



# VILLAGE NEWS

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Lent is traditionally seen as a time to exercise great will power in grim acts of self denial and self sacrifice. But have you noticed that Jesus does not tend to give motivational talks about self sacrifice nor does he try to engage our will power. Jesus is much more concerned about shaking our foundations, giving us an utterly alternate self image, world image and God image - indeed in reframing our entire reality!

Trying harder might bring a few temporary changes but it doesn't bring radical transformation. It's still just "little ol' me" who's trying harder, thinking better or doing something different. Transformation comes only from the new self "hidden with Christ in God" (Colossians 3:3).

The real "try harder" of Lent is, ironically, a not trying at all! It is rather an ultimate surrendering, a dying and a foundational letting go to God. It's not doing something for ourselves but allowing it to be done to us by the events of our lives; joining with Mary in "let it be to me according to your will" (Luke 1:38). We are participants in transformative change only as we yield and realise with the Apostle Paul "I live no longer my own life, but the life of Christ who lives in me" (Galatians 2:20).

The Lent Course looks at some of the promises of God that impart transformation and unshakeable hope as we surrender our doubting, despairing, cynical selves into His hands. Do join us - it'll be fun!

Revd Rosy Ashley



# BENEFICE SERVICES AND EVENTS

**Churches: SSCM:** St Stephen, Rectory Lane, Charlton Musgrove

**SJCM:** St John, Barrow Lane, Charlton Musgrove

**SLC:** St Lawrence, Long Hill, Cucklington

**SAST:** St Andrew, Stoke Trister

**RA House:** Chestnuts, Rowls Lane, Cucklington BA9 9PY

## FEBRUARY 2023

Sun 5th	10.00	Cafe Church	SSCM
	18.30	A candlelit hour of Taize prayers, chants and readings with the Pilgrim Choir	SLC
Sun 12th	9.00	Holy Communion	SSCM
	16.00	Sunday Afternoon Church	RA House
Sun 19th	10.00	Family Service	SJCM
	18.30	Evensong	SAST
Tue 21st	17.00	Pancake Party	Kitchen at Kimbers
Wed 22nd	19.00	Ash Wednesday Communion	SSCM
Sun 26th	9.00	Holy Communion	SLC
	16.00	Sunday Afternoon Church	RA House

## MARCH 2023

Wed 1st Mar	18.30	'Unshakeable Hope' Lent Course	Higher Stavordale Farm
Sun 5th	10.00	Cafe Church	SSCM
	18.30	Evensong	SLC
Wed 8th	18.30	'Unshakeable Hope' Lent Course	Higher Stavordale Farm
Sun 12th	9.00	Holy Communion	SSCM
	16.00	Sunday Afternoon Church	RA house
Wed 15th	18.30	'Unshakeable Hope' Lent Course	Higher Stavordale Farm
Sun 19th	10.00	Mothering Sunday Family Service	SJCM
Wed 22nd	18.30	'Unshakeable Hope' Lent Course	Higher Stavordale Farm
Sun 26th	9.00	Holy Communion	SLC
	16.00	Sunday Afternoon Church	RA house
Tue 28th	18.30	'Unshakeable Hope' Lent Course	Higher Stavordale Farm

## A better way



Culture, it's said, is 'how things get done around here'. This suggests that our understanding of the world is largely formed by our experiences and what we're accustomed to. That's all fine until everything around us, as it does, keeps on changing. Then we're then set on a collision course between how we think things should be, and how they actually are. Anybody aged over 40 who's had to ask a nine year old how to use their new phone will understand this dilemma perfectly. Cultural collisions aren't just restricted to technology. They affect churches too. Many of us grew up with a model of church set up by the Victorians. This mostly meant that each parish had one church building with its own vicar, who took responsibility for most aspects of the ministry needed in a particular place. Yet even this was new in its day. Look much further back and things worked very differently. The New Testament speaks of churches where lots of different people played many different roles, each operating out of the particular skills and gifts given them by God. In Ephesians the writer describes a church where 'some [are] apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers'.

So what would be the right model of church for our day? The Victorians' assumption that the vicar would do almost everything would seem to be a crying waste of the gifts and passions that together we share. And as more of our clergy care for three, six or more parishes, the nineteenth century model is increasingly leaving our vicars tired, overstretched and liable to burn out.

