

Nailsworth Society
LOCAL STUDIES GROUP

Monday, 27th April 2015
7.30 pm in the Mortimer Room



Hailes Abbey
and the **Mystery** of the
Holy Blood

David Aldred

From 1270 to 1538 the Cistercian Hailes Abbey contained a shrine to a phial of Holy Blood which, on Dissolution, was declared a fake. What was the story behind the relic, the Abbey's fortunes and its eventual destruction?

Next Meeting: 22nd June 2015
Malcolm Watkins "The Gloucester Tudor Doll"