## MacMillan coffee morning

We are holding a coffee morning in the church on Friday 26th September 10:30 - 14:30.

There will also be a raffle and competitions to help boost the funds. See the note requesting helpers!



Our Coffee Cup collection for September and October will also be donated to MacMillan Cancer Support



## SATURDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2025

**Our church will be open 10:00 – 18:00** with refreshments available

The church will be open and manned for visitors to come and find out more about our beautiful building and what goes on inside. There is a warm welcome for everyone.

Help is still needed...... at both the McMillan Coffee Morning and the Open Day this coming Saturday, and things for the raffle at the coffee morning which will make up a hamper of tea and coffee items.

Many thanks

Sue

### The Start course

Weds 10<sup>th</sup> Sept - Weds 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 7:30pm - 9:00pm

### HADDENHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Got questions about life and the Christian faith? If you are looking for answers then maybe it's time to make a new start. Each session of the START course involves video clips, exercises, group discussion and time for reflection. Each session lasts about an hour and is free to attend.

What's life all about and where are we going? \* does God exist and what is he like? \* why is the world in such a mess? \* who was Jesus, and is he relevant? \* what does Jesus' death on the cross mean for me today? \* how far can I go forward with God in my life?

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## **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025**



## Notices for the week

Our church is a member of the Wychert Vale family of churches

9:00 MATINS led by David Pickup

10:30 **FAMILY WORSHIP** led by Revd Phil Groves

18:00 **OUTDOOR EVENSONG** led by David Pickup In the grounds of Hartwell House



Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid

and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever AMFN

#### This week

Tues 11:00 - 13:00 Café in the Park – in the Jubilee Park 19:30 Choir practice - 29(b) Eythrope Road 19:30 PCC meeting Weds 9:00 - 10:30 Little Wrigglers - in the Jubilee Pavilion Thurs Sat 10:00 - 18:00 Church Open Day for Ride +Stride 10:30 FAMILY COMMUNION Sun

16:00 **LEGO CHURCH** in the Pavilion 18:00 **EVENSONG** at SPP DINTON

### Luke 14:25-33

## The Cost of Being a Disciple

<sup>25</sup> Large crowds were traveling with Jesus, and turning to them he said: <sup>26</sup> "If anyone comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters—yes, even their own life—such a person cannot be my disciple. <sup>27</sup> And whoever does not carry their cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.

<sup>28</sup> "Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won't you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it? <sup>29</sup> For if you lay the foundation and are not able to finish it, everyone who sees it will ridicule you, <sup>30</sup> saying, 'This person began to build and wasn't able to finish.'

<sup>31</sup> "Or suppose a king is about to go to war against another king. Won't he first sit down and consider whether he is able with ten thousand men to oppose the one coming against him with twenty thousand? <sup>32</sup> If he is not able, he will send a delegation while the other is still a long way off and will ask for terms of peace. <sup>33</sup> In the same way, those of you who do not give up everything you have cannot be my disciples.



## **Evensong Service - TODAY**

Sunday 7th September 2025 at 6 pm By kind permission of Hartwell House

This traditional and popular Common Prayer service takes place <u>out of doors</u>, in front of Hartwell Church. It is situated in the landscaped grounds of Hartwell House, now a luxurious country hotel.

## Please invite your friends and bring your own chairs

For more information  $\underline{david@pickupandscott.co.uk}$ 

Whatever the weather we will be there!

## National emergency alarm test

On Sunday 7 September 2025 (today) at 3pm, the government will carry out a national test of the Emergency Alerts system. This means most mobile phones and tablets across the UK will receive a test message, accompanied by a loud siren-like sound and vibration that will last for about 10 seconds. The message you receive will clearly state that this is a test and that no action is required on your part. The alert will come through even if your device is set to silent mode, which is an important feature of the system designed to ensure people receive warnings in genuine emergencies.

## Lego Church at the Jubilee Pavilion in Stone

# A new, informal, interactive church service for people of ALL ages STARTING NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON!

Just one more week to go before the first Lego Church on **Sunday 14th September at 4pm**. The excitement is building!

Look out for the posters and fliers, and please pray that God would cause people to read them, to be interested, to tell their friends, and to come along. Continue to pray for the team as well as they put together the first service, and4444 for courage as they step out for God.



## Joyfull Juniors (because they are Full of Joy)

DATE	THEME
28th Sept	HARVEST
12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	BREAD OF LIFE
26 <sup>th</sup> Oct	HUNGER & PLENTY
9th Nov	POPPIES
23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	CHRIST THE KING
14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	CHRISTMAS CARDS

Our Joyfull Juniors are Full of Joy, ready to greet newcomers as well as familiar faces and we would love to welcome YOU.

Come and join our junior group as we explore stories and themes from the bible, make new friends and partake in fun games and crafts.

Our activities are aimed at 3 to 11 year olds, but all young people are welcome.

At each session a new theme is considered so there is no need to worry about when to start, or missing a session.

### HARVEST SUNDAY OPEN AFTERNOON

28th September 2pm - 4pm

The church will be open for visitors to see the beautiful harvest arrangements; and also following the success of our Easter Monday Event - we thought we'd do the same for harvest. There's an outdoor family trail, a quiz, guess the veg/fruit, a competition, refreshments and harvest decorations to admire. The advertising is starting - look out for the posters and tell your friends and neighbours.

But we would love (need!) your help. Whether you can make drinks, chat, bake, welcome, guide, wash up - young or older.

Please sign up on the big sheet at the back of SJB.

Naomi