

**Parish Council News**

For a long time the Parish Council and the Church congregation have been very worried about the dangers of crossing the High Road at the entrance to the churchyard. After much discussion and various suggestions the County Council has agreed to make a pathway along beside the Churchyard wall down to the War Memorial. This point will make a much safer crossing place but it will involve moving the old wall back about one metre. It is proposed that the PCC and the Parish Council will share the cost of rebuilding the wall as it is felt to be such an important part of the village environment and the cost should not hinder this attempt to make the High Road safer for pedestrians. One way in which some money can be saved is to dismantle the wall and clean off the bricks using volunteer labour. It is hoped that the project will start some time in November and that there will be enough volunteers to make it possible. The vicar, Reverend Norman Cotton (240287) or Mrs Liz Miller (270545) would be delighted to hear from anyone who is interested in assisting.

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**Help For the Physically Disabled**

Bucks County Council runs a "Disability Information Network" for people with disabilities and their carers. For information on benefits, equipment, holidays and leisure, access, mobility etc. ring Aylesbury 315066. Some transport for people unable to use ordinary buses and their carers can also be arranged by ringing "Buzzer Bus" on 0525 853566.

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**Bucks Age Concern** (Reg Charity No 204798)

Volunteers are being sought to help run a small friendly club for older people with special needs and to give respite to their carers. The club meets every Thursday in Wing Lodge Bungalows and will be taking some older people from Soulbury. If anyone could spare a few hours some Thursdays please contact Margot Hill on 0296 431127. Guidance, support and expenses are available to all volunteers.

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**National Tree Week**

Soulbury will be marking National Tree week with two half days of activity. These will consist of surveillance of some recent tree plantings, maintenance, clearing and replacement where necessary. Anyone who is interested contact Liz Miller 270545 or attend one of these sessions. The dates are Sunday 28th Nov 2-4pm and Saturday 4th December 10:30-12:30am meeting at the Stone. Please bring clearing and planting tools.

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**Soulbury Clubroom Race Night**

To be held in the clubroom on 12th November at 8 pm. Proceeds to Clubroom improvements. Admission by programmes (includes buffet) £4.50. Bring your own drinks and glasses. Horses £3 each, Order programmes and horses from Stan Morris - 3 Stewkley Road.

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**Church Fund-raising**

There will be a Coffee Morning and Bring and Buy at Home Farm on Saturday November 13th from 10-12.

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**Church Painting Raffle** Barbara Ginn of Stewkley has painted and given us a lovely picture of All Saints. It is being raffled at 50p per ticket. Call and see the picture and buy your ticket at 3 Stewkley Road.

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**Paul O'Meara** Julie and Christine O'Meara would like to invite all those who knew Paul O'Meara to a memorial concert to celebrate his life on Saturday November 13th at 7pm in All Saints Church Leighton Buzzard. Collection for the Guide Dogs for the Blind Association.

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**Florence Nightingale House Coffee and Cakes Morning**

There will be a fund raising coffee morning with a cake stall and raffle at Lovett House on Saturday November 20th from 10 am to 12:30 pm. Please come and support this important local hospice.

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**Bowls Club** Additional players are wanted - all ages welcome. A friendly get together not to be taken too seriously every Thursday in the Clubroom at 7:30 pm.

We regret to note the recent death of Mrs Molly Kimble. We extend our sympathy to her family.

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The MacMillan Nurses Coffee Morning on October 1st raised £57 and added twenty three signatures to the world record. Many thanks to everyone concerned especially Mrs Sheila Morgan for her hospitality.

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**Monthly Book Sale** in the Clubroom from 10 am to 4 pm. Books, Ephemera etc. Saturday 20th November.

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**Garden Machinery Service** Repairs and sales by RGC Machinery, Rock Lane, Soulbury. Most leading makes supplied. Free collection and delivery. Reconditioned mowers usually available. Also Agricultural and Horticultural Engineers. Tel 0296 681007 (daytime) 0296 681286 (evenings) 0836 244880 (mobile).

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**Sewing Services** All types of Home Sewing undertaken. Especially alterations, repairs and make-overs of clothes and soft furnishings. No job too small. Phone Julie 270036 (Answerphone)

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### **ALL SAINTS CHURCH**

Vicar : Rev Norman Cotton The Vicarage Stewkley. Tel 240287

October 31st 10:00 am Sung Communion with Rev Peter Moss - All Saintside.  
4:00 pm Deanery Youth Praise jointly with the Chapel.  
November 7th 11:30 am Sung Communion Service  
November 14th 10:40 Remembrance Service at Stewkley  
6:00 Requiem Communion Service at All Saints  
November 21st 11:30 am Sung Communion Service  
November 28th 11:30 am Sung Communion Service  
6:00 pm Joint Advent Carol Service, Stewkley Methodist Church

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### **METHODIST CHURCH**

Minister : The Rev J Hustler. The Manse, Stewkley. Tel 240251.

November 7th 10:30 am Mr B Knell  
November 14th 6:00 pm Rev J Hustler Sacrament of the Lords Supper  
November 21st 6:00 pm Mr K Prentice  
November 28th 6:00 pm Mr R Harris

**Sunday Club** 10:30 am every Sunday except first Sunday in Month

**Youth Group** Every Sunday after 6:00 pm service except first Sunday in Month

**Mothers & Toddlers** Every Tuesday 10:30 am

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### **FORTHCOMING EVENTS** (Held in Clubroom unless otherwise stated)

Monday November 1/8/15/22/29 Youth Club 7pm - 9pm  
Wednesday November 3/10/17/24 Keep Fit 10:30 am and 8 pm  
Thursday November 4/11/18/25 Bowls Evening 7:30 pm  
Tuesday November 9th 8 pm AGM Women's Institute Wine and Savouries, Members and friends welcome.  
Wednesday November 10th 2:30 Social Circle  
Friday November 12th 8 pm Race Night  
Saturday November 13th 10 - 12 Coffee Morning Home Farm  
Saturday November 13th 7 pm Memorial Service for Paul O'Meara at All Saints Leighton Buzzard  
Wednesday November 17th 7:45 pm Womens Fellowship at the home of Miss Daphne Booth.  
7 Chapel Hill Talk by WPC Sue Furber  
Saturday November 20th 10 am - 4 pm Book Sale  
Saturday November 20th 10 - 12:30 Coffee Morning Lovett House  
December 6th Parish Council Meeting

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Items for next issue by 22nd November please to :-

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