

Quiz Night
Saturday 11th November
6.30 p.m. for 7.00 start
Milborne Port Village Hall.

Tickets available from Wayne's £12.50 per person to include a Fish and Chip Supper from Something Else Fishy
Bring your own drinks, glasses and cutlery.
Teams of six to eight please.

St John's Church Sponsor a Date 2023

Please can you help us with the daily running costs of our beautiful and historic building?

Choose a date(s), (as many as you like) and contribute £30 towards the upkeep of the Church on that day.

You can pay through BACS, cash or cheque and complete an application form with your chosen date(s)

Contact: 01963 250328/ 07740 862 823

email: jacquie.hall@me.com

Thank you. Jacquie Hall

Frank and Gill Coley 4th November
Robert and Jacquie Hall 5th November
Susan Wales 25th November

Sponsor a hymn.

If you would like to sponsor a hymn, there is now a signup sheet and some donation envelopes at the back of St John's

Please give the completed envelope to David Johnson

If more than one person likes the same hymn, that is fine.

Suggested donation: £5

Keeping in Touch

Priest-in-Charge: Revd Rona Stuart-Bourne

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Pew News

Milborne Port, Milborne Wick, Goathill, Charlton
Horethorne and Stowell.

November 2023

Wednesday 1 November

10:30am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 5 November 22nd Sunday after Trinity

1 Thessalonians 2:9-13, Matthew 23:1-12

9:00am Holy Communion Charlton
Horethorne

10:30am Parish Communion Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong Stowell

Wednesday 8 November

10:30am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

Saturday 11 November

11:00am Act of Remembrance by War Memorial Milborne Port

Sunday 12 November Remembrance Sunday

John 14, John 15

9:00am Remembrance Service Goathill

10:45am Service of Remembrance Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong Charlton
Horethorne

Wednesday 15 November

10:30am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 19 November 2nd Sunday before Advent

1 Thess 5:1-11, Matthew 25:14-30

9:00am Holy Communion Milborne Wick

10:30am Matins Milborne Port

6:00pm Holy Communion Charlton
Horethorne

Wednesday 22 November

10:30am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 26 November Christ the King

Ephesians 1:15-end, Matthew 25:31-end

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

3:00pm Evensong Goathill

Wednesday 29 November

10:30am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 3 December Advent Sunday

Isaiah 64:1-9, Mark 13:24- end

9:00am Holy Communion Charlton
Horethorne

10:30am Parish Communion Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong Stowell

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Diary Dates

Saturday 11 November

7:30pm Quiz Night Milborne Port Village Hall

Tuesday 28 November

7:00pm St John's PCC Meeting Church House, Milborne Port

The Christmas Lights switch on at St John's

Friday, 24th November from 4.15pm

The church bells will ring at 4.15pm to welcome Father Christmas into his grotto, which will be in the church from 4.30pm. There will also be children's stories and craft activities in the church, and the school choir will perform
Mulled wine, hot chocolate, and Wayne's BBQ will be at Church House, and there will be lots of stalls in the churchyard.

Coffee

There will **not** be coffee available in Church House on **Sunday 26th Nov.**

Prayer for the Holy Land at this time of conflict.

(Written by Rev Dr Sam Wells, St Martin in the Fields, London)

God of judgement and mercy, compassion, and steadfast love,

look tenderly on your children at war in your holy land.

Still the souls bent on vengeance and destruction.

Change the hearts plotting death and devastation.

Raise up leaders within the warring parties and in the international community, who can turn violence into reasoned argument, and listen to the pain until a way forward emerges.

Make us see what we have in common so much more than what divides us.

And let all who trace their past back to Abraham find their common future in you. Through Christ your Son our crucified companion forever.
Amen.

Bible Readings

Now that the Pews News will continue monthly, the text of the readings is not included. However the readings can be accessed via the website at <https://milborneportchurches.org.uk/>.

The **Home** page includes a list of services for the following 7 days. Underneath the Sunday title are links to the two readings. Clicking on either link will display the text of the reading from the Bible Society website.

The **Calendar** page includes similar links for all Sundays in the current month.

Graham Sharpless sharpless@btinternet.com

FOODSHARE @ St John's

Thank you very much to all who have donated gifts of non-perishable food, household products, hygiene items, etc for us to offer people who come to the distribution sessions in Church House.

Tea, coffee, tinned meals and meats, toiletries, spreads, and all cereals are particularly welcomed.

If you would like to volunteer, either to collect from the Coop or to help with distribution or both.

If you are interested, please contact
Elaine Ennis-Bunt 01963 250221

Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)

If you would like an easy new way to give money to your parish, have a look at this new scheme that is now available for all to use.

The PGS makes it possible for givers to:

- Give One-Off amounts by Credit/Debit cards and Apple/Google pay wallets.
- Give monthly, quarterly, or annually by Direct Debit.
- Sign up to inflation-linked giving annually.
- Enhance your gift to your church by having Gift Aid at 25% added to your giving.
- Give anonymously.
- The system is secure, confidential, and easy to use.

The team at PGS make it safe and easy for you to give and just as safe and easy for your church to receive, easing the administration burden for treasurers and church volunteers.

To find out more, talk to Rev Rona or go to: <https://www.parishgiving.org.uk> and look for your parish.