We need a better way; one that draws on the rich talents, abilities and skills that our church members have. Here in Bath and Wells we're calling this 'shared local ministry'. Examples of what that can look like exist in many places around our diocese. Neither first century nor nineteenth century, but an emerging twenty first century way of how we want 'to get things done around here'. A better way to inhabit well the faith we've inherited in our time and generation.

*Bishop Michael*



**CUCKLINGTON**  
St Lawrence's Church  
[www.cucklington.org.uk](http://www.cucklington.org.uk)  
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Hammet (01747 840770)  
Website: [www.cucklington.org.uk](http://www.cucklington.org.uk)



A big THANK YOU to everyone who helped make Christmas very special this year.

The Church was decorated beautifully by our lovely Flower Ladies and Julia's Christmas Tree looked stunning, thank you to the Dunfords and the Truemans for the mammoth task of putting up all those candles! To Susan Cranfield and team for a clean and polished Church.

We enjoyed two good well attended services officiated by Rosy who also supplied delicious refreshments after the Carol Service.

The candles are still in place and will be lit for an hour of Taizé` prayers, chants and readings with The Pilgrim Choir 6.30pm on the 5<sup>th</sup> Feb.

Pip Loxton



**Fri 3rd Feb from 7pm**

Join us in the Village Hall.

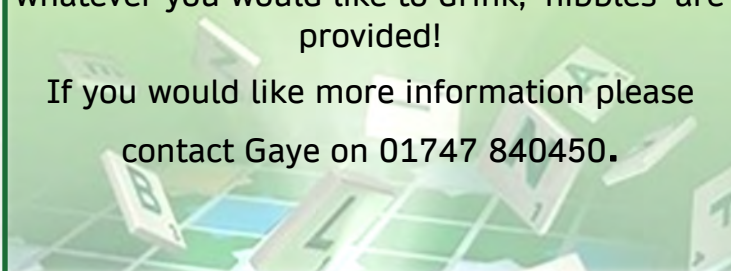
Everyone is welcome (children' dogs and relatives!) Do come along and catch up with friends, neighbours and village news!

