



Parish Magazine

October 2025



Pickings from the Garden - Season of Mists and Mellow Fruitfulness

Photo by Roger Stockton

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Bishopstone Village Website

www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk

The village website carries a wealth of information about Bishopstone. There are pages devoted to the church, the Parish Council, what's on at the Village Hall, meetings, clubs, local organisations and village walks. There are even digital copies of this magazine.

If you want to have any information included on the website please contact either

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A warm welcome to Bishopstone and Stratford Tony...

Please let us know if you know of anyone who moves into Bishopstone or Stratford Tony - or indeed if you yourself have recently moved in, please do introduce yourselves! - so that we can offer them/you a welcome in STaB.



Hello from the Revd Ruth Howlett Shipley



‘Come ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home’

This is a time of thanksgiving as we gather together to thank God for the harvest, and we have so much to be thankful for! We live in an amazing valley and, despite the climatic challenges that this year has brought, we celebrate the harvest of our fields and our farms and all those who bring food to our tables and meet our physical needs.

As we give thanks for the farmers, we also thank God too for the harvest of our community, our common life together. We give thanks to all those volunteers who work so hard, often behind the scenes, to keep our villages running; whether by supporting the vulnerable in our communities or the army of church cleaners, flower ladies and so many others who maintain our churches.

In the church’s year we are in the season of creationtide, when we not only give thanks for God’s creation, but also reflect on our stewardship of that creation. The Bible makes it clear that *‘the earth is the Lord’s and everything in it’*, and that humankind have been placed in the garden not to own it but to tend it; to serve and keep rather than to dominate and exploit. And yet we are surrounded by evidence of how we have failed to care for and nurture God’s wonderful creation and have mismanaged our world.

The ecological crisis we face is real, but we have a choice as to how we respond. We could shrug our shoulders and conclude that it is all too difficult... or we can re-think how we relate to the world and to one another. Our choices matter! We are not just spectators but can be active participants in the future of our world. We are called to take stock of all that has been entrusted to us and use those gifts in ways that care for creation. We need to be wise and faithful stewards of our wonderful world. We need to live as if the earth is not our possession, but our inheritance, and our gift to those who follow.

Friends of Bishopstone Church



We are very pleased to have a new Roof Appeal logo, designed by Emily Broomhead, the Chalke Valley Churches Team Administrator.

This summer saw a very successful Nearly New Sale in the Village Hall, where we raised over £500 in less than two hours of selling some really good quality clothing.

The instigator of the event is a kind supporter, who lives in Salisbury but has friends in Bishopstone! It has been suggested that we repeat this event next year. Coffee, tea and cakes were popular too.

The exhibition of **Christening Gowns** and other items relating to christenings will be held in the Village Hall over the weekend of **27/28th September**. It promises to be an amazing collection of many things relating to christenings.

On **Friday 10th October** Roger Stockton will be giving his talk on Northern Ireland, which will be most interesting. See poster in STaB.

Toby Mills will be giving a talk on Introduction to Rocket Science on **Friday 7th November**. Coming shortly after Guy Fawkes Night, it's anyone's guess what might happen.

A new version of the Church Guide has been produced during the summer, which we hope to sell. We are immensely grateful to the Parish Council for covering the cost of this production. Thank you. See Mike Ash's article in STaB.

Next year we have a full programme of fund-raising events which will be covered in future editions.

Anne Stutchbury

Chairman, Friends of Bishopstone Church annewheelwright@gmail.com

Committee: Margaret Barter, Norman Barter, Richard Brett, George Brutton, Tony Clarke, Jilly Ford, Sarah Seal, Alan Stutchbury

The Friends of Bishopstone Church

If you would like to help the Friends of Bishopstone Church with their work of preserving the fabric of this beautiful building, please contact the Treasurer Norman Barter (01722 780471).

Bishopstone Church Roof Repairs

HERITAGE LOTTERY FUND BID FOR THE REPAIR TO THE ROOF OF THE NORTH TRANSEPT OF OUR CHURCH

Sorry that there was no report in the August/September issue but we were too busy to report!!

We are glad to confirm that the bid to the National Lottery Heritage Fund (NLHF) is nearly complete. Our own input clarifying what needs to be done to the church, how we will do it and the mass of essential documentation that the NLHF require, such as the Business Plan, is compiled.

A local volunteer has carried out a full ecological and botanical survey of the churchyard, discovering a great range of plant and insect material.

In August our tender documentation was released to the five construction companies who had registered interest in the project to repair the roof of the North Transept. Their responses were received in early September and, as we write this report, are being assessed by the bid team. It is hoped that by the time STAB's October issue is released the decision on who has been selected to do the work, based on the completeness of their response and a competitive price, will have been made.

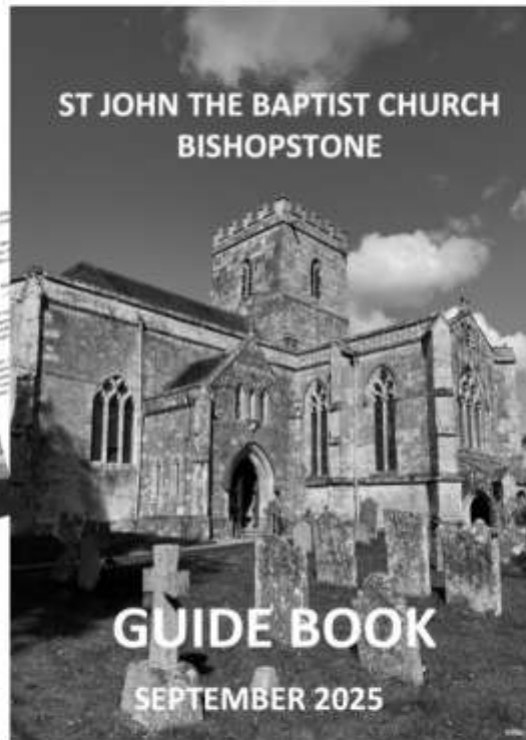
This will complete the final piece of the bid jigsaw, enabling us to submit our full case for funding to the NLHF (London and South) office.

