### Dates for your diary .....

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2-5pm Aston Sandford church open

to view Harvest Festival decorations Details: David Peck 01844 292110

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2:30pm Fourth Tuesday Fellowship at

the Chapel

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October SJB committee meeting in the church

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal begins

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November Café in the Park 10.00 - 12.00 at the pavilion

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November Commemorative Service to be held at the

Gates of the War Memorial Recreation Ground

10:45am - 11:15am followed by

Stone Local History Group exhibition in the Village Hall 11:30-5:30 <u>THE GREAT WAR</u>

#### Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal 2019

The Poppy Appeal starts on Saturday 26th October and continues to 9th November. We try to offer a collecting box to local schools and businesses in the parish and have as many door to door collections as possible.

Can you help? David Pickup 01296 748170 <a href="mailto:david@pickupandscott.co.uk">david@pickupandscott.co.uk</a>

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PLEASE NOTE: The pewsheet is put together on a Friday evening. Please send anything for inclusion by 7pm on a Friday and (space permitting) we will do our best to fit it in.



# Wychert Vale Benefice

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## St. John the Baptist STONE

### SUNDAY 20th OCTOBER 2019

10:30am MORNING WORSHIP

Leader: David Pickup

Readings: 2 Timothy 3.14-4.5; Luke 18.1-8 Theme: Reading the Bible and praying

6:00pm SERVICE OF LOVING REMEMBRANCE

Leaders: Canon Phil Groves; David Robinson

Weds 23<sup>rd</sup> 7:30pm SJB committee meeting in church

**NEXT WEEK** – 27<sup>th</sup> October – BIBLE SUNDAY

9:00am BCP MATINS

Leader: David Robinson

10:30am HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: Canon Phil Groves

\*\*CHOIR PRACTICE next meets at 7.30pm on <u>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October</u> \*\*
at 29(b) Eythrope Road

#### Coffee cup news



Our coffee cup collection this month is for 'Send a Cow'. If you have a 'Send a Cow' collecting box **please bring it in before the end of October** so that your coins can be added to the funds we will be sending off. Thankyou.

A letter from Eryl.....

'I was so pleased to receive the flowers, chocolates and card from church. Thank you. The flowers were lovely and lasted well.

The chocolates were lovely, too, but didn't last as long!

I much appreciated the good wishes and thoughts in the card.

I'm glad to say that I seem to be getting on OK. Its six weeks since my op so I can start to do a few more things.

I'm looking forward to being back in church.

Thank you so much again.	
Love,	
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#### Children's group in Stone Church

As the number of children at our services has increased we would like to start a Children's Group in January 2020. This would take place for part of the service and will use the Scripture Union materials as a basis. Our children can learn and enjoy church and parents can benefit from the 'adult service' without distraction.

Would you like to help teach our children? We need two adults each week - any age/gender (subject to interview and DBS check). It would be great if we could get a rota of 8+ people. Parents can also take a turn.

Please talk to Naomi Corbould on 01296 747689 or email treasurer@stonedintonhartwell.com

#### **Grant received for facilities**

We recently received a grant of £2,250 from Allchurches Trust towards the installation of the kitchenette. **Please continue to pray** for success with the 6 applications which have been submitted to other grant making bodies.

#### A SPECIAL SERVICE OF LOVING REMEMBRANCE

#### This evening at 6.00pm

#### LIGHT A CANDLE IN REMEMBRANCE OF YOUR LOVED ONES

This is a special evening service to remember before God those who are dear to us who have passed away. During the service there will be an opportunity for quiet prayer and reflection. The names of those who have recently died will be read out as well as any who you would like to add to the list. This service is not only for the recently bereaved but also anyone who would like to give thanks for someone who has been important to them but has passed away.

#### Prisons Week 2019

Last week our service was led by Revd Sue Smith who is a chaplain at HMP Grendon and HMP Springhill. She reminded us that St Paul was himself a prisoner and he wrote many of his letters there.

We can support the work of the prison chaplaincy at Grendon & Springhill by donating small token presents (to the value of £10) to their Children's day in December. Children with parents in prison do not usually have the same experience of opening presents with both of their parents. Father Christmas will be in attendance and families as a whole can be there for the opening of presents together.

Please contact Revd Sue Smith 07854 659756 for further information on how to support this project (suepzsmith@gmail.com)

#### Can you help? Christmas / New Year Accommodation needed

Friends of the Corboulds are getting married on 30th December and are having trouble finding places for relatives to stay 27th - 31st Dec/1st Jan. If you are away over these dates and could offer a house for rent please see Naomi or Clive (01296 747689).

Are you still knitting? Sue Birrell will be pleased to receive even more knitted poppies to decorate the War memorial again this year