



# *Charlton Parish Chat*

*December 2024 and  
January 2025*

The new post box has arrived - hopefully it will have been unwrapped by the time you read this!



# PUB THEOLOGY 7:30 @ THE HORSE AND GROOM, CHARLTON

NOVEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup> JESSY PRICE: BRIDGET JONES MEETS SAINT PAUL.

JANUARY 28<sup>TH</sup> DAVE FRAMPTON: WHY TALK TO GOD?

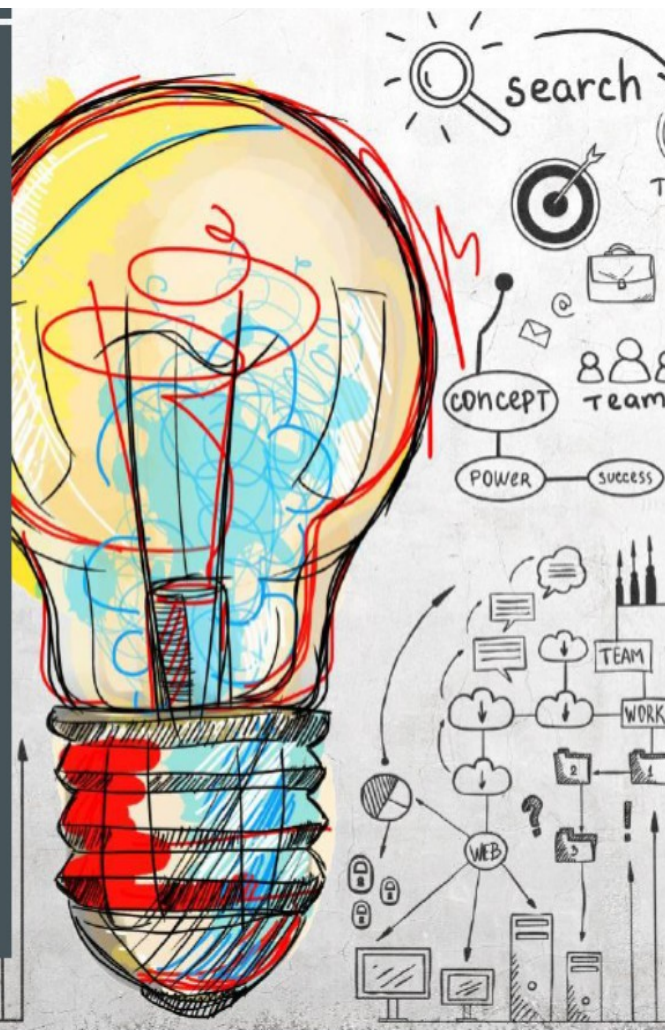
FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup> DOUG JOHNSTON: CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE CHRISTIAN CONSCIENCE.

MARCH 25<sup>TH</sup> / APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup> / MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> FAITH FLOWS

MARCH: OLIVER ROSS: DO I BELIEVE WHAT ALTHELSTAN BELIEVED? BLENDING IN AND STANDING OUT THEN AND NOW.

APRIL: : HOW DO I BELIEVE? DOES FAITH JUST HAPPEN?

MAY : JOANNA AND RICHARD BACON : CHILDREN AND BELIEVING: SHOULD WE PASS IT ON?



## Submissions for the next issue of the Chat

**Next Chat “deadline”:** Input would be appreciated by 10<sup>th</sup> January, but can probably be accepted a few days after this date - please check with the editor.

Please email articles to the editor at [charltonchat@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:charltonchat@yahoo.co.uk) or by post/hand delivery to Peter Holland, 25 Park Street, Charlton, or phone 01666 823719.

Do you know anyone outside the village who would like to receive a copy of Charlton Parish Chat? Annual subscription - £5. Call Marion Adkins on 824684

### Small ads...

Charlton Chat accepts adverts from local people, businesses and organisations.

Per issue, a small display box, approx. a twelfth of a page costs £1;

a quarter page £5;

a half-page £10 and

a full page £20.