With these current timings it is anticipated that we should hear the result from NLHF in January 2026.

Roger and Toby



A new guide to the history, fabric and contents of Bishopstone church has been produced to be sold in aid of the Roof Restoration Fund.



BUY THE NEW CHURCH GUIDE

Based on the existing Guide in our church, this revised and updated Guide Book, with new text and pictures, is in a more accessible A5 format (the same size as this STaB). This book takes you on a trip around the church, dealing with everything of note in each area in turn.

We in Bishopstone are lucky to have a particularly beautiful and historically interesting parish church. Buy the Guide for your own reference, for the information of visitors and as a donation to the restoration fund.

To get your copy please contact:

Anne Stutchbury (annewheelwright@gmail.com) or
Sarah Seal (theseal1@outlook.com)



The Chalke Valley Churches invite you to one of the

Services for All Souls

30th October 6pm St Michael &
All Angels, Coombe Bissett or

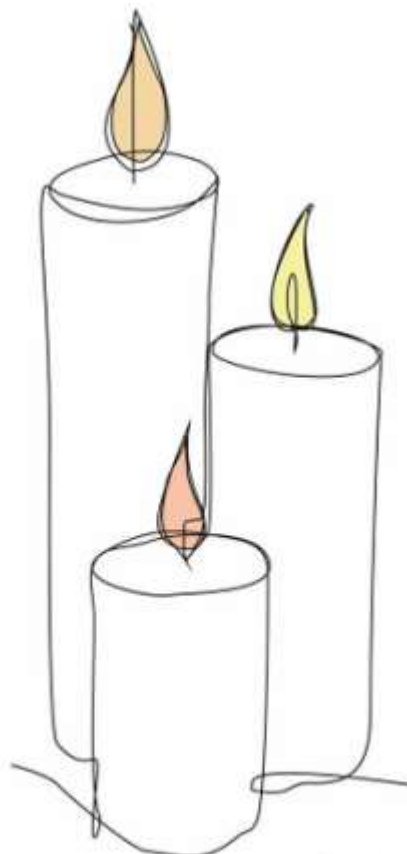
31st October 6pm Holy Trinity,
Bowerchalke or

2nd November

9.30am St John the Baptist,
Berwick St John or

6pm St John the Baptist,
Bishopstone

These will be short services of words and music to remember and give thanks for the lives of family members and friends who are no longer with us



Church Cards for Sale



Look out at future events and services for some new cards being sold in aid of the Bishopstone Church Roof Appeal. These have been designed and professionally printed using a lovely photo of the village church, taken by Roger Stockton.

At A6 size (A5 folded) these are the perfect size for notecards or small greetings cards

All proceeds will go to the church.

Bishopstone Parish Council

The latest meeting of the Parish Council took place on Thursday 11th September 2025. Councillors Thorne, Edwards, Barter, Smith, Rigg, Prior and Pratt were present. Also present were the Clerk and four members of the public.

Consideration was given to a report on the need to make changes to the village website and to the email address of the Clerk. Currently all Parish Council business is carried on the Village Website (www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk). However, national guidance on the Annual Governance and Accountability Return, which all Parish Councils are required to complete at the end of every financial year, has been extended to cover digital and data compliance. Every authority will now be required to have an email account hosted on their own website with a **gov.uk** domain name.

It was acknowledged that the strength of the current arrangement is that all matters related to the village are included on a single website. However, it is now clear that the parish council will have to have its own separate website and for there to be a new email address for the Clerk. *Details are set out elsewhere in this STaB.*

The Council agreed that the area around the Community Orchard in the Recreation Field should be converted into a Wildflower Meadow. Cllr Thorne said that he had discussed with Bright Seeds of Fovant and they had generously offered to provide the necessary seed mix at a discount. Cllrs Edwards and Pratt would oversee implementation and a request for volunteers to help would be made through the WhatsApp Network.

Consideration was given to the maintenance needs of the Children's Play Area and the Village Notice Board. The posts holding the notice board are in need of replacement and it was agreed to undertake this as a priority. Some repairs were also needed to the play equipment, with repainting of the framework of the children's swings. This will be arranged. It was agreed to extend the use of the Recreation Field for football training by Hotspire FC. They will now be holding training sessions for their youth members every Wednesday and Thursday evening.

Approval was given to the award of a grant to cover the printing costs of a new church guide that is to be sold in aid of the church roof restoration appeal (see *advertisement in this STaB*).

Finally, the Council decided to appoint Graham Hill, who lives in Flamstone Street, as Clerk to the Parish Council in succession to Mike Ash. Graham will take up the post on 1st November.

The next meeting of the Council will take place on Thursday 13th November at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The email and website addresses for Bishopstone Parish Council are both changing. Bishopstone Parish Council now has to have its own website (see note of last meeting of the Council in this STaB). This website will be separate from the village website, which will no longer carry parish council matters. There will be links on the home pages of both websites to allow seamless switching from one to the other.

The Parish Council's website address will be:

www.bishopstone-pc.gov.uk

The email address to contact the Clerk will be:

clerk@bishopstone-pc.gov.uk

The new Parish Council website will include information on upcoming meetings, agenda, minutes and other papers, as well as information about the council, future plans and news items. If you wish to have your say about how you would like to see Bishopstone develop in the future this will be the place to do it. There will also be options to set up volunteer groups to look after our village, news on green initiatives within the Chalke Valley and to start with, a competition to design a logo or crest for Bishopstone.

The village website: www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk will continue as before and carry all the more general information about the village and events such as what's on in the village hall and more widely, church matters, electronic copies of STaB etc.

The new Parish Council website should be in operation by the time you read this STaB, but this will be confirmed in an announcement on the village website. The new email address will be used as from 1st November when Graham Hill takes over as Clerk.

Village Hall



October 2025

BISHOPSTONE COMMUNITY CAFÉ

The Village Hall Café opens every other Thursday and is a great place to relax and catch up with others in the community. Upcoming dates are the **9th & 23rd October and the 6th & 20th November**. Opening hours are from **10:30 am to 12:00 noon**. Everyone is warmly invited to stop by for a coffee and a chat. Refreshments are currently offered free of charge.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Saturday 4th October

We're excited to welcome **The Pocket Choral Society** – a talented quartet delivering a unique blend of **A cappella singing and comedy**. Enjoy an entertaining evening of witty, topical songs and light-hearted storytelling.