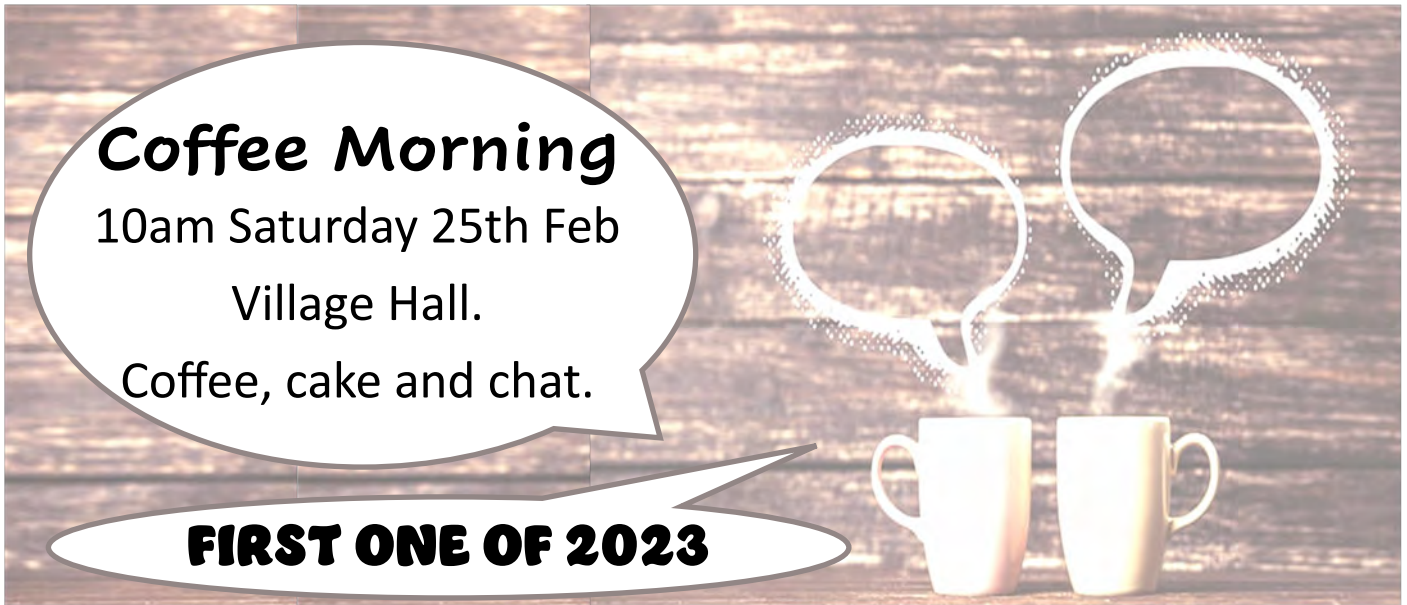
## SCRABBLE

We are playing Scrabble on the second Friday of each month in Cucklington at AMMH starting at 7.00pm 10th Feb

We would be delighted to welcome new members. We play a friendly game, including many levels of ability. All you need to bring is whatever you would like to drink, 'nibbles' are provided!

If you would like more information please contact Gaye on 01747 840450.





**PLEASE KEEP YOUR DOGS UNDER CONTROL AROUND LIVESTOCK.  
MANY EWES ARE PREGNANT AT THIS TIME OF YEAR!!**

## ARE YOU ON ST LAWRENCE, CUCKLINGTON'S ELECTORAL ROLL?

### WHAT IS THE ELECTORAL ROLL?

The church's Electoral Roll is the register of its voting members; it is a list of those qualified to attend and to vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. Electoral rolls provide an indication of the real membership and strength of the church.

### ARE YOU NEW TO THE AREA?

If so, you might want to join. If you were on it last year, you don't need to reapply.

### WHO CAN BE ON THE ELECTORAL ROLL?

Baptised adults (over 16 years) who live in the parish, or who have worshipped regularly at the church for at least six months (or who would have attended had sickness not prevented them) who are committed to being part of the life of the local Church of England congregation.

### WHY JOIN?

Enrolment is a way of saying "I belong." It is an act of commitment to the local church and to the church as a whole. It opens the way for a greater involvement in the life of the church at parish, deanery, diocesan and national levels.

If you meet the requirement and would like to be on the Electoral Roll, please collect a form from St Lawrence's porch or contact Julia on 01747 841045 for a copy. Please return completed form to the box in the church porch.

*Deadline 3rd March 2023*



**CHARLTON MUSGROVE**  
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 E: [cmvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:cmvillagehall@gmail.com)



**Charlton Musgrove Defibrillator First Responders**

Barrie & Ceri Izard	01963 34144
Neal Sizmore	07795817460

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In the event you need to use the defibrillator in an emergency and cannot leave your 'patient' to collect it, the volunteers named here will collect and deliver it to you.

If anyone else would be generous enough to join this list of volunteers, please contact the clerk on the email address above in the first instance,



It would help us a lot, if anyone could join our flower rotas, for either church.

You do not need to be a member or even go to church!!

We have such talent in the village.

Do join us.

There are rotas in both churches.

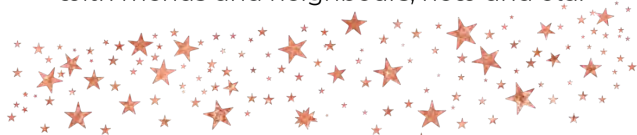


**Friday 17th February**

Charlton Musgrove  
Village Hall

**10.30- 12 noon**

Do come along and join us for real coffee and home made cake, just £2 each, refills and seconds of cake free. It's a chance to catch up with friends and neighbours, new and old.



COFFEE, CAKE & CHAT  
 EVERY  
 MONDAY

10 till 12 noon  
at St John's

**All welcome**

Do join us, even for a short time, you will always find a warm welcome! Tractor drivers, shepherds or home office workers, take a well earned break.







# PANCAKE PARTY

## Shrove Tuesday 21st February 5 - 6.30pm

### Charlton Musgrove Churches

Invite you to our

### Annual Pancake Party,

at the Kitchen at Kimbers.

Pancake races, games, egg shackling,  
(an old Somerset tradition!!) and egg and  
spoon races.

Savoury and sweet pancakes.

one of each, further available plus drinks  
available.



High chairs available for little ones,  
warm fire for older folk.!

Come and join the Fun.

£5 for adults £2.50 children

### THANK YOU

A massive thank you to Martyn Brown for all his tireless work as warden for both churches,  
ensuring their smooth running etc.