Contact the editor, or Marion Adkins 824684

## A Christmas message from Revd. Sarah Wyman

Before Christmas in the Church's year, we have a period called Advent. The themes of Advent help us look at Christmas in different ways.

This year the word Hope occurs; we hear it in the news; hoping that wars will end; hoping that we can survive all the changes that are occurring in our lives.

In the Old Testament, Hope is always to do with waiting or the expectation for God to act to help a situation and this is more than optimism.

In the New Testament we have a 'living hope'; Jesus, who listens and helps us when we call to Him. We look back to a 'Risen Jesus' who is Christ, and know that he is able to do more than we can imagine and that he cares about each of us.

Jesus helps us look at the world in a different way.



Look at Christmas; who would think of a God sending a small baby into the world to save it. Being born in a stable, just the first of many things that could go wrong. Herod wanting to kill him; so they became refugees. Shepherds, the lowest in society, with their sheep were the first special visitors. Later on, foreign Wise men giving them what seems very inappropriate gifts for a baby. Yet this baby has changed the world, by changing individual lives. Many years have passed since his birth but Jesus' life is still remembered and still changes so many lives in this world. His love is for each of us, no-one is left out as we all matter to Him.

This Christmas may you feel hope in your hearts and may it give you strength and courage to face each day knowing that you are not alone, but loved by a God- a God who gave his son to help us, bringing love and light that can brighten our lives even in the dark times. Amen

### Charlton Church Opening

The church will continue to be open at weekends from 10am until 4pm during December. If you wish to visit the church at other times we will arrange to open at the church at a mutually convenient time.

Please ring 07909 911753. We would appreciate 24 hours' notice.

### Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals at Charlton

*Baptism*

20th October

Clementine Elizabeth Rose Castellorizios

### Parish Council Website

- The Parish Council website address is about to change. We are changing to a .gov.uk address which is strongly encouraged by the Government and is much more secure.
- It will take 3-6 weeks to come through so it may have happened by the time this Chat is delivered or it may happen a few weeks later – we cannot know at the time of writing.
- The new address will be:  
[www.charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk](http://www.charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk).
- At about the same time the Clerk's email address will change to:  
[clerk@charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk).  
But the old address of  
[mrbgl@outlook.com](mailto:mrbgl@outlook.com) will still exist.

### SID (Speed Indicator Device)

- Residents will have noticed that the SID has been absent for much of the past month. By the time you read this it is likely to be back in position and working.
- The SID has been away for repairs after it suffered damage which we can only think was caused by a deliberate physical attack, by vandalism.
- Meanwhile the Parish Council has bought a second SID specifically to work on the western side of the village, mainly to influence the speed of traffic approaching the War Memorial junction and double bend.

### Community Resilience – Emergency Contact Hub

- There is renewed emphasis nationally and specifically in Wiltshire on Community Resilience – the ability to respond to and recover from a range of emergencies, from flooding and severe weather incidents to pandemics.
- The idea is that communities should have a location that can act as an Emergency Contact Hub that can be activated in the event of an emergency.
- In Charlton planning has just started for the Village Hall to act as our Emergency Contact Hub.
- The idea is that in an emergency those residents who can offer help and/or can offer to cover the various roles needed in the Contact Hub would come along and do their bit, while those residents who need help also make contact and can be provided with the help and support they need. Additionally the Emergency Services will know that we have an Emergency Contact Hub and where it is and can make contact more quickly.
- Planning has only just started and we should be able to explain more at the Annual Parish Meeting likely on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April '25.



# Coffee Mornings @ Charlton Village Hall

Funds raised support Charlton Recreational Centre 279819



**10.30am on Mondays:  
2<sup>nd</sup> December, 6<sup>th</sup> January  
and 3<sup>rd</sup> February**



## **All are welcome**

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Bring your own cup if you prefer

## **£1 Charge**

**Do ring me if you want a lift.**

Anne 823719

## **Christmas goodwill**

The days running up to Christmas are meant to be a time of goodwill to all men, but my temper is being tried. I am appalled at the number of scam texts, emails and calls I am receiving, pretending to offer me grants towards my energy costs if I just give my bank details or telling me that there is a problem with my visa. Some mention the UK government or Wiltshire Council.