Tickets: £12.50. Add a delicious Ploughman's supper for just **£7.50 extra** (optional). It promises to be a fun and memorable night!

Saturday 15th November. There will be a very welcome return of the jazz group '**The Sunset Café Stompers**'. Tickets are **£17.50** each with an optional supper available at an additional **£7.50** per person.

Doors and bar open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start for both events. Please book in advance with Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044, or Sue Taylor on 01722 780316, stating any dietary requirements if taking the supper.

MOVIOLA at Bishopstone

Friday 31st October.

The Moviola film for **October** will be "**Mr Burton**".

Mr Burton is a 2025 British biographical drama film about the early life of Welsh actor Richard Burton. With striking performances and poetic storytelling, Mr Burton captures the formative years of a boy destined for greatness. It stars Harry Lawtey as Richard Burton, with Toby Jones as Philip Burton, and Lesley Manville as "Ma Smith".

Doors open from **7.00pm** with the film beginning at **7.30pm**. Entry to the film is **£7.00**. A cash bar with ices and snacks will be available. If possible, please book in advance with Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044 or Sue Taylor on 01722 780316.

A trailer for the film can be seen in the Events section of the village website at www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk.

BISHOPSTONE COMMUNITY LUNCHES

The first lunch of the season will be on **Wednesday, 1st October**, when the speaker will be Olivia Chapple, talking about her year as High Sheriff of Wiltshire.

The **November** lunch will be on **Wednesday, the 5th**. The speaker will be Mike Ash, with a talk entitled "Stop Press - Bishopstone in print".

Times as usual: **12.00 noon for 12.30 pm**. Advance booking is essential. Please telephone Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044 and advise her of any dietary requirements. The cost is **£8.50** for a two-course lunch and a drink.

BOOKINGS FOR SOCIAL EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

Both halls are available for hire. To enquire or make a booking, please contact the bookings secretary, Margaret Barter (01722) 780471

BISHOPSTONE PLAYGROUP

The playgroup meets on Fridays during term time from 9.30 – 11.00 am.

Breastfeeding support is available from qualified breastfeeding counsellor Cally Edwards and trained peer supporters. Find further information on our Facebook page, *Bishopstone Playgroup* or contact Cally on: callyedwards@me.com or 07968 797 168.

"EXTEND" EXERCISE CLASSES

For further information about these exercise classes, contact Jenny on 01722 780863, email: jennyberwynjones@yahoo.co.uk

PILATES AT BISHOPSTONE

For further information, contact Claudine on 07788 587937 or email: claudineblake@aol.com

YOGA WITH HANNAH

For more details, please contact Hannah Stocker at 0773 856 1888 or by email: yoga_with_hannah@outlook.com.

VILLAGE CRAFT GROUP

The Village Craft Group meets on the first Tuesday of the month from 7 – 9pm. Any crafters are welcome. For further details, please contact Sue Porter on 01722 780459 or Jacqueline James on 01722 335866.

ART GROUP

An Art Group led by Russell Bignold meets every Thursday morning between 9.45am and 11.45am. Drawing, painting and sculpture (clay) are taught, covering all genres. Cost £20 per session, tea and biscuits provided.

Contact Russell at russellbignold@btinternet. Website www.russellbignoldartist.com.

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Tickets £12.50 Ploughman's Supper £7.50

Caroline 01722 781044 Sue 01722 780316 or email bvhticketoffice@btinternet.com

Friends of Bishopstone Church

IN AID OF BISHOPSTONE CHURCH ROOF APPEAL

OP BANNER

THE TROUBLES IN NORTHERN IRELAND 1969 - 2007



A PERSONAL VIEWPOINT BY ROGER STOCKTON

BISHOPSTONE VILLAGE HALL
FRIDAY 10 OCTOBER 2025
7.00PM FOR 7.30PM

OP BANNER, the British Army's counter-terrorism operation in Northern Ireland lasted for 38 years. It was the longest single campaign that the British Army has ever been involved in, and it took place in part of the United Kingdom.

Roger spent 5 years on operational service in Northern Ireland and will offer personal views on how the campaign developed, how it was played out and underlying ramifications that still affect our politics today.

TICKETS £12.50 each - INCLUDES FIRST DRINK AND SNACKS

CONTACTS FOR TICKETS

Sarah Seal - theseal1@outlook.com

Anne Stutchbury - annewheelwright@gmail.com

BISHOPSTONE VILLAGE HALL

SP5 4AA

WELCOMES BACK THE RENOWNED



**FOR AN EVENING OF NEW
ORLEANS JAZZ**

Saturday 15th November at 7.30pm

Doors and bar open at 7.00pm

Tickets : £17.50 Supper option : £7.50

Book online at

bvhticketoffice@btinternet.com

Or call 01722 781044 / 780316

Bishopstone Village Hall rates for private hire

Bishopstone Village Hall has 2 rooms that are available for hire for a wide range of functions. The larger room is ideal for children's parties with lots of space for running around. It can also accommodate wedding receptions, charity functions and large family celebrations.

The smaller room (The Memorial Room) is a good size for meetings and smaller gatherings.

The modern kitchen is spacious and fully equipped with an electric catering range, a professional 4 minute dishwasher, water boiler, hot cupboard, microwave oven, 2 fridges and a freezer, all suitable for professional caterers. There is also glassware, crockery and cutlery for over 80 people.

The hire charges include use of heating and electricity.

The rates are currently:

	Villagers	Non Villagers
Hire of both rooms (With full use of the kitchen)	£15 per hour	£20 per hour
Hire of both rooms (With tea making facilities but no other electrical kitchen equipment)	£10 per hour	£15 per hour
Full use of the kitchen <u>only</u>	£10 per hour	£15 per hour
Weddings – per event/day	£150	£250
Parties – per event/day	£100	£150

Broadband

An additional charge is made for use of the broadband connection of £6 per hour with a maximum of £25 per day.