He is of course supported by his equally hard working wife Jean and thanks go to her too.

Thank you to a wonderful couple.



## **STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD**

[www.stoketristerbayford.net](http://www.stoketristerbayford.net)  
[web@stoketristerbayford.net](mailto:web@stoketristerbayford.net)



### **FIRST RESPONDERS**

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Jo Garrett 07973 631744

Chris Rose-Walker 07919 261739

Aly Diggle-Perry 07770 221330

## **WHO SAYS LIFE IN BAYFORD IS QUIET?**

Thur 3rd Feb

Coffee Morning

Sat 11th Feb

"Maverick"

Wed 15th Feb

Lunch

Sat 18th Feb

French Night

Sat 11th March

"To Kill A Mocking Bird"

Sat 18th March

Books and Breakfast

Thurs 23rd March

Quiz Night

More info to follow for some events!

## **Bayford Lunch Club**

Join us on 15th Feb  
at 12.15 to eat at  
12.30.

£6 per head

Bayford Village Hall.

Please call Mary on  
34420 by Sun 12th  
to book your lunch.

"Where **coffee** and  
**friends** make  
the **perfect blend**"

## **COFFEE MORNING**

**BAYFORD VILLAGE HALL**

Thursday 2nd February

10am - 12 noon

Join us for  
coffee, cake and company,  
with friends, new and old.

# FRENCH NIGHT

3 courses for £12.50 pp

Bayford Village Hall

**BYOB**

Sat 18th Feb

Waiter  
service

7 for 7.30pm

Raffle

First come first served! Call Mary, 01963 34420



## THE JUBILEE LINE

**WE ALL NEED A HELPING  
HAND AT SOME POINT.**

WHETHER YOU NEED A LIFT TO THE DOCTORS,  
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A HEAVY CHAIR, HELP SORTING OUT THE  
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ABOVE NUMBER. NO PERSONAL DETAILS WILL BE PASSED  
OUT TO OTHERS.



**TOP GUN  
MAVERICK**

**BAYFORD VILLAGE HALL**

**SATURDAY 11th FEB**

**DOORS OPEN 6.30pm FOR 7pm START**

**REFRESHMENTS ON THE DOOR FOR £4.00 pp**

We have been able to purchase a new licence designed for community cinema groups. We are not allowed to charge to watch the films per se but are allowed to cover our costs by selling "refreshments." So instead of a ticket you will be sold "refreshments" for £4. Doing it this way is how we can offer first class movies at such a low cost! Thanks for your support.

## VILLAGES' WALKING GROUP

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February is the date for our next VWG group walk. Where we shall walk is not yet clear, but rest assured we shall let all those on our VWG mailing list know in good time.

The uncertainty about the location is much to do with the conditions underfoot and the weather. With so many of our local footpaths, and those in neighbouring villages, presently waterlogged, and gateways deep in mud, we are limited by what is possible. If conditions dry in the next few weeks we may be able to take to the footpaths again, or it may prove sensible to arrange a lanes walk. But we will let you know where 24<sup>th</sup> February will take us.

Our planned December walk, at Witham Park/Brehwam Woods was postponed because of icy conditions (so we have that one up our sleeves!). We did a local walk at New Year, albeit it was Plan C, our original planned walk across the fields to Rectory Lane from the Village Hall being totally waterlogged, and the alternative (Plan B) to Water Barrow Lane being even more waterlogged, so we walked from the Hall across the fields to Barrow Lane, into Stavordale Lane and across the fields to Thorney Copse, and back to The Chantry for coffee. Seventeen walkers enjoyed the exercise, and company, after Christmas festivities, on a bright sunny morning.

For our February 24<sup>th</sup> walk we shall meet first at Charlton Musgrove Village Hall at 10am, before heading off. Do join us – it will be good to see you. As always, it would be a kindness if you would let us know beforehand, please, that you will be walking with us (so we won't set off without you!).