PLEASE BE VERY WARY OF EMAILS, CALLS AND TEXTS YOU DO NOT EXPECT – if in doubt, consult someone you trust for advice. You can contact me for help.

I cannot understand how the people responsible for these attempted frauds sleep at night, particularly those who are targeting the most vulnerable.

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Winter Fuel Payment – if you are not yet claiming - but think you might be eligible for - Pension Credit and the associated grants, please do check or ask someone you trust to check for you. You must apply for Pension Credit by 21 December 2024 to qualify for the 2024 to 2025 WF Payment.

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I wish you and your families and friends a merry Christmas and a happy new year. 2025 holds more challenges but I will keep battling on to support you wherever I can.

Please do contact me if I can help with anything to do with the Council (or even if you are not sure whether it is a council matter). I attend all the parish council meetings and I am always available on [elizabeth.threlfall@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:elizabeth.threlfall@wiltshire.gov.uk) or 07778110936.

Elizabeth Threlfall

Wiltshire Councillor for Brinkworth Division

Tel: 07778 110 936

**Wiltshire Council**

# CHARLTON RECREATIONAL CENTRE



We must start by thanking those of you who supported the village hall by attending the Autumn quiz in October. Once again your kind contributions led to a profit of just over £1000 on the evening. These events are the main fund raiser for the hall and as such we thank you for your continued support and we look forward to the next one, probably in the spring 2025. We would also like to pass on our thanks to Anne and Peter Holland for putting on the local history of the village and surrounding area event. It was great to see so many of the local residents taking an interest.

By the time you are reading this, the Charlton Recreational Centre AGM will have been completed in November. After many years of service to the hall, the committee would like to pass on their sincere gratitude to Margaret Medland who has stepped down as the fixtures secretary. Her role has been taken on by Tracey Hobbs who is looking forward to handing on her role as the Charity Secretary to Mrs Vanessa Rawlings who was voted in at the AGM.

Regular users of the field will have noticed that there is now a football pitch marked on the east side by the zip wire. We have agreed that Avonvale junior club can use the area on a handful of occasions throughout their season. I'm sure that they would appreciate some support if you have any spare time on a Saturday morning

when they are playing (details can be found on the website).

The last issue of the Chat mentioned that the committee were unsuccessful in requests for grants from the Sports Lottery. Since then we were also unsuccessful in getting a grant from a local energy company to try and improve the hall lighting whilst also looking to add some solar panels and a battery to try and improve our energy efficiency. However we have been successful in obtaining 2 smaller grants from the Malmesbury Area Board. We will look to use these to make some improvements to the hall and to the children's play area. More news to come on these as details mature!

Following the last chat issue, we can confirm that the Parish council and Charlton Recreational Centre Charity committee have agreed with the Wiltshire and Swindon Prepared team to use the hall as an emergency contact hub during local emergencies. Work is on going as to decide what this actually means for both the hall and for you as residents. We will keep you all informed as the plans mature. However, if there are any of you who believe you may have skills that could be used and are willing to volunteer, please get in touch with either the local Parish Council or the Charlton Hall Committee.

There are still a few numbers left in the Charlton 150 club, so if you would like the opportunity to support the hall whilst also being in with a chance of winning a monthly cash prize, please speak to the committee members or send an email to [150clubcharlton@gmail.com](mailto:150clubcharlton@gmail.com).

Doz James



## Charlton Village Hall Hire *for parties, events, business hire, etc.*

**Special Events Package:** All day booking, plus access to the premises from the middle of the previous day to 10.00am the following day. Use of all Hall facilities and a roped off area outside.