Large projection screen

Use of this professional quality screen is charged at an additional £10 per event.

The hire period must include time to set up and clear away after the event.

For further information and bookings contact: Margaret Barter 01722 780471

Chalke Valley Community Support

POLICE

Call 999 in an emergency: an emergency is when someone is being threatened or at risk of getting injured, or a crime is in progress.

Call 101 for non-emergencies: such as reporting a crime that has already taken place, non-urgent incident, contacting local officers etc

To contact your Community Policing Team about a community-related matter, such as a school visit, then please email SalisburyAreaCPT@wiltshire.police.uk

Please note that this mailbox is not monitored 24/7.

You are unable to report crimes of any type via email and please do not report any situations that require an urgent response.

You can follow us on:

Facebook - www.facebook.com/salisburypolice

Twitter - www.twitter.com/SouthWiltsCPT

Community Messaging: Sign up to Community Messaging for news and updates from your local policing team: www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk

Sixpenny Handley and Chalke Valley Practice

Doves Meadow Surgery, Broad Chalke: 01722 780282

Broadchalke Surgery is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays

Sixpenny Handley Surgery: 01725 552500

www.sixpennydocs.co.uk



MOBILE LIBRARY

The Mobile Library will be calling at The Styles in Bishopstone between 1115-1135 on the following Thursdays:

23 Oct, 20 Nov, 18 Dec, 15 Jan, 12 Feb, 12 Mar



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e: info@chalkevalleystores.co.uk Tel: 01722 780998

OPENING HOURS

Shop: Weekdays 9am - 5pm (until 4pm on Saturdays)

Post Office: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9:30am- 1:30pm



THE CHALKE VALLEY LINK SCHEME

**exists to provide transport and other good neighbour support
in a local, personal and friendly way to members of
the Chalke Valley community who need it.**

If you live between Bishopstone and Bodenham, and need help getting to your medical appointment, local shopping or visiting family members in hospital, **please phone the Joint Co-ordinators on 01722 718780 (Roger Brown, Jenny Monds or Debby Underhill) who will be on duty in rotation.**

There is no charge but you are invited to make a donation towards our administrative costs. All our co-ordinators and drivers are volunteers, and there may occasions when you will be asked to leave a message, which will be answered. Please give us as much notice as possible to find an available driver.

We are always looking for Volunteer Drivers to enable us to continue to provide a useful service for the community. If you feel you can help – you won't be committed to any particular date or time, only when you are free – please contact any of the above for further information.

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Staying in Touch

STaB magazine is a vital source of communication in the village, keeping everyone informed as to what is happening locally. However, the Covid-19 pandemic has highlighted the fact that situations can change very rapidly. To keep up to date with what is going on there are two other important sources of information in Bishopstone - the village website and our own WhatsApp network.

The village website – www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk is updated in real time and carries all the latest news on issues that affect the village.



The Bishopstone Network is a WhatsApp messaging service that has more than proved its worth during the pandemic, and more recently during the storms when residents were able to report fallen trees and blocked roads to the Emergency Planning Officer. Information can be instantly shared to your mobile phone about support services being provided in the village and on a variety of other matters – everything from the length of electricity black-outs to what is available from the White Hart take-away service! You will need to download the App to your phone and then contact Piers Edwards (piersgedwards@gmail.com or 07920 475009) or Kate Pendlenton (kmpendlenton@hotmail.com or 07769202200) and ask to be added to the group.



Upcoming Events

**Lunch Set Menu
2 x Courses £20
Available Tue, Wed & Thur Lunch**

**Every Tuesday Night
Steak Night**

**Every Friday Night
Fish & Fizz**

**Quiz Night last Thursday of the Month
Free Entry
Win a £30 Meal Voucher**

**While the Sun is shining come and enjoy our large
garden**

Open all day Friday, Saturday & Sunday

Book Now

01722 780244

Salisbury Foodbank

The total for August was 4.8kg and for September 7.1kg. Thank you all very much.

Schools are back but the days are getting cooler. Heating will soon need to be used, putting more strain on households already struggling to make ends meet. Please help all you can by making sure that the Foodbank has enough food to hand out.

Please give generously. Anything is welcome, as long as it is in date.

Tinned, bottled or dried... Meats, fish, vegetables, pulses, fruit and puddings

Cereals

Toilet rolls and personal hygiene items, particularly razors and toothbrushes

Long life milk and fruit juices

Tea and coffee

Bottled and tinned drinks are also welcome, for a change

Also treats like cakes, chocolates, sweets and biscuits.

Thank you all once again for your support.

Judy Barrett



Letter to the Editor

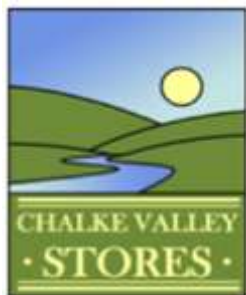
Dear Editor,

VANDALISM AND RUDENESS

The recent spate of bad manners and vandalism over the summer months is a bad spot on the village. It is not how friendly neighbours behave. Why are the young out so late at night, hanging around? What are the parents doing?

Please help us all to end this nuisance and revert to the happy, friendly, smiling village we all love and cherish. Thanks to those trying to stop this behaviour.

Yours etc, James Thompson



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Coffee Shop: Weekdays 10am - 3.30pm (until Midday 12pm on Saturdays)

Post Office: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am to 1pm

Home deliveries: If you need a delivery, please call the Shop on **01722 780998**.

As the leaves turn and Autumn settles in, we're embracing the season with gratitude and a touch of excitement. September was a whirlwind of activity, and we couldn't have done it without our incredible volunteers—thank you for keeping the shop and the café buzzing with warmth and energy!

🍂 **Autumn specials** - This month, we're featuring locally sourced autumn produce, including crisp apples, hearty squashes, and Wiltshire / Dorset-made treats that pair perfectly with a cozy evening in. Keep an eye out for our "*Taste of the Valley*" shelf—curated by our volunteers to showcase the best of our region.

☕ **Café corner** - Our café continues to be a hub for making connections. Whether you're popping in for a quick cuppa or staying for a chat, we love seeing familiar faces and welcoming new ones. Don't forget: our seasonal spiced Dorset apple cake is back by popular demand!