Mike and Eileen Vockins

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**DEADLINE FOR MARCH EDITION OF THE VILLAGE NEWS IS 18th FEBRUARY**

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**PLEASE FEEL FREE TO SEND ANYTHING THAT YOU THINK WILL BE OF INTEREST TO OTHERS.**

# *Celebrate Candlemass*

*with the Pilgrim Choir*

*who are leading*

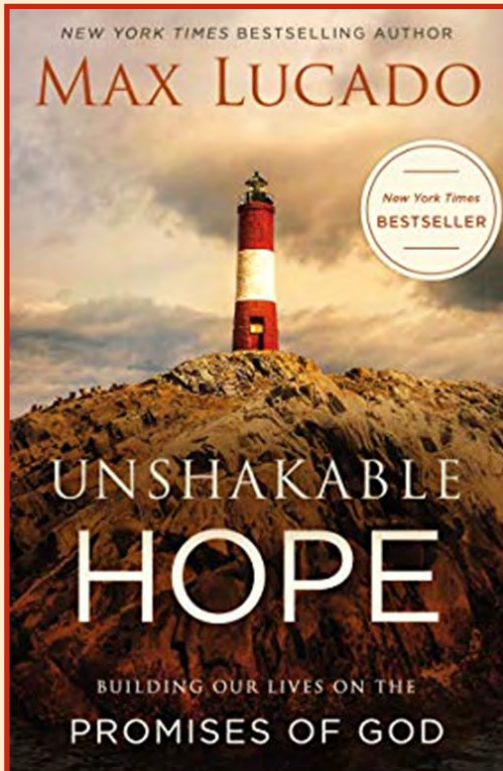
*an hour of Taizé chants, prayers  
and readings by candlelight*

*on*

*Sunday February 5th 2023*

*6.30pm at St Lawrence Cucklington*





Five week

## Lent Course

based on the Max Lucado DVD

UNSHAKEABLE

## HOPE

looking at the promises of God.

Starts on

Wednesday March 1st

at 6.30pm

Higher Stavordale Farm

6.30pm

theWI  
INSPIRING WOMEN

If you visited the Stoke Trister Christmas Tree Festival you will have noticed an unusual white tree. The tree was the brainchild of a Wincanton WI member, as a response to the WI's National campaign to raise awareness of stem cell therapy and Members enjoyed using their varied craft skills to make decorations for the tree. Wincanton WI meets on the third Wednesday of the month in the Sun Lounge, Wincanton Memorial Hall at 2.00 pm. New members are always welcomed and your first meeting is free.

The WI provides women with fun and friendship plus the chance to learn new skills, get involved within the community and take part in a wide range of activities. For further information email us at [winwisec@gmail.com](mailto:winwisec@gmail.com) or phone 07814303760.

Or just turn up - you're always welcome and we'd be delighted to see you!



# FARMERS' SKITTLES NIGHT

The Skittles night and meal that was very kindly sponsored by the church council and the Farmers Community Network (an amazing charity - see below - and our Young Farmer's charity of the year!) was a great success and we are all looking forward to the next one!

In the words of Ron Walrond, FCN's Chaplain, who came and joined in the fun, "it was such a joyous evening and a wonderful group of folks came along. The age range was exciting in that folks felt comfortable enough to bring along young children - there felt like a true sense of community there and I enjoyed a number of warm conversations with

lots of different people."

A raffle was held in aid of the FCN.

A big thank you to all involved with the organisation and to the Smithy for hosting



The proud winners were Robin and Tanya.....Congratulations!!

We are a voluntary organisation & charity that supports farmers and families within the farming community.

Whether the issue is personal or business-related, FCN is here for you. We run a confidential, national helpline and e-helpline which is open every day of the year from 7am to 11pm and our volunteers provide free, confidential support to anyone who seeks help. Over 6,000 people a year benefit from FCN's support and we can help with a variety of issues.

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**Helpline** is open 7am to 11pm every day of the year

# UDDER FARM NEWS

Hello 247 here again, yes I know we forgot to let you know what was going on in the last newsletter, but we were all getting so excited about it coming up to Christmas that we completely forgot to write anything. I don't know why we were getting so excited because they came out a lot earlier than normal, so we had to get up earlier than ever. This was so they could be inside early to see what Father Christmas had brought them and to get the dinner on. No such luck for us we had the same ration as the day before, at least it was earlier. Then when they did come out in the afternoon, they both got on with it and milked together so that they could go in early to have more to eat and I suspect drink.


2022 was a strange year for us as it started off reasonably dry for the first few months of the year and we were able to go out early to eat the fresh spring grass. They decided that as it was still dry in April that they would make some silage, which was the earliest that they have ever made it. We thought they were mad, but as it turned out they were right, as most of May it was raining. This resulted in them being able to take the second cut a week later than they finished the first cut in 2021. This is really tasty silage but as the year went on and it had less rain and more dry hot days, the grass didn't grow very much, and the third cut was not such good quality. The fourth cut was as late as has ever been taken in November, we aren't expecting much from this though.

