 p.m.  
 29 Darby & Joan Club — R.C. Hall 2 p.m.

## ST. PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

### Upper Church

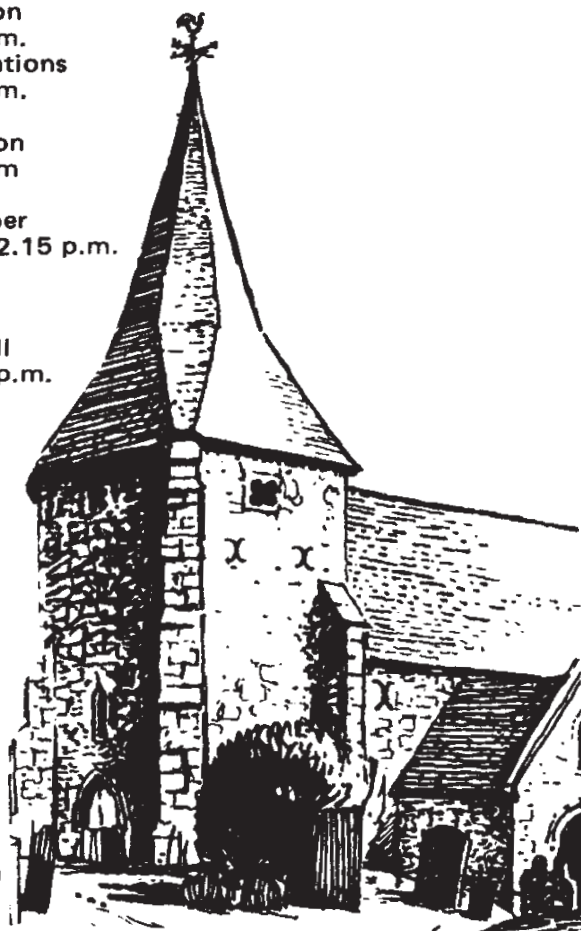
- 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion  
 9.45 a.m. Parish Communion with Sermon  
 10.00 a.m. Family Communion (last Sunday)  
 11.30 a.m. Junior Church  
 4.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon  
 5.00 p.m. Shortened Holy Communion (3rd Sunday)

### Parish Church

- 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (Second Sunday)  
 11.15 a.m. Matins and Sermon  
 11.15 a.m. Sung Communion with Sermon (4th Sunday)

Every Friday — W.I. Market — V.Hall 10.15 - 11.15 a.m.

Every Monday — Pembury Old Tyme and Modern Dance Club — R.C. Hall — 7.45-10.15 p.m.



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