👥 **Team spotlight** - A huge shout out to Kate, Dawn, Nicky and Jay for their tireless efforts at front of house and behind the scenes. From managing the rota to keeping our shelves stocked, your dedication is the heartbeat of our shop and café.

💬 **From the mailbox** - We've had some lovely feedback from customers lately. One wrote: "*The shop feels like the soul of the village—thank you for keeping it alive.*" That's all down to you, our volunteers and supporters.

🗣️ **A message from our manager, Tony Patel**

"As we move into another season, I just want to say how proud I am of what we've built together. Chalke Valley Stores isn't just a place to pick up groceries—it's a place where friendships grow, ideas are shared, and everyone feels welcome. Whether you volunteer once a week or simply pop in for a chat, you're part of something special. Thank you for making this shop a true reflection of our community spirit."

NB There is a Trussell Trust Collection Point in the Hub for any donations of foodstuffs you may wish to make. Your generosity will help those most in need.

Chalke Valley Link Scheme (East)

Rural living can be difficult. If you can no longer drive or don't have your own transport, even simple needs can be a challenge. There are buses, yes, but not always at the right time or going to quite the right place. A doctor's appointment at Sixpenny Handley, a dental appointment at Odstock; a flu jab in Salisbury. All can be difficult to attend.

The Link scheme is there for just such events. Our wonderful network of volunteer drivers will take local residents on journeys such as these. There is no charge, but donations towards the scheme's costs are welcomed. To use the scheme, phone 01722 718780.

To continue to help our community, we need drivers and some 'backroom' assistance.

Do you have the odd hour to spare, and if so, would you consider joining our band of volunteer drivers? The amount of driving can be as much or as little as you wish. You can say 'no' to any request that is inconvenient. We are grateful for whatever anyone can do, and the clients are always so grateful to have a lift. A mileage allowance is available (currently 45p per mile). One short journey might not take long and may seem a simple thing but means so much to someone who can't otherwise get out of the house.

Would you consider becoming a Link Co-Ordinator? There are currently three Co-Ordinators, although four would be helpful. Co-Ordinators hold the phone on a rota basis, take calls from those who would like lifts, contact drivers to see who can help, then tell the client who will be helping them. There is no need to sit by the phone; messages can be left and checked at intervals to fit in with your day. Co-Ordinators can also be drivers, but don't need to be. A dedicated mobile phone is provided.

Drivers and Co-Ordinators derive a lot of satisfaction from helping in the community and enabling those without transport to get to important appointments. It's a wonderful scheme. Will you join us? For further details or to express interest, please contact Debby Underhill by phoning 01722 329769.

Jenny Monds, Chalke Valley Link Scheme Co-Ordinator



Clerk to the Parish Council - A Personal Note

At the meeting on 11th September the Parish Council appointed Graham Hill to take over from me as Clerk to the Council. I have been Clerk for more than 15 years and it is high time someone else had a go! It is particularly good news that this “someone” is a resident of the village.

It has been a privilege to be your Council’s Clerk - helping to deal with the concerns of residents about everything from potholes to planning applications, as well as representing our community in the many meetings with Wiltshire Council and other bodies. Recurrent issues have been speeding and flooding. On speeding it is great that, after numerous submissions to Wiltshire Council, agreement has been secured for the speed limit to be reduced on the main road through the village and for junction improvements to be made at Portfield Road.

Given the summer we have had it is difficult to remember the frequent flooding incidents, particularly in the winter of 2014. Dealing with incidents like that underlined the importance of having a proper village emergency plan (thank you Roger Stockton) and this was demonstrated even more strongly when Covid hit. I think that the way the village pulled together through Covid is certainly one highlight of my time as Clerk.

As well as coping with problems, I am pleased to have played at least a small part in making some real improvements to life in the village. Those include getting proper mobile phone coverage and, later, high speed broadband; putting in place public access defibrillators and transforming the children’s play area.

I should like to thank all the Parish Councillors I have worked with over the years, in particular the three Chairmen – James Thompson, John Gibbon and Ali Thorne, for their help, support and guidance. Also thanks to all the others in the village I have, on occasion, prevailed upon to give up their time and energy for the common good.

Where I have failed to get something done, or not done as quickly as you would have liked, thank you for your forbearance!

Mike Ash

Chalke Valley Fete 2025

We were so lucky, we had the best weather, the best volunteers and a great crowd. This is our 4th year and each time it grows a bit bigger and hopefully we make more money for local charities and all have a great afternoon!

I can't thank everyone enough from those who baked cakes for the teas, baked bread rolls and provided burgers and watercress for the BBQ. Thank you to the working parties on the Friday and Saturday who picked up tables and equipment from various villages and spent time assembling gazebos and making the site look wonderful.

We had 90 odd helpers including the Tennis Club, FOBS, BBQ team, bar team, ice cream team, produce tent team, car parking team, games team and all the extras doing varying jobs.

I would like to say a special thank you to the committee members who made this happen, especially Chris Rothwell who never stops!

This year thanks to all the hard work of our volunteers we made an impressive £6000 after expenses. Some of the money has already been allocated to groups that assisted us at the fete. However, we are looking for local good causes/charities that would like to apply for a donation. Please contact: treasurer.cvfete@gmail.com if you wish to apply by 20th October 2025.

Sara Moss

Here is the winning limerick by John Dutson:

*There was a young beau at the fete
Desperately seeking a date.
With prize cakes and pies
His dream wife he spies
Till a lusty old maid sealed his fate.*

Our second place limerick was from Ann Ferreira:

*Did you notice the veg on that plate?
Some tiny and not up to weight.
But the judge, you will find
Is totally blind
For he gave him first prize at the Fete.*

Ride and Stride 2025



On Saturday 9th September Ted, Ralph and I took part in the annual Ride and Stride event in aid of Bishopstone Church and the Wiltshire Historic Churches Trust. We were determined to beat last year's effort where we cycled 30km and visited 7 churches... And I'm delighted to report that this year we managed 36km and 8 churches!

