

# VILLAGE NEWS

FOR  
CHARLTON MUSGROVE, CUCKLINGTON  
AND STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD



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## FROM THE RECTORY

Those of you who look at the Calendar of Church services will notice something different this month: on October 27<sup>th</sup> at 9.30am in St Stephens, our benefice (for which I am still hoping to get some more suggestions for names..... get thinking!) and the Parish of Penselwood are combining to start a service for all ages, *Growing Together*. It will be suitable for adults because the prayers and their order will be familiar from our other services and, although there won't be a sermon, there will be a (non embarrassing, I promise) adult learning slot. It will be suitable for children because the prayers we use will be simple and the order straightforward. There will be activities for pre-school, infant and primary children (and teenagers, if they come) and we will have a mixture of lively hymns and action songs. It will last 45 minutes maximum and will be followed by refreshments. I very much hope that the children will take part in reading, announcing hymns, taking collection, blowing out the candles, doing a music or even a drama slot. I want them to let us know what hymns and songs they sing at school and enjoy so we can include them as well as helping them to learn our favourites.

Somerset is the cradle of the Christian faith in Britain and we certainly don't want to be the generation that fails to hand it on to our children so please help us to make these services a place where old and young can celebrate and learn together.

JO

## BATH AND WELLS

### **The Rainbow People of God**

I'm just back from an evening at the Olympic Park for the Paralympics. We had tickets for the stadium with a view right over the finishing line. It was even more impressive than I had imagined it would be, and the atmosphere in the packed arena was electric.

We didn't see any Team GB medals, but somehow that didn't seem to matter. I was just as content humming along to the Chinese and Australian national anthems. Just to witness these athletes believing in their potential and living it out made everyone a winner in some sense. You can but hope that these past ten days will change our perceptions and attitudes to disability for the better.

However, as many people of disability are reminding us, as the curtain falls on these games, the effects of government changes to the Disability Living Allowance is likely to cause real hardship to many. Will those of us who have been inspired by what we have seen raise our voices to ensure that this will not be the case?

As we travelled to London on Friday we tuned in to my favourite broadcaster, Chris Evans, and I was glad to hear Canon Ann Easter's *Pause for Thought*. She had been Area Dean of Hackney when the announcement was made that the games would be in London. She had been a little sceptical of their lasting value – not now. Yes, there will be a great park; yes, there will be some wonderful sporting venues, she said, but much more will be the deeper sense of community that has emerged over these days. The challenge is to ensure that the spirit of community continues.

In church and society we have witnessed too much of the 'I' and 'me' culture in recent years. The Kingdom of God is about 'we' and 'us' – a community to which ALL are invited. May the Olympic and Paralympic legacy inspire us all the more to enjoy being the 'rainbow people of God' where difference and diversity are celebrated unashamedly. **+Peter Taunton**

***When you've met one disabled person, you've met one disabled person...*** The latest edition of Manna, our magazine from the Diocese of Bath & Wells, is available now from churches throughout the West Country.

The autumn issue is the Disability Issue. It is packed with personal accounts of what life's like for disabled people, particularly those with 'invisible' impairments like autism. And also what it's like for carers who tirelessly support loved ones, day in, day out.

Manna's aim is to encourage you to think about how to support changes to help disabled people participate fully in church and community life. The magazine shows this may mean going further than the practicalities of installing ramps or hearing loops.

Gillian Buzzard, Editor of Manna, said: "One thing I've certainly learnt, to paraphrase an article I read whilst researching the issue, is, 'When you've met one disabled person, you've met *one* disabled person.' Disabled people are individuals with their own hopes, fears and aspirations just like everyone else. We hope we've managed to get this across in this edition."

Above all, Manna hopes to help you lay aside fears about getting to know disabled people in your communities and not let worries over 'political correctness' stop you from making those approaches. We must do all we can not to offend and ensure we treat disabled people with dignity. But, while it's good to get the words right, tying ourselves in knots with language means we miss more fundamental matters. It really is our actions that count.

And as ever, if you like what you read in Manna, please do pass it on and share with others in your community.

# PARISH CHURCH NEWS

## ST ANDREW'S STOKE TRISTER AND BAYFORD CHAPEL

Alan Lyall Grant 01963 34178

Church Wardens

Nigel Noble 01963 31071



**HARVEST FESTIVAL**  
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September  
6.30 pm

**HARVEST AUCTION**  
Our traditional auction  
of produce will be held  
on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> October  
at 7 pm at Bayford  
Chapel followed by  
supper.