One day we heard them talking as one of them had taken his children ice skating before Christmas, (no kids here, as we don't have any goats.) and had decided to have a cup of coffee to warm up. The person serving him asked if he would like OAT MILK, SOYA MILK or COWS MILK. He said that as two of them were only plant juices, as oats or soya did not have mammary glands, that he would have cows milk. The person serving did not answer to this.

We are also getting a bit worried from what we have heard on the radio whilst we are milking. It appears there is a new month at the beginning of the year now, called Veganuary. The reason we are worried is in case those people that want a plant only diet will come and start eating our feed, we are sure we can convert plants into a much more nutritious food.

Hope you all have a Happy New Year and the sun shines and the rain comes at the right time, some hope.

We all need help sometimes, so  
just in case.....

 Mindline

**MINDLINE** - no one should face poor mental health alone. We are here.

01823 276892 (24 hrs)

[www.mindinsomerset.co.uk](http://www.mindinsomerset.co.uk)

 Cruse Bereavement Care

**CRUSE** - here to help you make sense of how you're feeling, you're not alone. Bereavement support.

0808 808 1677 (not 24hr) and webchat available

[www.cruse.org.uk](http://www.cruse.org.uk)

 CAMPAIGN AGAINST LIVING MISERABLY

**CAMPAIGN AGAINST LIVING MISERABLY** - to help fight suicide, here for anyone who needs us.

0800 58 58 58 (5pm to midnight, 365 days) and webchat available

[www.thecalmzone.net](http://www.thecalmzone.net)

 SAMARITANS

**SAMARITANS** - whatever you are going through, call us, we won't judge, we listen.

116 123 (24hrs) and emails for response within 24hrs [jo@samaritans.org](mailto:jo@samaritans.org)

[www.samaritans.org](http://www.samaritans.org)

 Refuge

**REFUGE** - for women and children against domestic violence.

0808 2000 247 (24hrs) and webchat available (mon-fri 3pm-10pm)

[www.nationaldahelpline.org.uk](http://www.nationaldahelpline.org.uk)

 RABI

**ROYAL AGRICULTURAL BENEVOLENT INSTITUTION** - practical, financial and emotional support for farmers past and present

0800 188 4444

[www.rabi.org.uk](http://www.rabi.org.uk)

 ChildLine

**CHILDLINE** - free, confidential support and advice for children and young people

0800 1111 (24hrs) and online calm zone if stressed

[www.childline.org.uk](http://www.childline.org.uk)

## Volunteers Needed for Wincanton Food Bank!

Wincanton Food Bank is both a distributor for Gillingham Foodbank and a distribution point of other food collected to meet the needs of people in our local community.

Run by Wincanton Community Church from the old cinema in South Street, the Food Bank and drop in is currently open every Tuesday from 10am to 12pm in term time.

More volunteers would enable the service to cover the holidays and perhaps even expand to another day.

If you can help, please email Katherine Shields at [katherineshields@caplifeskills.org](mailto:katherineshields@caplifeskills.org)

**SOMERSET**



**COLLECTION**

The Somerset Food Collection has collected food generously donated by people in the Benefice villages over the past couple of years. It is now asking people to support the Wincanton Food Bank and food can be dropped off at the old cinema on Sunday or Tuesday mornings from 10am-12pm.



# USEFUL COUNCIL INFO

## Details for reporting to the council.

Telephone numbers for reporting to the council (office hours)

General: 01935 462462 (fly tipping and all general enquiries)

Highways: 0300 123 2224 (also responsible for overgrown verges)

<http://www.somerset.gov.uk/online> to report fly tipping online. (For Dorset—<http://dorsetforyou.com/flytipping/report-flytipping-online>).

Also:

<http://www.somerset.gov.uk/planningsearch> to (check on the status of Planning Applications online.)