We set off in the morning, cycling east. We visited Stratford Tony, Coombe Bissett, Homington, Odstock and Nunton, before retracing our route, popping in to Bishopstone church on the way home (lovely to see Sarah and James there to welcome us!). We had a

break at home to have lunch, then set off again in the afternoon, this time cycling west to visit Broadchalke (where we had to shelter in the church from a rain storm) and Fifield Bavant, where we were the only visitors of the day.

Last year had been the 40th anniversary of Ride and Stride (I remember taking part as a teenager in Herefordshire) and there were a large number of participants.

Sadly, this year we saw far fewer, in person and on the sign-in sheets in the churches; hopefully next year more people might join in. It's such a fun event to be a part of, and you get a warm welcome and delicious snacks in most churches. The biscuits proved to be excellent motivation for my two always-hungry boys, and they kept those pedals turning!

We were delighted to raise over £600 (including gift aid) in sponsorship, of which half will go directly to Bishopstone church for the roof appeal. A huge thank you to anyone who supported us, we very much appreciated it.

Well done too to Sally Leaver who took part in the event as a 'strider', also raising money for Bishopstone church.

Kate Pendleton



Rambling with Jazzie

Good to be back again at the laptop, after the long hot summer! Jazzie is beside me on the desk, as usual, ensuring my spelling is correct, but fast asleep. What a pleasure to have some rain. It has swelled all the apples for our best crop ever in 28 years in The Croft! The courgettes and toms have also thrived and we gather some daily. The beans are long over, having got too stringy in the heat. My word the grass has grown in the last week of rain. Nature is wonderful how she heals her wounds, if left to herself.



I do hope some visited our SGA Exhibition in the Library in August. It was a very good show, with plenty of styles, media and colour on display. Visitors were varied in comments and numbers, but plenty came through and sales were good. However, I failed to sell anything, despite doing my two shifts as steward. Perhaps I should change my hobby?

Jazzie is loving her walks now in the cooler air. It is really refreshing to go with her to see the horses and meet so many other dogs. She enjoys meeting others, and is usually well behaved, but still has a horror of black dogs, and barks at them!

The Church Roof Fund seems to be going from strength to strength. Well done to all and we, in the Village, must support all the events to keep the cash flowing in! The christening robes display in the Village Hall at the end of the month will be good, and don't forget Roger's talk in October!

The VJ Day remembrance service at the Guildhall Square in August was most impressive and very well supported by veterans, servicemen and the people of Salisbury. It was very good to see the centenarian Royal Marine present and laying a wreath.

We never got away to France in the summer, being too busy or too hot to move. The garden kept us at home, and family visited every weekend. The Organ Prom in the Cathedral was great fun once again. Not often you can have a drink in the east end while listening to the wonderful Willis Organ! Our hedgehogs remain faithful to the garden, and one or two appear every evening now, as we feed them nightly while Jazzie enjoys chatting as they feed!



Well, happy times ahead and don't forget our Harvest Festival in the church on Sunday 28th September. Hope to see you there ... without Jazzie!

James Thompson

STOP PRESS - Bishopstone in print...

The 19th century was a pretty lawless time, not least in Bishopstone. In the second half of the century there were several families called Baker living in Bishopstone, many were related. One particular family, headed by John Baker (1846 – 1900) was rather notorious. The Bakers had been small-holders in the 18th century on land that became part of Netton Farm. By the 1850s this particular branch of the family lived in Netton Street and John Baker was working at a nearby blacksmiths.

ASSAULT.—John Baker was summoned by James Penny for throwing water over him. The complainant said on Saturday, the 26th November I was passing by the blacksmith's shop at Bishopstone, and just as I was opposite the shop, the defendant threw a bucket of water over me.—Mr. Sidford of Bishopstone said such was a frequent occurrence at the blacksmith's shop.—The Bench sentenced the prisoner to one month's imprisonment, or a fine of 40s. and costs.

The first press report is from 1864. John Baker is summoned for throwing water over James Penny. Mr Sidford – who lived at Faulston House and was an important man in the village, often featuring as a reliable witness in court cases, testified that “such was a frequent occurrence at the blacksmith's shop”!

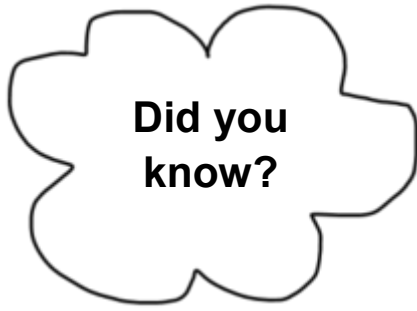
The next transgression deemed worthy of press attention. Came in 1867. William Wagg ran a carrier business from what is now Pitts Lane. John Baker seems to have thought it fun to set fire to Mr Wagg's cart house. The evidence against him was entirely the testimony of one Stephen Williams. The judge decided that it was a case of one man's word against another – “it would be an insane thing indeed for the jury to find him guilty of so serious a crime”.

The next incident was far more serious...**more about that next month!**

John Baker was indicted for having unlawfully and maliciously set fire to a shed, the property of William Wagg, at Bishopstone, on the 6th November. Mr. Snowden prosecuted; the prisoner was defended by Mr. T. W. Saunders. The prosecutor is a retired carrier. He had erected a shed on some waste land at Bishopstone, near Salisbury. On the evening of the 6th of November it was found to be on fire and was totally destroyed. The prisoner was employed at a blacksmith's shop about 80 yards distant, and the evidence of a lad named Stephen Williams went to show that at six o'clock he left the shop with the prisoner. The prisoner said to him, “Steeve, let's go and set fire to old Wagg's cart house.” Witness replied, “What's the use of that? We shall be sure to get caught.” Prisoner said, “No, we sha'nt,” and went on down to the shed, struck a match, and put it to the thatch nearest the hedge.