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**Friday and Saturday Evenings:** Access to the Hall from 6.00pm to midnight. All other event and party bookings are chargeable by the hour. The hirer should request a booking that covers their total occupancy of the Hall (i.e. including setting and clearing up).

Event Type	Deposit	Charge (Local*)	Charge (Other)
Special Event	£100	£450	£550
Children's Party	£50	£35	£55
Friday or Saturday Evening	£100	£100	£150
Other Events	£50	£10 per hour	£15 per hour

The Local rate is available to residents of Charlton, Hankerton & Garsdon

**To enquire about using the Village Hall or Playing Field**, whether for a one-off event or regular booking please email us on [enquiries@charltonvillagehall.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@charltonvillagehall.co.uk) or call Tracey Hobbs on 07557 124628.

See: [www.charltonvillagehall.co.uk/bookings/](http://www.charltonvillagehall.co.uk/bookings/) for details of the current bookings and a copy of the booking form and terms and conditions.

## Charlton Recreational Centre - 150 Club Monthly Prize Draw Winners



### October

1st	32	Duncan Hobbs
2nd	8	Carolyn Brothwood
3rd	62	Steve Roberts

### November

1st	12	Amanda Fisk
2nd	46	Helen Sutherland
3rd	39	Vanessa Rawlings

If you would like join us & support the upkeep and improvement of the village hall and its facilities then please email

[150clubcharlton@gmail.com](mailto:150clubcharlton@gmail.com)

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## Charlton Church – Path Renewal



As part of the ongoing work to reduce the effect of damp and rainwater on the church fabric the concrete strip alongside the north wall of the church (nearest Charlton Park Estate) has been broken up.

Currently the resulting area is uneven and caution is needed. It will be improved when we are able to lay some gravel; but until then please take extra care if you do need to traverse the area.

## BELL RINGING ANNOUNCEMENT

ON THE 10TH MAY 2025, THERE IS TO BE A RINGING WORLD RECORD ATTEMPT AT CHARLTON CHURCH, TO HAVE AS MANY PEOPLE RING FOR 5 MINUTE PERIODS THROUGHOUT THE DAY 9.00AM - 9.00PM

Parking will NOT be down Park Street. Events will also be at the Village Hall. This will be a fund raiser for new heating, a kitchenette and a toilet in the church.

Anyone wishing to learn, so as to participate, please contact: Bob Blanden.  
07860689391

### News from the North Wiltshire Flower Club

We are the North Wiltshire Flower Club and we meet every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7 for 7.30pm. We are just folk who love flowers. Some of us are florists but many are not so please don't be anxious about joining us. There is plenty of car parking space and there is good chatter and free tea/coffee and cake at the end of the evening.

In October, we had Arnaud Metairie demonstrate his "Garden in the Sky" which was about his visit to Equador and Colombia. His floral arrangements were truly lovely and were raffled at the end. On November 20th we have National Demonstrator Angela Turner coming to Malmesbury Town Hall to give us a "Natural Christmas". There will be a raffle for her arrangements too and for Christmas Hampers.

It was good fun last year and so we hope this year will be too. If you have problems parking then there is a lift from Old Station Yard carpark ....and afterwards. There is also a glass of something and finger food to have, all included in your ticket price, which is £15 for members and £20 for non members. The Mayor of Malmesbury has agreed to join us too.

In December we have a fun quiz and American Supper and in February we have Persephone Violet with "Aestheticism" (which means the practice of looking at everything as if it were art). That should be very good.

My name is Cathy and my mobile no. is 07703299277. We are also on Facebook.





