



## **Well-Dressing 2024**

### **Puddling**

**Friday 17th May**

This Summer's Festivities begin with Puddling (putting the clay from the river onto the Well-Dressing Boards) on Friday 17th May from 5.30pm at the Sheepwash Bridge.

All Hands Welcome - Bring Children and Towels!

### **Petaling Week**

**Saturday 18th May - Friday 24th May**

Please come and see the Petaling of the Well-Dressing boards in action at the Village Institute and at Spinks' Garage on Court Lane. All week. Daytime only.

### **Well-Dressing Week**

**Saturday 25th May - Sunday 2nd June**

The Ashford Village Well Dressings will be on display from 10am on Saturday 25th May.

The traditional sheep-washing demonstration will take place on the afternoon of

Saturday 25th May at 3pm at the Sheepwash Bridge.

The Well Blessing will begin with a church service at 3pm followed by a procession from 3.30 following the Brass Band.

The Ashford Flower Festival will also be taking place in the church all week 10.30am-7pm.

Teas and Refreshments will be served at Ashford Village Institute every day during the Well Dressing week 10-4pm.

### **Village Party**

**Sunday 2nd June 12-4pm**

At the end of our Well-Dressing week, everyone is invited to the Village Party at Ashford Village Institute Sunday 2nd June. Teas, Cakes, Prosecco and Beer from 12 noon.

Brass Band playing 2-4pm, Grand Raffle Draw at 3pm.

### **Grand Raffle**

In aid of the Ashford War Memorial Institute there is a Grand Raffle with wonderful prizes.

Tickets will be available during the Well-Dressing and Petaling weeks.

Get in touch if you can help with refreshments or in other ways.