Prisoner afterwards said, “Steeve, mind not say anything about it.” When before the magistrates, the prisoner threw the blame upon Williams, and this was substantially the defence set up to-day on his behalf by Mr. Saunders. The learned judge interposed, and said that as the case against the prisoner rested entirely upon the evidence of Williams it would be a very insane thing indeed for the jury to find him guilty of so serious a crime. The jury accordingly returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

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Miscellaneous facts from St John the Baptist Church, Bishopstone

The North Transept

This area of the church is known as the Farmers' Aisle, as that was the seating area for the farmers, who paid their tithes to the church. By the Middle Ages it was the practice to give one tenth of their income or their produce to the church as a source of clergy income. A tithe means one tenth. The produce could be crops, wool, milk, etc. It was an early form of income tax and, through unpopularity, was phased out in the 1930s.

Some years ago a swarm of bees was found in the roof of the North Transept, which led to honey dripping on to the hymn books and pews below.

As Harvest Festival usually falls in September/October, this time of year reminds us of the produce that was once given by the farmers of the village.

Anne Stutchbury

The Piscina

We have several piscinae in the church, but those on either side of the altar are of particular note.

The piscina are found to the side of altars, particularly medieval ones, to allow the officiating priest to wash his hands before offering the sacrament, and afterwards to wash the vessels and the priest's hands again. Ours probably date from the 13th century, with the small basin with drain hole, and a cover including wonderful medieval paints and colours. Below the basin is the face of a lady also painted. All the paintings are medieval, and show signs of their age.

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James Thompson

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Do let me know if you can help us, and if you would like to organise a different event – maybe a pub quiz, a darts event or a bake sale – that would be fabulous too! Your one act of compassion will ensure we can bring more of the most vulnerable and homeless off the street, providing homes, restoring hearts and empowering minds.

Thank you so much for your support. Helen Inglis, Community Fundraising Officer
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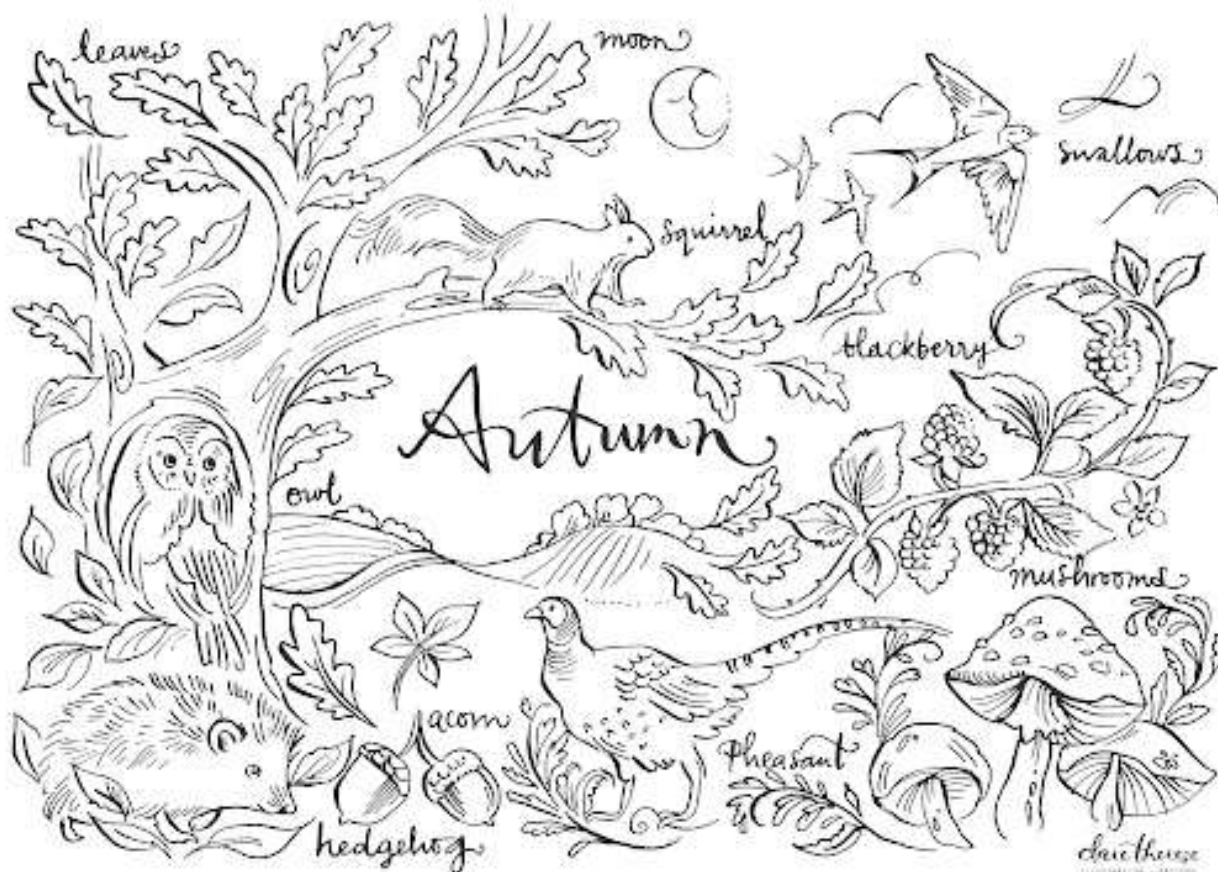
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Try your hand at our Autumnal Quiz... Answers overleaf!



1. Name the pigment which trees stop producing, thus causing leaves to lose their green colour?
2. What is a cribbar, which appears in Cornwall once or twice a year — often in autumn — for a couple of hours at a time?
3. Maple, ash and sycamore trees produce seeds with which nickname, due to the way they fly through the air?
4. What is a baby hedgehog called?
5. Pumpkin fragments dated between 7,000 and 5,500 BC have been found in which country?
6. Which English Romantic poet composed “To Autumn” after a walk near Winchester one autumnal evening?
7. Which celebration is influenced by the Celtic autumn festival, Samhain?
8. What causes Autumn?
9. In ancient times, which autumn vegetable was thought to remove freckles and cure snake bites?
10. How many apples does it take to create one gallon of apple cider?



1. Name the pigment which trees stop producing, thus causing leaves to lose their green colour?

Chlorophyll. The reduced sunlight means photosynthesis loses its benefits — it costs a tree more energy to support a leaf than the leaf gives back. Autumnal colours then result from other chemicals in the leaves, like beta-carotenes (red — also found in carrots) and luteins (yellow — also found in egg yolks).