### GROWING FAITH

It was good to see lots of children and mums and dads at the Growing Faith service in Bayford Chapel last month.

**Many thanks** to Diana Noble and Rita Hoddinott for arranging the beautiful flowers for Pady's funeral and memorial services.

## ST STEPHEN'S AND ST JOHN'S, CHARLTON MUSGROVE



Church Wardens: Veronica White 01963 32928 and Jonathan Hand 01963 828930

**FUN DOG SHOW: Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2012**

**At the Memorial Hall Charlton Musgrove**

Come and enjoy the last day of British Summer Time at our dog show. Classes for all to enjoy and finishing with a parade of class winners. Homemade refreshments will be available and there will be one or two stalls to browse.

Full details on Page 6

## ST LAWRENCE'S CUCKLINGTON

Karen Dunford 01963 34220- Church Wardens - Brian Trueman 01747 841014



**Harvest Festival:** A very successful and enjoyable day, which raised the sum of £565.20 for Church funds. There are so many to thank that I can only pick out a few – Jan and the ladies for the splendid decorations in the Church, Julia and Karen for organising the lunch, Pip for cooking the salmon, John for producing his cheese and ham – and all those who cooked, washed up, cleared up and provided produce..... Brian

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### FUN DOG SHOW

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2012

at

Memorial Hall, Charlton Musgrove

Judging 1.00pm  
Entry fee £1 per class

Entries from 12.00 noon  
Rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> place

1. Pedigree puppy (6-12months)\*
2. Crossbreed puppy (6-12 months)
3. Pedigree adult (over 12 months)\*
4. Crossbreed adult (over 12 months)
5. Veteran (7 years and over)
6. Child handler (12 years and under)
7. Most handsome dog
8. Prettiest bitch
9. Best condition
10. Best 6 legs
11. Most appealing eyes
12. Waggiest tail

Parade of class winners

\*Pedigree= breeds recognised by the Kennel Club

**Bicycle Gymkhana for all ages**  
**Arthur Morrison Memorial Hall on the 20<sup>th</sup> of October**  
**11 am start followed by Barbeque lunch.**  
**In aid of St Lawrence's Church**

**Pip Loxton 0797 000 9142**

**R A C E N I G H T**  
**AT THE ARTHUR MORISON MEMORIAL HALL**  
**ON SATURDAY, 17<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**  
**GATES OPEN 18.30 hrs 1<sup>ST</sup> RACE 19.00 hrs**

Tony Watson 01963 32141

## **CHARLTON MUSGROVE**

**Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> October at 10.30 am in the Village Hall - real coffee and homemade cakes and a warm welcome!**

### **Village Hall 100 Club.**

Winners for September: no 29 Janet Humphries; no 100 Janet and Tony Cole.

**Charlton Musgrove Flower Show** on 8<sup>th</sup> September provided a surprising number of good-looking vegetables and flowers after such a disappointing growing season. The White family distinguished themselves, with Barry winning the Vegetable Cup and the Rod Thatcher Cup for the heaviest onion, and Veronica the kitchen section of the Home Industries Shield, while Diane Coe won the Craft Section. The Children Shield was won by Jess and Abbie Butt, and Carina Hand's outfit for the Jubilee Regatta won the fancy dress prize. Congratulations to them all!

Next year, when we have a great gardening summer, we shall hope for twice as many entries.

**Beginners Short Mat Bowls at Charlton Musgrove Village Hall**  
**Every other Tuesday- 2pm to 5pm**  
**October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**Come along for fun matches - Cost - £2 per session**  
**Tea & Coffee will be served**  
**Please bring along smooth soled shoes to wear for the sake of the mats.**  
**Brian & Stella Wheeler - 01963 34331 : Robert & Jackie Parker - 01963 34474**

**Charlton Musgrove Mother and Toddler Group:** The Group meet weekly at the Village Hall on Wednesdays 9.30 – 11.30 am during term times – Contribution towards expenses: £1 per child. Please come along and join in the fun. Contact Hannah Williamson on 01963 33554.

### VILLAGE 'SAFETY NET'

Remember to phone 01963 31634 for help in Charlton Musgrove if you need to call on the "safety net" which is in place. **Diane Coe**

**Future date: QUIZ NIGHT** in Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November**, starting at 7.30. Teams of four - either come as a team, or join up there. Light refreshments will be provided. All proceeds to churches funds; tickets £7.50 at the door.

