

E Newsletter



Welcome to the NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY (MIDLAND ANCESTORS)

Meetings : 1st Monday of the month at 7:30 pm unless First Monday is a Bank Holiday, then second Monday

There is a free car park at the side of the centre and ample on street parking in Harpfields Road and Flash Lane.

We are asked though to avoid parking in Vicarage Lane which is adjacent to the building since it is narrow & difficult for residents

Restarting of meetings

We had hoped to restart the meetings in October, but repairs to the church hall are not yet complete. So we are planning to hold meetings in December just to get going. PLEASE CHECK the North Staffs family history society web site for any changes.



The newsletter will be added to the web page on the following dates for you to view:

31st March 2022

30th June 2022

30th September 2022

31st December 2022

LOST MEMORIALS

More and more churches and chapels are being lost or turned into restaurants or residential properties so this begs the question were do the memorials go?

Are they taken to the mother church?

Are they left with the property ?

Are they dumped into a skip?

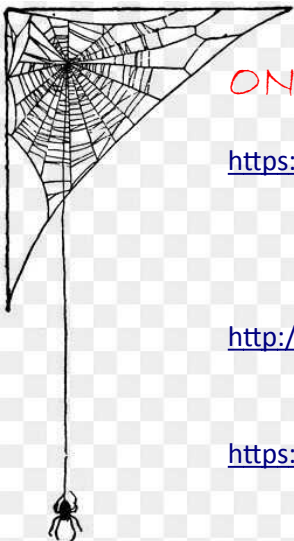
Can you spare a little time to photograph:

- * Memorials located inside churches, chapels etc.
- * Photograph any war memorials
- * Headstones within churches or chapels

If you feel you can help please email me and I will let you know which churches/chapels need to have their memorials photographed near you.



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ON THE WEB

<https://acpl.lib.in.us/genealogy> Allen County Public Library – African and Native American Genealogy

<http://usgenweb.org/> The USGenWeb Project – State-by-State Genealogy Records

<https://accessgenealogy.com/> AccessGenealogy.com contains the largest collection of free genealogy for your United States research.

<http://castlegarden.org/> Records for 11 million immigrants to New York from 1820-1892 can be searched online.

STAFFORDSHIRE PEO-

Hugo Francis Meynell-Ingram (1822 – 26 May 1871)

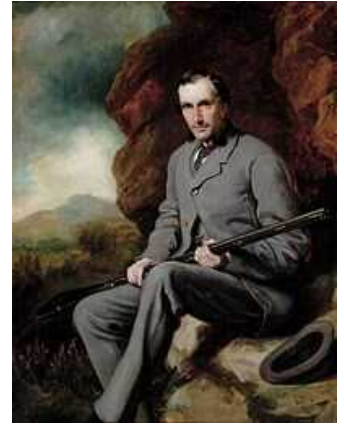
Hugo was a Conservative Party politician in the United Kingdom. He was Member of Parliament (MP) for West Staffordshire from 1868 to 1871.

Meynell-Ingram was the son of Hugo Meynell and his wife Georgina Pigou. His father, proprietor of Hoar Cross Hall and Temple Newsam changed his name to Meynell-Ingram. His mother was a lady of brilliance and charm who was friendly with such men as Sydney Smith, Lord Brougham, Walter Savage Landor and Charles Young.

He was elected Member of Parliament for Staffordshire West in 1868 and inherited Temple Newsam and Hoar Cross from his father in 1869.

He married Emily Charlotte Wood, daughter of Charles Wood, 1st Viscount Halifax, and of Mary daughter of Charles Grey, 2nd Earl Grey. In 1871 Hugo died in a hunting accident. His widow Emily Charlotte, daughter of the 1st Viscount Halifax, commissioned Bodley and Garner to build a grand new church in his memory at Hoar Cross in Staffordshire.

The church was designed by George Frederick Bodley and Thomas Garner. Mrs. Meynell Ingram was a Lady of Grace of the Order of the Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England, and on 8 May 1902 was promoted to a Lady of Justice (DStJ) in the same order. She died in 1904.



Emily and Hugo Meynell Ingram are side-by-side in the chantry chapel in the Church of the Holy Angels in Hoar Cross



Have you got any interesting family stories, photos or research break through's you would like to share with everyone via the newsletter?

Have you found a useful website?

Have you got any old photos of a person(s) or area you would like to know more about?

Then please contact me via the email below and I can place your article/photo in the newsletter to share with everyone hopefully being of benefit to all.



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