## DOCTORS

Wincanton Health Centre: Tel: 01963 435700  
Email: [wincanton.hc@nhs.net](mailto:wincanton.hc@nhs.net)  
Dykes Way, BA9 9FQ

Bruton Surgery: Tel: 01749 812310  
Patwell Lane, BA10 0EG

## Chemist

Wincanton Boots Health Centre: Tel: 0963 33235  
Dykes Way, BA9 9FQ  
Mon to Fri 08.30 - 18.00

Wincanton Boots High Street: Tel: 01963 32205  
29/31 High St, BA9 9JU  
Mon to Fri 08.30 - 18.00

Bruton Pharmacy: Tel: 01749 812342  
19 High St, BA10 0AH  
Mon to Fri 09.00 - 18.00 (shut 13.00-14.00)  
Sat 09.00 - 13.00

## Roger Perry

Old School House, Stoke Trister

**07885 780753**

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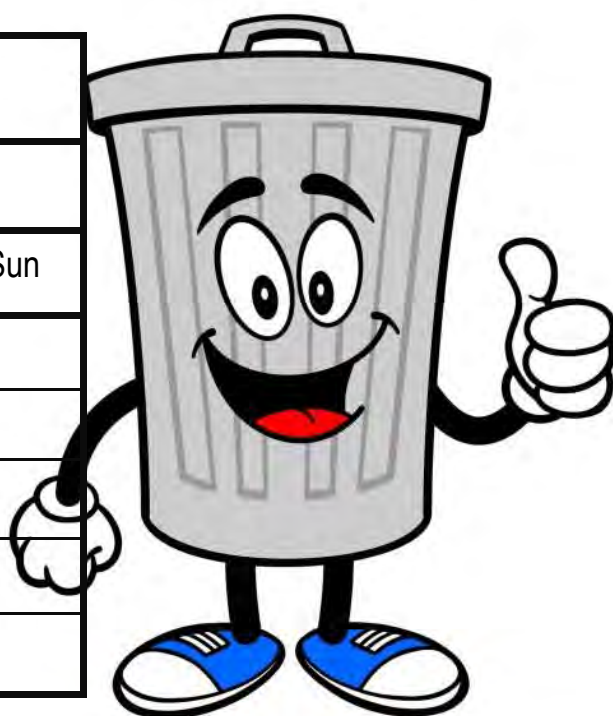
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# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

<b>February 2023</b>	
<b>Thur 2nd Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, Village Hall, Bayford. 10am
<b>Fri 3rd Feb</b>	Pop Up Pub, AMMH, Cucklington. 7pm
<b>Sun 5th Feb</b>	Taize Candlelit Hour, St Lawrence, Cucklington. 18.30
<b>Mon 6th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, St John's, Charlton Musgrove. 10am
<b>Fri 10th Feb</b>	Scrabble, AMMH, Cucklington. 7pm
<b>Sat 11th Feb</b>	"Top Gun: Maverick," Village Hall, Bayford. 6.30pm
<b>Mon 13th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, St John's, Charlton Musgrove. 10am
<b>Wed 15th Feb</b>	Lunch Club, Village Hall, Bayford. 12.15
<b>Fri 17th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, Village Hall, Charlton Musgrove. 10.30am
<b>Sat 18th Feb</b>	French Night, Village Hall, Bayford. 7pm
<b>Mon 20th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, St John's, Charlton Musgrove. 10am
<b>Tues 21st Feb</b>	Pancake Party, Kitchen at Kimbers. 5pm
<b>Fri 24th Feb</b>	Walking Group, Village Hall, Charlton Musgrove. 10am
<b>Sat 25th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, Village Hall, Cucklington 10am
<b>Mon 27th Feb</b>	Coffee Morning, St John's, Charlton Musgrove. 10am

<b>February 2023</b>						
GARDEN <b>+</b> RECYCLING <b>X</b> HOUSEHOLD <b>o</b>						
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
		1	2	3 <b>X</b>	4	5
6	7 <b>+</b>	8	9	10 <b>Xo</b>	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 <b>X</b>	18	19
20	21 <b>+</b>	22	23	24 <b>X</b>	25	26
27	28					



This collection calendar is correct (according to SSDC) for all of Charlton Musgrove, Bayford, most of Stoke Trister (BA9 9PJ, BA9 9PQ) and part of Cucklington (BA9 9QH, BA9 9QJ, BA9 9QY, BA9 9PW, BA9 9PU, BA9 9QN)

For other postcodes in Stoke Trister and Cucklington the recycling and garden waste is the same but refuse is 3rd and 24th Feb.