## CUCKLINGTON



### Cucklington Art Group

reconvenes on **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October** in the Arthur Morison Memorial Hall at 9.30am and working until 12.30pm. This friendly and supportive group welcomes all artists of any ability working in any medium.

Further details from Lachlan Fraser (01747 840018).

**100 Club Results: July:** Mr D Primmer, Mr B Jackson **August:** Mrs S Jordan, Mrs J Dixon **September:** Mr I Reed, Mrs A Grellier

**The Diamond Jubilee Commemorative Photobook** is available for collection by those who pre-ordered it from Lachlan Fraser (01747 840018). The price including postage is £28.00 for hardcover and £20.00 for softcover.

## COFFEE MORNING

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10.30 am at the Arthur Morison Hall

ALL WELCOME

### Arthur Morison Memorial Hall (Cucklington and Stoke Trister with Bayford)

Management Committee members include:

Eldryd Parsons (Chairman)

Jenny Rawlings (Booking Secretary)

Pip Loxton (Social Secretary)

Jackie Crisp (Treasurer)

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*Hall bookings should be made through Jenny Rawlings who also holds the keys.*

### **TABLE TENNIS EVERY TUESDAY**

AT THE ARTHUR MORISON HALL AT 7.30pm All welcome



# STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD

## PETER ALAN DORSETT YATEMAN (PADY)

Eileen Yateman, and her four children Anthony, Elizabeth, Angela and Robert would like to thank everyone in the parish for their support and kind letters following Pady's death on 15th August. The service of thanksgiving was a very well attended event and everything ran smoothly thanks to the efforts of Jo, the church wardens, the bell ringers, the organist, the flower arrangers, the church cleaners and we're sure many other helpers/ (Please forgive us if we have inadvertently missed someone out.) Three eulogies were given at the service covering Pady's family life, his farming career and his earlier military service. Many of the stories reflected Pady's keen sense of humour but perhaps it was Pady's distinguished war record which people knew least about. The family was delighted that so many members of The Royal British Legion and The Normandy Veterans Association managed to attend the service. All in all the whole event was a fitting final salute to a remarkable man.

## The Inaugural Farmageddon Charity Ball

Aly Diggle-Perry and her hard-working committee organised a great evening on 15<sup>th</sup> September at Farmageddon. The purpose of the ball and the auction was to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Care, Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance and Wincanton Community Hospital and the splendid sum of over £5000 was raised. A good time was had by all and congratulations to the many helpers and supporters from our villages and beyond who helped to make this such a great success and an evening to remember.

**BAYFORD COFFEE MORNING: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October 10.30 am – 12 noon at Bayford Chapel.** All welcome! And well done to the ladies who are battling away knitting squares for a very special and imaginative tree for the Christmas Tree Festival!

**David Primmer** is home again after a spell in hospital. We send him our best wishes for his continued recovery.

**Mike Dixon** would like to say thanks for all the good wishes received during his time in hospital – all very much appreciated. He is very glad to be back in Stoke Trister! Alison

We all send our love to Mike Dixon, who is now home recovering from his operation. Hurry and get better, we need you to ring the bells, and do the readings at St Andrew's!  
Maggie

**Vale Centre, Stoke Trister** : Qigong, (pronounced Chi Gung) is an ancient Chinese system of exercise that will help you combat stress, prevent disease, promote fitness and relaxation and live more fully in the present moment. The movements are slow and gentle, so you can begin at any age and at any level of fitness.

Wednesday evenings from 7.30 - 9.00pm

Free taster session - November 7th

5 week course starts November 14th - £35

Contact Terry 07506560016/thw23@btinternet.com or Vale Centre 01963 33360

Vale Centre autumn programme: [www.valecentre.co.uk](http://www.valecentre.co.uk) or [info@valecentre.co.uk](mailto:info@valecentre.co.uk)

# COUNCIL NEWS

## CUCKLINGTON PARISH MEETING

There will be a Parish Meeting on Friday 19 October at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall.

### Agenda

1. Introduction
2. Previous meeting minutes and matters arising
3. Parish account
4. Defibrillator
5. Maintenance of "common" areas
6. Parish Plan
7. Planning Proposals
8. Proposed wind turbine
9. Footpaths and dog walking
10. Any other business

All are welcome but only residents on the electoral register are eligible to vote.