# Christmas

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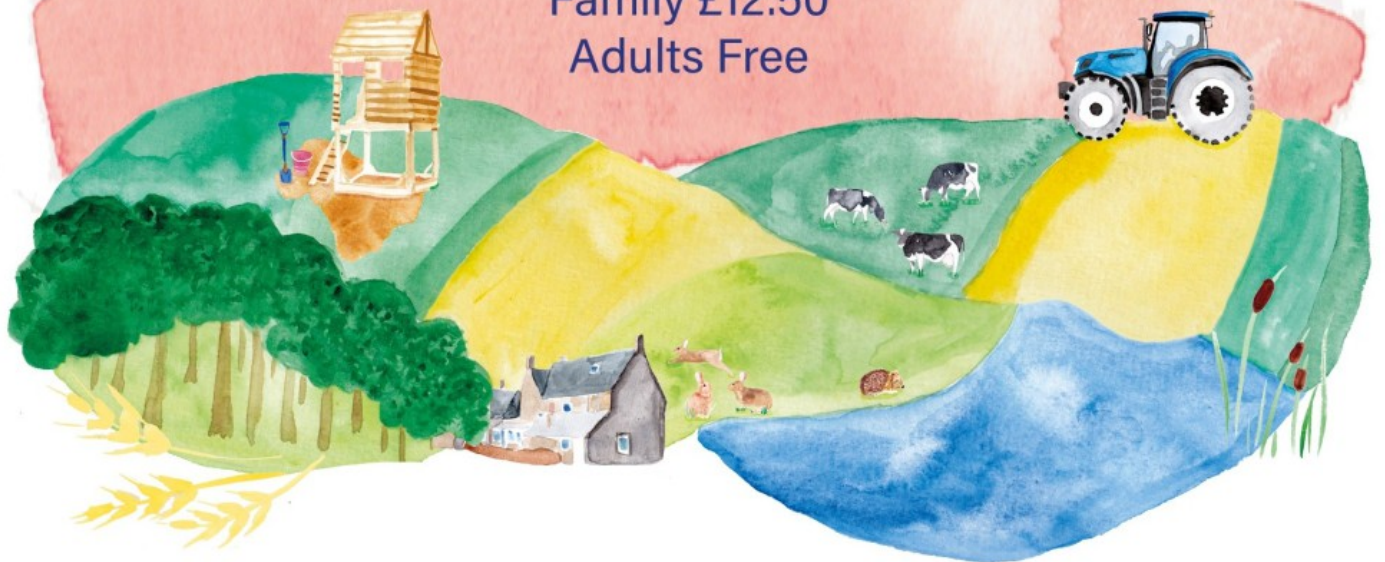
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Child £7.50

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Adults Free



# Services across the Braydon Brook Benefice

All are welcome to attend any of the services taking place across the Benefice

Ashley St. James



Charlton  
St. John the Baptist



All Saints  
Crudwell



Hankerton  
Holy Cross




Minety  
St. Leonard



Oaksey  
All Saints



Date	Services in Church
<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion @ Hankerton</b>
	10am, <b>Friends &amp; Family Dressing the Christmas Tree Service @ Crudwell</b>
	11am, <b>Holy Communion @ Oaksey</b>
	1pm – 4pm, <b>Christmas Tree Festival @ Minety</b> (Not a service)
	6pm, <b>Evening Prayer @ Ashley</b>
<b>Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December</b>	10am, <b>Benefice Service of Holy Communion @ Charlton</b>
	5pm, <b>Carol Service @ Minety</b>
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion @ Charlton</b>
	11am, <b>Holy Communion @ Minety</b>
	11am, <b>Nativity @ Oaksey</b>
	4pm, <b>Carol Service @ Crudwell</b>
<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	5pm, <b>Carol Service @ Oaksey</b>
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion @ Ashley</b>
	11am, <b>Holy Communion @ Crudwell</b>
	11am, <b>Morning Praise @ Minety</b>
	5pm, <b>Carol Service @ Hankerton</b>
	6pm, <b>Carol Service @ Charlton</b>
<b>Christmas Eve</b>	3pm, <b>Family Christmas Service @ Minety</b>
	4pm, <b>Carols at the Potting Shed, Crudwell</b> (Not a service)
	6pm, <b>Carol Service @ Ashley</b>
	11.30pm <b>Midnight Communion @ Crudwell</b>
<b>Christmas Day</b> 	9.30am, <b>Shortened Communion on Christmas Day @ Ashley</b>
	9.30am, <b>Shortened Communion on Christmas Day @ Hankerton</b>
	10am, <b>Shortened Communion on Christmas Day @ Charlton</b>
	11am, <b>Family Christmas Celebration @ Crudwell</b>
	11am, <b>Shortened Communion on Christmas Day @ Minety</b>
	11am, <b>Shortened Communion on Christmas Day @ Oaksey</b>
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> December</b>	10am, <b>Benefice Service of Holy Communion @ Crudwell</b>