2. What is a cribbar, which appears in Cornwall once or twice a year — often in autumn — for a couple of hours at a time?

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3. Maple, ash and sycamore trees produce seeds with which nickname, due to the way they fly through the air?

Helicopter seeds

4. What is a baby hedgehog called?

A hoglet

5. Pumpkin fragments dated between 7,000 and 5,500 BC have been found in which country?

Mexico

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John Keats

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Halloween

8. What causes Autumn?

The earth’s tilt in relation to the sun.

9. In ancient times, which autumn vegetable was thought to remove freckles and cure snake bites?

Pumpkin

10. How many apples does it take to create one gallon of apple cider?

About 36 apples

Police Bulletin

*A monthly newsletter from
Philip Wilkinson, Police and Crime
Commissioner for Wiltshire.*



Hare coursing is a brutal and illegal activity that continues to plague our countryside. It's not just a wildlife crime—it's organised criminal behaviour that threatens the safety, livelihoods, and peace of our rural communities. Recent incidents, including violent confrontations and property damage, show just how serious this issue has become.

That's why I've been vocal in calling for tougher sentencing. The current penalties—an unlimited fine and up to six months in prison—are not enough. I've written to the Wiltshire Magistrates Bench and supported national efforts to strengthen sentencing guidelines. Our farmers and rural residents deserve justice that reflects the harm caused.

Wiltshire Police is responding with a whole-force approach. Our rural crime strategy, including Operation Ragwort, is making a real impact. We're working closely with neighbouring forces to share intelligence and coordinate action. Arrests are increasing, and offenders are being disrupted.

The Force's Armed Response Unit is often tasked to respond to these types of offences, as their ability to respond quickly and decisively to high-risk situations—such as pursuits and confrontations with hare coursers—is the level of response people in rural communities expect and deserve. This sends a clear message: rural crime is being treated with the seriousness it deserves.

However, the police can't do this alone. I urge everyone to keep reporting hare coursing and other rural offences. Your information helps us build intelligence, target offenders, and protect our communities. Whether it's a suspicious vehicle, trespassing, or damage to land—please report it.

Together, we are making Wiltshire a hostile environment for rural criminals and organised crime groups. Wiltshire's countryside is resilient, and so are its communities. With your continued support and our determined whole force policing response, we will keep pushing back against those who seek to harm it.

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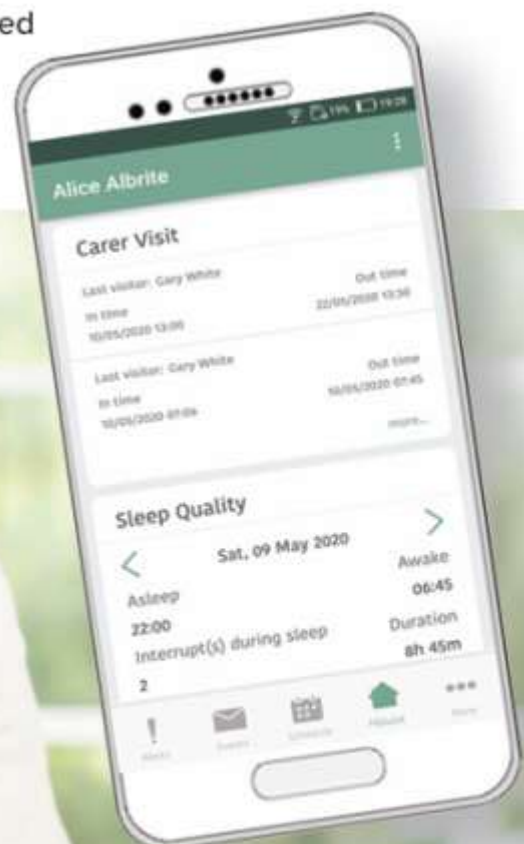
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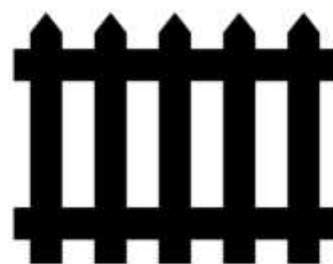
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5 October 16th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am	Harvest Festival Communion	Broad Chalke	Alison Waterhouse
	9.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Berwick St John	Ruth H-S
	9.30am	Harvest Festival Communion	Britford	Maggie Metcalfe
	11.00am	Morning Service	Bishopstone	Sally Leaver
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Ebbesbourne Wake	Biddy Trahair
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Coombe Bissett	Ruth H-S
	4.00pm	Harvest Festival	Nunton	Maggie Metcalfe
12 October 17th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Bowerchalke	Alison Waterhouse
	9.30am	Family Communion (CW)	Nunton	Ruth H-S
	10.30am	Worship Together	Broad Chalke Hub	Janet Roe
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Homington	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Harvest Festival	Alvediston	Alison Waterhouse
	3.00pm	Harvest Festival	Fifield Bavant	Biddy Trahair
	5.30pm	Evening Prayer (BCP)	Charlton All Saints	Ruth H-S
19 October 18th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Bishopstone	Maggie Metcalfe
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Odstock	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Ebbesbourne Wake	Tony Monds
	11.00am	Harvest Festival	Knowle Farm Barn	Kate Woolven
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Coombe Bissett	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Berwick St John	Barney Hopkinson
26 October Bible Sunday  <i>Clocks go Back</i>	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Charlton All Saints	Maggie Metcalfe
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Broad Chalke	Kate Woolven
	11.00am	Family Service	Nunton	Adrian Taylor
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Bishopstone	Alison Waterhouse
	11.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Alvediston	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Berwick St John	Lay Led
	6.00pm	Evening Prayer	Homington	Maggie Metcalfe
30 October	6.00pm	All Souls Service	Coombe Bissett	Alison Waterhouse
31 October	6.00pm	All Souls Service	Bowerchalke	Kate Woolven
2 November ALL SAINTS' DAY	9.30am	Patronal Festival Communion	Broad Chalke	Alison Waterhouse
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