### Cucklington Emergency Plan

The Parish is in the process of updating the Emergency Plan for Cucklington. This is designed to prepare a plan of action in the case of an emergency arising either locally or in the region. A key part of this is a collation of details of people willing to be available to assist in an emergency situation and the tools and resources they can make available or use.

A questionnaire is included in the magazine for the residents of Cucklington. It would be appreciated if you could complete this and return it to either Gordon Czapiewski or John Crocker.

## STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD PARISH COUNCIL

### DEFIBRILLATOR

The Parish Council received two comments on the defibrillator and both were against. Therefore this item will no longer appear on the agenda. If anyone feels strongly about it and is prepared to implement it, perhaps they would get in touch with me.

Eldryd Parsons (Chairman)

***Rubbish dumping:*** *If you see anyone dumping rubbish at the A303 end of Beech Lane or beside the flyover between Stoke Trister and Bayford, or anywhere else in our villages, please take the vehicle number **if safe to do so**, and let either a member of the Parish Council or your community policeman, Tim Russell, know (see directory p2).*

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# CHURCH SERVICES

## SEPTEMBER

<b>30 September</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion (CW)	CMSJ
	6.30 pm	<b>HARVEST FESTIVAL</b>	ST

## OCTOBER

<b>7<sup>th</sup> October Sunday</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion (trad)	ST
	11.00 am	Holy Communion (modern)	CMSJ
	6.30 pm	Evensong BCP	C
<b>14<sup>th</sup> October Sunday</b>	8.00 am	Holy Communion (trad)	CMSS
	9.30 am	Growing Faith	C
	11.00 am	Morning Praise	ST
<b>21<sup>st</sup> October Sunday</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion (modern)	B
	11.00 am	Holy Communion (modern)	CMSS
	6.30 pm	Evensong BCP	C
<b>28<sup>th</sup> October Sunday</b>	9.30 am	<b>Growing Together</b>	<b>CMSS</b>
	11.00 am	Holy Communion	C
	6.30 pm	Evensong	ST

CMSJ – S.John’s, Charlton Musgrove

CMSS – St Stephen’s Charlton Musgrove

C – St Lawrence, Cucklington,

ST – St Andrew’s Stoke Trister,

B – Bayford Chapel

### NEWSLETTER DONATIONS VERY WELCOME

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# VILLAGE EVENTS AND DIARY DATES

<b>OCTOBER</b>		<b>Details see page</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Mon	<b>Stoke Trister with Bayford Harvest Auction and Ploughman's Supper</b> 7 pm Bayford Chapel	<b>5</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues	<b>Table tennis</b> Arthur Morison Hall 7.30 pm weekly	-
2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues	<b>Short Mat Bowling</b> Ch Musgrove Memorial Hall 2.00-5.00 pm & <b>every other Tuesday</b>	<b>7</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Weds	<b>Mother and Toddler Group</b> Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall 9.30 am – 11.30 am <b>weekly during term time</b>	<b>8</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs	<b>Bayford Coffee Morning</b> , 10.30am – 12.00noon Bayford Chapel	<b>9</b>
9 <sup>th</sup> Tues weekly	Cucklington <b>Art Group</b> 9.30am – 12.30pm Arthur Morison Hall, Cucklington	<b>8</b>
12 <sup>th</sup> Friday	<b>Copy deadline</b> for November Village News	<b>12</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> Friday	<b>Coffee Morning Charlton Musgrove</b> Mem Hall 10.30 am	<b>7</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> Friday	<b>Cucklington Parish Meeting</b> Arthur Morison Hall 7.30 pm	<b>10</b>
20 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	<b>Bicycle Gymkhana</b> , Arthur Morison Hall at 11 am followed by barbecue lunch	<b>7</b>
27 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	<b>Fun Dog Show</b> at Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall	<b>6</b>
For October events arranged by St Margaret's Hospice please visit their website <a href="http://www.st-margarets-hospice.org.uk">www.st-margarets-hospice.org.uk</a>		

## NEW NOVEMBER EVENTS

3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday	<b>Coffee Morning</b> Arthur Morison Memorial Hall 10.30 am	<b>8</b>
9 <sup>th</sup> Friday	<b>Quiz Night</b> Ch Musgrove Memorial Hall 7.30 pm	<b>8</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> Monday	<b>Race Night</b> Arthur Morison Memorial Hall 6.30 pm	<b>7</b>
24 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	<b>HFT (Home Farm Trust) Annual Christmas Fair</b>	-

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