!!!!!!!! Help needed for Café !!!!!!!!

As Naomi and Clive are preparing to move out of the area we need MORE HELPERS to keep the Tuesday and Saturday Cafes going. We have a very friendly team and it is a good way to make new friends. If you would like to find out more please contact Naomi who will be pleased to have a chat about it naominz@hotmail.co.uk

Bible study

On Thursday this week at 7.30pm, we have the second bible study by Zoom. We will be looking at "What's "new" about the New Testament. The readings for this have already been sent around the group, but if anyone else would like to join and would like the readings / notes in advance, please contact Sue or Richard.

Barbara Fowle



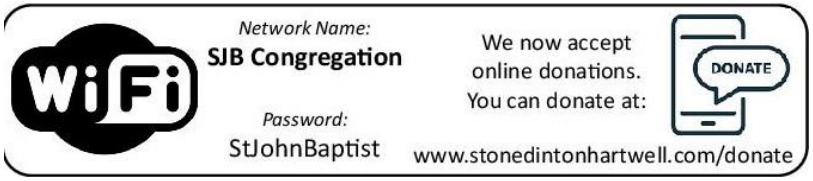
We are all greatly saddened to hear of the passing of our dear friend Barbara who was a faithful member of our church family for many years. No details of funeral arrangements are available yet.

Please pray for her husband Derek and their sons and families at this difficult time.

Amazon delivery boxes

If you receive any deliveries from Amazon in the next two weeks and they come in sturdy boxes **please don't throw them away!** At the end of this month Aylesbury Prison Fellowship will be wrapping and posting approximately 70 Christmas gifts to children around the country who won't have their fathers with them at Christmas……

Jenny Pickup will be pleased to collect any boxes from you and remove any address labels from them before re-using them. Any that are surplus to requirements will be put into re-cycling for you. Tel no: 01296 748170 *Thankyou!*



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Sunday 8th November 2026

Notices for the week

We are a member church of the Wychert Vale family



10:45 **OPEN AIR SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE**
at the War Memorial Recreation Ground

J.W. ANDREWS P. OLLIFFE W.T. ANDREWS W.C.O. PHILLIPS C.F. BEECHEY
W. RAVEN G.F.M. BUTLER G. RIXON G. CLARKE T.R. SEATON L.H. COX
J.A. SMALL J. DAY W.C. SMITH J. DUBERY D.C.C. TURNHAM C. HOWLETT
F.L. WOODFORD F. KEE G. WIXON W. MARKHAM H. WIXON J. MILLER

Bishopstone 10:15 wreath laying and short memorial service
Sergt. P.J. OLLIFFE Private G. WIXON Private G. RIXON Private H. WIXON

Dinton 10:15 service and wreath laying
Ford 11:30 wreath laying

18:00 **CHORAL EVENSONG** in **SPP DINTON**



Most Holy God and Father,
hear our prayers for all who strive for peace,
and all who yearn for justice.
Help us, who today remember the cost of war,
to work for a better tomorrow;
and, as we commend to you lives lost in terror and conflict,
bring us all to the peace of your presence;
through Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

BELONG - BELIEVE - BUILD - WITH CHRIST AS THE CORNERSTONE

Genesis 50:15-21

Joseph Reassures His Brothers

15 When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "What if Joseph holds a grudge against us and pays us back for all the wrongs we did to him?" 16 So they sent word to Joseph, saying, "Your father left these instructions before he died: 17 'This is what you are to say to Joseph: I ask you to forgive your brothers the sins and the wrongs they committed in treating you so badly.' Now please forgive the sins of the servants of the God of your father." When their message came to him, Joseph wept.

18 His brothers then came and threw themselves down before him. "We are your slaves," they said.

19 But Joseph said to them, "Don't be afraid. Am I in the place of God? 20 You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. 21 So then, don't be afraid. I will provide for you and your children." And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.

At Remembrance time we remember with gratitude all those who gave up their lives for our freedom. They were caught up in conflicts not of their own making, that caused long lasting suffering. Some have never recovered. So why am I thinking about Joseph (yes the one with the amazing colourful coat) on Remembrance Sunday?

Revd Phil will be talking about peace making in the outdoor service today. So here in the pewsheet I am looking at an example of a peace maker in the Bible. Joseph is a powerful example of forgiveness and reconciliation because he showed a remarkable ability to overcome bitterness and extend forgiveness to those who had wronged him. Joseph's brothers, fuelled by jealousy and resentment, had sold him into slavery when he was just a young man. Years later, Joseph rose to become Pharaoh's trusted advisor. Then in a time of famine Joseph's brothers travelled to Egypt in search of food. Joseph now had the power to seek revenge and inflict harm on his brothers, but instead he chose a different path. He embraced his brothers with love and compassion, offering forgiveness and reconciliation.

Joseph's act of forgiveness brought about healing in his own heart, and also reconciliation within his family. It mended broken relationships and restored harmony. Joseph's story teaches us the importance of forgiveness and its impact on our relationships. It challenges us to confront our own hurts and extend grace to those who have wronged us, promoting healing, reconciliation, and ultimately, peace. On our own we cannot resolve the many conflicts in the world at the moment. But we can start the process of peace in our families, our community, and our country. So let's begin there.

Have you been to see our poppies?



The display will be in the churchyard until 15th November and you can visit it at any time. As dusk falls the area will be lit to show off the poppies. Maybe you have seen the bright red glow at nighttime as you have gone past the churchyard.

PLEASE DONATE TO THE BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL TO SHOW YOUR APPRECIATION OF THIS AND FOR THE LIVES LOST.

Thank you to everyone who has been busy knitting, and to Tom for the photo.

This week

Tues 10th	-	11:00am	**Café in the Park** – in the Jubilee Pavilion
		7:30pm	**Choir practice** – 29b Eythrope Road
Thurs 12th	-	9:00am	**Little Wrigglers** – in the Jubilee Pavilion
		7:30pm	**Bible study on Zoom** (see notice)
			http://www.stonedintonhartwell.com/zoom-prayers
Sun 15th	-	9:00am	**MATINS** *led by David Pickup*
		10:30am	**FAMILY WORSHIP** *led by David Pickup*

Christmas Gift Fair

This is on Saturday 28th November and we are starting to collect items for the TOMBOLA. If you have any unwanted new gifts, cosmetics, bottles of drink etc then we would be delighted to collect them at the back of the church from now onwards.



Coffee Cup news

During November and December our coffee cup collections will be donated to the

FREE CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH at St Mary's Church in Aylesbury



This event has been running for over 20 years and is organised by a team of volunteers and funded by donations, including ours! It offers a free Christmas dinner as well as entertainment and games to anyone who might have difficulties at home, be homeless, or otherwise be spending Christmas Day alone.

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