## Mid-Week Services and Events

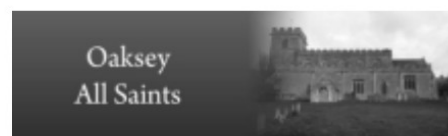
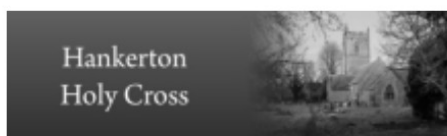
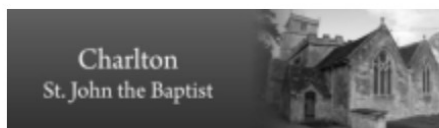
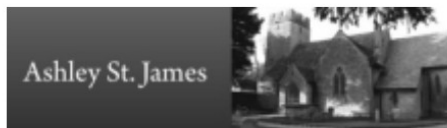
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Every other week</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Bible Study via Zoom</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer via Zoom</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Coffee &amp; Chat @ Crudwell</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>2pm</b>	<b>Five Voices – Ladies Advent Study Group @ The Rectory</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>9.45am</b>	<b>BCP Communion Service @ Minety</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer via Zoom</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.30am – 12.30pm</b>	<b>Café Church with Advent Sale - Raffle, Bring &amp; Buy, Cake Stall. All donations are welcome.</b>

Please visit our website [www.braydonbrook.co.uk](http://www.braydonbrook.co.uk) and **Braydon Brook Churches Facebook Page** to find out more.



# January Services across the Braydon Brook Benefice

All are welcome to attend any of the services taking place across the Benefice



Date	Services in Church	Services on Zoom
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Hankerton	
	10am, <b>Friends &amp; Family</b> @ Crudwell	
	11am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Oaksey	
	6pm, <b>Evening Prayer</b> @ Ashley	
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January</b>	10am, <b>Benefice Holy Communion</b> @ Hankerton	
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Charlton	6pm <b>Evening Prayer</b>
	11am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Minety	
	11am, <b>Matins</b> @ Oaksey	
	4.30pm, <b>Prayer, Praise &amp; Story</b> @ Hankerton	
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January</b>	9.30am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Ashley	
	9.30am, <b>Morning Praise</b> @ Charlton	
	11am, <b>Holy Communion</b> @ Crudwell	
	11am, <b>Morning Praise</b> @ Minety	
	10.15am <b>Sunday School</b> and 11am, <b>Family Service</b> @ Oaksey	

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<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer via Zoom</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> January (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed)</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Coffee &amp; Chat @ Crudwell</b>
	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Men's Bible Study 1 Days Court, Crudwell</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> January (2<sup>nd</sup> Thu)</b>	<b>9.45am</b>	<b>BCP Communion Service @ Minety</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer via Zoom</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> January (1<sup>st</sup> Sat)</b>	<b>11am – 12.30pm</b>	<b>Café Church @ Hankerton</b>

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## The Parish Office

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Contact us for wedding or baptism inquiries and other matters regarding the Braydon Brook Group (Ashley, Charlton, Crudwell, Hankerton, Minety & Oaksey).

## Useful Websites:

The Village Hall website is at:  
[www.charltonvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.charltonvillagehall.co.uk)

The Parish Council website is at:  
[www.charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk](http://www.charltonnorthwilts-pc.gov.uk)

Charlton Church website is at:  
[www.braydonbrook.co.uk](http://www.braydonbrook.co.uk)

Also see the Charlton Community Hub on Facebook





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